

BASEBALLERS OF POLITICS

PEACE STARTS TROUBLE

Non-Partisan League Called Parasite of Worst Type by Well-Traveled Investigator.

A warning of the necessity for awakening the business men and bankers of Oregon to the dangers of appeals of the non-partisan league to farmers and organized working men was sounded Thursday at the meeting of the Portland chapter of the American Institute of Banking...

HEARING AT BEND OPENS

THE 57 men singers of the Apollo club male chorus, assisted by Miss Florence Macbeth, coloratura soprano of the Chicago Grand Opera company, deserve credit for the satisfactory concert they gave Thursday night in public auditorium to an audience that comfortably filled most of that vast concert hall.

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Organized labor of Portland Thursday refused to adopt the verdict of the labor jury which sat in trial of the I. W. W. slayers at Montessano recently, when the Portland Central Labor council upheld President Nickerson, who refused to put a motion calling for an adoption of the report submitted by Delegate Newman, who was the juror from Portland who sat at the trial.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 2.—(Special.)—The purchase of real property by Japanese in the interests of the American-born child is not only legitimate, but advisable, and the proposal absolutely to prohibit the leasing of agricultural land is unjustifiable, according to a statement issued by the San Francisco Bay federation of churches.

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CONSPIRACY IN RESTRAINT OF TRADE ALLEGED.

Prosecution in Utah Case to Seek to Establish Proof of False Statements.

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Secret Edict Not Issued for Rock Island Railway, Is Assertion.

SENATOR'S FRIENDS BUSY

Plans Being Made for Poindexter Rallies in Oregon.

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Spokane Building Trades Council Expects Early Settlement.

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Music and Verse of Erin Placed on Easter Programme.

FLOOD PROBLEM OUTLINED

League Is Told of Difficulties Along Colorado River.

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David Smith Reports Holdup by Trio Using Auto.

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Men, Women and Children on Ship Reported Perishing.

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New Show Today!

Which Was the Real Woman? Was she laughing, dancing butterfly of wealth and luxury the real she? Or was it the worker, the hard worker of brawn and muscle, who cast aside money and ease for the lot of a common laborer?

REX BEACH Presents

The Cup of Fury by RUPERT HUGHES

Prizma—Topics—Weekly—Topics Don't Miss Our Wonderful Easter Concert Sunday at 12:30 Noon



Alfred C. Schmitt, president of the First National Bank of Albany, has been appointed chairman of the drive in Linn county for funds for the inter-church fund movement.

Lincoln Drive Chairman Named.

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Plumpness Makes Health Thin People Need This. If you are too thin, if you are pale and nervous, if what you eat seems not to strengthen you, if your lips and cheeks are red and your eyes are bloodshot, if you are deficient in red corpuscles and disease can easily overcome you, as you have no reserves of strength or nutriment to uphold you.

TILLAMOOK CHEESE. A better family loaf that is as clean as if made by your own hands in your own kitchen. Ask Your Grocer. Haynes-Foster Baking Co., Portland. Salem Baking Co., Salem.