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Coats in light shades of corduroy, pony length, dandies, price each

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Fancy stripe coats, beautiful colors and snappy styles, each

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THE NAVAL BASE BILL.

Bill Introduced By Congressman Hawley for a Naval Base at Astoria.

In the House of Representatives, February 3, 1916. Mr. Hawley introduced the following bill, which was referred to the committee on Naval Affairs and ordered to be printed:

A bill authorizing the establishment of a naval base on the Columbia River near Astoria, Oregon, and making appropriation for the beginning of construction.

Be it enacted by the senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that the secretary of the navy be, and he is hereby, authorized to secure a suitable site on the Columbia River, Oregon, as near to the entrance as may be deemed advisable, for the construction of a first-class naval base, including the following: Building ways, for building large and small vessels; dry docks, capable of docking the largest dreadnaughts; marine railways; machine shops; boiler shops; paint shop; copper shop; galvanizing shop; joiner shop; ship-fitter shop; smithery and chain shop; sheet-metal shop; boat and aeroplane shop; soil, rigging, and flag shops; oxyhydrogen and acetylene shops; foundry; tracks and rolling stock; barracks; chemical laboratories; radio plant; magazines; hospital; dispensary; fire-engine house; stables and garages; pier; fueling plant; storehouses; office buildings; floating derrick; and sawmill; and that \$3,000,000 be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the acquisition of a site and beginning of the work of construction.

CITY NEWS.

Local Talent Play—

A local talent play entitled "Out in the streets," to be given at Morning Star Grange hall Saturday evening, February 19, proceeds of which are to go toward paying for the piano.

Original Grecian Pageant—

Miss Helen Crawford will leave Thursday for Brownsville, where she will present "A Dream of Ancient Greece," a Greek pageant, March 25th, under the auspices of the Woman's Reading club, who will give a benefit for the public library. The pageant is original with Miss Crawford, and was received with much favor when presented in Lebanon last Spring.—Lebanon E. A.

Visited in Corvallis—

Mrs. H. B. Harlan and Master Frankie have just returned from a five weeks' visit with relatives in Albany. They brought with them little Miss Harlan who, for the first time has "set foot" under the parental roof in Corvallis. She was born in Albany January 23rd. Weight 8 1/4 pounds.—Gazette-Times.

Club Meeting—

The Shakespeare Study Club will meet Thursday afternoon of this week at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. L. G. Lewelling, 525 West 12th Street.

Three Birthdays—

Mrs. W. A. McClain has returned from Lebanon, where she went to attend a triple birthday reunion. Mrs. C. H. Ralston, her sister, Miss Fannie Griggs, and the son of Carl Landstrom, Mrs. Ralston's grandson, all occurring on Lincoln's birthday. Mrs. N. L. Lee, of Junction, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griggs were also present.

New Hotel Manager—

Chas. G. Miller, of Roseburg, has been given the management of the Hotel Marion, at Salem, succeeding Jas. W. Church, who has had charge of the hotel the past year. Miller will

Notice to the Public.

On account of the high price of gasoline, feed and other things connected with the wood sawing business, we are compelled to raise the prices of sawing wood. For the benefit of the public we quote the new prices as follows: 60 cents for 2 cuts and 75 cents for 3 cuts on all kinds of 4 foot wood.

Signed: ED. HENDERSON
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HAS MARVELLOUS MEMORY.

Former U. S. Senator Repeated Word for Word Editorial Read When a Boy in 1865.

In the March American Magazine James Hay, Jr., gives the following account of a man with a miracle memory.

"A member of the United States senate was discussing with a friend in his office some of the incidents that occurred during the administration of President Johnson. During the conversation the senator referred to an editorial which had been printed in a New York newspaper in March, 1865. 'This editorial,' remarked the senator, 'was a severe criticism of Johnson. If you don't mind, I'll dictate the first twenty lines of it to my stenographer. You then can keep it for purpose of reference.'

"The stenographer was called, and the senator without the slightest hesitation, dictated twenty or twenty-five lines of the editorial.

"When did you last read this editorial?" inquired the visitor.

"I read it on the seventh or the eighth of March in 1865."

"When the caller expressed his utter incredulity that any man could dictate in 1914 the exact wording of a newspaper editorial which he had read in 1865, the stenographer went to the library of congress, found the original editorial and discovered that it was a duplicate, word for word, comma for comma, of what the senator had just dictated.

"To appreciate the extraordinary character of this memory feat, it must be remembered that when this senator read the editorial in 1865 he was only fourteen years of age.

"The man who gave this offhand proof of his marvelous powers of memory was Theodore E. Burton, former United States senator from Ohio. He has demonstrated in Congress time and again that he can give offhand and accurately the depth of every harbor and every river in the United States, the tonnage of commerce borne by every waterway in the United States and the amount of money that has been spent or authorized to be spent for the improvement of each river and harbor."

VIOLET MERSEREAN IN

"THE PATH OF HAPPINESS"

Violet Mersereau, the beautiful Universal star, and one of the most popular screen artists in filmdom, was selected to inaugurate the Red Feather productions, a series of feature photoplays that bid fair to exceed any film productions ever presented. The vehicle in which Miss Mersereau will star is a five-act idyll of the woods, "The Path of Happiness," written by

take charge March 1.

Mr. Meister Improving—

Frank Meister, upon whom an operation was recently performed for goitre, is steadily improving; doing well.

Weather Report—

Yesterday's temperature ranged between 47 and 61 degrees. The river fell to 12.3 feet.

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Miss Mersereau is more charming and delightful than ever in the role of Joan, a part which will stand among the greatest roles of the silent drama. Joan is a girl absolutely in tune with the infinite, who sees nothing in life but the sunshine of nature in her life of freedom in the woods of northern New York.

This beautiful play will be seen at the Hub theatre tonight and Thursday.

Building Show.

Cleveland, Feb. 16.—Four model homes, offering ideals of landscaping and construction, will be erected

"while you wait," during the complete building show which opened a week's exhibition here today. A typical street with real grass lawns, flowers, gardens, and sidewalks, will go to make the building exhibit, intended primarily to show the various materials in building.

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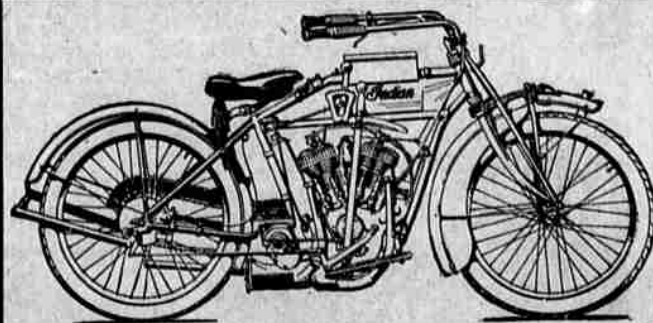
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PERSONAL MENTION FROM FAYETTEVILLE

Fayetteville, Or., Feb. 15.—J. A. Montgomery of Verdure, was a business caller in Fayetteville on last Tuesday.

Miss Grace Miller was a Shedd visitor on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ackerman of Shedd, were Tuesday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Saxton of Fayetteville.

Hans Koch of Potter, had business calling him to the warehouse early Tuesday morning.

Harry Freecksen of Potter, was a business visitor in Fayetteville on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sheridan of Spokane, are here visiting with Mr. J. H. and Mrs. J. A. Sheridan of Fayetteville.

Mr. J. M. Dickson of Shedd, boarded the Friday morning electric for Eugene on important business returning home on the evening train.

Miss Gladys Schultz is spending the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery of near Verdure.

Roscoe McReynolds of near Oakville, was a business caller at the warehouse early Saturday morning.

Will Lamar of Peoria, boarded the Saturday morning electric for Albany on important business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schultz motored to Albany Saturday evening, to witness the "Inspiration" at the Rolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brandt of near Plainview, were Sunday visitors at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Louis and Mrs. H. C. Schultz, of Fayetteville.

C. J. Shedd of Shedd, boarded the Sunday morning electric for Salem.

Mr. Grant Brattain of Peoria, is sawing in Fayetteville this week.

Mrs. E. E. Gordon took the electric for Albany on Monday morning.

Louis Schultz had business calling him to Albany last Saturday.

Those who boarded the electric for Albany last week were Miss Ida Abraham, Kenneth McCune, Willard Brown, Grant Brattain, Edd Nitzel, Henry Abraham, J. C. Brown, Miss Meta Brown, R. R. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. E. Abraham, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Davis, E. G. Pugh, Bill Githens, W. L. Grove, E. E. Gordon, Chas. Barton, Nick Mumloff, C. W. Crews, Miss Eva Stokes, W. B. Achilles, Renny Brown, Lizzie Barton, Mrs. J. A. Stewart, Miss Gerline Hamilton, C. J. Lawson, Albert Abraham, Mrs. I. M. Saxton, Mrs. L. R. Morgan, Mrs. E. E. Gordon.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Warranty Deeds.

M. C. Leady and wife to Louis Arndt, Feb. 5, 1916. Lands in claim 40, Tp. 14, S. R. 4 west, \$10.

Sarah J. Cornett to Kenneth Robson, Jan. 17, 1916. Lands in block 4, in town of Shedd, \$300.

C. A. Mann and wife to Frank E. Hilton, Feb. 1, 1916. Lands in Sec. 36, and 20, Tp. 9 S. E. and 10, 2 E, \$10.

George M. Frost et al to Arthur W. Arbuckle et al, Sep. 24, 1915. Lands in Sec. 8, Tp. 10, S. R. 1 E. 120 acres, \$10.

H. A. Nelson and wife to David P. Mason, Feb. 11, 1916. Lands in block 10 in Hackleman's 2nd add. to Albany, \$10.

S. C. Stewart et al to H. K. Arnold, Feb. 8, 1916. Lands in Tp. 12, S. R. 2 west, \$10.

H. K. Arnold and wife to S. C. Stewart and F. W. Seeck, Feb. 10, 1916. Lands in claim 77, Tp. 12, S. R. 2 west, \$10.

Quit-Claim Deeds.

T. C. Isom and wife to Ross P. Dougherty, Feb. 11, 1916. Lands in claim 41, Tp. 14, S. R. 3 west, \$1.

Ross P. Dougherty and wife to T. C. Isom, Feb. 11, 1916. Lands in claim 38, Tp. 14, S. R. 2 west, \$1.