

What the World Is Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE

Sets May Hear London Stations

It would be a great surprise to many radio listeners to receive London stations on their crystal sets. However, this and other dreams of imaginative radio fans may soon be realized. The new transmitting apparatus invented by Guglielmo Marconi, the radio engineer whose inventions made radio communication practicable, is perfected. This great piece of construction work in the radio field, which is based on extensive experiments conducted by the inventor and his colleagues, Mr. C. S. Franklin, promises to revolutionize completely the present methods of long-distance transmission. The gist of the new invention, according to Mr. Marconi's announcement at a recent meeting in London, over which he presided, is that the radio waves are concentrated in the form of beams and can be projected in any desired direction. In this way all the power can be put in one direction, thus intensifying the strength of the signals considerably over unheard-of distances, and the electrical energy required for such directional transmission is much less than the amount otherwise used. Marconi also stated that in his recent experiments with a new method he communicated with a Viceroy, on one of the Cape Verde Islands, located approximately 2,400 miles from England, with much less power than otherwise used to span this distance, and receiving the signals much more clearly, and that he was led to believe that where of crystal sets in America would be able to receive London broadcasting stations. The new method may also be used to guide ships through fog.



Ties Baby Buggy on Cane to Replace Pushcart

Fitted on the end of a walking stick, a small baby carriage has been invented by a father who got tired of using the ordinary pushcart. When not in use, the carriage folds up flat so that it can be carried readily. It runs on two wheels, the frame being stretched over a collapsible frame.

Bird Songs Like Human Talk According to Naturalist

Study of the sounds made by birds is urged by a scientist who declares their utterances resemble human talk. He said that these songs or one-syllable calls, have inflections of pitch and emphasis closely resembling the same phenomena in the speaking voice and that at times the whistles, chirps or twitters, resemble human words. The building up of a dictionary of bird sounds with reference to their pitch, intensity, speed, form, expression and timbre was urged.

Serum to Dissolve Cancer Tested by Doctors

After ten years of study and experiments, two Vienna physicians have announced that they have found a serum

stance which dissolves cancer cells. In healthy persons they found that the blood serum is able to carry away the growths. The vital fluid of the victims of the disease, however, lacks this power. After many tests, a culture was made that is said to dissolve the malignant cells. It is declared to be an organic acid, the formula of which is carbon, 42; hydrogen, 79; oxygen, 7.

Discouraging Broody Hens

Hens may be completely discouraged from wanting to set by placing them in sacks and hanging these on the clothesline, as shown in the drawing. This method usually effects a cure in about three days, and even the most stubborn hens will yield in four days. The sacks should be as thin as possible to allow free circulation of air. Common burlap sacks, loosely woven, are excellent for this purpose. A New Hampshire farmer who used this method instructed his children and the hired help to give the sacks a swing every time they passed under the



line to make it still more uncomfortable for the hens.

When a considerable portion of the bark around a wounded tree is knocked off the tree is very apt to die. This can usually be prevented, however, by dressing the wound, that is, by cutting down the ragged edges and giving the exposed portion a liberal application of melted

KU KLUX VOTE BIG

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
INDIANAPOLIS, May 7.—Ku Klux Klan voting strength in Indiana republican ranks continued to assert itself as belated returns on yesterday's primary maintained Ed Jackson's majority for the republican nomination for governor. With two-thirds of the state's vote tabulated Jackson, who was supported by the Ku Klux Klan, held a majority of 10,567 over the combined total of his five opponents. These figures included only returns from sixty of 295 precincts in Marion county, Jackson's home county.

The president was holding his 6 to 1 ratio over Senator Hiram W. Johnson.

WANT FINAL DECISION

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
WASHINGTON, May 7.—Party leaders here moved today for the final decision on the income tax rates in the revenue bill as the senate, meeting an hour earlier than usual, took up the corporation and estate taxes in a drive to wind up consideration of the measure.

The showdown on the income schedule will come when the bill as a whole comes to a vote, and those in charge of the measure sought today to get final action tomorrow or Friday.

Republicans are continuing their conference, were determined to replace the Simmons income tax rates put into the bill by a democratic-republican insurgent coalition with a compromise schedule. Negotiations centered on the insurgents and additional aid was expected from members who were absent at the time the Simmons schedule was adopted and from some democrats on a compromise varying the house rates with a maximum surtax of 57 1/2 per cent.

IRRIGATION MAY BE ON A NEW BASIS

SALEM, May 7.—As a result of an investigation into reclamation in Oregon that was launched May 1 by a special commission appointed by the governor for the purpose under authority of the legislature of 1923, irrigation may be placed on an entirely new basis by the next legislature. At least the commission will so recommend if its findings justify such action.

The commission is composed of Harold Baldwin, of Prineville, W. B. Dodson, of Portland and Jefferson Myers, who has since become state treasurer.

This is the same commission that was appointed to act in an advisory capacity with the state irrigation and drainage securities commission.

The special commission has appointed M. P. McCroskey of Portland to do the actual work of investigation at a salary of \$150 a month. It is believed five or six months will be required for the work. McCroskey's employment dates from May 1 and he is now stationed at the office of state Engineer Luper who will collaborate with him to avoid duplication in the operations of the special commission and the state engineering department.

On the findings of the commission Mr. Myers said today, will depend whether the state will continue its policy of guaranteeing interest on irrigation district bonds. Some of the things that will be taken into consideration in the inquiry and recommendations will be the length of growing season, financial burden of projects as compared with financial ability of settlers and productivity of soil.



THEATRES

Liberty Theatre

One of the most atmospheric scenes in a picture which is filled with atmosphere is in the "seance scene" of Betty Blythe's latest, starring vehicle, "Sinner or Saint," which comes to the Liberty theatre today and tomorrow.

In this picture, Miss Blythe plays the role of a fortune-teller and medium, and the plot hinges on her being unmasked as a beautiful and clever fraud. But before this exposure, the mysterious raps, create a mood of mystery which emanates from the screen and strikes the beholder.

Of course, the "clients" in the room don't know that there is a switchboard hidden in the house, marked "green lights," "red lights," "two raps," etc., and which is responsible for the "psychic phenomena" they are beholding. They are convinced of the truth of their eyes and ears—until the "white lights" are suddenly turned on and reveal the impostor.

Majestic Theatre

Are American film audiences hungry for powerful stories in their screen entertainment? The Palmer Photoplay corporation thinks that they are, hence "Judgment of the Storm," the offering at the Majestic theatre tonight and Thursday. Splendid technical presentation and a cast of stars of a calibre seldom assembled in a single picture are—wonder of

STOMACH TROUBLE CONE SAYS MRS. MINNIE BOLTE

"For Years I Suffered and Tried All Sorts of Medicine—None Helped Me Until I Took Tanlac."

"For years and years," recently said Mrs. Minnie Bolte, 125 Gates St., San Francisco, Calif., "my stomach was in such a bad fix that everything I would eat hurt me. I not only suffered from gas bloating and pain, but often became so nauseated that I could not retain a morsel of food. I had no appetite and would get so weak from indigestion and lack of nourishment that I could hardly stand

up. Finally I had to give up work entirely and while I tried all kinds of medicines, nothing helped me until I ran across Tanlac. "Tanlac just seemed to soothe and settle my sick stomach from the very first. So a few bottles of Tanlac corrected my troubles and brought back my strength, and from that day to this, several years now, I have enjoyed good health, I feel it my duty to tell others about Tanlac. "Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 40 million bottles sold.

Tanlac Vegetable Pills, for constipation, made and recommended by the manufacturers of Tanlac.

LOCAL NEWS

Planet Jr. seeders at Wharton Bros.

Miss Laura Pinkston of Oakland spent the morning in this city shopping and visiting with friends.

Garden hose, lawn sprinklers and lawn mowers at Wharton Bros.

C. E. Moyer who resides in Dillard was in Roseburg for a few hours yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Pinkston was in Roseburg today for a short time shopping. Mrs. Pinkston is from Oakland.

Frank Wilson of Myrtle Creek was in the city today for a short time transacting business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cornutt of Riddle were in the city for several hours today shopping and attending to other affairs.

Mrs. J. D. Cornutt who is a resident of Riddle spent several hours in the city this morning shopping and visiting with friends.

Mrs. J. F. Hogan was in the city for a short time this afternoon shopping and visiting with friends. Mrs. Hogan is from Oakland.

Mrs. Elsie Williams who resides in Canyonville was in the city for some time this afternoon visiting and attending to other affairs.

Here For Short Time—George Spicer who resides in Camas Valley is spending a few days in the city transacting business matters.

At the Grand—M. C. Gray who is a business man of Medford arrived in Roseburg last night to spend a few days here attending to business matters.

Returns to Portland—Mrs. Howard Bailey who has been spending the past few days in this city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bailey returned to her home in Portland this afternoon.

Mr. Hermann—H. E. Hermann who has been spending the past several days in this city visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. S. W. Starmer, returned to his home in Portland today.

Mrs. Palmer Leaves—Mrs. E. B. Palmer left this afternoon for Portland where she will spend the rest of the week visiting with friends and relatives. She expects to return Sunday evening.

State Official Here—C. H. Gram of Salem, head of the State Accident Commission, arrived in the city last evening to spend a few days here looking after business. Mr. Gram is registered at the Hotel Umpqua.

Guests of Mr. Ross—Mrs. S. Laidoh and daughter, Miss Lorraine, were the guests of A. C. Ross of the Hotel Grand last evening. They are on their way to their home in Glendive, Montana, after enjoying the winter in California.

Goes To Portland—Miss Myrtle Wilson left this afternoon for Portland where she will spend the rest of the week visiting with Mrs. Earl Wakefield. Miss Wilson expects to return the first of the week.

Return From Portland—Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Orcutt and nephew, Albert Ryan, who have been spending the past several days in Portland and Eugene returned to their home in this city last evening. While in Eugene they visited with their daughter, Dorothy, who is attending the University of Oregon.

Buy Lots in Laurelwood—Two names have been added to the names of recent purchasers of Laurelwood building sites. R. Leslie Butler purchased a beautiful lot on Riverside drive, and Mrs. Carrie E. Butler purchased a well located lot at the corner of Chapman Street and Madison Avenue.

Spencer Hinsdale Here—G. Spencer Hinsdale of Gardiner, was in the city today attending to business matters. Mr. Hinsdale was a member of a delegation from the Gardiner vicinity which appeared before the county court today in the interest of the Mill Creek Bridge and lower Umpqua road matters.

To Visit Here—Mrs. L. T. Howard arrived in Roseburg this afternoon from Sacramento, California, where she has been spending the past week visiting with friends, to spend the next few days here visiting with Mrs. Ida Dytzinger before returning to her home in Eugene.

FACULTY OVER-SUBSCRIBE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
PORTLAND, May 7.—With a goal of \$50,000 the faculty of the University of Oregon actually subscribed \$56,000. It was announced today by officials of the University's \$5,000,000 gift campaign. This is the second phase of the gift campaign which has been oversubscribed. The students last week set out to raise \$200,000 to build a student union and actually subscribed \$219,000.

COUNTY COURT MEETS IN REGULAR SESSION

The county court met today in regular monthly session. The greater part of the day was spent in auditing the usual county bills and attending to routine matters. A few minor road matters were brought before the court and one delegation from Gardiner appeared. The court assured the delegation that it is the intention of the county to complete the lower Umpqua road as soon as is possible with the money available, and will build the Mill Creek bridge this year if it can possibly be done.

A little Gromore fertilizer around

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Harry P. Marks

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR

County Commissioner

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Special Dinners and Parties on Short Notice.

Yours for Real Service,

W. R. WARNER, Mgr.

EXCLUSION DEPT. FORMED BY JAPS

(Continued from page one.)

carried to the floor of the senate and house when the bill comes up for final action. President Coolidge informed congressional leaders today that he regarded the date set as entirely too soon to permit of the diplomatic arrangement he wants to make with Japan and steps were taken immediately afterward to line up those who sympathize with his view to oppose acceptance of the conference report.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The President favors March 1, 1926 as the effective date of the exclusion provision and he is hopeful that at least a delay of a few months beyond the date fixed by the conference final will be agreed to by congress.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

TOKIO, May 7.—Reports that the cabinet will resign shortly were receiving increasing attention and space in vernacular newspapers here. Two reasons are assigned, first the diplomatic failure regarding the United States immigration ban, and second, the improbability of government supporters obtaining a majority in the general election next Saturday.

While these reports are denied in official quarters it is admitted that the position of premier Kiyoura has been made more difficult by American developments and his troubles will be greatly increased if the new house report contains a hostile majority.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—Nichel, a Japanese newspaper published here, asserted today that six thousand Japanese are waiting in Japan for transportation to San Francisco. They include, according to the article, relatives who have been sent for by resident Japanese of California under the terms of the gentlemen's agreement and brides.

These brides and the relatives can not enter the United States after July 1 if the exclusion feature of the immigration act takes effect on that date.

The newspaper gives the names of

13 ships arriving from Japan before the date named and declares they can not accommodate the number desiring to come. It says 2,000 Japanese bachelors left San Francisco for Japan during February, March, and April to obtain brides.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, May 7.—As put into definite form and read to the senate by Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee, the president's postponement proposal makes two changes in the language of the section barring from admission those aliens who are ineligible to citizenship, the exclusion section.

After changing the effective date to March 1, 1926, the suggested drafts adds this proviso to the section:

"Provided however, that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to the nationals of those countries with which the United States, after the enactment of this act, shall have entered into treaties, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, for the restriction of immigration."

The proposal was read by Senator McKellar when he interrupted a speech by Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, in which the latter charged that President Coolidge was "playing politics."

On the eve of yesterday's republican primary in California Senator Norris said it had been given out that the president favored the exclusion provision, but now "if the president has his way there will probably be a provision in the bill which at least many people honestly think will mean non-exclusion."

Senator McKellar said the president's draft of the section had been handed to him by a member of the conference committee who asked "me to sound out the opinion on the democratic side of the chamber." As the language added was entirely new, the Tennessee senator said, and unlike anything in the bill as passed by either senate or house, it can only be put into the bill by suspension of the rules.

TOKIO, May 7.—There is practically no hope left among Japanese for a satisfactory solution of the immigration question between this country and the United States according to the foreigners here who have

talked with Japanese officials and influential persons. None of the various reported compromises which the press dispatches credit President Coolidge as considering, will have a marked effect on Japanese opinion. The general Japanese sentiment is that the fact of exclusion and inference of Japanese inferiority is too apparent to be covered by any possible compromise.

Ambassador Woods called upon Foreign Minister Matsui today and discussed the situation arising from the agreement of the American senate and house conference on the question.

Mag-o-tite and dusting powder to control aphids, cut worms, root maggots, etc., at Wharton Bros.

FINE PROGRAM AT GREEK SCHOOL

A fine program was given at the Greek school last night, the occasion being the try-out in the declamation contest. The pupils of the school have been working to make the teams which will compete in the district meet on Saturday and in the county meet to be held during the strawberry carnival. The section one and two boys and girls competed. In section one the winners for the boys were Earle Oakley first with "A Bessie's Sin," by Edmund Vance Cooke; John Schearer second with "A Thru Rest," and Reginald Erskine third, with "The Night Wind," by Field. For the section one girls Betty Agoe was first, with "Pillar of Fire," by Ellsworth; Mary McKay second, with "On the Judgment Day," by Cooke, and Axine Erskine third, with "My Shadow," by Stevenson.

For the section two boys there was one contestant, Edgar Howard, who spoke, "A Address to the Lincoln's Gettysburg Address."

For the section two girls Lois Chapin won first with Roosevelt's great speech, "American Responsibilities," Neva Agee and Elizabeth Renner tied for second, the former using "The American Flag," by Beecher, and the latter, "The Vengeance of the Flag," by Esterbrook. Ione Erskine took third with, "The Flag Goes By," by Bennett.

Interspersed with the recitations were a number of other features. Wilma Howard gave an instrumental solo, Billie Black sang a vocal number, and Earle and Virginia Oakley presented a charming vocal duet.

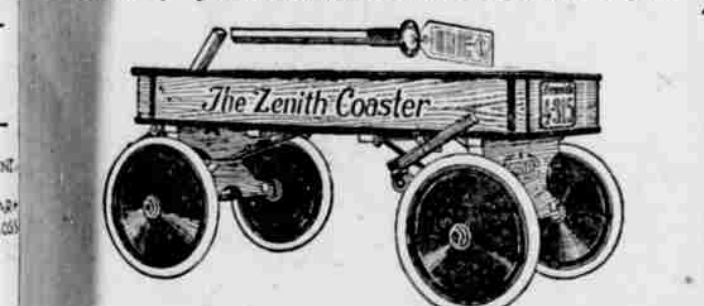
The program closed with the school song, "It's a Long, Long Way to Education," an address by County School Superintendent O. C. Brown; the report of the judges, and the yells and songs of the boys of the poultry club. The judges were Mr. Bosard, Mrs. Walter Fisher, and Mrs. Edith Falbe. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goff were highly praised for the way they have linked their school up with the community activity and for the great efficiency shown in the conduct of the school.

GARAGE IS ENTERED.

Dale Cowan's garage at Yoncalla was entered last night by unknown parties and a number of articles, such as tubes, tires, lamps, etc., stolen. The parties who entered the garage stole a lantern from Cowan's auto camp grounds a short time before and left the lantern in the garage after they had entered through a window. Deputy Sheriff C. H. Baugherty was notified and the sheriff's office is endeavoring to trace the thieves.

GUESS BOYS!

How many operations does it take to make this wagon?



The boy guessing the nearest, will get this wagon free. Bring your dad to help you.

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