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HAVE YOU WOOD SAWING?—Call phone 7. **tf**

FIANO to trade for auto, in good condition. Phone 8855. **2-23**

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn pullets. Phone 36713. **2-21**

LOST—Bunch of keys. Please return to Journal office. **2-22**

FOR SALE—A new Ford, never run a mile. Call 52. **2-23**

WANTED to buy 15 or 20 tons of clover hay. Call 491 or 1431. **tf**

5 PASSENGER Ford for sale. 147 N. High street. **2-21**

FOR SALE—Four pigs six weeks old. Phone 45F22. **2-23**

WANTED—Cows, fresh, or will freshen soon. Phone 2381M evenings. **2-22**

FOR SALE—Oak wood and oak posts. Phone 835. **2-22**

12 GOOD men wanted for factory work. Long job. We work our men on the merit plan. Apply J. H. Mills, 920 State St. 5 p. m. to 7 p. m. **2-23**

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FOR SALE—Belgian hares, and also wanted Belgian buck. Call after 2 p. m. 1480 Broadway. **2-22**

ONIONS good quality, two cents per pound. Delivered 25 lbs. or more. Phone 48F11. **2-23**

FOR SALE—Two year old Jersey heifer with calf at foot. Call 3F12. **2-21**

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LOST—Black fur, French coney trimmed in fitch, Friday evening on street. Please return to Journal office, reward. **2-21**

SPEND a few hours in enjoyment—pocket billiards 24c per cue. Dalmatya Billiard Parlors, under O. E. depot. Courteous treatment. **tf**

FOR SALE—Nearly modern 5 room bungalow with store room, bath and garage, one block from paved street. Price \$900 cash. Address A. B. care Journal. **2-21**

SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY
 By virtue of a lien held by John Hunt against the following described property for the care and keep thereof, to-wit: One black horse weight about 1000 pounds; one single harness; one spring hack; one rubber slicker; one piece of canvas.
 Notice is hereby given, that on Saturday the 23rd day of February, 1918, at 3 o'clock p. m. at Center Street Feed shed in Salem, county of Marion, I will sell the above described property to the highest bidder, for cash.
 JOHN HUNT,
 2-21 Holder of the Said Lien.

FOR SALE—Wood and wagon. Phone 78F11 or 79F11. C. D. Query. **tf**

FOR SALE—Royal Anna cherry trees for sale. Jacob Idlewine, 2123 N. Broadway. **2-21**

RABBITS—Does bred to thoroughbred bucks, Flemish and New Zealand. Call 2224 or 485. **2-21**

GIRLS wanted at the Glove Factory, 1455 Oak street. Advanced wages. Steady work. **2-26**

EXCHANGE—Large bungalow, one acre, in Lebanon for Salem bungalow. Phone 82F2, Rt. 2, box 56. **2-27**

WANTED—Second hand grain drill, in good condition. Write F. D. F. care Journal. **2-21**

MAN COOK wanted at state institution for feeble minded. Telephone 466. **2-23**

CASH for used grain sacks. Will buy half dozen or a thousand, any quantity. Clifford W. Brown. **2-31**

FOR SALE—1 buffet, 1 heating stove, 1 commode, 1 cupboard, 18 yards matting, 1 nurse chair, 1186 Broadway. Phone 584W. **2-23**

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ELEVEN INDICTED FOR CLOTHING FRAUD

Poor Material Furnished Army Nets Crafters Five Million Dollars

New York, Feb. 21.—Charged with having defrauded the government of uniform cloth valued at approximately \$5,000,000, eleven manufacturers and handlers of the cloth in New York were indicted today by a federal grand jury. They are:

Louis Davidson, Abraham Pursh, Javon Weinstein, Hyman Horwitz, Leon Levine, Irving Weinstein, Benjamin Horwitz, Barney Tietz, Ira L. Janowsky, Barnet Robinson and Morris Alewinsky.

It is alleged these men, all involved in the process of preparing cloth supplied by the government for uniforms, falsified records in such a manner that they were able to steal cloth and sell it. Janowsky is an employe of the quartermaster's department, with offices here.

The men were arraigned before Judge Manton in federal district court, where they pleaded not guilty and were held in bail.

Particularly in the east, officers of the federal banks are selling their influence so that certain persons who really have bribed them, may obtain federal loans," Glass said.

"To break up this practice and to clarify to penal provisions of the act, which have been the excuse for some of this work, the amendments make it a crime punishable by imprisonment for an officer 'to accept any fee, commission or gift in obtaining loans or to take any loan of more than \$10,000 from the reserve bank for his personal use'."

Other amendments which were included in one bill extend the scope of the federal reserve system in the line of general trust business. State banks have bitterly fought the encroachment of the federal reserve act on this phase of banking but the provisions regarding trust business were recently held invalid by the supreme court.

Changes in the groupings of banks so as not to ignore the small institutions in the elections of directors were also recommended.

"The directors now are not representative enough," Glass said. "Too many of them come from the big banks."

Looking toward American business after the war, the provisions of the act concerning foreign banking are modified so that American institutions may greatly extend their operations. Banks of this sort would be granted charters of the federal system by the new amendment.

Authorization of reserve notes in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000 is provided.

Two Soldiers Wounded and Deaths Reported

Washington, Feb. 21.—Two American soldiers were slightly wounded in action February 16 and 18, respectively. General Pershing called the war department late today. They were Private George W. Sterling, Melrose, Mass., and Private John J. Fay, Medford, Mass.

One other formally reported missing was reported reported December 3, 1917. He was Private Duke A. Lovely, South Amboy, N. J.

Six deaths from natural causes also were reported as follows:

Private James P. Martin, Liberty, Alabama.
 Private Clifford H. Wilson, Waltham, Massachusetts.
 Private Jack Yuill, Highland Park, Michigan.
 Private William Howard, Mount Horeb, Wisconsin.
 George E. Parris, Twickenham, Oregon.
 Private John G. Warren, Chicago.

CAPITAL NATIONAL LEADS Y.M.C.A. LEAGUE

Leaders Defeated Watt Shipp's In Basketball Game Last Night

Capital National Bank.....1,000
 Watt Shipp Co.....334
 Bishops.....334
 Hauser Brothers.....223

The Capital National Bank added another scalp to their belt when they defeated the Watt Shipp team in the first basketball game at the Y. M. C. A. last night, by the overwhelming score of 24 to 4. The game showed no spectacular playing, the Bankers plainly winning through their perfect team work and well directed goal shooting. So far the Bankers have shown themselves to be far superior to any other team in the Commercial league, having won every game in the series, and there being but one game with the Bishops yet to play, there is a fine chance for the Bank to win the Commercial league series with a percentage of 1,000 per cent. However, Bishops have at last got into the game and have twice won over the Hauser Brothers team, and also over the Mauser Brothers team, and also them to second place in the percentage list and they now expect to be able to win from the Bankers.

The second game was more interesting. At the end of the first half Hauser Brothers were in the lead with the score 2 to 1. When the second half began Eeff replaced Nist as forward for the Bishops and he started scoring early in the half. This steadied the Bishop team and they piled up baskets until they had secured 9 field baskets to the Hauser Brothers team to fourth place in the percentage list. Next week they will play Watt Shipp Co.

The Bishops for last night were: Capital National Bank; Harris, (7); Baker, (13); Socolofsky, Robinson, Steiner (4); Purvine.

Watt Shipp Co.; Schafer, Seer, Jankoski (4); De Lapp, Radcliff, Clark.

Final Score: Capital National Bank, 24; Watt Shipp Co. 4.

Townley's Position On Wheat Price Slated

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 21.—Farmers do not desire higher wheat prices, provided the cost of things they buy is reduced, according to A. C. Townley, president of the National Non-Partisan League.

"Denying the league would support bills in congress for increasing the wheat price to \$2.50 or \$3 a bushel, Townley said:

"In my opinion, these bills will please the profiteers. These gentry think they can boost prices all around, if essentials are boosted. Thus they would please the farmer in their own class. Farmers will not benefit from \$3 wheat, if mill feeds, farm machinery and other necessities continue to advance.

"Labor troubles might result, but if congress does not give the administration power to compel great monopolistic middlemen and other profiteers to reduce prices, then in self defense the farmer must get more for his wheat or farm production will fall off."

Farmers Are Hoarding.
 Chicago, Feb. 21.—With farmers still hoarding their wheat and the government continuing seizure at flour mills, there was no relief in sight today for the nation-wide flour shortage. Northwest grain depots reported light receipts. Trainloads of flour were being sent from mills to the Atlantic coast for shipment to the allies.

Wheat Food Administrator Harry A. Wheeler called a meeting of 200 flour distributors of northern Illinois this afternoon to discuss possibility of commandeering the supply.

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Although the judge is an old man in point of years he still loves a fight and has the spirit in him that carried him through numerous civil war engagements. He intimated that if the term of office was only two years as it used to be he might be tempted to try for it again.

"But let a younger man have it," said Judge Webster. "There's Frank Davey, for instance. He would make one of the best justices of the peace I know of. Frank ought to be a candidate and make a campaign for the office. And there's Glen Unruh. I see he has announced his candidacy. He would make a good justice of the peace, too. There will doubtless be others. I am going to set back and watch the fun this time."

Telephone Company Ask Commission's Advice

After being granted an increase in telephone rates, the Canyonville Telephone company, in Douglas county, now wants to know of the commission what to do to appease the wrath of its subscribers who refuse to stand for a raise in rates.

H. Hopkins, manager of the company, advises the commission in a letter that some of the company's patrons held a meeting and decided if the company put the new rates into effect to cut their telephone lines, establish a new central office and connect up with that.

"Am I forced to abide by your orders?" asks Mr. Hopkins, "when on the other hand if your findings do not conform to the opinion of some of my subscribers, and they are so fortunate enough to have the means, they can put me completely out of business, although it will cost them 10 times as much as the increase in rates you have granted me will amount to in a considerable length of time?"

RED RUPEET CONVICTED.
 Portland, Or., Feb. 21.—Clyde (Red) Rupert, prominent in northwest sporting circles, was this afternoon sentenced to serve from one to three years in the penitentiary, following his conviction on charge of stealing \$17,500 worth of liberty bonds from the Northwestern National Bank, where he was employed as watchman.

OREGON MUST FIGHT FOR SHARE OF FUNDS

Opposition to State's Claim On Proceeds of Coos Bay Wagon Grant

If Oregon is to save for its school, road and port funds a just share of the proceeds that will be derived from the Coos Bay Wagon Road grant lands, it will be necessary to present information which will convince the members of congress that the state is entitled to a share of the proceeds. And just now the big job is to convince a majority of the committee on public lands of the lower house of congress to this effect.

That is the situation as emphasized by Attorney General Brown and S. W. Williams, special assistant to the attorney general of the United States, following a conference between the two yesterday afternoon. As the situation now stands it is understood that a majority of the public lands committee, before which is pending the Chamberlain-Sinnott bill providing for the government to retake the 93,000 acres left in the grant, are opposed to the provisions of the bill which allow Oregon 50 per cent of the net proceeds.

To overcome this sentiment the attorney general and the officials of Coos and Douglas counties are devoting their energies to gathering information on the subject for use by the Oregon delegation in congress.

The attorney general is also sending word to the county courts of those two counties, in which the grant lands are located, to make arrangements to confer with Mr. Williams, who attended the hearings held by the public lands committee on the Chamberlain-Sinnott bill, so they may obtain first hand information and a better understanding of the situation in reference to the bill.

It is estimated the lands are worth at least \$2,000,000, and that something over \$1,000,000 would be the net proceeds from their disposal. That means that under the present provisions of the Chamberlain-Sinnott bill the state common school fund would receive about \$250,000, the road and port district funds about \$250,000, the U. S. reclamation fund \$400,000, and the U. S. treasury \$100,000.

Judge Webster Says He Will Not Be a Candidate

Judge Daniel Webster, veteran justice of the peace of the Salem district, stated this morning that he would not be a candidate for re-election. "I am getting too old," said Judge Webster, "and I do not want to stand in the way of younger men. I will celebrate my 83th birthday in April, and by the time my term expires next January I will be well along toward 86. I do not feel that I could enter into another 6-year term and do full justice to the work of the office."

Judge Webster has served six consecutive terms as justice of the peace in Salem. It is doubtful if there is an older justice of the peace in the state, but it is a certainty that no other justice court has been administered with a greater degree of efficiency and fairness than has Judge Webster's.

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News from the Big Store

38 Years in Salem and Still the Leader

MEYERS

GOOD GOODS

When you purchase from us you can feel secure about quality. We do not sell bankrupt stock, trashy or inferior merchandise. We believe the best is none too good for our customers.

As "Standardizers" of Merchandise in Salem for over 38 years, we have always exercised great care in the selection of our goods. They must be "Good Goods" or they cannot enter our store.

New Springtime Voils

You will find nothing lovelier in the newest Cotton Goods than our NEW SPRING VOILES. The very newest creations, in a most attractive variety of colorings, and fancy weaves. They come in 38 to 40 inch widths and are priced

39c to \$1.35 Per Yard

CITY NEWS

Miss Merle Hovdebo, a popular clerk of Barnes' cash store, has just received a letter from her mother, who lives at Kongsberg, Norway. The letter was written the middle of December and throws some interesting light on the condition of affairs in Norway. Miss Hovdebo's mother said she was writing by moonlight because they were unable to get any kerosene for their lamps. She also stated that they were unable to buy any rice, coffee or sugar, and that only very coarse wheat flour could be obtained. Miss Hovdebo said her mother was a great coffee user and was quite put out because she could not obtain any.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. H. Stouloff, 1185 Court street. Additional hostesses will be Mesdames D. H. Crouse, A. J. Eoff, Lueker, O. J. Wilson and Miss Lucy Stoughton.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lean, of New York City, arrived last evening for a short visit with the latter's uncle, W.

W. Moore, of this city. They leave this evening for San Francisco, accompanied by Mrs. Lean's mother, Mrs. C. B. Empey, of New York City, who has been a guest for the past several days at the Moore home. Mrs. Empey is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Moore. Needless to say, the party were more than delighted with Oregon weather. Mr. Lean having expressed a heavy fur coat back to his home in New York which he found he had no use for on the coast.

With the arrival of J. B. Tuttle, federal income tax man, in this city yesterday announcement is made that the time for filing the 1917 income tax returns has been