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COMING EVENTS

November 21.—Monthly Meeting Members Commercial club. Entertainment.

November 23.—"Watch Your Steps," show at Grand opera house.

November 24.—Football on Willamette Field. Post Hospital Corps of Vancouver vs. Willamette University.

November 30.—Election on proposed school budget.

November 30.—Annual Tax-payers Meeting at City hall.

Dr. M. P. Mendelsohn fits eyes correctly. U. S. National bank bldg. 11-15

The first dance at the Elks' club having been such a success in every way, the dance committee now announce another to be held on Thanksgiving eve, Wednesday, Nov. 28. These Elk dances are for members and their ladies only.

Mill Wood.—Reduced prices on quantity orders, prompt delivery. Spaulding Logging Co. 11-15

Rev. H. Schuknecht, presiding elder, will preach tonight at 7:30 p. m. at the Evangelical church 17th and Chemeketa street. After the service the second Quarterly Conference will convene. Everybody welcome.

Before buying your fur don't fail to look at our assortment of Red fox and all kinds of Alaska furs. Dying and remodeling a specialty. Angora Rug Co., 1230 Ferry. Phone 683. 11-16

The football game between the Post Hospital corps of Vancouver and Willamette University scheduled for Saturday has been postponed one week. This will give the home boys one week more to prepare for the big job of playing to army boys.

Dr. Mendelsohn the eye specialist, will not leave for his vacation until Dec. 10th.

The next meeting of the Six o'clock club of the First Methodist church will be held next Tuesday evening in the parlors of the church. The address of the evening will be delivered by W. C. Hawley. These meetings of the Six o'clock club are for all men who are interested in the issues of the day.

Get a pretty bed comfort cheap while the sale is on. Buren's Furniture store, 179 Commercial street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Mahan of Baker are in the city, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Richmond, 1675 South High street. It is probable they will remain in Salem making the city their permanent home. Coming from Baker, they drove their car to The Dalles, shipping by boat from that city to Portland.

Don't put off buying your bed comforts another day. We are having a sale. Buren's Furniture Store, 179 Commercial St.

Saturday morning at 9:30 Miss Paxson will tell stories to the children at the public library. The stories this week will be "Saddle to Legs," "The Turle and the Who Couldn't Stop Talking," and one other new story which probably no one has heard before. If you can't come at 9:30, be sure to come at 10:30 when the stories will be repeated. A count of the children by schools, taken at the story hour last Saturday shows the attendance as follows: Washington, 5; Park, 5; Richmond, 9; Lincoln, 1; Grant, 4; Englewood, 2; Highland, 4; Sacred Heart, 2; The total attendance was 77.

Special—A 75c mop for 50c with each 50c bottle of polish. Hamilton's.

Felt top card tables \$1.98, special today and tomorrow.—Hamilton's.

Special—A 75c Golden Star mop and a 50c bottle of polish for \$1.—C. S. Hamilton.

Elwin Hayes, sent to the state hospital from Multnomah county in 1908, eloped from that institution this morning. He is harmless, suffering from a mild form of dementia. He walked away this morning, disappearing in the thick fog and as he left no trace it was suggested he might have climbed up on the fog and forgot the way down. The fog was thick enough this morning to give credence to the suggestion.

Why buy tin cans? Get the full value of your money. Phone 67 for fresh roasted coffee and tea. Wm. Gahlsdorf.

Red Cross headquarters has arranged with the Salem hospital to give a preliminary course to women who intend to prepare themselves to go to the front as aids for nurses. To become a real Red Cross nurse a woman must be a graduate nurse, but there is a great demand for nurses' aids. Mrs. Frances H. Whitehead and Mrs. George M. Post are the first women in Salem to answer the call and take advantage of this offer of preliminary training, before offering their services to the country.

According to a recent ruling of the National Red Cross, the department for relief will be extended to those families where the young soldier had been helping before his enlistment. If the young man had not been doing his share, the relief department of the Red Cross will not aid. But before help is given, it must be shown that the young man had been doing the right thing before his enlistment. This decision was brought to the attention of the Commercial club of Salem in a letter recently issued to cover such cases.

The government's work in the deepening of the locks at Oregon City has so far progressed that it is expected they will be opened for river traffic about Monday, Nov. 26. The new gates at the upper end of the lock just deepened were swung yesterday and those for the lower end of the lock within a few days. The third set for the lower lock will be swung next week. The lower lock has been deepened so that seven feet of water will flow over the will instead of two feet heretofore. The Graham line of boats will resume service between Corvallis and Portland as soon as conditions permit.

Although Henry Ford has offered his services and his immense plant to the government, Vick Bros., are doing no worrying as to whether or not they will receive their quota of Fords for the year beginning Aug. 1, 1917. Their allotment for the year is 340 Fords and according to information received by Vick Bros. the Ford plant is so large that not only will the government be supplied with the number of engines called for, but that every Ford dealer will receive his allotment.

"Watch Your Step." This does not refer to any condition where steps should be watched except possibly in dodging automobiles who crossing the streets. "Watch Your Step" is the name of a show that is billed for the Grand opera house next Friday, Nov. 23. It is the biggest thing in the way of a show that has appeared in Salem for the past two years. In the company are 75 people, many of them first rank artists. After playing in Salem the company is billed four days at the Heilig in Portland and for a week's run at the Metropolitan in Seattle.

If there is a "Big Brother" movement, why not a "Big Sister" who will take up the welfare of some child or girl whose parents cannot give them proper clothing? Since the notice of the many children in the city who are not properly clothed for winter, Mrs. W. J. Porter, attendance officer of the city schools, has received several offers from women who ask to become a "Big Sister," to some girl who really needs clothing for this time of year.

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Last evening a woman from the country telephoned that she would be glad to become the big sister of two children and see that they were properly cared for during the winter. It is an actual fact that many children in Salem are without proper winter clothing and shoes. This fact was learned through the solicitors of the Y. M. C. A. war fund, who called at every home in the city.

Saturday is Tag Day for the Salvation army and those who are willing to help in the work, will be permitted to contribute ten cents and to also wear a tag. In England, the work of the Salvation army is under direct orders of the army headquarters. In America, the work is done in affiliating with the Y. M. C. A. workers. Headquarters will be established at the High hotel under the direction of Mrs. Alice Dold and Mrs. Chauncey Bishop but Salvation army workers to the number of a dozen or more will give the average citizen an opportunity to contribute the ten cents and receive the tag.

Has anyone seen Bill King, or know anything about him? Chief of Police Cooper is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. J. J. Sherod of Los Angeles, asking about her brother. She writes as follows: "I have been trying to locate my brother Bill King and can't get any track of him. So am going to ask you to help me. He is well known in Salem and the last I heard of him he was working for a man named Downing on a ranch. He has three fingers missing on his right hand; is tall and slender, and has light hair and blue eyes. Any information regarding him will be highly appreciated." Anyone happening to know of the missing brother might communicate with Chief Cooper.

Butteville, Marion county citizens rallied nobly to the call of the Y. M. C. A. war work at a meeting held last evening. The principal speakers were Walter A. Denton and Chaplain Mathews. Although located somewhat away from the regular line of travel, the citizens of that community were the first in the county to organize a permanent committee to care for all war work. Hereafter when calls are made either for the Red Cross or other patriotic movements, this permanent committee will be ready to take up the work without the necessity and trouble of re-organizing for each call. Napoleon Davis, a former Salem merchant, was elected chairman and John Murray, secretary. With other prominent men of the community, they will serve as a permanent committee.

WAR BULLETINS

Amsterdam, Nov. 16.—The general staff idea for the allies is "doomed to fail," in the opinion of the Cologne

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NOTE NEW LOCATION AUCTION SALE Saturday, Nov. 17, 1917 10:30 a. m. 15 pigs 6 weeks old—O. I. C. and Jersey Reds, 1 new Cleveland motorcycle, horses, wagons, plows, harness, tools and other things which will be brought in on morning of sale. 1:30 p. m. Household furniture of all kinds, comforters, ranges, heaters, in fact anything and everything you may be looking for. A good piano and organ for private sale. Kind friends tell your neighbors about the new location of the People's Quick Exchange Auction Market. Respectfully yours F. N. WOODRY, Auctioneer and Valuator Phones 510 and 511

DIED

MOIR.—At his home 325 North Fourteenth street, Friday morning, Nov. 16, 1917, John Moir, at the age of 77 years. His death was due to pneumonia.

Besides his widow, he is survived by three sons and one daughter: John H. Moir of Portland; Fred D. and William B. Moir of Salem and Miss Winnifred B. Moir of Salem.

The funeral services in charge of Webb & Clough will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the First Presbyterian church and will be conducted by the Rev. Carl H. Elliott. Burial will be in the City View cemetery.

CITY SCHOOL LEVY FIXED LAST NIGHT BY SCHOOL BOARD

Six and Four-Tenths Mills Will Be Tax Rate For Next Year

The levy for maintaining the city public schools for the coming year will be 6.4 mills. This was decided at the meeting of the school board last evening and this levy with the budget will be submitted to the voters at the election to be held Friday, Nov. 30.

Notwithstanding the advanced cost of school supplies and the increase of salaries of teachers, the school board managed to figure out that the schools could be maintained at their present high degree of efficiency and all buildings kept in repair without raising the tax levy. It was 6.4 mills one year ago and 6.7 mills two years ago.

According to the new budget and estimate of expenses, the fiscal year will now date from the closing of the summer term. Hence the budget to be submitted to the voters is the figures for maintaining the schools of the city from June 15, 1917, to the close of school in June of 1918.

The cost of maintaining the schools for the fiscal year, according to the proposed budget, is \$137,800. However this does not indicate that the district will be called on to raise this amount. In fact, the district will be called on through taxes to raise but \$80,000 as the estimated income for the district for the coming fiscal year is as follows:

From the county fund\$80,718.28
From state funds 7,754.46
Cash on hand 218.00

Taxes from 1916 uncollected 30,070.20
Tuition 10,000.00
Taxes for the coming fiscal year 80,000.00

Total \$158,800.00
The budget of \$137,800 and bills payable of \$21,000 make the total of \$158,800.

According to the new law, instead of holding the customary taxpayers meeting at the high school and passing on the budget, there must be an election on which voters may vote either for or against the budget as a whole. If perchance the budget should fail to pass, the schools for the coming year would necessarily be maintained on borrowed money and the following year tax levies would be just double the amount required for one year. The voting place is at the office of Wm. Brown & Co., 129 South Commercial street and the law requires but one voting booth. A majority of votes cast in favor of the budget would indicate its approval by the electors of this school district.

In raising the sum of \$137,800 for the coming fiscal year the estimated individual items of expense are as follows:

Wages \$ 3,500.00
Supplies 5,000.00
Repairs 3,000.00
Water and phone 1,000.00
Power and light 1,300.00
Miscellaneous 500.00
Interest 6,500.00
Insurance 500.00
Insurance 1,000.00
Freight 100.00
Salaries 108,800.00
Bettlements 4,500.00
Census and election 500.00

Total \$137,800.00

The directors thought at one time to include in the budget a sum for the redemption of bonds but as the law seemed to indicate that this item could be voted on separately, they decided not to submit the proposition. As the matter now stands, the voters can just vote yes or no on the entire budget as the law does not give the electors the chance of expressing their opinions on separate items.

PERSONALS

Chas. Johnson was in the city Thursday from Woodburn.

H. R. Smith of Silverton was in the city yesterday.

G. L. Plove of Suver registered at the Bligh yesterday.

Isaac B. Town of Coos Bay was in the city yesterday.

G. C. Elksman of Stayton was in the city Thursday.

J. A. McLean of Mt. Angel was a Salem visitor yesterday.

John D. Cagwell and family will leave tomorrow for a month's visit at Waupaca, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Theora E. Smith and Mrs. Chas. Benson of Silverton were in the city yesterday registering at the Bligh.

London, Nov. 16.—Worcester regiments carried out a successful raid last night northeast of Fampoux, Marshal Haig reported today. North of Poecappelle hostile reconnoitering parties, endeavoring to approach the British lines, were repulsed.

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