

TOWN TOPICS

(8th DAY OF 1915.)

AMUSEMENTS

THEATRE—Broadway at Taylor. Christmas 2:15 to 4:15. The World's Greatest Show. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday. ...

Coming Events

Health Board luncheon at Commercial club. March 5. Oregon Civic League luncheon at Multnomah hotel. March 5. ...

Central Library Meeting

Nationalist speaker extends evening Oregon Civic League secured every Thursday evening. ...

Port Information Supplied

Information regarding this port may be obtained from the Portland Chamber of Commerce. ...

Fire and Police

Fire department—Main 7700. A-1273. Police department—Main 7713. A-7151.

Today's Forecast

Portland and vicinity—occasional rain to night and Friday; southerly winds. ...

Weather Conditions

A large high pressure area extends from the northern Rocky Mountains states and Saskatchewan eastward and southward to the Atlantic coast. ...

Observations

Table with columns: STATIONS, At or above, Change in 24 hours, Precipitation, etc. Lists various cities and their weather data.

*Afternoon report on preceding day.

Bears Signs of Hoisting.—Suffering from a terrible hoisting, that had been given, the officers believe, by some Washington county farmer who caught him robbing a hen-roost, George E. Garrett, accused of wholesale chicken thievery in South Portland, was brought to the city jail from Hillsboro by Detective Almy yesterday afternoon. ...

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ing to Crownover's statement, was sentenced to six months in jail for blackmailing on February 1, by Municipal Judge Stevenson.

Few in Jail Await Trial.—On Monday only men were in the county jail awaiting trial by court, according to the statement of Jailer George Huriburt to Circuit Judge Davis. ...

Wants Separate Maintenance.—No divorce, but only will meet tomorrow asked by Mary A. Powell in a suit filed yesterday against S. D. Powell. ...

Mrs. Matlock Files Answer.—Answering the suit of Attorney W. H. Wilson for \$1500, Mrs. Matlock filed her answer for herself and a like fee for Attorney Charles A. Hardy of Eugene. ...

Electric Sparks at Luncheon.—Electric sparks will surcharge the air at the Benson hotel's crystal room tomorrow noon when the jovial league will take luncheon. ...

"Fire Protection" to be Subject.—Jay Stevens, recently appointed fire marshal, who has just returned from a three-day fire prevention tour of fire departments and fire prevention methods in Chicago, New York and other cities, will relate some of his experiences and ideas on fire prevention generally in an address before the Ad club next Wednesday, according to announcement this morning by Roy W. Edgewood, chairman of the club's program committee.

Fined for Reckless Driving.—Fines of \$10 were imposed on Edward Lawrence and Theodore Salamans in the municipal court yesterday, on charges of reckless driving in passing through traffic lights at the intersection of 2nd and Broadway streets. ...

Will Hold "John Muir" Evening.—The Mazamas will have a "John Muir" evening in the club rooms in the Northwestern bank building tomorrow evening, and members will discuss his life and works, and there will be selections from his writings. ...

Itinerant Driver Arrested.—Following a collision between the itinerant driver Henry Walker and a buggy owned by E. B. White of 217 Commercial Exchange building, which had been left in the street at Second and Broadway streets, the supreme court arrested Tuesday by Patrolman Heper on a charge of reckless driving. ...

Tax Collector Reports.—As the result of the first four weeks of tax collecting, Tax Collector Lewis has turned into the county treasury \$454,287.38, according to a statement prepared for filing with Auditor Martin. ...

Desertion Alleged.—Divorce suits alleging desertion were filed this morning by Lemuel E. Harris against Savannah Harris, and Lucy G. Bigelow against Charlie T. Blislow.

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station in this city, has been taken to McNeil's Island by a deputy from Marshal Montague's office. Beck is under sentence to serve 13 months imprisonment. ...

Will Hold Quarterly Meeting.—Portland quarterly meeting of the Friends church will be held at West Piedmont church, Jessup and Northwark streets, tomorrow, Saturday and Sunday. ...

Reed College Lecture.—In Reed college extension course 12, natural science, Dr. Karl Compton will give the forty-ninth lecture, entitled, "Electric Currents," tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the biological lecture room of the college.

Buy Wood Out by Unemployed.—A-1 wood, cut 12 inches, at \$4.75 cord, cut 16 inch at \$4.80 cord, f. o. b. wood yard. ...

Meeting Postponed.—The regular monthly meeting of the Missouri society will not be held tonight. A postponed lecture, entitled, "Electric Currents," tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the biological lecture room of the college.

Company Files Articles.—Articles of incorporation of the Winkelman Bag & Burlap Co., capitalized at \$1000, were filed this morning with County Clerk George P. Winkelman, H. Y. Freeman and George D. Young.

Chi Omega Sorority to Meet.—The Chi Omega sorority will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Miss Florence Johnson, 735 East Burnside street, at 2:30 o'clock.

Desertion Alleged as Grounds.—Desertion was charged in suits for divorces filed by Gertrude C. Rush against Walter Rush, and Laura Leary against Clarence E. Leary.

Boatloads of Fresh Columbia River Smelt, 75 cents for a 50 pound box, Alaska Fish company, Washington street dock, Main 2017. Free auto delivery. (Adv.)

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