

### CITY AUTO PARK IS COMING FINE

From Six to Dozen Motoring Parties Making Camp Here Every Night

The Salem auto camp is coming along fine and dandy at the present time with cars registered here from many of the western states. From six to a dozen cars have been registered at the park each night, and indications are that the tourist influx is beginning to open up.

When the camp first opened up this year most of the automobiles registered were bound from California, but the ones coming into the park at the present time are from eastern points bound for the state south of Oregon. Many of them, however, stay over here for several days with the intent of selecting the city for a residence place.

C. D. Irvine, manager of the auto park, and Henry Foisell, assistant director, have policed the camp so that it is spick and span at the present time. Several of the trees are beginning to put out their green leaves and the park is an attractive place.

### Hoosier School Master

A Six Reel Picture Monday, April 13

7:00 and 9:00 p. m.

Also Charles Murray Comedy

Screen Magazine

### St. Joseph's Auditorium

Admission

Adults 25c Children 10c



The famous Kegg and Goldsmith Marionettes in "Cinderella," a play in five acts, at the Bligh theater Monday and Tuesday with a special matinee for the children at 4 p. m. daily.

Preparations are underway to start construction of the community house which is to be constructed. Two of the tent-cottages are being moved from near the entrance and the ground cleared for the work, which is to start soon.

It is the opinion here that the park committee must build cottages for the traveling public. Many of the tourists do not register at the park during the earlier part of the season due to the inconveniences that result from the tents. However, this difficulty would be removed by the erection of the wooden cottages and the installation of stoves within the buildings.

### Why W.J.R. and M. Are Used On Party Lines of Salem

The letter W outranks all the other letters of the alphabet as to the ease with which it can be understood, telephone engineers declare.

In order to determine which letters carry best over the wires and which are the least likely to be confused with the digits of the numbers or with other letters, the entire alphabet was subjected to elaborate series of tests over telephone lines by trained engineers. The result was that the letters W, J, R, M, passed the best tests in the order given and they were subsequently selected for use as suffixes for party line telephone numbers. That is why these letters are the standard designation for party service in preference to other letters of the alphabet.

### HAYSVILLE IS HOST THURSDAY

April Meeting of Marion County Community Federation is Occasion

The April meeting of the Marion county community federation will be held at the Hayesville school house, which is just a few miles north of Salem on the Pacific highway, on Thursday evening.

Dr. Walter H. Brown, director of the Marion county health demonstration will be the principal speaker of the evening. "Oregon's Greatest Crop" will be his topic. Miss Moselle Hair, assistant professor of sociology at the University of Oregon, will address the gathering on "Community Building."

The Hayesville school building is deemed to be one of the best rural schools of its size in the Pacific Northwest. Every detail and part of the new building is up to date and has received considerable favorable comment from all parts of the northwest.

Officers of the Hayesville community federation are A. Lengren, Pacific; E. M. Bailey, vice-president; W. W. Fox, secretary and Mrs. H. G. Sammons, treasurer.

### Bits For Breakfast

Linon week in Salem—

During which flax and linen will be talked—

And the second linen mill for Salem will be put over.

It will be a great blossom day; the country was never before so beautiful.

This second linen mill for Salem will mean several more. As soon as there is plenty of yarn for them, we will begin to get the specialty mills. These will be the great employers of labor; high priced labor.

The attention of Henry Ford is being called to the flax fiber we produce here. Governor Pierce is taking the matter up with him. Mr. Ford can use the coarser fibers for part of his work; but he will need some of the finer stuff, which cannot be grown on the American continent outside of our district.

The machinery for the new reduction mill for the Bots-Larsen company has arrived at Detroit and been unloaded. It will now be hauled into the mine, and the new plant will be in operation before long, and the shipment of concentrates to the Tacoma smelter begun.

If Salem finishes up the job of getting her second linen mill this week, there should be a celebration of some kind. What's the matter with an old-fashioned torch light procession? Or are they clear out of date?

If you can't talk linen this week you are no true Salemite. This is linen week in Salem. Everybody's doing it.

It is estimated that 82.7 per cent of the critics of Christianity never have tried it.

Somebody has sent President Coolidge an owl as a present. It must be just like going to school for the bird.

Maybe one reason why rice is thrown at weddings is that nowadays matrimony is so often a "serial" proposition.

A magazine is offering \$50,000 for an idea for a motion picture star. Ah, yes; some of them do seem to be awfully short on those things.

Marriage Licenses Issued—Marrigae licenses have been issued at Vancouver, Washington, to Theodore Grites 20, and Esther Goodman, 19, of Silverton, Ore., and to Allen P. Van Cleave, 42, of Portland, and Hazel F. Harris, 36, of Salem.

### SHIPPING FIRMS DESIRE HEARING

Pacific Mail Company Declares Higher Cash Bid Offered to Board

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Officials of the Pacific Mail Steamship company, returning to Washington today from New York to take part in developments growing out of the sale authorized by the shipping board of vessels it now operates out of San Francisco to the Orient, declared its offer for the ships more advantageous than that of the Dollar interests. The board had authorized the sale to the Dollar interests but the Pacific Mail has instituted injunction proceedings to prevent completion of the transaction. A hearing in the injunction will be held in the District of Columbia supreme court April 20. A statement by Gale H. Carter, president of the Pacific Mail, made public tonight, said:

"The Pacific Mail bid is more of a cash bid than the Dollar offer."

"The Dollar offer totals \$5,565,000, including an initial payment and cash installments on the remainder at intervals. The Pacific Mail offer is for \$6,750,000, with an initial payment and the rest to be taken care of under an arrangement by which, as first submitted, the board will be given a stockholding phase of its bid to a bonding plan."

### STUDENT OFFER 'ICEBOUND' SOON

Willamette Dramatic Fraternity Will Stage Comedy-Drama April 21

"Icebound," a 3 act comedy-drama, to be presented here April 21 by the Theta Alpha Phi, national dramatic fraternity, is well known in the east as it won the Pulitzer prize for 1923 and has had a long run in New York with Robert Ames as star. The cast for the play has been picked not only from the fraternity but from the school public speaking department as whole. The play is being given primarily to further interest in dramatics at the university.

The play "Icebound," as it is titled, connotes, deals with cold although it is with cold personalities rather with cold weather.

A cold, hard mother is dying upstairs, and a group of cold, hard children wait downstairs. Like "crow-buzzards"—to pounce upon her property. But after her death it is revealed that she has left her entire property to her servant girl. This on condition that the girl shall reform and marry the youngest and most wayward son. She loves the son and tries to carry out the provisions of the will although complications are involved. In the final act, however, the cold hearts begin to thaw and the light shines upon the will.

The play is being coached by Professor Rahnkopf, head of the public speaking department of Willamette university. Professor Rahnkopf has been very successful in coaching dramatic work at Willamette as the record of the three one act plays given recently will show.

Wallace Griffith is acting as manager.

### Weekly Labor Report Has An Optimistic Tendency

The labor report for the week ending April 11 was optimistic, according to the report filed by Sim Phillips, of the United States employment service. A total of 67 workers were placed in positions, with nearly half of the number being placed to work in agricultural positions.

Thirty-three workers were placed at work as farm hands and agricultural laborers, 19 at common labor, three kitchen workers and nine woods laborers.

The report gives a total of 121 registrations for men and women. \$9 help wanted calls, with 79 persons referred and 87 actually placed.

Three women were placed as agricultural workers and three women as cooks and housekeepers.

Deputy To Speak—Deputy State Forester Cronemiller will speak at the First Methodist church of Silverton tonight to a combined audience of Boy Scouts and Pioneers. "God's Out of Doors" is to be the topic of his address.

Officials Make Trip—Mayor J. B. Giesy, Street Commissioner Walter Lowe and all members of the street committee made a trip to Marshfield yesterday to inspect a paving plant that is up for sale. W. W. Rosebush, member of the committee, did not make the trip.

### Erte, Foremost Parisian Designer, Tells Women What NOT to Wear



Here are the lucky girls for whom Erte, famous Parisian fashion creator and designer who has been imported by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, will design original creations to wear in the movies.

By KAY MERRILL

If you would be individual, striking, beautifully gowned—then listen to what Count Romain de Tiroff Erte, familiarly known as Erte, the famous Parisian leader of fashions who has been imported by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer to say about what women should not wear, as well as what they should wear to be more beautiful.

For Erte famed for his strikingly bizarre and originally beautiful creations, has definite ideas on what women shouldn't wear as well as what they should wear in order to bring out their charm and beauty. And among the things women should not wear are these—short skirts, drab color and parrot-like duplicates of what every other woman in town is wearing.

Don't Dress Monotonously

"The American woman leads all other women of the world in being well dressed, yes—but she is sadly monotonous in appearance," said Erte. "What one wears and looks smart in, every one else is sure to copy. Mon Dieu! It doesn't occur to them that there may be types of women who are so unlike that what looks particularly striking on one will look hideous on another! Yet American women will buy what the manufacturer will turn out thousands of the same model tells them in the style whether it suits their own particular type or not."

"Ciel! Is it not terrible? Yet, since in spite of this parrot-like copying of style the American woman looks so well dressed, how much more striking and individual she would appear if she had her clothes designed to suit her own particular individuality and type!

Don't Wear 'Em Short!

"Short skirts? Mon Dieu, they are not nice! They are not graceful when they are worn too short! Everyone hasn't nice legs, yet everyone wears her skirt short when it is the style! Is it not terrible? For the very young slender girl the short skirt is good, yes—but for her older sister and mother 'noon'—they should wear their skirts just a trifle longer—'mais oui!'"

Don't Wear Drab Colors

Another one of Erte's "Don'ts" for the woman who would be beautiful, is not to wear drab colors. "Have you ever noticed what a beautiful ensemble women make when they gather together in colorful evening clothes?" asked Erte. "They appear much more beautiful and femininely charming in gay, vivid shades than they do in their dark street clothes. Colors that blend with the natural coloring of hair, eyes and skin of women accentuate their charm, and for this reason women should dress in colors best suited to their type, of course. If they would appear more beautiful. This season Fashion recognizes this fact by sponsoring such dashing shades as orange and green to lead the vogue, instead of more subdued tones."

Erte, or Count Romain de Tiroff Erte, has left for Culver City, California, where the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios are located, to design his inimitable dashingly creations and costumes for Mae Murray, Alice Terry, Paulette Goddard, Helena D'Amico, Norma Shearer, Eleanor Boardman, Kathleen Key, Mariou Davies, Claire Windsor, May McAvoy, Mae Busch, Carmel Myers, Aileen Pringle, Pauline Starke and other movie players who are fortunate enough to be under the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer banner.

### TRAINING SCHOOL BOYS VERY ACTIVE

Epidemic is Passed and Inmates Are Working in Gardens and Fields

The epidemic of flu, which recently attacked members of the Boys' training school is on the wane and all the boys are out of the hospital ward. Only two remain in the care of the physician, but they will be discharged soon.

Outside the boys are actively employed in the gardens and other work, planting and cultivating the fields takes up a great part of the time. Inside the school rooms the work is carried on with interest.

It is not unusual to see a number of the boys poring over their books in the evening, preparing lessons for the following day. At the present time there are 50 students in the 8th grade and 40 in the high school.

In addition to the school and outside activities the boys have found time to prepare an Easter program, which is to be presented this evening at 7:30 o'clock. There is room for visitors, who choose to come. A welcome is extended to all.

The boys of the training school wish to thank the public for the response given to their call for periodicals during the recent influenza epidemic.

### Willamette Prayer Room To Be Dedicated Today

The Willamette university prayer room located in the basement of Waller Hall will be dedicated for the use of the Willamette students at 7 o'clock tonight. The prayer room is the result of a concentrated effort on the part of a number of students to secure

some place in which they could go for their religious devotions without being disturbed.

In presenting their case that they should be allowed to have such a room the students contended that at Willamette the Christian influence was strongly emphasized but there was no place provided in which the students could go for their private devotions. It was further pointed out that such a plan as this was in use at a number of the universities over the United States and that it was working in a satisfactory manner.

Returns Home—After undergoing a major operation in a local hospital, Edna Spurling was discharged yesterday and returned to her home at 1155 Leslie street.

### FRECKLES

San and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots. How to Remove Easily

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable concern that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any drug or department store and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength Othine as this strength is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove your freckles.

We recommend Othine Complexion Soap for use with Othine; also as a shampoo—it's wonderful for bobbed hair—25c a cake at all drug or department stores, or by mail, Othine Laboratories, Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

### HI-Y CLUBS WILL HAVE BUSY PERIOD

Many Activities Planned in Connection With Older Boys Conference

The Hi-Y club of Marion county planned a four-week program in April that includes banquets, social hours, sports and games, and plans for the Older Boys' conference to be held in Salem April 24, 25 and 26.

The suggestions for this month, issued by Benjamin J. Kimber, Marion county secretary, outlines a father and son banquet for the first week, discussion of the Older Boys' conference during the second week.

During the third week members of the Marion County Hi-Y are to hear Frank Moran, noted boys' leader, at the conference in Salem, where three counties will send delegates.

The fourth week will have a meeting-between members of the organization and parents of members.

### London Still Permits Driving Livestock Through Streets

LONDON, April 11.—The custom of driving pigs, sheep and cattle through the streets, a practice begun centuries ago when London was but a village, is still being carried on. However, it is seldom that the public generally witnesses this sight as the work is done during the early hours of the morning.

A herd of cattle, delayed on its way to the market, got into a traf-

fic jam recently in Holborn, one of the city's main thoroughfares, and extra policemen had to be called to assist the drivers in their task of getting the animals started again. The present day city regulations provide that live stock can be driven through the streets only between the hours of midnight and five in the morning.

### G-R-A-N-D

Today and Monday



FORBIDDEN PARADISE

Starring Pola Negri

NEGRI and Lubitsch! Star and director of "Passion" reunited in their first American-made triumph.

### NOW



THE THUNDERING HERD

with JACK WOLT, LOIS WILSON, NOAM BERRY, RAYMOND HATTON

### OREGON

### LAUGHS ONLY!

Starts Today



CONSTANCE TALMADGE

The story of a flapper who couldn't—and just wouldn't—stay married.

### LIBERTY

Other Subjects of Quality

### LON CHANEY



The Years Big Picture He who gets Slapped

SUPPORTED BY NORMA SHEARER JOHN GILBERT

OREGON — STARTS TUESDAY

### BLIGH --- TODAY

Actorman and Harris  
**HIPPODROME VAUDEVILLE**  
EVERY SUNDAY  
5 feature Acts  
direct from Portland

### "Bryan and House Revue"

SONGS — DANCES — MUSIC

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| Tripoli Trio<br>A Night in Tripoli | Always Good Most Times Great | Raines-Avery<br>The Clothopper   |
| Fred Ernesto<br>Athletic Novelty   | Vaudeville Photoplays        | Lill' Calvert<br>The Quaker Girl |

### "Arthur Loeb"—Hero of the Eastland Disaster

### The Newest Craze in America

**THEY** Walk, Talk, Sing, Dance, are Lifelike

The Famous Kegg and Goldsmith MARIONETTES in CINDERELLA

A Play in Five Acts

**Bligh Theater**  
Monday-Tuesday, April 13-14  
Special Children's Matinee daily, 4 p. m.  
Not a Movie

You Will Wonder How It Is Done

A Real Novelty Attraction