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CITY NEWS

THEATRES

OREGON—State street near O. E. depot. Home of Aircraft and Paramount pictures. Featuring Jack Pickford and Louie Huff in "Sandy."
LIBERTY—Liberty near State street. High class reels. Featuring Mary Gardner in "The Splendid Sinner."
BLIGH—State between Liberty and High. Mutual and Bluebird films. Special films. Margaret Fisher in "Impossible Susan."

Trespass Notices—On cloth. The kind that lasts. Statesman job office.

I Will Ship—All kinds of livestock Monday, August 19. Topp hogs 18 1/2 c. Phone 2206-M. G. W. Eyre.

Inspects Prune Crop—C. E. Owens, assistant professor of pathology at Oregon Agricultural college, was in Salem yesterday and made a trip into the country with County Fruit Inspector S. H. Van Trump. They visited orchards on the Jefferson road near Sunnyside and Liberty, finding the crop of prunes so heavy the trees are breaking down.

Big Dance at Silverton—Saturday night, given by Co. H. O. G. Good music. All O. G. men in uniform. Come.

Old Resident Visits—After having been away from Salem since 25 years ago last April, Herbert H. Rowley came in Thursday from Minneapolis on a business trip. He went out to Albany the same night, but expected to return again today. Mr. Rowley is looking up the fruit situation for a wholesale house with which he is connected.

An Unusual Bargain—A \$750 Singer player piano for \$562—an exceptional buy for anyone desiring a high grade instrument. E. L. Stiff & Son, 446 Court street.

Spruce Company Files—The Bear River Spruce company, capitalized at \$100,000 and having its main offices in Portland, filed articles of incorporation in the state corporation department yesterday. The incorporators are A. E. Downing, A. E. Hammond and F. J. Bingham.

Evergreen Picking to Begin—Evergreen blackberry picking will begin immediately throughout Marion county, according to S. H. Van Trump, fruit inspector for this section. Trucks will start hauling next week. An extremely large crop is to be handled.

You Will Like It Tonight—Dance at Moose hall. Come early.

Irrigation—Even numbers on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday. Odd numbers on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.

Band Concert Pleasing—Last night's band concert in Willson park attracted a large audience. The next program will be the last to be given under the present contract with the city.

Receipts, Notes and All Blanks—At Statesman job office.

Rug Bargains—A big stock of rugs bought at a sacrifice from the Davis Furniture company of Dallas now being offered at a big saving by E. L. Stiff & Son, 448 Court street.

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OBITUARY

Crescent A. Dunagan was born July 14, 1869, at the Rock Four Corners near Silverton, and died Aug. 9, 1918 at the Salem hospital, aged 49 years, 26 days. When a small boy he attended the Silverton school, after completion of which he took a two-year course at the Monmouth Normal, graduating from the commercial department in 1893.

October 4, 1897, he was united in marriage to Grace R. Reed. To them four children were born; Shirley, Gracie, Averitt and Irene.

For the past seventeen years they have lived on their farm two miles southeast of Scotts Mills.

Besides his family he leaves his aged mother, Mrs. Mary Dunagan, three sisters, Mrs. George Haynes and Mrs. James Shepherd both living near here and Mrs. Viola Leigh of Salem; also four brothers Hacker of Fresno, Cal.; Bennett and Wallace near Silverton and Israel of Burns, Or. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall, Scotts Mills. Rev. Fred Harris of the Friends church conducting the services. Interment was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at Scotts Mills.

DIED

LUTZ—At the Deaconess hospital, Thursday evening, August 16, 1918, Mrs. Laura Lutz, at the age of 40 years.

She was the wife of William H. Lutz, who is employed at the Gilson barber shop on State street. No funeral arrangements have been announced definitely.

to attract them, the new class will probably be a large one. Students matriculating early who are liable to draft will be placed in class E by local war boards.

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Verdict Favors Defendant—In the suit instituted against I. H. Wisner by Frank Ford for the recovery of \$163, which the latter claimed to have loaned him, a jury in the justice court brought a verdict for the defendant, awarding him \$7 and costs. Wisner said the money in question was paid him for labor performed for Ralph Swartz and that the money was paid on account of Swartz. He also presented a counter claim for labor performed for Ford amounting to \$27.50. The trial lasted over half the day.

PERSONALS

Henry M. Hazen of the Portland Telegram is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Driscoll stopped over night at the Marion. They drove in from Portland in their automobile and are on their way south.

Miss Lillian Hout is here from Corvallis passing a few days with her sister, Miss Frank Hout. She drove down yesterday with her parents, who went on to Portland.

Dean George H. Alden of Willamette university is away on a trip to Spokane.

Dr. Carl G. Doney is expected to be in Portland and Hood River over the week-end. He will speak in both places tomorrow.

C. J. Thomas of Marshfield was a visitor here yesterday, having stopped on his return from Portland and points north. He was making the trip by auto.

John B. Kays and family arrived here from Yakima, Wash., yesterday and will visit in the city some time. Mrs. Kays was formerly a resident of Salem. Her husband is a sheepman.

W. A. Scott passed yesterday in town on business. He is from Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stahlman from Detroit are spending several days at Salem. They are staying at the Bligh.

R. A. Crossan will leave for Portland today to attend the state encampment of the G. A. R.

Miss Alma Ashby left Thursday on a motor trip to Seattle. She will be gone a month.

Miss Ethel K. Hummel is with her parents in Portland and will remain there three weeks. While in the city she will attend the G. A. R. encampment.

Mrs. W. H. Currey was an arrival today on the Portland train. She intends living in Salem.

Sergeant Davis, local army recruiting officer, made a hasty trip to Portland yesterday.

Mrs. R. L. Morton and family left yesterday for Pasco, Wash., to join her husband, Rev. Mr. Morton, who has accepted a charge in that city.

L. D. Van Bibber, who was here from the submarine base at Los Angeles visiting his relatives since July 19, will leave today for the naval station.

Miss Mirrah Blair and her mother returned this week from Charming's Landing, where they passed their vacation.

Friendship of Neighbor Saves Him From Courts

Guarantee by a prominent citizen of Tillamook, whose name is not given, to pay balance due on an automobile brought from California by W. B. Johnstone, and the fact that Johnstone has a dependent family, saved the latter from extradition to California on a charge of larceny by embezzlement.

Johnstone came to Oregon from San Diego in an automobile on which he owed \$275, and the charge was lodged against him. A requisition was issued by Governor Stephens, but extradition not granted by Governor Withycombe. Attorney General Webb of California wired Attorney General Brown to explain, and the facts were made known to the California attorney general in a message sent him yesterday.

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Two New Departments Added to Consolidation Commission's Scheme

By the addition of a department of law and a department of taxation, the total number of departments of state government proposed in the consolidation commission's scheme of re-organization is increased from nine to 11. This change in plan was made at a meeting of the commission at the Chamber of Commerce in Portland Wednesday, which was a continuation of the conference called in Salem Tuesday.

Both of the new proposed departments are created by separating them from the department of general administration and finance. The attorney general would head the department of law and the tax commissioner would head the department of taxation. Reason for making the change and increasing the number of departments is withheld for the present.

The attorney general and the tax commissioner, should the proposed scheme become a reality, will be appointive as will the heads of all other departments except the governor, the secretary of state and the state treasurer.

Another minor alteration made at the Portland meeting was changing the name of the proposed department of charities and corrections to the public welfare department, objection having been made by some members to the word "corrections." J. Matthews and Fred Topken, who drew up the new plan, are not yet ready to acknowledge other changes made at the Portland session.

With the addition of two new departments, the proposed eleven departments are now arranged in the following order:

Executive, general administration and finance, law, taxation, education, labor, public health, agriculture, trade and commerce, public welfare and public works and domains.

"You Give, We Serve" Is Motto of Salvationists

"You give, we serve."

This is the motto adopted by the committee in charge of the drive for \$25,000 in the state of Oregon outside of Portland, which will be conducted by the Salvation army beginning September 15.

The Salvationists are living up to their reputation of serving those less fortunate than themselves by sending their best workers together with thousands of dollars to minister to the physical and spiritual needs of the tired, homesick, sick and wounded boys in the trenches and now Oregon is to be given an opportunity to give to this noble work.

In commending the work of this organization, Secretary of War Baker says:

"We are very glad to observe that the Salvation army is lending its powerful and in many ways unique aid in the general co-operation of the community at large with the military activities of the country. This co-operation is a new thing in the world's history and the war department welcomes and is grateful for such help as you and your association can give."

Loyalty League Headed By Apparent Disloyalist

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—George D. Smith, president of the Arizona State Federation of Labor and Secretary of the Globe, Ariz., branch of the Western Federation of Miners, testified in the I. W. W. conspiracy trial today concerning the Arizona mining strikes in 1917. When asked about the Arizona Loyalty League, Smith stated that all miners were forced to obtain a clearance from the league before they could go to work in Arizona, after the strikes.

Smith was then questioned about the officers of the league. He testified that the secretary, W. H. Key, was not a citizen and had been indicted for voting when not a citizen. George R. Hill, the president, Smith said, had been implicated in trouble regarding the hoarding of 500 barrels of flour.

The attorney for the defense then produced an advertisement recording a bill of sale for machine guns and 100,000 rounds of ammunition. The bill was dated in April, 1917, some time before the strike, the purchaser being a copper company. Smith testified that he was authorized to publish the bill in the Arizona labor party.

Flat Wage Increase Is Urged for Mine Labor

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 16.—Labor conditions in the coal mining industry for which "the only logical solution is a substantial flat wage increase to be applied to all classifications of mine labor" will be discussed at a conference of district presidents of the United Mine Workers to be held in Washington, August 22, according to an announcement made here tonight by Frank J. Hayes, president of the United Mine Workers of America.

In announcing the conference President Hayes said it had been called "to avert, if possible, a rapidly developing labor condition with in the coal mining industry which, if permitted to go unchecked, would undermine the coal production plans."

CALLAUX CASE TO SENATE.

PARIS, Aug. 16.—(Havas Agency)—The French senate today is able to confirm that the case of former Premier Joseph Callaux, who is charged with treason, will be referred to the senate, sitting as a high court of justice.

SUGAR CARDS ARE ON HAND

Catechism Is Prepared to Present Situation Fairly Before Public

Cards on which sugar consumers are required to keep a record of their purchases were received here Wednesday by the local food administration. These will be distributed to the dealers at once and strict account will be kept of their usage. All purchases made after this date are to be recorded.

A catechism summary of the sugar situation has been prepared to inform the public of the seriousness of the situation.

The catechism follows:

"What is sugar hoarding?"

"It is having on hand more than is needed for a reasonable length of time. You should not fail to return any unused sugar purchased for canning purposes."

"May a household have more than a month's supply of sugar on hand?"

"This is not justifiable except in extreme cases where there are no stores available for purchase, and it should be done only upon advice of the federal food administrator or his deputy."

"What are some of the evil effects of hoarding?"

"It throws the distribution system out of joint; it raises prices; it imposes a heavier burden upon those already doing their utmost; it results in waste where there are no proper facilities for storage; it is dishonest."

"What is the moral wrong of hoarding?"

"It is selfish, cowardly and unpatriotic. It is in fact, taking unto oneself special privileges at a time when all Americans should be on the same footing, share and share alike."

"Is there any punishment for hoarding?"

"Yes, the food control act provides fines of not more than \$5000 and imprisonment for hoarding by dealers, manufacturers or householders."

Jam and Jelly From Salem Goes to Base Hospitals

Four barrels of jams, jellies and a few jars of preserved fruit were ready to ship last night from the cannery kitchen at the high school to nearby army camps. This is the result of four days' work, from four to ten women giving their time on each occasion. A recent call for fruit, glass jars and assistance brought a ready response. Everything except sugar has been donated and it is proposed to hold a tag day, possibly next week, to raise money sufficient to defray this expense. A. W. Yeatch, assisted by two boy scouts, yesterday did the final work of getting the canned products ready to ship. The fruit is for convalescent soldiers in the base hospitals.

Portland Pays First Honor to Veterans

PORTLAND, Aug. 16.—First of the official functions attendant upon the presence in the city of officers of the Grand Army of the Republic to attend the annual encampment next week was a dinner tendered tonight in honor of Orlando A. Somers, commander-in-chief, and his staff and presidents of the auxiliary organizations by Frank McCallis, chairman of the citizens' committee.

Earlier in the day Mayor George L. Baker and the members of the city council had called at Commander Somers' quarters and bade him welcome to the city.

Nearly all incoming trains today brought delegates and their families. Larger accessions are due tomorrow.

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Passes on Railroads Can't Be Had for Asking

Yakima bay residents who have sold their property to the government as right of way for the railroad under construction on the bay have no legal right to demand free passes on the road in addition to the money received for their property, and by statutory provision such passes are prohibited. This, in substance, is the reply of the public service commission to an inquiry received from Lieutenant Henry N. Norton of the government right of way department at Newport. It is permissible for the property owners to accept transportation in lieu of money as long as the free transportation represents cash or its equivalent at the regular tariff rates.

Insurance Men Adopt Resolution of Protest

Protesting against two bills now before congress proposing that the government take over the insurance business for the country in much the same way as it has done with railroads and wire service, the local branch of the Oregon Insurance Federation held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the Commercial club and adopted a resolution strongly opposing the measures. This resolution was to the effect that all Oregon senators and representatives be informed of the opposition of the Salem insurance men.

At yesterday's meeting it was pointed out that the insurance men are handling business on a more

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economic basis than it would be possible for the government to do. Figures were given showing that many of the companies have made no money in the past ten years and that over 100 leading firms in the United States actually lost money on underwriting in 1917.

The local men maintain that it is as sensible to talk of taking over the insurance business as it would be to take over the banking business.

The two bills questioned were introduced by Representative Sanders and by Senator Lewis.

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