

NUMBER BUSINESS
LUMBER CANS BADLY

Trade in Northwest Is Hit by Shortage.

SEVERAL MILLS CLOSED

Some Mill Owners Refuse to Accept More Orders Until Present Ones Are Filled.

The shortage of cars is having a bad effect on the lumber business of the northwest...

In some cases mill owners have refused to accept more orders than they now have on their books...

Strikes Paralyzing. This condition as regards cars can largely be attributed to the strikes that have been started by the shom...

It is exceedingly difficult to obtain sufficient flat cars to meet the needs of the lumbermen...

Orders for all grades of lumber continue to come into the offices of the manufacturers of the northwest...

The demand for the upper grades of lumber is particularly keen and has caused a strengthening of the market...

The forest fire situation has adjusted itself to the satisfaction of lumbermen and shippers...

Orders are continually being taken by shippers for delivery to Australia, New Zealand and the coast of South America...

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Moving Picture News

TODAY'S FILM FEATURES. Columbia—House of Mystery. Majestic—Wanda Hawley in "Bobbed Hair." Liberty—Katherine MacDon...

HERE is something interestingly different in pictures at the Majestic theater this week. It is the tickleless tale of a near flapper who tried to be futuristic...

Wanda quickly returned to normalcy, and she thanked her stars to be able to get her hair cut in the style of the twenties...

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IRON, STEEL WORKS TO ENLARGE SHOPS

Willamette Company Plans Boiler Shop Extension.

DOCK JOB IS COMPLETED

Additional Crane Is Placed on Wharfage, Making Three for Handling of Cargo.

In addition to the construction of the south half of the 250-foot dock which has just been completed by the Willamette Iron & Steel works...

The new dock has also just been fitted with an additional 15-ton crane, making in all three dock cranes for handling cargo.

Trackage Also Installed. Railway trackage connecting the dock with the tracks of the terminal company has also been installed.

Extension Costs \$14,000. The plate and boiler shops of the company are now equipped with plate work for public utilities and municipalities...

Despite a generally light attendance yesterday, House Peters in "Human Hearts" managed to draw capacity to the Columbia theater.

Screen Gossip. Gus Metzger, general manager of the Rivoli, has received word from Guy Bates Post regretting his inability to appear in person during the showing of his picture "The Masquerader"...

High Secret for Sale. INDIAN OFFERS TO REVEAL LOST SPANIARD MINE.

Aborigine Declares He Knows Where Early Supply of Virgin Gold Was Obtained.

Chamber Committee to Go on Excursion to Astoria Friday.

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TRIAL OF 14 TO RESUME

STRIKERS' DEFENSE TO ATTACK CONTEMPT CHARGES.

Railroad Shop Situation Remains Quiet, With Employees Adopting Waiting Attitude.

Trial of the 14 railroad shop workers facing charges of contempt will resume in federal court before Judge Wolverton at 10 o'clock this morning and is expected to be concluded before the end of the week.

Public interest in the trial brought the latter part of last week, but may increase as the defense takes up the burden of attempting to clear some of the remaining defendants.

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DIVORCE RECORD LARGE

WEDDINGS LESS THAN 4 TO 1 IN WASHINGTON STATE.

Vancouver Maintains Its Standing as "Gretna Green" for Portland

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Marriages performed in the state of Washington between July 1, 1921, and January 1, 1922, totaled 4,439, according to records gathered from every county in the state and compiled into a condensed statement by J. S. McIntosh, deputy commissioner of the bureau of statistics and immigration in the office of J. Grant Hinkle, secretary of state.

There were 16,708 marriages performed in the six months and 4,439 divorces granted by the state courts for the same period.

King county led the procession of counties in marriages and divorces and had a much greater percentage of the latter than any other county in the state, having practically one divorce for every two marriages.

Pierce county showed a comparatively high divorce record, but a low divorce record in Clark county, which was the "Gretna Green" for Portland, ranked second only to King county in the number of marriages, but the divorce record was extremely low.

The figures quoted do not include 170 intercounty divorces granted in Pierce county, nor one annulment in Clarke county.

Obituary. Isaac Shey. ABERDEEN, Wash., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Isaac Shey, former Aberdeen clothier, died in San Francisco Friday according to a statement here Saturday by telegraph.

Mr. and Mrs. Shey lived here 12 years, and went to California in the hope of making a fortune in mining. Her death occurred after her removal. He is survived by a brother in Germany.

J. E. Curtis. CENTRALIA, Wash., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The death of J. E. Curtis, an old resident of Centralia, occurred last night in a local hospital and followed a brief illness.

Mr. Curtis was 64 years of age and is survived by a son, A. J. Curtis, of this city.

Organist Goes Abroad. Doctor Charles Heinroth Takes Well-Deserved Vacation.

QUEBEC.—Dr. Charles Heinroth, who presides at the big organ at the Carnegie institute, sailed from Quebec for Europe June 27 on the Canadian Pacific Empress of Scotland for a long and well-deserved vacation.

Dr. Heinroth is the third organist at Carnegie institute since the opening of the institute in 1895, his predecessors being Frederick Archer and Edward H. Lemaire.

Pittsburg is one of the very few cities in the United States which has free organ recitals. A new organ was installed at the Carnegie institute in 1918 under the direction of Dr. Heinroth. It vies with the greatest in the world in variety, refinement and ability to tone.

Dr. Heinroth was born in New York city. He studied music with John White, Max Spicker, Arthur Friedheim, Otto Heiber and Joseph Von Rheinberger. He completed his musical education at the Conservatory of Music in New York and later at the Royal Academy of Music in London.

Dr. Heinroth was organist at Pittsburg Mr. Heinroth was organist at several important churches in New York city, and for a time was connected with the National

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Conservatory of Music. In addition to his work at Carnegie, Mr. Heinroth has been organist and choir director at the Third Presbyterian church, Pittsburg.

Man in Elevator Drop Dies. PULLMAN, Wash., Aug. 20.—Delbert Gibler of Stites, Idaho, died yesterday, and Thomas G. Gleason is in the hospital, as the result of an elevator accident Friday at the new men's dormitory at Washington State college.

School Election Dated. CHEHALIS, Wash., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—August 28 has been set as the date for a special election in the recently organized Tenino union high school district to authorize the purchase of block 5 of Hodgden's addition as a site for Tenino's new \$15,000 high school.

More Time for Paving Asked. CENTRALIA, Wash., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The Pe Hill council has asked the City Construction company for an extension of time on its paving contract at Pe Hill. The work was to have been completed August 15, but a delay was encountered through inability to get materials.

Land Owning Limited. About 200 Americans in Chihuahua Affected by New Law. CHIHUAHUA CITY, Chihuahua, Mexico.—About 200 American owners of more than 10,000,000 acres of land will be affected by the new land law which has been approved by the state legislature.

None of the 200 Americans can own more than 1000 hectares of land (about 2300 acres) that is entirely under cultivation, the law provides. Nobody can own more than 2000 hectares of land that is half irrigated, more than 4000 hectares of dry farming land. However, holders of the foregoing amounts of farm land may hold as much as 40,000 hectares of grazing lands.

Under the law, within 60 days from now (about September 1), persons holding more than that permitted by the law must make a selection of what they desire to keep, and the balance must be parcelled out and offered for sale. Contracts of sale must allow the purchaser 20 years in which to pay, under par-

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