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COMING EVENTS

Sept. 30—Opening of Salem public schools and Willamette university.

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Dr. Schenk has now returned from his vacation and he extends a cordial invitation to his patrons and friends to visit his institution.

J. M. Sear of Gladstone, Oregon, and with the Canadian troops is reported 'killed in action' in today's casualty list.

Capital Normal fall term begins next Monday; classes formed in typewriting and shorthand both Gregg and Pitman. Address J. J. Krapf, Salem, Or.

Will ship livestock next Saturday, September 28, but on account of the state fair will not be able to get out into the country.

The Million Dollar Dolly Sisters is the special attraction on at the Liberty theatre this evening.

All Elks who have offered their cars for the Elks day parade are asked to be at the Elks club at 10 a. m. Thursday, Sept. 26th.

Bicycles should have one well lighted lamp burning when out in the evening. This is a city ordinance and Officer Chittock is inclined to feel that the ordinance should be enforced.

Plan to attend the Capital Normal and Industrial school, and prepare for the unusual opportunities which have been created by the war.

Young ladies—Have Opportunity to perform patriotic services in preparing to take the places of young men, doing office work, who will soon be called to the service of the country.

Elton Hewitt of Judson street, who enlisted in Company D of Portland, has been wounded and is now in a hospital in France.

Miss Helen Phillips Will Have Charge Of Physical Instruction

Physical culture for girls in the high school will not only include the usual physical training, but this year will partake largely of re-construction work.

RAILWAY STRIKE ENDED Cardiff, Wales, Sept. 25.—Railway strikers decided, at a mass meeting here today to return to work.

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COMMISSION GIVEN RAKING OVER REPORT ON PACKING HOUSES

Harry A. Wheeler Refuses To Express Opinion Before Senate Committee

By L. C. Martin. (United Press Staff Correspondent.) Washington, Sept. 25.—In seeking a way to relieve the American people from the high cost of living, congress has practically abandoned the idea of putting the meat packing business under the control of the government while the war lasts.

Many congressional students of living costs agree that to adj. this enterprise to the multitude of other stockyards or packing houses now, as a result of his study of the federal trade commission's recommendations, the president already has the power to take over either the stockyards or the packing houses, or both, in a war emergency, if this becomes necessary.

The senate agricultural committee today found Harry A. Wheeler, president of the chamber of commerce, an unwilling witness concerning the report of the chamber's federal trade commission on the packers.

Norris tried to go into the relations of the Union Trust company, Chicago, of which Wheeler is vice-president, with the packers. Wheeler denied his right to do this.

"Is your bank an Armour institution, as it is called by the federal trade commission?" asked Norris. "It is not," replied Wheeler.

"How far is the committee justified in calling it an Armour institution, then?" "It is not justified at all," said Wheeler.

"I wish you would indicate your purpose in bringing the Union Trust company into the matter," added Wheeler. "Yes, and I'll be frank than you have been," said Norris.

"The commission says, your bank is connected with the Armour Packing concern. You are president of the chamber of commerce and vice-president of the bank and the connection seems to me to have direct bearing on the criticism of your committee of the federal trade commission."

"If you want to know about the bank's relations call officials of the bank," said Wheeler. Wheeler finally said that none of the Armour is an official of his bank.

"Do you approve or disapprove of the recommendation of the commission that the government take over the stock yards?" said Wheeler. "I have no opinion to express," replied Wheeler.

"After fencing for ten minutes on this point, Wheeler angrily declared he would not answer."

Wheeler also had a brush with Senator Kendrick, who asked him whether the committee report was made without reference to his truthfulness.

"You have no right to make that assumption," Wheeler declared. Kendrick said he wanted to learn whether the report was the work of a few men or represented the opinion of the chamber generally.

The committee on Thursday will hear members of the federal trade commission.

To Organize Community Labor Bior Here A community labor board will be organized in Salem Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the office of the U. S. labor bureau on State street.

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Elks And Portland Day Events And Races

Concert by Campbell's American band. 10:15 Lecture at textile department on real lace and Oriental textiles. 11:30 Parade of Salem lodge of Elks and visiting Elks from club rooms to fair grounds.

Afternoon 1:15 Parade of prize winning stock in front of grand stand. 1:30 Speed program with special music by Campbell's American band.

Evening Elks patriotic program at grand stand 8 o'clock, Walter L. Toose, chairman. Special music by Campbell's American band.

Program of Races 1—Elks special race, 3 heats; purse \$500. 2—3-12 trot, 3 in 5, purse \$2000. 3—2-19 Pace, 3 heats, purse \$750. 4—The Lea handicap for trotters and pacers, one mile; purse \$300.

Germany Tries To Prejudice English The Hague, Sept. 25.—Germany has begun to pepper the British lines with propaganda seeking to incite that nation against America it has been learned here.

Aviators are dropping leaflets declaring that America has triumphed over Great Britain's over seas trade and shipping and arguing the British to make peace with Germany because only America is interested in the continuance of the war.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Mary Wilson and Mrs. J. B. Adams left this morning over the Oregon Electric for Kelso, Wash. Dr. O. B. O'Neill is in the city on a short furlough.

Dr. Carl Gregg Doney went to Portland this morning to attend the Oregon conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Born

Bair—To Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bair, September 21, 1918, a daughter. She has been named Dorothy Marie.

Colonel North And Staff To Attend Muster Of Salem's New Company

Colonel W. C. North, commanding officer of the first regiment Oregon guard, attended by his staff, were visitors at the state fair grounds this afternoon; and this evening. At 5:30 they will be entertained at dinner at the Marion hotel.

Stock Offerings Light And Prices Went Lower

New York, Sept. 25.—The New York Evening Sun says: While stocks offerings were not large in today's market for securities, they exceeded the usually good investment demand and accordingly prices receded substantially.

AMERICANS IN METZ.

Geneva, Sept. 25.—The American Red Cross has received from Berlin a list of 260 Americans interned at Metz, Stuttgart and Karlsruhe.

VATICAN RECEIVES NOTES.

Rome, Sept. 25.—The Austrian peace note has been received at the Vatican. It was officially announced here today.

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