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City News

Soldiers in the American hospitals are in need of more books. The call is coming to all library headquarters to supply books and in order that Salem may help in this, the request is made that any one having books to give to hospitals should please send them to the city public library this week.

The usual New Year's reception of the Salem public library will not be held this year on account of general health conditions. The first of a series of lectures to be given at the library is scheduled for Wednesday evening January 8.

While the influenza conditions in the city are not serious at present, there are a number of cases under treatment and it may be said there are more cases in the city now than one week ago.

Court House Notes

The James N. Shantz estate was closed yesterday and the executrix, Belle Shantz, discharged and relieved from further duty. The heirs were declared to be Mrs. Belle Shantz, the widow; Jessie May Reese of Portland; Knapp Shantz of Salem; Ray Shantz of Portland and Carl Shantz of Salem.

Charles Whitney of Woodburn has been appointed administrator of the estate of Susan Staiger who died in 1910. By will, two brothers were made executors, but one lived in another state and William W. Whitney, after disposing of 40 per cent of the estate, died Dec. 3, 1918.

Red Cross Notes.

Red Cross headquarters still has on sale several thousand yards of gauze and about 100 pounds of absorbent cotton.

The home service section of the Red Cross at a meeting last evening unanimously elected August Huckestein as chairman of the consulting committee. There soon will be an abundance of work for the auxiliaries. There was received yesterday at Red Cross headquarters 290 patterns of convalescent robes and 375 pounds of yarn to be knitted into hose.

Big Automobile Show In Salem Next Month

Salem is to have an automobile show all of its own and the auto men of the city promise it will be one of the best ever held in the state. At a meeting held this afternoon of all dealers, it was definitely decided to hold the show for four days beginning January 15, 1919, and Lee Gilbert was appointed chairman of a committee to handle the affair.

OREGON WILL GET AID FROM GOVERNMENT IF PRESENT BILL PASSES

For Certain Educational Uses. Oregon will be entitled to receive \$837,587 annually from the federal government for special educational work if the bill introduced in congress by Senator Hoke Smith becomes a law, as leading educators believe it will.

This bill, which is declared to embody the greatest educational program ever put forward by the government, carries an appropriation of 100,000,000 a year for educational purposes. It also created a separate department of education with a secretary at its head who would be a member of the president's cabinet.

This sum of money is to be used in the various states for co-operating with the states in improving educational conditions. The states will be required to match the government funds dollar for dollar, according to information which has been received concerning the bill by J. A. Churchill, superintendent of public instruction Oregon's share of the fund would be segregated as follows:

Uses of Money. For the removal of illiterates, \$3,762.08. For the Americanization of immigrants, \$62,790.48. For equalizing educational opportunities, \$495,938.82.

Albert Lamb Killed In Action In France. (Capital Journal Special Service.) Donald, Ore., Dec. 13.—One of our Donald boys makes the supreme sacrifice in France. The community was grieved and shocked when a telegram came to Mayor and Mrs. Geo Lamb on Saturday, that their son Albert, had been killed in action October 7.

MOORE FINALLY GIVEN LEASE SUMMER LAKE

Is Confident That Lake Bed Contains Various Valuable Salts.

After six or eight years effort to finance a project to extract valuable minerals from the bed of Summer lake, in Lake county, Jason C. Moore was today awarded a supplementary lease on the lake by the state land board.

Mr. Moore is confident that the lake bed contains sodas and various salt formations which can be extracted to a profit to his company and to the state. Under the terms of the supplementary lease he will pay the state the same royalties as were provided in the original lease.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Steret were shopping in Donald Friday afternoon. They have been in Oregon but three months, having driven from Astoria in their auto over the northern route reaching Broadacres in September where they have located for the present.

The Donald council met in the Johnson store Monday night to transact business. Late word received from Spence Mercer who had a stroke of paralysis just before Thanksgiving is that he is improving and was able to get about.

ITALIAN MINISTERS CONFER WITH WILSON

Royal Family And Premier Orlando To Arrive In Paris Tomorrow.

By Henry Wood. (United Press staff correspondent.) Paris, Dec. 18.—The visit of the Italian royal family and ministers to Paris will afford the first opportunity for the United States, France and Italy to get together on Italy's peace aspirations.

While King Victor Emmanuel, Queen Elena and Crown Prince Humbert are attending to the social amenities, Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino will be in conference with President Wilson, the American delegation and the French ministers.

During his visit with President Wilson on Thursday the king will formally invite the president to visit Rome. \*\*\*\*\* Died \*\*\*\*\* BURNETT—At home of his daughter, Mrs. Ada P. Petram, Wednesday, Dec. 18, 1918, Charles F. Burnett, at the age of 70 years.

New Books Received At Public Library

"The end of the War," a plea for democratic, uncorrupted principles to govern a peace conference presented by W. E. Weyl, before the armistice was signed. "Knights of the Air," a description of the life of the aviator, his training, the character he develops, and his work by Bennett Motler.

THE DAYS ARE TOO SHORT TO GIVE ALL THE CHANCE TO BUY JEWELRY AND CHRISTMAS GOODS AT HALF PRICE

THERE ARE BUT SIX MORE DAYS UNTIL XMAS, SO IN ORDER THAT EVERY ONE MAY RECEIVE THE BENEFITS OF THE SACRIFICES WE ARE MAKING

WE WILL BE OPEN EVENINGS BEGINNING WITH TONIGHT (WEDNESDAY) OUR STORE WILL BE OPEN EVENINGS FOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF THOSE WHO CANNOT COME DURING THE DAY

Table listing jewelry and Christmas goods at half price, including Ivory brush, mirror, comb and manicure set for \$4.75, Fountain pens for \$1.50, and various watches and rings.

McGilchrist & Director 125 No. Com'l St. Salem, Oregon. SELLING THE STOCK OF POMEROY & WALLACE

Wilson To Go To London Soon After Christmas

London, Dec. 18.—President Wilson will come to London to confer with Premier Lloyd-George and Foreign Secretary Balfour soon after Christmas, it was learned this afternoon.

AIN'T IT THE TRUTH?

He'd never owned a car before, But still he knew, he did, That the carburetor wasn't set The way it ought to be.

CABINET RESIGNS

London, Dec. 17.—The entire Portuguese cabinet has resigned.

BRITISH SHIP RELEASED

Hamburg, Dec. 18.—Fifteen interned British merchant ships have been released and sent to England.

TOTAL HUNS KILLED.

Berlin, Dec. 17.—(Delayed.)—The total of Germans killed in the war was officially announced today as 649,000.

Nathan Calvin Burson, aged 102 years, probably the oldest man in Oregon, died at Halsey, Friday.

Talk is cheaper than it will be if the Bell Telephone company has its way.

Government ownership of telephones and telegraph lines is advocated in a bill in the house Saturday.

The corn show dated for December 12 and 13 at Coquille was postponed on account of the 'flu,' and is to be held in January.

Aberteen postal savings deposits total \$100,590 for November, a gain of \$21,000.

Red Flag Platform Would Upset Things In General

Washington, Dec. 18.—Confiscation of all dynastic fortunes, creation of a single socialistic republic, cancellation of all public debts and war loans are among the planks of the German Spartacist platform. The Berlin Rote Fahne (red flag) gives the platform thus: Revolutionary uprising of world masses.

TODAY AND TOMORROW SHIRLEY MASON in "Come On In" Every one who has seen this picture says its good. The OREGON

What is behind the Dayton bicycle?

The factory in which DAYTON Bicycles are made employs 1800 workmen, comprises 600 buildings grouped on 35 acres of land, contains 700,000 square feet of floor space and represents an investment of \$3,500,000.

Dayton bicycle Are the product of this great institution, founded in 1863, and which, for 23 years has been successfully manufacturing high grade bicycles.

The DAYTON factory has a capacity of 600 bicycles each day—and in one month, recently, made and shipped 15,369 bicycles—a record unsurpassed anywhere, as far as we can learn.

Ride the reliable Dayton! Guaranteed 5 Years by the makers. Let us show it to you TODAY. LLOYD E. RAMSDEN 221 S. High Street