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O. P. HOFF ANNOUNCES RESULT OF ENGLISH STAFF OF EMPLOYES

Lester G. Hulin O fSpringfield Will Be Assistant State Treasurer.

O. P. Hoff, state labor commissioner who will succeed T. B. Kay as state treasurer the first Monday in January, Das aunounced the following staff of

employes for his department: Assistant state treasurer, Lester G. ulin, cashier of the First National ank of Springfield. He will succeed

T. G. Ryan.

Cashier, John Sutherland, who has held that position for many years. Mr. Sutherland is an appointee of the state land board as he has charge of the solte, representing loans from the state school fund.

Head bookkeeper, Harvey M. Hoskins of Newberg, who will succeed Head of the inheritance tax depart-

ment, Stanley Culver, who has been holding that position under Mr. Kay. Chief stenographer and assistant bookkeeper, Miss Marie Lodge, who has been holding a similar position un-der Mr. Hoff in the labor commission-

er's office.
Stenographers Miss May Cleveland,
Now employed in the office, and Mrs.
Willi R. Rohde of Portland.
Dalzel Deputy Scaler
Deputy state scaler of weights and
measures, W. A. Dalzel, now deputy inher commissioner. It is announced that
Mr. Dalziel will retain all but one of

Mr. Daiziel will retain all but one of the district deputy scalers, as follows:
Northern district, C. R. Nichelson,
Portland; castern district, G. A. Yeager, Pilot Rock; western district, J. F.
Jones, Salem; southern district, E. E.
Bond of Eagens, who will succeed D. Lawton, resigned.

While Mr. Hulin will take office at visit at Eugene.

tion, Mr. Richardson is state represent-tive from Multnomah county and will **DELAYS IN SHIPMENT**

OF STOCK LOOKED INTO

ness At Yards.

Wilson Believes Clemenceau Will Concede Much In Interests Of Right.

Dover, Dec. 31.-President Wilson will reply to Premier Clemenceau's speech regarding "balance of power"

at the proper time.

The president left England today per feetly satisfied with the results he had accomplished and not in the least dis-

turbed by Clemenceau's statements. A careful analysis of the speech in-dicates the French premier is prepared to concede much in the interest of right His attitude is not regarded as any

cause for alarm. Wilson's last act before his departure was to telegraph King George, thanking him for his hospitality and wishing him and his family a happy New Year and peace and prosperity for

PERSONALS

Great Britain.

Dan Steffer of Silverton registered

Charles J. Simon, who has been spend

ing the holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. Isabel Simon, will return tomor-row to the University of California to Major John B Hibbard was in the city yesterday registered at the Mar

Judge and Mrs. Yawrence T. Harris arrived home last evening from a short

on of Portland will take the posi- idnys. He will return to Camp Lewis

Almost Complete Roster Of Non Partisan League Officials In Office.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec 31.-Arrange-J. P. O'Brien Of Railroad Adments were completed here today for the beginning of a new political experiment. Tomorrow North Dakota will inaugurate an almost complete roster the school beard would be sustained if the school beard would be sustained if it was generally known for what pure to the school beard would be sustained if it was generally known for what pure to the school beard would be sustained if it was generally known for what pure to the school beard would be sustained if it was generally known for what pure to the school beard would be sustained if it was generally known for what pure to the school beard would be sustained if it was generally known for what pure to the badget was first submitted. The

All Around Town STANDING IS SETTLED

COMING EVENTS

Word was received today that the Rev. F. T. Porter, formerly paster of

Highways Rapid Transit Auto service to Portland and way points daily, leav-ing Salem at 7 a. m. Phone orders ev-ening before, 187 S. Com'l Phone 663.

Bligh grade, genuine furs for Christ-man gifts at special prices. West Fur Co., 917 South High St. tf

A. H. Moore, bicycle man and alder nan from the fourth ward, has moved west again. A year ago he moved one door west, but this time he is making it three doors to the west into larger

Dr. J. O. Matthis, associated with Dr. H. J. Clements, office 40-410 Salem Benk of Com. bldg. Office tel. 573; res. 1705 South Fir St. tel. 596. 12-27

Build up Selem's industries by porting those on the ground.

Wanted, wood choppers. See T.

T. T. Buell, member of the Saler Elks lodge, writes his friends giving the information that he has been mustered out of the service and that following his discharge, he spent four days in Los Angeles as his own boss. He expects to celebrate the New Year's ar rival in San Francisco and will event

ually arrive in Salem. Salem bread supports Salem's payroll and in turn the asks the support of Satt

You should buy Salem bread only, I have moved my offices into more

pleasant and more commodious quar-ters on the third floor of the U. S. National bank building. Dr. O. L. Scott Chiropractic-Spinologist, 306-213 U. S. National bank bldg. The Deaconess hospital will soon is-

sue a quarterly paper or magazine, to be devoted to the interests of the hos J. M. Devers of Eugene was a city the valley. It will be the object of the visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Mildred Brooks, who has been visiting the past week at Newport, will the valley near Salem and induce Menthalian the valley near Salem and ind pital and especially the Mennonites in Relax and rest in the dental chair,

Dr. Hartley fills and extracts teeth without pain and corrects diseased gums. Moore bidg. Phone 114.

Salem broad is fresheat and best, tf

21, a foreman, of Salem and Miss Nellie Ruth Fowler, 21, a clerk, of Salem.

of directors was approved at the election held yesterday by a vote of 380 in favor and 237 opposed. The opposition to maintaining the schools at their present high standard polled about 50 votes less than it did when

Willamette valley stock men are to have no further cause for complaint spainst long delays of livestock shipments at Brooklyn, according to assurances given the public service commission in a letter received from J. P.

Their of the railroad administration. Many shippers had complained to the commission that livestock consigned to the stock yards at North Portland would be delayed so long at Brooklyn, before being transferred from the butthern Pueifie to the O. W. R. * N. Bat a serious shrinkage in the weight of the animals occurred, resulting in a long made for the movement of livestock direct to Albins, where a synthet engine will be available to take are of the transfer to the other line. In Albo says plans are being made for regime with one exception of the regime will be available to take are of the transfer to the other line. In Albo says plans are being made for regime at the last session of the sevening at lith and B streets. This had is origin in the desire of five gular stock days, which will add a giving prompt movement to livestock ahipments.

ACETYLENE TANK EXPLODES.

Legislation proposed by the league in the received from J. P.

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been with the Pacific Fruit and Proone are missing today and are bed to have been killed when an accact tank exploded in the postoffice my draft boards and state officials who the inside work will travel the local sign windows of the building.

Secretary Baker is urging legislation the Salem Fruit company beginning to more tank exploded in the postoffice my draft boards and state officials who the inside work will travel the local sign windows of the building.

world there has been but one beat way to bury the dead, that way is in tomba. Mount Crest Abbey provides that "best" way, the cost is no more. See Caretaker at Mausoleum or your undertaker.

The temperature dropped to 25 above last night, according to the govern ment's official record which isn't so bad when one considers that in south ern California last night the mercury got down to the 22 notch. As the low

According to the present ourseen. No new year will daws in Salem with bas

Winnie Braden met with no success in her campaign to become manager of the Salem Commercial club. While the location could not take place until the 10 years her brother has had possession election could not take place until the 10 years her brother has had possession of it and will be refunded one-half. are elected, yet he concensus of opin-ion among stive members of ta. crub was opposed to her election and it is understood she was told candidly that the club did not look with favor on

her application. Fred S. Bynon and family who have een in Portland for the past two nonths, left yes erday for Chicago Synon for some time after leaving Sam was associated with an insurance company at Gary, Ind., in the law de-

The Rev. W. C. Kantner paster of the First Congregational church, and fames are at home in the parsonage of the church. They had planned a New Year event tomorrow for their friends but

J. M. Brown and others of Silverton who recently lest their suit against Silverton in the circuit court, are not satisfied with the court's decree and have filed notice of an appeal to the superior ment and mutual wills which had been made it. This is the paving case in which a let of Silverton people objected to then began the present action, which a lot of Silverton people objected to then began the present action, which paying for paving and carried their was decided against her in the county paying for paving and carried they case to the supreme court where they the supreme court the supreme court Justice Johns Wrote Opinion. the question up to a vote in the way of amending the charter of the city and again proceeded to pave and tax the paving bills against abbutting property Mr. Brown and others carried the case

The ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess. I Potter of Dallas, Oregon, died

will become Chief of Police Varney les in Alaska. Having been elected by a vote of the people, he takes office on the first of An America relief expedition, carry-the year. He succeeds Chief of Police ing physicians, nurses and supplies will Foland. Other officers on the police sail from New York next month for force will hold until the city council Syria and Armenia. elects at its first meeting to be held Jan. 6. Mr. Varney now holds the rathday to Curtis C. Smith of Silverton or unique position of not only being constable for the Salem district but this time as assistant treasurer it is an edge of the signal and state of the signal state as assistant treasurer it is an edge of the signal state of the signal stat the year, and that happens to be on the sixth. For this reason Walter DeLong, ecetca constable for this district, will The budget of the Salem school board not take office until Monday, Jan. 6 Nor will Judge Webster step down and out until the sixth as the office of jus tice of the peace is a judicial office.

Frisco Temperature Drop

Los Angeles, Cal , Dec. 31 .- Portland, complaining of its cold weather with 26 above registered, should come to league claims machinery to carry out the platform.

Governor Lynn J. Frazier, re-elected, heads the new regime With one exception other state officers were league conditions.

It was generally known for what purpose the money was wanted and also what the board had been doing the past year to keep the Salem schools up to the present high standard.

Temperatures registered, should come to southern California for a brisk climate, what the board had been doing the past year to keep the Salem schools up to the present high standard.

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Temperatures registered at six a.m. today were: Pomona, 25; Santa Ana, 22; Escondido 24 and Los Angeles, 28. 24 and Los Angeles, 28.

The weather bureau warned fruit growers to protect their crops, for it

predicted tonight will be as cold or colder. Whether damage has already San Francisco, Dec. 31-At five a.

The Journal Job Department will print you anything in the stationery line—do at right and save you real money.

WILL CASE OF LONG BY SUPREME COURT

Ouestion Which Had Been In Courts Three Times Involved \$500,000.

temperature record for the year now temperature record for the year now validity of an agreement made by the coldest when the weather dropped to 23 above. At three different times to the distribution of their property and wounded efficers, four sick and wounded efficers, four sick and wounded enumers. The manner of the distribution of their property after the death of both of tuem. Myers and his wife as to the distribution of their property after the death of both of tuem. Myers had andeavored to break the agree-than and four nurses. One Y. M.

making a new will. the First Christian church in this city, was filling a temporary appointment as pastor of the Christian church at Full lecton, Calif.

new year will daws in Salem with his few folks taking the trouble to remain awake to celebrate the event. With the influenza ban on against meetings of lecton, Calif.

As the result of Myers' attempt to few folks taking the trouble to remain awake to celebrate the event. With the influenza ban on against meetings of fighting her brother, George Tobias all kinds everything of a public nature Myers, Jr., in the court for over 10 lows: was declared off and the Company M years in he: effort to gain possession dance for tonight postponed until after the legislature meets.

years in he: effort to gain possession of the estate, which is valued at more than \$500,000. By the opinion of the the legislature meets.

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It is generally understood that Mrs.

Winnie Braden met with no success in her campaign to become manager of the given an accounting of all

It was in 1896 that Myers and his wife entered into their agreement and each made a will, which provided that when one died his or her property should go to the other, and when the last one died all the property should be divided equally between their two chil-dren. Mrs Myers died first and Myers, under the terms of the will, took her property, then valued at \$150,000. He came estranged from his daughter and destroyed the will he had made, containing the agreement with his wife, and made a new will which left his daughter only \$20,000 to be paid her when she reached the age of 45, and

gave all the rest of the property to In July, 1907, Myers died and Mrs. Stevens learned that she had been practically disinherited. She instituted

and circuit courts, but finally won in The opinion of the court was written by Justice Johns and covers 28 large by Justice Johns and covers 28 large typewritten pages while a dissenting opinion covering 22 typewritten pages, was written by Justice Burnett. The case has been argued before the court was written by Justice Burnett. The case to the circuit court and Judge Percy R. Kelly decided that the final action of the city was legal. It is against his decree that an appeal is made. bers of the court, the court was equally divided on the question and no opinion could be rendered as a majority of the court could not agree. The court stood three to three, while Justice Harris,

Transport Sailings Are Announced Today

Washington, Dec. 31 .- The war de artment announced the sailing of the ansport Santa Marta from France Decomber 27 for New York, where it is due Junuary 8 with the following

orea casual detachment number 3, one field officer and 12 men.

Transfer Madawska sailed December 23 for Newport News, due January 8, with the following troops: 87 officers, One of the most famous will cases ever before the supreme court was decided today, when the court upheld the

Louisville Sails.

Casual companies number 1008, three Casual companies number 1008, three officers, 157 men; and the following all colored: 1100, 1068, 1089, 1070, 1071 cers, 154 men; 489th, four officers and

zaire, December 29. It is due at New men; 101st, four officers, 154 men; port News January 10 with casuals, Sec 257th, four officers, 150 men; 469th, ond battalion of 345th infantry of the two officers, 116 men; 184th two officers, 1 S7th division from Camp Dix, General ficers, 147 men.

Mechanic Companies Martin of the 87th division and small

number of miscellaneous troops.

Transport Eastern Queen from St. Na znire December 29, due at Baltimore three officers, 152 men; 19th, one officer, January with 2 casual officers abourd, name number 2, two officers, 185 men. Transport Agamemnon from Brest December 28, due New York City aJnuary 5 with men from Camp Dix, Funston, Dodge, Grant and Taylor and a number of casuals.

Spartacus Congress Agreed

Copenhagen, Dec. 31.—The Spartacus congress, which opened in Berlin yes-terday, unanimously resolved to form a new communistic labor party and break away from the independent so-

disputch from that city reported today. M. Radckof, of the Russian soviet government, addressed the congress.

COLD DAY IN SEATTLE.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 31.-With the exception of December 24, when the temperature dropped to 26 degrees, to-day was the coldest of the year, the thermometer registered 27 above zero early in the morning. It later rose to 34. Fair weather and colder, is pre-dicted for tonight and New Years.

"FLU" INCREASES IN 'FRISCO.

San Francisco, Dec. 1-A slight in-crease in the toll of new cases in the influenza epidemie was registered today when 256 such cases were reported the San Francisco board of heal Thirteen deaths were reported.

Sergeant G. B. Haskell was killed and Constable Percy M. Varney tomorrow by of Portland real estate and fisher- James F. Moore, a flight instructor, was believed become Chief of Police Varney les in Alaska. fell near Fort Worth, Texas, Saturday. Jesse S. Heard and Harry Wheeler.

two Pendleton boys are in a base hospital in France.

14,000 DESICNATED FOR EARLY CONVOY BY WAR DEPARTMENT

troops: One hundred twelve officers and col- Many Aero Squadrons Included In List Of Troops Ordered Home.

sounced by the war department today.

The organizations ordered home in The 329th and 330th infantry ments of the 83d division, 118 offi-cers and 6882 men; 116th engineers and train of the 41st division, with 28 officers and 1600 men, and the 54th

field artillery coast artillery corps, 106 officers and 2429 men. The remainder of the organizations

are composed of aero squadrons averaging four officers and 150 men. all colored: 1109, 1068, 1089, 1070, 1071
totalling 12 officers and 607 men. Headquarters in charge of above casuals, 4
officers. Total 73 sick and wounded
men, 13 casuals officers, one Japanese
army officer and 95 civillans.
The war department also announced
the sailing of the Finland from St. Nathe sailing of the Finland from St. Natotal 73 sick and wounded
men, 21st, five officers, 122 men; 31st, five
officers, 150 men 32d, five officers, 135
men; 33d, five officers, 143 men; 640th, four offive officers, 145 men; 640th, four officers, 148
men; 21st, five officers, 143 men; 31st, five officers, 155 men; 640th, four officers, 155 men; 640th, four officers, 154 men; 640th, four officers, 154 men; 640th, four officers, 155 men; 640th, four officers, 156 men; 640th, four officers, 156

The following mechanics companies 17th, three officers, 161 men; 18th three officers, 152 men; 19th, one offipany number 2; two officers, 185 men.
The Fourth, 55th and 57th pioneer infantry companies; 164th field hospital, two officers, 55 men; chemical

warfare service casual company num-ber 4, four officers, 150 men. To Form New Labor Party determined families in pro-determine cooked food and delicacies, Pen-determined families in pro-curing cooked food and delicacies, Pen-determined families in pro-curing cooked food and delicacies, Pen-

The department of labor will send a representative to the reconstruction convention to be held at Portland Jan-

A directory of manufactories just is sued shows that Washington state has at least 2000 factories manufacturing 1000 commodities.

George E. Sanders of Albany and Roy C. Jones of Tillamook have been appointed majors in the Second regiment, Oregon volunteer guard. Secretary Baker states that all war

material captured by the American army will be brought home and disposed of as congress may direct.

Yick So Tong

Chinese Medicine and Tea Co. any known dises Open Sandays from 16 antil S p. m.

Salem, Oregon.

Good News and A Happy New Year

To the customers of the Farmer's Cash Store and also the patrons of The Stockton Store. The management of the Farmer's Cash Store has decided to continue in business and will move into the Stockton store, will be located in the Stockton store by March first, Under the name of "THE PEOPLES CASH STORE." Our future program for the business will be to enlarge the same with a complete stock of Groceries, Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes. Our motto for doing business:

Pure and High Class Groceries.

Best qualities of Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes. The Lowest General Price.

The best of Service and FREE deliveries to the Homes, Garages, Barns and Depots.

5. A profit sharing ticket with each purchase redeemable in merchandise to our customers.

6. We will take in exchange of farm produce.

We expect to make "THE PEOPLES CASH STORE" a store for all the

Until we move into our new location we will continue our removal sale of big bargains in all lines.

The Farmers' Cash Store

We deliver orders of \$1.50 and over free of charge To out-of-town Buyers we will pay 1-2 freight charges on all orders of \$10