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All Around Town

COMING EVENTS

Dec. 29 - Christian Science lecture, opera house, 3 p. m. Dec. 30 - Second election on school budget. Dec. 31 - Company M dance at armory. Jan. 7 - Annual Cherrian initiation and banquet. Jan. 8 - Annual meeting Salem Commercial club. Jan. 13 - Legislature convenes. Jan. 15-18 - Auto exhibit.

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Stephen E. Wright has received his discharge from the spruce division of the U. S. army and is visiting in the city with friends and relatives.

Lunch counter opposite O. E. E. R. depot. Good lunches, M. J. B. coffee. Lady waitress. Open from 6 a. m. to 12 p. m.

Highways Rapid Transit Auto service to Portland and way points daily, leaving Salem at 7 a. m. Phone orders evening before, 137 S. Com'l. Phone 663.

The funeral services of Miss Catherine Fowle who died last Tuesday were held this afternoon from the First Congregational church and were conducted by the Rev. W. C. Kantner. The body will be taken tomorrow to Bellingham, Wash. for burial.

High grade, genuine furs for Christmas gifts at special prices. West Fur Co., 217 South High St.

Dr. J. O. Matthe, associated with Dr. H. J. Clements, office 44-410 Salem Bank of Com. bldg. Office tel. 573; res. 1705 South Fir St. tel. 596. 12-37

George McCallister is home from Vancouver with his discharge. For several months he has been in the spruce division stationed at Raymond, Wash. He will leave next week for Corvallis to take up again his studies.

Build up Salem's industries by supporting those on the ground.

I wish you a Happy New Year. Will ship livestock on Jan. 1st. Also handle poultry. Highest market prices. G. W. Eyre. Phone 2204M. 12-30

Merritt Davis received the sad news this morning of the death of his father Lycurgus Davis, at Eugene, Oregon, December 27, 1918, from pneumonia. He was 79 years old. Mr. Davis was a pioneer of Oregon having come to the state in 1847. Besides his wife, Elizabeth A. Davis, he is survived by four children: Mrs. R. D. Dickinson, Eugene, Or.; Mrs. W. R. Hollenbeck, Comp. ton, Calif.; Mrs. O. F. Carlson, Moore, Calif.; and Merritt Davis, Salem. He is also survived by six grandchildren and a brother, M. M. Davis, and sister, Mrs. S. A. Huddleston, both of Eugene.

Wanted fat hens and chickens. Highest market price paid. Steuoloff Bros. Inc. Phone 1528. 12-28

Free Lecture on Christian Science by Mr. John C. Lathrop, C. S. B. of Brookline, Mass., Member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., will deliver a free lecture on Christian Science at the Grand Opera House Sunday Dec. 29, at 3 p. m.

A dance studio will be opened at the Marion hotel by Theodore and Lillian Newman, exhibition dancers and instructors of modern and classic dancing. Mr. Newman has operated and danced in many exclusive tourist hotels in Florida and New York. The Newmans will teach in private and in classes the latest steps including the Pershing schottische, the Broadway fox trot and the familiar one step, two step and the old fashioned waltz, which is coming back again.

Big dance tonight armory 8 p. m.

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Many Applications For Auto Licenses

The usual annual congestion of business in the automobile department of the secretary of state's office is now developing, as the mail Thursday morning brought in about 1800 applications for registration of motor vehicles and chauffeurs. The receipts per day for the past week have been running around 1000 applications. The department is now, and has been for the past month, working overtime nights to keep pace with the business.

"We are registering today around 24,000," said Secretary of State Olcott. "As there were registered for the current year 63,225 machines it will be seen that considerably less than one half of the automobile owners have so far responded to our several urgent requests to send in their applications before January 1st, to the end that we could be sure that everybody would have their plates by or soon following that date. We have been disappointed that the owners did not more readily respond to our suggestions and they have no one to blame but themselves if they do not have their tags on hand to place on their cars the first day of the year.

The postal authorities are cooperating in the work, as they maintain a miniature post office in the basement department of the secretary of state's office. The plates are segregated, distributed and packed here and go directly to the mail trains from the capitol building. Owing to the weight of the plates in connection with the great volume of mail incident to Christmas, together with the danger of the heavy plates doing much injury to the lighter Christmas packages, at the request of the postal authorities no plates were mailed Tuesday or Wednesday, Thursday morning the mail clerks were again on the job and now have everything again cleaned up."

Marion Teppen, driver for the Capital City laundry, had the misfortune to break his arm at the wrist while attempting to crank a Ford car. The accident occurred yesterday morning.

Relax and rest in the dental chair. Dr. Hartley fills and extracts teeth without pain and corrects diseased gums. Moore bldg. Phone 114. 12

Salem bread is freshest and best. 12

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King Bing Fullerton, as King Bing, has received an invitation from Company M to notify all his vassals they are individually and collectively invited to attend the big New Year's dance. Instead of telling each member he is invited, the invitation is extended collectively.

Special meeting of Pacific Lodge No. 50, A. F. & A. M., this evening. Work in the 3rd. C. degree. Visiting brethren welcome.

Don't forget. Remember, the event of the season will be company M's informal military ball at the armory New Year's eve. Best music obtainable. Formal invitations not required. Dance the old year out and the new year in.

Salem's big dance, armory tonight 8 p. m.

Masquerade dance Chemawa Wednesday, two \$10 silver cups and a cash prize will be given away. Train service out 7:45. Auto service back at one o'clock. Good music. Good lunch.

Erixon & Jones have completed the new bank building at Independence for the Farmers' State Bank. Mr. Erixon says the building is up to date in every respect with tiled floors and every modern improvement. The building is owned by the bank.

The book stores are sold out completely on "Private Peat" but they will take your order and you can see Private Peat in "Private Peat" at the Oregon next Tues. Wed. or Thurs.

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COALITIONISTS LEAD IN PARLIAMENTARY BRITISH ELECTIONS

Large Majority Re-Elects Lloyd-George.—Sprit Succeeds Herbert Asquith.

London, Dec. 28.—Coalitionists had an overwhelming lead in the parliamentary elections of December 14, according to results announced up to 2 p. m. today. At that hour the results stood: Coalitionists 77; laborites 8; liberals (Asquith supporters) 3. Arthur Henderson, labor leader, whose defeat was forecast, ran a poor third in his district. Edwards, coalitionist, got 7972 votes; Hamlet, independent, 5961, and Henderson 5024. The returns at 3:30 showed: Coalitionists 240; laborites 16; unionists 14; liberals (Asquith supporters) 14. Asquith Defeated Herbert Asquith, former premier and leader of the opposition in parliament, was defeated for re-election, it was revealed in returns made public today. Sprit, a unionist, was elected from Asquith's district. The vote stood: Sprit 8996; Asquith 6944; Moran, independent, 591. Lloyd-George Re-elected Premier Lloyd-George was re-elected to parliament by a huge majority. He defeated his one opponent, Harrison, an independent, 13,993 to 1095.

Aviators From Northwest Killed In Action In 1918

Washington, Dec. 28.—Names of 150 American aviators killed in action at the front during 1918, were announced today, including: N. C. Barber, Medford, Or. H. D. G. Broomfield, Gladstone, Or. E. V. Carter, Spokane, Wash. C. A. Kinney, Endicott, Wash. J. MacArthur, Entiat, Wash. J. F. Simpkins, Missoula, Mont.

TACOMA FIREMEN HOLD OUT

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 28.—The entire Tacoma fire department with the exception of Chief Carlson, the assistant chief and one fireman have decided not to accept the city's offer of a \$5 raise instead of the \$35 a month which they demanded, and will resign in a body December 31, according to an ultimatum which they handed to Commissioner Pettit today. The city council decided at once to advertise for men to fill the firemen's places.

For Company M informal dance New Year's eve, the armory will be decorated with evergreen and flags of the allied countries. Members of the company are asked to meet at the armory Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock to begin work on decorating. For the dance the orchestra will include several well known Portland musicians, including Miss Gladys Johnston, cello player, Miss Mary Talmadge violin and W.E. Swartout, base viol. The augmented orchestra will be under the direction of Warren Hunt.

In the matter of the guardianship of Pauline and Virgie Maseher, as both have reached the age of 21 years, the court ordered the guardian discharged and released from further duties.

WHITE SLAVE SENTENCED

Portland, Or., Dec. 28.—Glenn A. Campbell of Arlington, Wash., was sentenced today to serve three years in the federal prison at McNeill's island having been convicted of a white slavery charge. It was alleged Campbell illegally transported his 17 year old step daughter from Seattle to Eugene.

JOURNAL WANT ADS PAY

NO STRIKE AT TACOMA.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 28.—"No strike of the metal trades is contemplated at Tacoma," was the statement today of C. R. Barrett, business manager of the Metal Trades council. There are about 6000 metal workers here. Barrett said there would be a meeting of Pacific coast metal trades in Portland next week.

SALEM FARMER CURED OF CANCER

To Whom It May Concern. December 6, 1918. Salem, Ore.

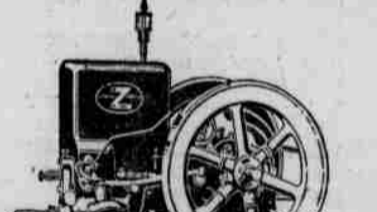
This is to certify that I had a cancer on my lower lip of three years standing which worried me greatly. I went to Dr. S. C. Stone for treatment. He applied a liquid for six days and then an ointment, and in a few days the cancer came out and the place healed up nicely. This was last August I can conscientiously recommend Dr. Stone and his treatment of cancer. W. J. BROWN, Salem, Oregon.

The above certificate was tendered by Mr. Brown unsolicited in appreciation of Dr. Stone's services.

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