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Population of Salem 1900, 4253;
1910, 14,094; 1920, 17,675
Marion County 1920, 47,177; Polk
county, 14,181
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The Weather

OREGON Tonight and Wednesday generally fair, cooler tonight east portion, heavy frost early morning, moderate westerly winds.
LOCAL: No rainfall; northerly winds; clear; maximum 70, minimum 35, set 45; river 6 feet and falling.

Price Three Cents ON TRAINS AND NEWS STANDS FIVE CENTS

Ten Die In Chicago Explosion; Many Hurt

Railway Tactics Scored

Efficient Management, Not Working Arrangements Is Need Claims Lauck
Chicago, March 29.—The root of the railroad problems is not in the agreements but in the lack of management efficiency...

Tariff Price Basis Meets Opposition

Washington, Mar. 29.—Protests against the legislation agreed on by the republican leaders to provide tariff taxation at American...

Employees Claim Closing Of Mill Plain Lockout; Arbitration Is Sought

Declaring that Charles K. Spaulding, president of the Spaulding Lumber company has instituted a lockout by closing down his mill yesterday evening and refusing to arbitrate...

Alleged Slayer Of Cronkite Is Released On Bail

New York, March 29.—Robert Rosenbluth, former United States army captain, charged with having caused the murder of Major Alexander Cronkite at Camp Lewis, Wash., October 25, 1918, was released today by Federal Judge John C. Knox on a \$25,000 bond...

Forest Patrol To Be Continued

Presumption of the absence of the forest patrol in Oregon on the whole as that of last year is fully assured Oregon this morning according to a telegram received by State Forester Elmer S. McNamee...

John Burroughs Famous Naturalist, Overtaken by Death; Was en Route Home

Utica, N. Y., March 29.—John Burroughs, naturalist, died on a New York Central train near Kingsville, Ohio, on his way home from California at 2 o'clock this morning. He had been very ill for six weeks with an abscess on the chest and heart and with kidney complications.

He was so eager to get home that the long journey was undertaken with the hope that he could survive. The end came suddenly, a few minutes after he had asked: "How near home are we?"

McFarland, Promoter, Is Freed Today

R. D. McFarland, arrested here several days ago after he had attempted to promote a plan for the erection of an \$80,000 cooperative apartment house, was released from the county jail this morning. He had been held on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Parents Contest Custody of Child

Fight for the custody of Mary Elizabeth Robbins, daughter of Mrs. Irene Etta Robbins-Cave and Winwood Robbins, divorced in 1917, continued in the circuit court this afternoon before Judge Bingham.

Oregon Student Talks to Salem High Students

Urging all students who can possibly do so to attend some higher institution of learning, Carlton Savage of Salem, president of the University of Oregon student body, addressed Salem high school students at their regular student body meeting this morning.

Dawes To Head Investigation Of Relief Work

Washington, March 29.—A committee of eleven, headed by Charles G. Dawes of Chicago, who served as a brigadier general with the American Expeditionary Forces, was appointed by President Harding today to conduct an inquiry "into the administration of the war risk bureau board for vocational training and care and treatment of found or impaired service men generally."

Mikado Asks Former Greek Premier to Act In American Dispute

Athens, March 29.—Former Premier Venizelos is going to Japan to be the guest of the mikado, who has asked him to arbitrate difficulties pending between Japan and the United States, says the London dispatch to the newspaper Patria.

Overland Plant Reopens

Toledo, Ohio, Mar. 29.—Between 6000 and 7000 employees will return to work at the Overland Automobile plant here Monday, vice-president Charles H. Wilson announced today. The plant closed down November 1, 1920.

Stillman Father of Boy, Claim Guardian Alleges Positive Proof of Paternity of Baby Awaits Hearing

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Mar. 29.—John E. Mack, guardian ad litem for Guy Stillman, 28 months old infant, whose legitimacy is questioned by James A. Stillman, president of the National City bank of New York, in his divorce suit, against the former "Fifi" Potter, announced today that he was in possession of proof that the banker is the child's father.

Hun Riots Continue Unchecked

Essen, Germany, Mar. 29.—Fifteen rioters were killed and forty others wounded in a clash with the security police here. The attempt to bring on a general strike in this region has so far failed.

Paints Taxicab To Pay His Fare

Paris, Mar. 29.—Paris probably has the only futurist taxicab in the world and it occupies a prominent place near the Opera. A few nights ago an artist, returning to his home by taxi, found that he had no money to pay his fare. He suggested to the chauffeur that he "work out" the sum by painting futurist designs on the sides of the taxi.

Halsey Bank Burglars Are Sought Here

An attempt to rob a bank at Halsey proved a failure last night, according to information received from the Linn county sheriff by Sheriff O. D. Bower here this morning. Local officers were requested to be on the look-out for a Studebaker automobile owned by E. B. Penland of Halsey in which the would-be thieves are believed to have departed.

Former Senator Is Near Death

Walla Walla, Wash., Mar. 29.—No change is reported in the condition of former United States Senator Levi Ankeney who is critically ill at his home. Senator Ankeney is very weak and the end may come at any time. No hope is held out for his recovery.

Inheritance Tax Exemptions Must Not Pass \$10,000

The supreme court this morning denied a petition for rehearing in the case of the John Clark estate vs. State Treasurer Hoff involving an interpretation of the law of 1919 relative to inheritance tax exemptions. The Multnomah county circuit court had construed the law as granting an exemption of \$10,000 for every direct decedent in computing inheritance tax returns.

Big Warehouse Is Wrecked; Police Say Bomb Cause

Chicago, March 29.—An explosion which wrecked a warehouse at 779 Barber street today caused ten deaths and injuries to several score other persons, according to first reports received by the coroner's office. City police and firemen said they could see bodies in the ruins of the building.

Man Is Arrested On Second Charge While First Officer Waits

"All right," said W. J. McCallum, of Portland, when he was taken to the police station on a speeding charge yesterday afternoon by Traffic Officer Miller Hayden, "if you'll allow me just a minute or so to go over and see a man, I'll be right back."

Man Is Jailed Twice, Pays \$75 for Spree; 'No More' Is Promise

"I just took a couple of drinks to quit on and they knocked me out. But never again for me," declared W. C. Wright, a Salem auto top worker this morning when he was arraigned before Police Judge Earl Race for the second time within 24 hours. Wright was charged with being intoxicated. Yesterday afternoon he paid a fine of \$25.

Miners Killed by Suffocation When Shaft Was Plugged

Dowell, Ill., March 29.—The bodies of seven men, entombed in the Kathleen mine here February 23 when fire broke out in the colliery, were taken from the pit today by rescue workers. The bodies were not burned and death apparently was caused by asphyxiation, following sealing of the mine twelve hours after discovery of the fire to prevent the flames from spreading.