

LOCALS

State Aid commission a default judgment against Leslie L. Grazer in the sum of \$1405.37 and attorney fees of \$206. has been issued by Judge J. H. McMahan. The order calls for the foreclosure of a mortgage upon a certain piece of property held by Grazer.

Genevieve Gray is again greeting her friends and patrons at the Mitzel Gray Beauty Shop, 199 1/2

The case of Thelma Williams vs. Edwin L. Williams was ordered dismissed without prejudice and without costs to either party in an order signed by Judge McMahan Wednesday.

Your big opportunity: closing out Love, the Jeweler.

Marriage licenses have been issued to: Harold Keppinger, 25, and Deldora Hanson, 22, both of Salem; Rudy K. Olsen, 21, Richmond Beach, Wash., and Jeanne Morrow, 15, route 2, Salem.

Refinance your car. Pay monthly. See P. A. Eiker, Liberty & Ferry.

Permission to adopt a four-week-old baby was granted L. A. and Esther Payne by the county court Thursday. The child has been christened Marian Esther Payne.

Sport oxfords \$7.50 to \$10 values. \$5.85. Foot-Health Shoe Co., 415 State St. 199*

The estate of Gladys Scollard is valued at \$250.40 in a report of appraisers filed with the county court Thursday. Of this amount \$1000.40 is in cash. The appraisers were Fred J. Miller, William Scollard and M. J. Lindahl.

Walk-Over summer shoes, Reg. \$10 to \$12.50. \$6.85 and \$7.85. Foot-Health Shoe Co., 415 State. 199*

Mrs. Lillian Martin, 57, patient at the state hospital for the insane, committed suicide Thursday by hanging herself to a window bar with strips torn from a pillow case. She was received at the hospital February 23, this year. Her home was near McMinville.

Special ringlet, permanent wave \$4. Mitzel Gray Beauty Shop, Phone 137. 200*

An automobile belonging to Fred Kirkwood, was stolen from his place at 1090 North Sumner street Wednesday night, according to police reports.

Fordson tractors \$50 and up while they last. A. C. Hoag & Co., 690 Ferry St., Salem. 201

A. P. Wright, 2245 North Liberty street, was arrested Wednesday night on a speeding charge.

Arrange your party for the weekend at Pacific City, the crabs and clams and fish are plentiful, and dance to the music of Mrs. F. N. Woody and her 6-piece jazz band. Big time. Come! 199*

A ring set with four diamonds and a woman's wrist watch were stolen from the residence of Mrs. Gertrude Schieler at 1935 North Fifth street Wednesday night. She reported to the police.

Old time dance Sat. Nile Castilian hall. Real music, best floor, congenial crowd. Better come. Liberty and Chemehewa Sts. 25c and 50c. 201

The larceny by bailer case against Hiram Cooper was continued in justice court late Wednesday after a brief hearing before Judge Small. The warrant, which was sworn out some two years ago, but which was not served until recently, charged Cooper with making away with an automobile trailer. He was also accused of stealing some parts to a boat and later selling them to two boys. Cooper denied the charge and since the incident is said to have occurred more than two years ago the case is void owing to the statute of limitations.

Richmond's Radio band, entertainers, Tumble Inn, tonight. Popular prices. 199

Walter Meyers of Hubbard was found not guilty by a jury in justice court late Wednesday on a larceny charge. Meyers was arrested last week upon the complaint of John Smolinsky, a merchant of Hubbard, who stated young Meyers stole a sweater from him. Meyers told the jury Wednesday that he found the sweater along the Pacific highway.

Big time dance at Pacific City every Tuesday and Saturday nights. Snappy 6-piece band. Fine floor, good crowds. Spend your week end with us. Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Woody, mgrs. 199*

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The defendant in the case of Marie B. Van Blaricom versus Elin L. Van Blaricom is held in default by an order issued in circuit court Thursday. Van Blaricom failed to answer the suit within the prescribed time.

Real old time dance Castilian hall Sat. night, 8:30, 25c and 50c. 201

After spending two weeks with Thomas L. Williams, internal revenue agent for this district, back at work again, Williams was one of a party of 30 persons. Base camp was made at Marion lake, where the Chemeketas held their first outing last year. A thorough search was made during the outing, the ascent of Mt. Jefferson was the major climb. Twenty-three Obisidian managed to surmount the pinnacles on Jefferson, six hundred feet of rope being lined out by the leaders. One of the party succeeded in climbing Three Fingered Jack.

considered one of the most difficult ascents in the Cascades. A three day bivouac trip was taken to Jefferson park. The snow was found unmeltingly dry, with the snow all gone and lakes much reduced in size. H. Ueberlebers were found in abundance in Bingham basin while a cougar was among the wild life sighted by different members of the organization.

Cars washed \$1; monthly storage \$4. 267 North Church. 200

Communicable diseases in Marion county were at a low ebb for the week ending August 16, according to reports made to the state department of health. One case of diphtheria, two cases of whooping cough, and four cases of tuberculosis one of which was at the state hospital, were reported. Diseases over the state were generally quiet. Totals were as follows: typhoid, eight; diphtheria, two; scarlet fever, four; measles, 15; influenza, one whooping cough, 10; small pox, one; tuberculosis, seven; pneumonia, five; chickenpox, one; mumps, 12; infantile paralysis, two; erysipelas, two; sleeping sickness, one.

Celebrate at Pacific City on Sat. Sunday and Monday, Labor Day. Dancing, boating, fishing, swimming. Beach hiking and a general good time. Make your reservations early time. 199*

Phidela Darst is appointed administratrix of the estates of her brother, C. P. Darst and of her sister-in-law, Parthenia Darst, in an order issued by the county judge Thursday. C. P. Darst and his wife, Parthenia both died intestate, the former leaving an estate of an approximate value of \$7500, while the latter's property is valued at \$5000. Phidela Darst is the only heir in either case. E. C. Denny, Rue Drager and Norris Hunt have been named appraisers of both estates. The Darsts lived in the Stayton district.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Farrar and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Jerman returned this morning from a motor tour through southern and central Oregon. The party visited Crater lake and the Oregon caves, it being the first trip of Farrar to these two scenic points. The motorists left here one afternoon about 3 o'clock and drove to Bend that night. From there they went south via Crater lake to Klamath Falls and over Green Springs mountain road to Ashland. Highways were reported in excellent condition with travel about normal. Four hundred persons passed through the caves the day the Farrars and the Jermans were there.

Much interest in Oregon farms, particularly those in the Willamette valley, has been evidenced this week by a number of state appraisers, according to P. A. Dwyer, farm advisor for the First National bank. At present four families, one each from Alberta, Michigan, Iowa and California, are seeking locations in Oregon. During the past six months more than 25 families have asked special investigations before moving here.

Dan Keldatz has filed with the police a description of his bicycle which was stolen while he was attending a show.

Aviation pilot and mechanic Halpin, employed by the Eyerly company at the Albany airport has been withdrawn temporarily to the local airport for service here, Lee Eyerly announced. A new plane has been ordered which will be available at Albany in the near future. New students enrolled for aviation courses at the local airport include Dr. J. H. Garnjost, Salem physician, Dr. D. L. Craig, Salem dentist, Miss Ruth Sammons, office secretary at the airport, and Miss Edna Fisher of Albany.

Mrs. Cornelius Ediger and two children, Lucile and Harry, and her sister-in-law, Miss Louise Ediger, all of Bakersfield, Calif., are visiting friends and relatives here and in Dallas. Miss Louise Ediger plans to return to Bakersfield within three weeks.

Mrs. Clara Thompson, who will be a critic teacher at the Valsert grade school this fall, was a visitor to the office of School Superintendent George Hug Thursday morning. Mrs. Thompson for three and a half years was English instructor at Parrish junior high school, leaving there in 1928. Her sister, Miss Gene Beutler, is an instructor at Parrish at the present time. Mrs. Thompson graduated from O. A. C. in June. In addition to being directly in charge of four student teachers in the seventh and eighth grades at Valsert, Mrs. Thompson will be in charge of the dormitories where 16 student teachers and several critic teachers will be located.

DENY SALE MADE OF MORNING ASTORIAN

Astoria, Ore., (AP)—Reports circulated about the state to the effect that the Morning Astorian has been purchased by the Astorian Evening Budget, were declared to be erroneous here Thursday.

The owners of the Budget hold an option to purchase the Astorian but no sale has been completed.

LICENSE IS ISSUED

Aurora—A marriage license has been issued to Walter Lindquist and Erma Smith, both of Aurora. Miss Smith is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Smith, Sr., of Needy. Walter Lindquist is employed by the Moalla Electric and has lived near here for many years.

RAYEYS GERVAIS GUESTS

Gervais—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ramey and small daughter-in-law of San Francisco spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nix. Ramey is with the Associated Press at San Francisco.

PROPERTY CHANGES HANDS

West Salem—Arthur Hathaway has purchased the Grandma Kiesel property on the corner of McNary and Ruge streets and is now located there.

AIRD DENIES HE WILL TAKE RAFFETY'S JOB

Rumors that he was under consideration as the successor to T. A. Raffety, deputy head of the state traffic department, were denied here by Col. W. A. Aird, Canby, state horticultural commissioner for the first district.

Colonel Aird declared that he has never discussed the matter with Hal Hoss, secretary of state, and that recent conferences he has had with Hoss regarding horticultural matters were limited to that subject. Colonel Aird says he has no intention of seeking Raffety's post and characterizes the reports as amusing.

RECTOR URGES MARRIAGE LAW BE MODERNIZED

Oxford, Eng. (AP)—A vigorous call for action to "rescue marriage from the degradation to which it has fallen" was made at the Modern Churchmen's conference Wednesday night in a discussion of eugenic marriages, birth control and divorce.

Dr. W. P. Geinke Cobb, rector of St. Ethelburgas in Bishops Gate, London, attacked the marriage laws and blamed both the church and state for clogging the wheels of reform. Dr. Cobb officiated at the marriage of Marshall Field, III, who had been divorced, and Mrs. Dudley Coats this week.

"If marriage is to be rescued from the degradation to which it has fallen, the church must shoulder the responsibility for lowering the standard and not lay the blame unctuously upon the victims it helped to create," said Dr. Cobb. "When marriage is made half bad by misconduct of one of the partners it is wholly bad by the misconduct of both it is legally indivisible."

He said the best way to uphold the sanctity of marriage was to reconcile the law with the dictates of sanctified common sense.

Dr. H. D. A. Major, of Rippon Hall, advocated definite church training for marriage, stressing the importance of eugenic marriages.

"The English church has put the same energy into securing eugenic marriages as into opposition to marriage with a deceased wife's sister, things would be much better and things are today," he declared. "The church would have gained authority and not lost it."

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BROWN WILLING TO GIVE WATER HOLE

Portland, Ore. — H. V. Schnals, Burns, (AP)—Attorney for W. W. Brown, eastern Oregon sheep rancher, told the Oregon humane society Brown was willing to deed over the Wagontire mountain water hole to either the society or the state.

Helen O'Brien, secretary of the society, said the organization would accept it if the state did not.

The Wagontire mountain water hole has been a bone of contention in eastern Oregon for many months. Family fights have resulted from it. Officials said the situation seemed about cleared.

MRS. M'CURRY DIES DURING EUGENE VISIT

Eugene (AP)—Mrs. Mary McCurry, 65, until a short time ago a matron at the state industrial school for girls at Salem, died here Thursday morning at the home of R. L. Himebaugh and family. She had come here from Salem for a short visit.

Mrs. McCurry's home was at St. Paul and her body will be sent there.

Mrs. Mary McCurry resigned her position as a matron at one of the cottages of the state industrial school for girls on or about August 7. The resignation was made because of her continued ill-health. She had been in the position for slightly more than a year. Information as to her former home and possible relatives was not known at the state institution. Mrs. McCurry's only intimate friend in Salem, Mrs. E. R. Austin of the Royal Court apartments, could not be reached Thursday afternoon and it was understood she was out of the city.

PECULIAR INJURY SUFFERED BY LANGE

Too much pressure on a faucet in the bathroom resulted in a painful injury to Dr. Fred W. Lange, veterinarian, and as a result of the accident he spent over two hours in the surgery at a local hospital and is now carrying his right arm in a sling. The faucet was dripping and when Dr. Lange attempted to shut it off, the enamel broke, severing an artery in his hand. Several fragments were removed that evening, but when morning arrived and the injured hand was no better he consulted a surgeon. Examination at the hospital revealed a portion of the composition bearing the "C" of the faucet deep in his hand and several tendons severed.

OLD GRASS RETURN

Gervais—Miss Arocia McMinnis and Miss Mary McKee of Seattle, visited with Mrs. C. H. Nix last week. Miss McMinnis was formerly professor of English and Latin at Willamette university and Miss McKee was a graduate in the class of 1928 from the same school.

MILK AND EGG RACKETEERING UNDER PROBE

New York (AP)—State officials investigating milk and egg racketeering which has boosted New York's food bill many thousands of dollars weekly above the normal level, turned their attention Thursday to price gouging in another commodity as yet unnamed.

The attorney general's office predicted that the hearing before Referee John Holly Clark, J., would bring out additional sensational charges of profiteering.

While the general food inquiry was adjourned Wednesday to enable Assistant Attorney General Wm. B. Groat to collect information about the Washington Market Truckmen's association, milk retailers testified at a special hearing to increase in the wholesale price of milk which if maintained would cost consumers more than \$1,000,000 weekly.

Police continued to guard the egg markets to prevent sabotage and injury to truckmen. The Utah Poultry Producers association claimed to have received warnings that its eggs would be destroyed and truckmen killed if the price in underselling the market. The price of eggs by five cents a dozen.

It was in this connection that Groat was investigating the Washington Market Truckmen's association. Dues are \$156 a year, but members who testified seemed uncertain as to what benefits resulted.

YEW PARK TO HAVE YOUNGEST OF PRINCIPALS

Yew Park school will have the youngest principal in Salem during the coming year when Mrs. Beatrice Skeen, will lead a staff of seven or eight teachers. Mrs. Skeen, just 25 years old, has taught in the local school system for the past five years, her work being entirely in the sixth grade at Garfield and in directing the music activities in that building. She will take the place of Mrs. Susie J. Emmons who now is making her home in Portland.

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"Whitey" Melhorn, New York equaled par with a 34-37-72 for third place among the early finishers.

11TH HOUR EFFORT DECLARES KENDALL

Marshallfield (AP)—John C. Kendall, Portland attorney, who represented a group of sportsmen at the Clifford-Clark game commission hearing, said Thursday that his strenuous effort of Clifford and his supporters to involve me as a contributing cause of his removal on account of my representing Coos county clients in legitimate negotiations with the game commission has been made.

Harold Clifford and Edward Clark were ousted as game warden and assistant, respectively, recently.

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BASEBALL

AMERICAN	
Detroit	7 11 0
Philadelphia	8 12 0
Uble, Wyatt and De Sautele;	
Shores, Walberg and Cochran.	
Boston	2 4 2
Chicago	4 10 5
Thomas and Tate, Liebbee and Berry.	
St. Louis	2 8 1
Washington	5 8 0
Collins and Ferrell; Jones and Spencer.	

NATIONAL	
New York	13 12 3
Chicago	6 12 3
Walker, Fritts and O'Farrell;	
Blake, Teachout, Shealy and Hartnett.	
Boston at Pittsburgh, no game, wet grounds.	
Brooklyn at Cincinnati postponed, rain; double header Saturday.	

OIL DRILLING ON COLUMBIA PROVES BARREN

Los Angeles (AP)—Union Oil company headquarters here Thursday denied emphatically reports current in Oregon and Washington that a test well at McGowan on the Columbia river had uncovered a new field and had been hurriedly capped earlier in the week.

The rig at McGowan, which is in Washington at the mouth of the Columbia opposite Astoria, was dismantled several days ago. Casing and equipment is being moved to Astoria Thursday, according to advices from the south.

Asked for a statement in connection with the persistent rumors that an entirely new field had been uncovered by the "wildcat" and that the well had been secretly capped because of the depressed conditions of the oil market, an official of the Union company told the United Press:

"We went into the lower Columbia section to drill nearly a year ago because we considered the geological structure good in that area. However, our drillers got into volcanic ash and continued in it."

"When we were unable to work through into shale, we decided it was not worth while to continue. Other persons and concerns interested in the field, presumably for booming property and oil prospects, alleged that the Union was trying to cover up its oil find so that it could acquire surrounding properties cheaply."

"We countered by offering to rent our rig to those objectors at a price which would permit them to continue to work themselves. If they had so much faith and 'inside information,' this offer was refused. Hence we are abandoning our well as a 'duster'."

ARMY OF REDS IS CRUSHED BY CHINESE ARMY

Hankow (AP)—Slaughter of 4,000 communists by provincial troops in western Kiangsi province and the capture of 3,000 Red rifles there was reported Thursday in Chinese press dispatches.

This apparently is virtually the first crushing defeat administered to the Red marauders who have been murdering, looting and burning throughout the Yangtze valley for several weeks.

News of the provincial victory followed closely word of the burning of Wusueh, Hupeh province, by communists who looted the city of 6,000 population and ransacked the countryside. Wusueh is an important Yangtze river port 25 miles above Kiukiang, Kiangsi.

Fearing for their lives, inhabitants of Wusueh abandoned their property virtually without protest and fled, many going to Kiukiang, where foreign gunboats were anchored.

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AMERICAN BANK NOT TRUST COMPANY

The American Bank & Trust company of Portland, operated by Will Moore and others, is a general corporation having trust powers, but it is not exempt from the provisions of the state blue sky act by its sale of stock, says a decree by Judge L. H. McMahan, Thursday.

The company brought suit against Mark D. McCallister as state corporation commissioner, seeking, under the declaratory judgment act, to be declared a trust company, and therefore exempt from the blue sky law.

The company undertook to sell stock without a permit, but was informed by McCallister that it could not exercise that privilege because it was not a trust company within the meaning of the blue sky exemption. It then applied for a permit to sell \$200,000 in stock, and the permit was refused by McCallister on the basis of the company's showing. The company then took the case into court in an effort to be declared a trust company.

DIPHTHERIA CASE AT INSTITUTION

A report of a new case of diphtheria, that of an adult, was made late Wednesday afternoon by officials at the state institution for the feeble-minded. Last week a nine-year-old child died at the institution from the same disease. All patients in the institution are receiving antitoxin doses which will protect them for the next three weeks. Later toxin antitoxin immunization treatments will be given. Examinations for carriers of the disease are being conducted now.

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LABOR TROUBLE CULMINATES IN DOUBLE MURDER

Chicago (AP)—Bernard Rubery, known to police as a mysterious power in the Chicago Journeymen Plumbers' union, died Thursday from bullet wounds suffered late Wednesday at the time his union superior, Chas. Mulcahy, was killed.

Mulcahy, nationally known labor figure and business agent of the plumbers' union, had gone with Rubery to