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NEWS

CITY NEWS.

Marion county is in receipt of a check today from Polk county for the sum of \$850. It is payment of one half of the price of the new ferry boat to be put in operation at Independence and East Independence. The builder of the boat is the Portland Marine Ways and Boat company.

Valentine M. Coss was granted a divorce today by Judge Bingham from E. A. M. Coss. They were married May 11, 1918. One of the reasons for which a divorce was asked was that the husband permitted his mother to live with them and that he made no effort to provide for a suitable and separate home for himself and wife.

The estate of William A. Reynolds, deceased, the lumber man of Silverton, has been appraised at \$59,361.40. Of this amount, \$49,000 is in shares of the Silverton Lumber company.

Dr. G. F. Holt's topics at the First Baptist church will be morning, The Necessity and Value of Spiritual Appetite, Evening, What Is Your Measuring Rod, Morning service 11 o'clock, evening service 8 o'clock. Sunday school 10:30 a. m. Young Peoples meeting 7 p. m. Thursday evening prayer and conference meeting 8 o'clock. Everyone invited.

Every few days inquiries are made at the police station as to who has the right of way when automobiles meet at cross corners. The state law and the recently passed city ordinance provide that the car in the right has the right of way. That is, if the driver of a car sees another car approaching from the right, that car has the right of way.

A sudden call came to the police station late yesterday afternoon that some one had fallen into the creek near Summer and Duane streets and that said person was drowning. Two officers from the police station made a rush for the locality. They found an Air-dale pup floundering around in the water, about all in. Said pup was duly rescued.

Reports come in from all parts of the county that a number of prune driers are being erected this summer. In Salem, there is the large Fred Kurtz drier on North Commercial street, which is to be modern in every respect. There is also being erected on the Pringle road a drier and just south of Liberty two driers are in the course of building.

A thief broke into the public library Thursday night. No report was made to the police until Friday after-

noon at 4 o'clock. When the officers made the inspection, all that was found was the remains of a cigarette and indications that the thief had attempted burglary operating with a screw driver. The drawer in one of the desks was pried open, but the safe in the office was a little too much for the amateur burglar. The police suggest that reports of burglaries should be made as soon as discovered and not wait a day or so.

Those who saw the "Unpardonable Sin" at the Liberty theater, will remember a freckle faced boy from Topeka who happened to be stranded in Belgium. This same boy plays a leading part with Mary Pickford in "Daddy Long Legs." To be shown at the Liberty three days, beginning Sunday. Hence it has been said by those who saw the picture in Portland that in this case Mary is not the whole show and that she divides honors with the freckle faced boy.

E. L. Stiff & Son laid in a supply of 12 quart zinc buckets, zinc tubs and a lot of cans and saucers when the government recently sold what it had over lying with the spare division in the northwest. The shipment was received just a few days ago and this is the way it figured up: zinc buckets \$298, galvanized tubs 1132, and regulation cans and saucers 7922.

Former Judge William Galloway is now carrying around a broken wrist. A few days ago, just before coming to town to deliver some cherries, in cranking up his car, it back fired, the crank striking the judge's wrist with sufficient force to break it.

A building permit has been issued to Edward Duggan of 735 Bellevue street for the erection of a building to cost about \$1500. The work will be done by day labor.

Charles Swann and wife are in the city looking over the west with the intention of locating somewhere. So far, Mr. Swann says he has not found any country that looks so fair as Salem and vicinity. They are from Winthrop, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jenks returned recently from a visit of several weeks with relatives at Waterville, Washington. They covered the entire distance by automobile, traveling over 1100 miles altogether, and came through without even a minor mishap, although part of their journey was over a rocky mountain road. Mr. Jenks comments upon the fine rock bottom roads in Washington—the one respect in which the state is in advance of Oregon. During their stay there, made a trip to Lake Chelan, passing through some of the most magnificent mountain scenery they had ever seen. They were not especially impressed with the country generally, as the agricultural and wheat regions appeared parched and

brown, and there is prospect of a third partial failure of grain crops on account of dry weather. In the irrigated districts, however, there was a good prospect for the orchard crops, the Wenatchee valley orchardists counting on 80 per cent of a crop. Driving through Camp Lewis they met up with a troop train just arriving, bringing in a contingent of Oregon boys, one of whom came from the vicinity of Salem and hailed the Jenks car as he caught sight of the Salem pennant.

As matters now stand in the telephone situation, all employees of the company have until 8 o'clock Monday morning to decide whether they want to go back to work. This includes telephone girls as well as electricians. According to the wire reports today, a compromise has been reached by which the girls wanting to work will be placed on a basis of \$12 a week for beginners with a maximum of \$19 a week for those who stay with the company five years. The wages fixed for electricians is \$6 a day. The retroactive pay proposition has been referred to the wire central control board at Washington, D. C.

The soldiers, sailors and marines who live in Salem and who have their card from the Commercial club will be given a dance next Wednesday evening at the armory. As there are about 350 of the boys living in Salem, it was that best to make it an invitational affair. Hence those who receive invitations are to come. The dance is being given under the auspices of the war camp community service. It is probable that some sort of a plan will be worked out for the invitation of the girls who are to attend. The girls who are invited will probably be permitted to bring along a chaperone but in order that all may have an opportunity to dance, it is understood a large floor committee has been appointed. Several prominent women of the city have consented to serve as patronesses and the dance in every respect is to be a real affair.

Lieutenant Cook made several flights in the "Jenny" plane of Lieutenant Browne and found the going good, although he had been accustomed to flying in faster planes such as the spud. There is another aviator in the city and between the two, there is finally the assurance that there will be commercial flying, scheduled to begin July 2, but which did not materialize on account of Lieutenant Browne's plane meeting with a mishap.

The divorce case of Lou M. Cresson against Will Cresson, both parties from the extreme northern part of the county, occupied the time of the circuit court until late this afternoon. Mr. Cresson didn't want a divorce but Mrs. Cresson did. The court took the case under advisement after all testimony had been offered.

Henry W. Meyers Home
From California Trip

Henry W. Meyers is home from a three weeks' tour in California for pleasure and business and he brings with him the sad news of higher and higher prices. In fact he says the sky is the limit just at present in all lines of silks, cotton and woolen goods.

"It is not the question of having the money in hand to pay for goods," Mr. Meyers declared. "It is in just the question of being able to find them. Goods are really scarce and this applies to all lines."

As a sample of what the market is doing, he refers to the present price of raw silk which is \$11.00 a pound compared to that before the war of \$2.25 a pound. Then the abnormal conditions are due, he said, to the great demand for merchandise from abroad. Foreign buyers are in the market and they are not only offering spot cash for heavy shipments, but in some instances are offering a bonus.

"This winter we may expect the highest prices for all lines of merchandise ever known to the present generation, and I can see no relief from these conditions until affairs become normal abroad," observed Mr. Meyers. "America is being called upon to supply the world and this naturally causes a great shortage in the domestic market. It means higher prices for us all."

Yesterday morning Mr. and Mrs. Meyers left Medford in their car at 7:30 o'clock arriving in Salem last evening at midnight. They passed thru Redding when the thermometer was registering 112 Wednesday evening.

E. J. ARNOLD, AMUSEMENT MAN
PASSES AWAY IN MARSHFIELD

E. J. Arnold, well-known amusement man of Portland, who has operated Merry-go-rounds and other entertainment features at all kinds of fairs and celebrations throughout the northwest for the past 20 years, died very suddenly at Marshfield Wednesday night, according to word received in Eugene. Mr. Arnold has made his headquarters here for the past several months. He was 50 years old when he died and had no family.

Mr. Arnold's last amusement engagement in town here was on the Fourth of July. He shipped his merry-go-round to Marshfield intending to remain there for several weeks. He left Eugene on Tuesday morning and began to feel ill shortly after arriving in Marshfield Wednesday night. He went to bed early and passed away during the night.—Eugene Guard.

Legal Fight Continues
For Possession Of Child

Lloyd Weeks and Florence Bell Weeks have filed an answer to the habeas corpus proceedings initiated by Martin Sheltzer for the possession of Josephine Matlock, a 11-year-old girl, who has been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Weeks for the past three years.

In the answer to the petition for possession of the girl, Mr. and Mrs. Weeks admit the girl is making her home with them and state that is not by any process of court or any special order of court.

In sustaining their position that Marie A. Sheltzer, the mother of Josephine Matlock, is not a fit person to make a home for the child, the answer alleges that the mother has contracted several marriages, always followed by divorce proceedings and that on October 8, 1909, an agreement was made between the mother and Mrs. Corn Bell Matlock, whereby Mrs. Matlock was to adopt the little girl.

That Corn Bell Matlock died October 13, 1916, and as the little girl then had no one to care for her, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Weeks took her into their home as a member of the family and that she is now living with them as a member of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Weeks also state that they applied to Judge Jacob Kasper of Portland, judge of the court of domestic relations for Multnomah county asking for the legal adoption of Josephine, but they learned later that the Multnomah court had no jurisdiction.

That having given the girl a home and having become much attached to her, and having the financial ability to give her the best of care and an education, Mr. and Mrs. Weeks ask the court for a dismissal of the habeas corpus proceedings, and that they be permitted to adopt the girl.

FAIR WEATHER AND
NORMAL TEMPERATURES
Washington, July 19.—Week-ly weather forecast:
Pacific coast states: Generally fair weather and normal temperatures.

STATE HOUSE
State Forester Elliott has received an invitation from the West Coast Lumbermen's association to attend a conference of leading lumbermen and forestry officials to be held in Portland next Monday, when they will meet with Chief Forester Graves of Washington, D. C. Among other matters to be discussed will be reforestation and regulation of lumbering operations.

Division Manager Earl Kilpatrick of Seattle has notified the secretary of state that he is issuing a bulletin to all chapters of the Red Cross society, calling attention to the needs of families made homeless and destitute thru forest fires.

Among the more important companies filing articles in the corporation department during the past week are the following: Lanthorn Construction Co., Portland, \$15,000; Western Construction Co., Portland, \$10,000; Sherwood Manufacturing Co., Portland, \$10,000; Liberty Laundry Co., Portland, \$10,000; Waterton Lumber Co., Portland, \$50,000; International Lumber Co., Portland, \$50,000; Lally Electric company, Portland, \$15,000.

Miss Cornelia Marvin of the state library, has received orders from all the school districts of Oregon for their allotment of school library books as provided by statute, which allows the purchase of books in the amount of ten cents for each child of school age. There will be required from 30,000 to 40,000 to fill the demand, though the number is greatly curtailed on account of the advanced price of all books.

At the recent meeting of the American Library association in the east, Miss Cornelia Marvin was made second vice president, the only office placed in Oregon. The presidency goes to Denver, while the office of first vice president goes to Canada.

Court House Notes
The Security State Bank of Woodburn has been granted a decree and judgment for \$140 in its suit against Frank Arndt and others and also given a foreclosure on the land involved in the suit.

John Bayne has been appointed guardian ad litem for Conrad Krebs Jr., and also for S. Brattwhite in the suit brought against them with others by the Alliance Trust company.

Homer Edwards has brought suit against Mary Ide and about 20 others to quiet title to the south half of lot 7, Capital City Fruit farms. He alleges he has been in undisputed possession of the property for the past ten years.

PRESIDENT SIGNS BILL
Washington, July 19.—President Wilson today signed the new sundry civil appropriation bill.

The original bill was vetoed because it did not carry funds for vocational rehabilitation work among wounded service men.

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In the United States there were 372,000 officers and men in Siberia, 8500; in insular possessions 25,000; at sea en route to France 500 and at sea en route to the United States 91,000.

Since the armistice 2,948,804 officers and men have been discharged. In the same time, 1,717,108 officers and men have been returned from overseas. There have been 81,742 enlistments in the regular army since the re-enlisting campaign began this spring.

The Hague, July 19.—It is reported here that the former German crown princess is expected to arrive at Wieringen from Germany shortly to visit her husband.

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Fair to good steers \$8.50¢/9.50
Common to fair steers \$7¢/7.50
Choice to good cows and heifers \$7.50¢/8.50
Medium to good cows and heifers \$6¢/6.50
Canners \$5¢/6¢
Butts \$4¢/7¢
Calves \$9¢/15¢

Hogs
Receipts 188
Tone of market steady
Prime mixed \$22¢/22.25
Medium mixed \$21.25¢/21.50
Rough heavies \$19.75¢/20
Pigs \$19.25¢/20.25
Bulk \$22¢

Sheep
Receipts 233
Tone of market steady
Prime lambs \$12¢/13¢
Fair to medium lambs \$9¢/12¢
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UNITED ARTISANS—Capital Assembly No. 43 meets first Thursday of each month at 8 p. m. in Masonic Temple, Glenn G. Niles, M. A., C. A. Vibbert, secretary, 340 Owens street.

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