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## INVITE LOCAL STUDENTS TO WRITE PAPERS

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene (Special)—La Grande High school, and high schools through the state are expected to participate in the competition for the best paper on the Paris Pact, a project under the auspices of the National Student Forum, it is announced here by President Arnold Bennett Hall, who is head of the committee for Oregon. A committee of 12 educational leaders of the state to serve with him has been selected by Dr. Hall to assist with the contest.

E. R. Towler, of La Grande, has been named on the committee, which has other members as follows: Charles A. Rice, superintendent of schools of Portland; Hopkins Jenkins, principal of Jefferson high school; George A. Rice, Ashland; G. E. Flaherty, Albany; G. W. Agee, Bend; H. W. Adams, Corvallis; Mrs. Martha E. Mulkey, Coquille; H. H. Gould, Enterprise; W. N. Evans, Odell; H. W. Kirk, Oregon City; John Francis Cramer, Grants Pass; Paul Z. Jackson, Klamath Falls; J. L. Turnbull, Ontario; R. R. Turner, Dallas; Austin Landreth, Pendleton; John C. Johnson, Prineville; C. W. Boettcher, The Dalles and Frank B. Bennett, Tillamook.

Awards for papers dealing with the Part of Paris will include one fee the best in each high school, the best in the state, and for the grand prize a vacation trip to Europe.

The purpose of the contest is to encourage independent, thoughtful discussion of all aspects of the pact, and this is declared to be the aim of the student forum. No attempt is made to influence students for or against the international project.

"Those who take seriously the duties and obligations of democracy could not help but feel the importance of training our young people in the attitude of mind and habit of thought towards the problems which as voters they will surely assist to face and solve," said Dr. Hall.

Papers should be in by March 15, and the state award will be announced April 15. The national award of the trip to Europe will be announced May 1, 1930.

### PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—Eggs: cost lower; prices to retailers: fresh extras 24c; standards, 23c; fresh, medium, 24c. Prices to wholesalers 2c under price to retailers.

Butter, milk (butterfat), poultry, country meats, onions, potatoes, wool, nuts, hay, cascara bark and hops steady and unchanged.

### SUGAR AND FLOUR

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—Cane sugar (Golden basis)—Steady; cane fruit or jerry $5.12 per cwt. Beet sugar $5.05 cwt.

Flour, steady; family patents, 49s $7.40; white wheat, 49s $6.10; graham, 49s $5.40; bakers' hard wheat, 98s $6.30; bakers' bluestem patents, 49s, $7.00; pastry flour, 49s, $4.90.

### NO EASTERN MARKETS

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—No eastern markets today, holiday.

Long whiskers are becoming stylish again, according to dispatches from London. Well, they won't set our shipping court in a confusion, anyway.

ASSIGNMENT SALE

Follow the thrifty shoppers to this super saving event where you can buy the highest quality merchandise at lowest prices in town.

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## MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mar. | 1.10@¼ | 1.10⅞ | 1.09¾ | 1.10 |
| May | 1.14⅝@1.15 | 1.15⅝ | 1.13⅝ | 1.14½@⅝ |
| July | 1.17@¼ | 1.17½ | 1.15⅝ | 1.16¾@¼ |
| Sept. | 1.18½@¾ | 1.19⅝ | 1.17⅝ | 1.18½@¾ |

PORTLAND WHEAT

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mar. | 1.10 | 1.10 | 1.10 | 1.10 |
| May | 1.11 | 1.12 | 1.10½ | 1.10½ |
| July | 1.12 | 1.13 | 1.12½ | 1.12½ |
| Sept. | 1.12 | 1.13 | 1.12½ | 1.12½ |

## Egg Prices Go Lower Today In All Of Grades

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—Egg prices resumed their downward march today with declines of 1c in all grades. Extras dropped to 24c, standards to 23c, and fresh mediums to 24c.

Butter prices were unchanged, but nervous.

Quotations on Tillamook cheese triplets have been reduced 2c to 21c and loafs 2c to 24c, according to the Tillamook County Creamery association.

Reviewing the fruit and vegetable situation, the Portland bureau of the United States department of agriculture says:

"Trading was moderate in volume, but accumulation of supplies at the wholesale market was heavier, consequently some commodities showed a slightly weaker undertone. Cauliflower and lettuce were both a shade lower, especially on fair quality. Cabbage in scarce at southern shipping districts, and good stock is selling to retailers as high as $1.60 per cwt.

"The potato market at Yakima valley points is recovering somewhat from its excitement of the last few days. Shipping point prices were apparently a bit higher than Pacific coast terminal markets justified, and the active buying of a few days ago is now on the decline.

"Asparagus prices increased today, to 25c per lb."

### PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP)—Receipts: hogs 200 all direct or on contract. Week's totals approximately: hogs 2915, cattle 1375, calves 125, sheep 1325.

Hogs: compared week ago, 25c to 35c higher. Part of Monday's 25 cent advance lost Tuesday. Bulk light butchers $11.85 to $12.00, nothing over $11.85 after Monday. Over and under weights $11.75 down, heavies down to $10.50. Rough packing sows $9.25@$9.50, smooth up to $10.00. Bulk slaughter pigs $10.50@$11.25, mostly $10.75@$11.25. Bulk feeders $11.25@$11.50.

Cattle: compared week ago, better grade steers 25c to 35c higher. She-stock steady to 50c, mostly 25c up. Bulls steady, calves and vealers steady to 50c higher. Bulk good steers $11.00@$11.65, topped $12.00 for one head, medium grade largely $10.00@$10.85, rummages down to $7.50. Good heifers almost best load lots $9.50. Good cows numerous at $8.00@$8.50. Bulk desirable she-stock $8.25 up. Low cutters down to $7.50, mostly $4.00 up. Bulls mostly $7.00@$8.00, odd head $8.10. Bulk light vealers $11.00@$12.00, choice quoted $12.50. Calves $10.00 down, off grades down to $6.50.

Sheep: bulk of week's supply bought to arrive. Lambs quoted 50c lower than week ago, other classes steady. Strictly choice grain-fed lambs not now quoted above $16.50, top price $16.25 paid Monday for medium to choice 96 pound weights. Detention shipping mostly from $15.50 down. Medium to choice yearlings quoted $14.50@$15.00. Cull to choice ewes $2.00@$6.50, best here this week $6.00.

## ALL OF NATION PAYING TRIBUTE TO WASHINGTON

(Continued from Page One)

farewell address, Senator Vandenberg, republican, Michigan, was designated by Vice President Curtis to read it.

Convening an hour earlier than usual for its special program for the day, the house cleared the way for nine speeches by members of the George Washington bicentennial commission which is preparing for the 200th anniversary new years hence.

The Washington monument was the scene of the first event of the day in the capital, the program for that hour including the placing of President Hoover's wreath at the base of the towering stone obelisk by the naval aid, Captain Allan Buchanan.

### Graves Decorated

The Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution gathered for exercises in Continental hall, while in Alexandria the graves of fellow Masons of Washington were decorated with flowers. Boy Scouts lined up for their annual pilgrimage to Mount Vernon to place wreaths on Washington's tomb. Patriotic organizations also planned ceremonies in Arlington national cemetery and at the tomb of the unknown soldier.

At the grave of the unknown soldier of the Revolution in an old Alexandria churchyard, ceremonies were arranged by the society of Children of the revolution. Mrs. Eleanor Washington Howard, the great niece of Washington, was in charge.

Services were planned in the capital's churches. General John J. Pershing, the last full ranking general, paid tribute to the nation's first and pointed to Washington national cathedral as "an evidence of what the spirit of Christ means to our civilization."

After a day of observance, the evening is to be filled with the annual balls of several patriotic societies.

## OFFICE CAT

TRADE MARK REG.

By Junius

George Washington! We hear such sons
And grandsons hailing him!
Austere and grand, he saved our land
When hope was weak and dim!

And yet were prone to see alone
His crowning victory;
The trials he had, long years and sad,
We pass by carelessly;

Go, learn his ways, in these dark days,
When he was sore beset
By winter's scourge at Valley Forge;
Where Faith and Famine met!

Such strength as his, in times like this,
Gives us the golden key;
Who can be great in adverse fate
Hath truly nobility!

* * *

A teacher was conducting a lesson in history. "Tommy Jones," she said, "what was there about George Washington which distinguished him from all other famous Americans?"

"He didn't lie," was the prompt answer.

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His mother called him "Will."
But when he went to college
To find 'twas "Bill, Bill, Bill."

* * *

Joe—Say Jack, are you still engaged to that terribly homely Jill girl?

Jack—Well, I should say not.

Joe—Glad for you. To tell the truth, old man, you certainly had my sympathy. She was the most terrible—in fact the ugliest mess I've ever seen anyplace. She was a crime. How in the world did you get out of it?

Jack—Married her.

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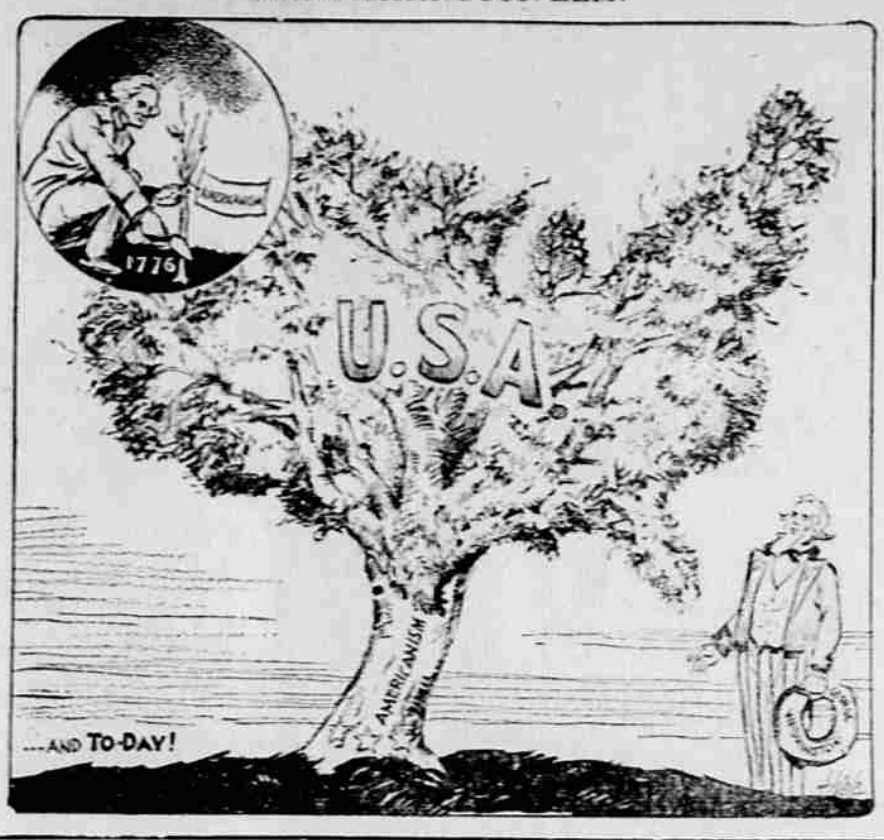


### WEATHER OUTLOOK

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22 (AP)—The weather outlook for the week beginning Feb. 22, was announced here today by the United States weather bureau as follows:

"Far western states—The outlook is for occasional rains in Washington, Oregon and Idaho; probably extending into California and Nevada during the middle or latter part of the week, and for moderate temperatures."

"Papa, what do you call a man who drives a car?"

"It depends on how close he comes to me."

"Where has your car been for the last two weeks?"

"I'm having a day-day paint job done on it."

## Overnight News Briefs

By the Associated Press

### Domestic

New York — Standard of New York and Vacuum Oil agree on merger plan; first step breaking by government of original Standard Oil company.

Washington — Navy gives permission for Graf Zeppelin to use Lakehurst naval base on new flight to United States.

Washington — Senate confirms nominations of four members of federal radio commission; resignation of William D. L. Starbuck held up.

Chicago — Pilot, instructor and student flier burned to death when plane crashes.

Baltimore — Four injured, two critically, in plane crash.

Richmond — Dr. Frank P. Gaines, college, North Carolina, elected president of Washington and Lee university.

Jacksonville, Fla. — Murder charges against two of three men accused of slaying W. F. (Billy) Parker, former officer of the Mexican dieselized by prosecution.

Washington — State department arranges to care for 27 Americans rescued stranded in Cape Verde islands, after ship was ordered for salvage.

New York — Three killed, two missing in collapse of pocket holding 10 tons of coal.

Mexico City — George Tyler Shuler, American consul at San Luis Potosi, reports Mexican government investigating supposed plot to assassinate Hoover.

Paris — Briand to head French naval delegation.

Tokio — Premature returns from Japanese election show Premier Hamaguchi's party maintained lead with 79 seats in lower house of diet.

### Sports

Savannah, Ga. — Horton Smith shoots 66 to take lead at halfway mark in $7,000 open.

Palm Beach, Fla. — Manning Orcutt wins Florida women's golf championship, defeating Virginia Van Wie on 20th green.

Del Monte, Cal. — H. Chandler Egan, Medford, Ore., golfer was Pebble Beach golf tour tourney with a 79 score.

BEFORE the MIKE

### SUNDAY PROGRAMS

The National Broadcasting company program for Sunday follows: 10 to 11, re-broadcast of program from Holland, both speaking and music; 12 to 1, Youth conference; 1 to 2, Dr. S. Parker Gilbmer; 2 to 3, Sunday concert; 3 to 4, Catholic service; 4:30 to 5, Salon orchestra; 5, Moodiers; 5:15 to 6:15, dramatized stories, music; 6:15, concert and soloists; 7:15, champions; 8, male quartet, band, soloist; 8:30, Rialto's guide; 10 to 11, Guy Chamlee.

The Columbia Broadcasting system program for Sunday follows: 4, Our Romantic ancestors; 4:30 to 5, French trio; 5:30, Art Kahn and orchestra; 6, Theater of Air; 7 to 7:30, Poet of organ; 10:30 to 12, dance music.

### Tacoma

KVI (740kc) 4, CBS; 5, concert; 5:14 to 5, short; 5, CBS; 8:30, Treasure Chest; 8:30, CBS; 12 to 1, organ.

### Spokane

KHQ (590kc) 8, musical program; 10, NBC program from Holland; 11, Methodist church; 12, concert; 1, NBC; 2:45, pianist; 4, Episcopal cathedral; 5, NBC.

KGA (447kc) 8, Broadway trio; 7, orchestra; 8, concert band; 9:30, Argonautes; 10, requests.

### Portland

KGW (492kc) 11, church services; 1, NBC; 4, Uncle and Sally; 5:15, studio; 6, NBC; 9:30, concert; 10, little symphony orchestra; 11, organ.

KEX (1190kc) 8, Broadway trio; 7, orchestra; 9, concert; 9, Argonauts; 10, ensemble; 12, dance band; 1, hour singer.

### Salt Lake City

KSL (1130kc) 5, NBC; 7, Presbyterian church; 8:30, Catholic church; 9, L. D. S. church; 5, NBC; 7:30, Utah hour, requests.

### San Francisco

KPRC (476kc) 1:30, CBS; 7:30, concert; 8:30, dance band.

KPO (429kc) 3, NBC; 7:30, concert ensemble; 9, string quartet; 10, news; 10:30 to 11:30, dance orchestra.

### Oakland

KGO (509kc) 2, Gems of Drama; 6:15, candle-light silhouette; 6:45, little symphony; 7:15, NBC; 7:45, Sunday at Seth Parker's; 8:15, The Pilgrims; 8, NBC; 11 to 12, dance band.

KLX (346kc) 6 on, silent night.

### Los Angeles

KHJ (396kc) 4:30, CBS; 7:30, KFRC program; 10, news; 10:15, CBS; 12 to 2, organ.

KNX (1050kc) 6, talk, Dr. Hollister; 6:30, features; 7:45, minor; 8, Presbyterian church; 9 to 10:30, Lubowski trio.

KFI (640kc) 5, NBC; 7:45, organ; 8, NBC; 9:30, violin; 10, dance music.

### Denver

KOA (322kc) 5, NBC; 6:15, Cowboys; 6:45, baritone; 9, NBC.

### MONDAY PROGRAMS

NBC, 7 a. m. Making Movey; 8, Happy Time; 10:30, Women's Magazine; 1 to 2, Vagabonds; 2:30 to 3, School of Air; 3, 1, 15, 8, table music; 4:45, Washington news; 5, Moment Musicale; 6:30, family party; 7, Rochester Civic orchestra; 7:30, Empire Builders; 8, symphonette; 8:30, Amos and Andy; 9:45, Do and the Girls; 7 concert; 10 House of Myths; 10:30 Music Box.

CBS, 4:30, Voices from Thousand; 5 to 5:30, Wickham and Neff; 7:30, Voice of Columbia; 8, KFRC jamboree; 11 to 12, dance music.

### Tacoma

KVI—7 to 8, records; 8 to 8:30, music and CBS; 4:30, CBS; 5:30 to 6, concert; 5:45 to 6 short; 8, CBS; 10, music and humor; 11:30, CBS; 12, organ.

### Portland

KEX—8, orchestra; 9, variety; 9:30, concert; 10:30, dance music; 11:30, news; 11:45 to 1, Midnight matinee.

KGW—7 a. m. NBC; 9, cooking school, news; 10:30, NBC; 11:30, music; 1, NBC; 2:30, studio; 4:45, NBC; 5, Marie Gale; 6 NBC; 10 to 12, dance music, organ recital.

### Denver

KOA—8, orchestra; 9:15, luncheon talk; 9, NBC; 4:45, musical quartet; 9, NBC.

### Spokane

KHQ—7 a. m. NBC; 8, features; 9:30, NBC; 11:30, music and features; 2:30, NBC; 3, sports program; 5, NBC; 11, variety program, bridge lessons; 11, popular music.

KGA—8:30, orchestra; 7, Northwestern; 10, requests.

### Los Angeles

KFI—8:45, stock markets; 9:15, NBC; 10, concert orchestra; 11:30, ballads; 12, news.

KHJ—8:30, popular music; 7 p.

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### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executrix of the estate of Cora Field, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Union County, Oregon, her final account, and that said court has fixed the hour of ten o'clock a. m. on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, 1930, at the court room in the court house at La Grande, Union County, Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of any objections to said final account and for the final settlement and distribution of said estate.

Dated this 1st day of February, 1930.

CLARA SMITH, Executrix of the Estate of Cora Field, Deceased.
COCHRAN & EBERHARD, Attorneys for Executrix.
Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22, Mar. 1

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The dance at Zyber hall Saturday night. It's Washington's birthday. Star Novelty orchestra. Your favorite music. * 2-21-2 t

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