BRIEF INFORMATION

(92D DAY, OF 1916.)

Coming Events.

Transportation Club luncheon, at Oregon hotel, April 3, at noon.
Rotary club luncheon April 4, at noon.
Ad club luncheon at noon, April 5.
Progressive Business Men's club luncheon, Oregon hotel, at noon, April 6.
Chamber of Commerce annual meeting and dedication of Oregon building, April 7.
Realty board luncheon, Oregon hotel, at noon, April 7.
"Michigan Day," Tuesday, April 11.
State Granges will hold annual meeting at Grants Pass May 9-12, inclusive.
Rose Festival, June 7, 8 and 9.
Conventions of Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters will be held in Portland August 1-10.

Today's Forecast.

Portland and vicinity—Fair tonight and Sunday; light frost tonight. Northerly winds.
Oregon—Fair tonight and Sunday; cooler tonight south and east portions; heavy frosts tonight. Northerly winds.
Washington—Fair tonight and Sunday; heavy frost tonight. Northerly winds.
Idaho—Fair tonight and Sunday, preceded tonight by showers southeast portion; cooler tonight north-central portion; light frost tonight.

Weather Conditions.

A large high pressure area is central over British Columbia, and a small depression overlies southern Nevada. Another disturbance is central over the west gulf states, and the barometer is relatively low over the St. Lawrence valley. Showers have occurred in portions of northern Oregon, Washington and northern Idaho, and rain, heavy in places, has fallen in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Missouri. It is much warmer in Nevada, southern Idaho and Wyoming, and correspondingly colder in Nebraska and Kansas.

The conditions are favorable for fair weather in this district tonight and Sunday, preceded by showers tonight in southeastern Idaho. It will be colder tonight in southern and eastern Oregon and north-central Idaho. Frost will form in the morning generally throughout the district.

EDWARD A. BEALS, Forecaster.

Observations.

STATIONS	Temperature: At 8 a.m. (Pacific Coast time)	Change in 24 hours	Highest yesterday	Lowest last night	Wind velocity 8 a.m. (Pacific Coast time)	Precipitation in last 24 hours
Abilene, Texas	44	−4	50	40	12	2.16
Baker, Oregon	40	+4	62	40	....	.16
Boise, Idaho	46	+12	62	44	....	.06
Chicago, Ill.	42	+8	62	42	14	.44
Denver, Colo.	28	+2	48	28	0	0
Des Moines, Iowa	34	−10	54	32	....	0
Dodge, Kansas	30	+2	40	28	....	.16
Eureka, Cal.	50	+4	58	50	26	0
Fresno, Cal.	54	+2	70	54	0	0
Galveston, Texas	68	+2	72	68	20	0
Helena, Mont.	38	0	52	38	....	.08
Kansas City, Mo.	40	−8	54	40	....	.26
Lewiston, Idaho	52	+8	....	50	....	.08
Los Angeles, Cal.	56	+4	80	54	10	0
Marshfield, Ore.	42	+6	60	40	....	0
Memphis, Tenn.	62	+4	78	62	12	0
New York, N. Y.	48	+2	62	44	16	0
North Head, Wn.	46	−2	48	46	....	.02
No. Platte, Neb.	22	−12	54	22	0	0
N. Yakima, Wn.	42	+4	70	42	10	0
Pocatello, Idaho	42	+10	56	42	....	0
Portland, Oreg.	44	+4	68	44	....	.01
Red Bluff, Cal.	50	+2	80	50	....	0
Roseburg, Oreg.	50	+10	70	50	....	0
Sacramento, Cal.	52	0	78	52	....	0
St. Paul, Minn.	32	−8	42	32	....	0
Salt Lake, Utah	42	+8	52	42	....	0
San Diego, Cal.	54	+4	68	54	....	0
S. Francisco, Cal.	50	+6	76	50	....	0
Seattle, Wash.	46	+2	52	46	....	0
Spokane, Wash.	38	−6	56	38	....	.14
Tacoma, Wash.	46	+4	54	46	....	0
*Tanana, Alaska	32	+4	....	24	....	0
Tatoosh, I., Wn.	44	−2	48	42	20	.04
*Valdez, Alaska	30	−2	....	30	....	.66
Wal. Wal., Wn.	46	−2	68	46	....	0
Washing'n, D. C.	48	−2	70	44	....	0

Wind velocities of less than 10 miles an hour and amounts of precipitation of less than .01 of an inch are not published hereon.
*P. M. report of preceding day.

TOWN TOPICS

Vancouver Avenue Indorsed.—A petition to the county commissioners for the permanent maintainance of Vancouver avenue as a connection with the Union avenue approach to the interstate bridge, received from a committee at the Albina Business Men's club luncheon yesterday, was approved and ordered printed for circulation. The petition asks that the roadway between the Columbia boulevard and the Union avenue approach be maintained in good condition, also that the trestle roadway be replaced with a fill at an estimated cost of $25,000. To erect the bridge across the Columbia slough it is estimated would cost $40,000.

Save Discarded Directories. — Business houses and individuals who discard their 1915 Portland directories on receipt of the 1916 volume, are requested to give the discarded volumes to the public library. These volumes are exchanged for corresponding volumes of directories of important cities so that thereby the library is able to maintain a large collection of directories which would otherwise be impossible. If the order department of the Central library is notified, Main 1556, a messenger will be sent for the directory.

Will Lecture at Lents.—Men of Lents are to hear stirring talks on social health and morals Monday night. At 8 o'clock in the Yeager theatre Calvin S. White, M. D., Dr. William T. Foster and Walter Evans are to speak to men only. The subject of Dr. White will be "Racial Poisons." Dr. Foster will speak on "The Way of a Man With a Maid." "What the District Attorney Knows" will be the subject of Walter Evans. H. A. Darnall is to preside. No admission will be charged.

Daly Will Address Club.—The East Side Business men's club will hold an "Overhead Wire Elimination" luncheon next Tuesday noon at the Sargent Grill, 271 Grand avenue, near Hawthorne. W. H. Daly, city commissioner of public utilities, will address the club on the proposed ordinance to eliminate the overhead wires on Grand avenue and adjacent congested streets in the East Side business district. Dan Kellaher will be chairman.

Salvation Army Demonstration.—In the Salvation Army hall, 207 Salmon street, on Tuesday evening, April 4, there will be a special demonstration in connection with the self-denial effort. "All Round the World With the Salvation Army" will be given by the young people. Refreshments also will be served from 6 to 8.

Teachers' Bird Meeting.—Mrs. Mamie Campbell will speak tonight at 8 o'clock at the Audubon Bird club rooms, 309 Y. M. C. A. building. The birds under special consideration tonight are the meadow lark, swallow and humming bird. Outlines, suggestive talks and personal experiences will be given. Colored pictures, photographs and bird skins are on exhibition and suitable bird houses and nests will be described. Questions concerning bird life will be welcome.

Funeral of Paul Ferbo.—The funeral of Paul Ferbo was held this afternoon from the Skewes Undertaking parlors, with interment in Rose City cemetery. Rev. J. A. Leas officiated. Mr. Ferbo was killed by being run over by a truck last Tuesday, and his fellow workmen on the county road assisted in securing proper funeral arrangements. He was a native of Denmark and has no known relatives in this country.

Woman Led Active Life.—Mrs. Nellie S. Clapp, who died at her home in Kern Park, March 29, was an active and prominent member of Lincoln-Garfield corps, Women's Relief corps. She took a foremost part in the social activities of the post and corps. At the funeral services held in the Universalist church, Rev. J. D. Corby, officiating, the Women's Relief corps participated.

Funeral Set for Tuesday.—The funeral of Laura Evans Smith, wife of Archibald Erskine Smith of Vancouver, B. C., and the daughter of William and Sarah A. Evans of Portland, will be held Tuesday, April 4, at 2 p. m., from Holman undertaking parlors. Interment at Riverview cemetery.

Transmigration of Souls.—Basis of the remarkable film drama, "The Soul Cycle," a five act Mutual master picture of unusual power will be shown Monday, April 3, at the New Grand theatre, 105 Sixth street. Admission 5 cents. (Adv.)

Taylor-St. M. E. Church. Jack Godwin, the evangelist, will address the members of this church on Sunday, at 10:30 a. m., at 3d and Taylor sts., in front of their church, which is locked and barred against them. (Adv.)

April Fool Dance Tonight.—An April fool dance will be given by the Blackmar circle, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, tonight in Strahlman's hall, East Thirteenth street and Spokane avenue.

"Amid the Corn; Plucking and Rubbing It in the Hands." Dr. Worcester interprets this according to the science of correspondences, Sunday at 11, Eilers hall. All cordially welcome. (Adv.)

Will Speak on Scientific Money.—E. L. McClure will address the rationalists in room "A" of Central library at 8 p. m. Sunday, on "Scientific Money and the Perfect Financial System." The public is invited.

Columbia Highway Scenic Trips.—Auto leaves St. Charles hotel 10 a. m. daily. Round trip $2. Hudson Big Six for hire. 348 Broadway at Morrison. Main 6211. (Adv.)

Fix This in Your Mind.—Monday at 10 a. m. the bankrupt stock of the Leffert Jewelry Co. goes to the public at the littlest of little prices. See Sunday's papers for full details. (Adv.)

It Will make you spend those saved-up dollars Monday at 10 a. m., when the bankrupt stock of the Leffert Jewelry Co., at 268 Washington St., will be placed on sale. (Adv.)

Leffert Jewelry Co.'s bankrupt stock was sold by the Jewelers' Board of Trade at 33 cents on the dollar. For further particulars see Sunday's papers. (Adv.)

The Bankrupt Stock of the Leffert Jewelry Co. will be placed on sale Monday, 10 a. m., at 268 Washington st. See Sunday's paper for particulars. Ad.

Steamer "State of Washington,"—Night boat for The Dalles from Portland daily except Sunday night. Alder street dock. Main 914, A-5112. (Adv.)

Steamer Jesse Harkins for Camas, Washougal and way landings, daily, except Sunday. Leaves Washington Street dock at 2 p. m. (Adv.)

Night Boat for The Dalles—Steamer "State of Washington" from Portland daily except Sunday night. Alder street dock. Main 914, A-5112. (Adv.)

Str. J. N. Teal for upper Columbia and Snake river points. Leaves Taylor st. dock Apr. 3, 11 p. m. M. 613. Ad.

April Fool Dance Tonight, Cotillion hall. An evening of surprises and fun. (Adv.)

Dr. J. D. Duback, eyesight specialist, moved to 120 Broadway st., near Washington.—(Adv.)

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Dr. W. L. Wood has returned. 412 Oregonian building. (Adv.)

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UNIONS TO ENDEAVOR TO BREAK DEADLOCK OVER WAGE DEMANDS

Representatives of Big Four Union, Including 400,000 Men, Meet in Cleveland.

WILL ANSWER RAILROADS

Counter Proposals Will Be Framed at Meeting of Unionmen This Morning; Want to Be at Homes.

New York, April 1.—(I. N. S.)—As a result of the deadlock between the Big Four union representing 400,000 men and the big railroads of the country, which followed the reply to the wage demand of the men, the general committee of the unions met this morning in Cleveland to frame a counter proposal.

The railroads' reply to the unions' proposal gave but little encouragement. The eight-hour question was left open, the railroad offering to consider it only in connection with a mass of existing practices governing compensation.

Point Out Objections.

But the men announced long before presenting their demands that they do not desire any reconsideration of the present schedule. They point out in their demands certain schedules that are favorable and certain others that are not. The latter predominate.

W. J. Fripp, general manager of the New York Central lines, who has charge of that road's interests in the wage discussion, was out of town today.

Surprise was general among the local union men that the railroads replied so soon to their demands. Delegates served the demands personally on the managers, of the various roads. The matter now rests with the general committee in Cleveland.

Roads Voice Objection.

Railway managers have declared that an eight-hour day would cost the railroads $100,000,000 a year. The unions dispute the truth of this assertion.

Certain members of the unions declared today, that what they really were after was an opportunity to be at their homes and in their own beds at the end of each working day. They were vehement in their assertion that at least twice a week they are forced to put up in some town or city on their run owing to the present schedule.

ZEPPELIN AND ITS CREW ARE BRITISH PRIZE

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bombs were dropped by the invaders. The official statement of the raid said:

All Steered Different Courses.

"An air raid took place last night over the eastern counties in which five Zeppelins are believed to have taken part. All the raiders crossed the coast at different places and times and steered in different courses. About 90 bombs are reported to have been dropped in various localities in the eastern counties.

"It is further reported that hostile air craft visited the northeast coast, but no details have been received."

The first Zeppelin passed over London about 9:30 o'clock. One of the features of the raid was the fact that the night was clear and bright. There was no moon, but the stars shone brightly.

Thousands See.

Thousands witnessed the raid. At 8 p. m. the approach of a hostile sky fleet was signaled by watchers on the northeast coast. The theaters were just filling. Crowds in evening dress paused on the sidewalks to view the spectacle. They saw British search lights bathe the Zeppelins with white light, then came sharp volleys from the batteries of anti-aircraft guns. The spectators appeared curious rather than alarmed.

A single bomb killed an entire family of three persons and wounded seven others, it was unofficially reported. Another demolished two brick cottages, but by a seeming miracle all occupants escaped injury.

Zeppelin Wrecked.

The Zeppelin wrecked off the Thames Estuary is the first to be destroyed on the English coast during a raid. It is the thirty-sixth to be "sunk" in action, according to the official figures of the allies.

Thousands of cheering spectators saw the Zeppelin damaged by a heavy British bombardment before it collapsed and fell off the mouth of the Thames.

Dozens of searchlights illuminated the hovering craft, covering it with a brilliant glare of white light from bow to stern. The crew maneuvered desperately trying to escape from the dazzling glare while shrapnel shells burst all about and people in the streets shouted their glee.

Apparently badly damaged, the Zeppelin finally moved to the eastward, disappearing in the darkness. At dawn it was found riding the waves.

All accounts agree that the participants in this attack were much larger than those who took part in previous raids.

SHALL ALIENS USE ON OUTSIDE PROJECTS THE MONEY NEEDED HERE?

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land sales to the reclamation fund," says Clarence L. Reames, United States attorney for Oregon. "It is Oregon land. It was withdrawn and has been kept withdrawn to the immeasurable harm of Oregon. The department of justice commenced the litigation that has resulted in the Chamberlain bill, to aid Oregon. The attorney general sent a trusted man to Oregon to investigate the subject and upon receiving his report recommended to congress that 40 per cent of the proceeds from the sale of the grant go to Oregon schools and 40 per cent to the road fund of the grant land counties.

"The states that would benefit by reclamation from the proceeds of the grant land sales have not been retarded. While Oregon has been standing still because of the failure of the railroad company to sell these lands, the other states have been disposing of their lands. They have created great school and road funds as a result, by taxation and otherwise. Oregon has been the sufferer. Congress should not allow reclamationists to take from Oregon the money that should be spent in Oregon. It would be crying injustice.

Meier of Same Mind.

Julius L. Meier is of the same mind. "I do not know about the details of the land grant controversy," said Mr. Meier. "I do know that the state has been hindered and held back, while other states have profited by Oregon reclamation money being spent in other states. Oregon's arid lands are still stretches of sand and sage brush, while Oregon money has converted arid lands of other states into gardens. I do know that Oregon has been held back by the non-development of the grant lands. It should, in justice and right, receive all the benefit from their disposition. The federal government because of its negelct is not entitled to any of the money, and certainly should not ask or attempt to secure more than the actual cost of administering the grant. If justice is done by congress Oregon schools and Oregon roads will get the money, not some foreign reclamation project."

Snowden District for Good Roads.

White Salmon, Wash., April 1.—At an enthusiastic meeting of residents of the Snowden district at the Mt. Brook Commercial clubhouse yesterday it was unanimously voted to form an improvement district and bond for the purpose of hard surfacing the road from White Salmon to Snowden, a distance of 14 miles.

COUNTY BOARD CRITICIZED IN JURY'S REPORT

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through his handling of county affairs.

Commissioner Holman is highly commended for introduced reforms into county affairs and for striving, against the opposition of the other commissioners, to secure the adoption of modern business methods in county business.

The grand jury, however, "regrets that owing to personal differences between the commissioners, county affairs are apparently drifting back to the old careless and unbusinesslike methods, in which efficiency and competency are sacrificed for political support."

Much evidence was found showing that action for or against a certain measure would be taken in exchange for political support. Other evidence was that the county paid more for supplies than the regular price.

"There seems to be a lack of realization by some of the commissioners," says the report, "that it is a violation of their oath of office to pay private or political debts at the expense of the taxpayers."

Among the features of the grand jury's report are:

Kelly Butte rock quarry is badly managed. Fourteen prisoners were found in charge of eight county employes. Cells unswept, dirty; mattresses filthy, unfit for use. All cells were disorderly and insanitary but one. Ventilation bad; kitchen dirty; storeroom disorderly; meat tainted; lack of intelligent supervision everywhere apparent, particularly in unnecesary waste of taxpayers' money in neglect of material and equipment.

Nepotism is charged in the personnel of the management of the quarry as follows:

Cases Are Cited.

"W. A. Eatchel is superintendent; his son William Eatchel is engineer; his son-in-law, A. R. Fairbanks, is fireman. We are informed that in the past a trusty was employed as fireman."

"We believe the institution to be over-officered. We believe incompetency and nepotism is responsible for much of the mismanagement and that if the taxpayers' money were spent in securing men for their real efficiency rather than for their political activity, the taxpayers would come nearer to securing a dollar's worth of value for every dollar spent."

At the time of the grand jury's visit to the quarry, there were more than 175 prisoners in the county jail, according to the report, 75 being under sentence.

The report recommends that able-bodied prisoners be put to work, for their own and the county's good, under decent working and living conditions.

"We realize that the Kelly Butte quarry is no pleasure resort," says the report, "and that the prisoners are there for punishment of their transgressions of the law, but we believe in being deprived of their liberty and made to break rock they are being sufficiently punished and that they are entitled to pure air, wholesome food and sanitary conditions."

Detention Home Considered.

The grand jury makes no criticism of the management of the Frazer Detention home, but says that it believes it is a waste of the taxpayers' money to keep up the school connected with it, with one teacher employed this year and two last year, when "at times there are only two or three pupils in attendance, and when few if any of the pupils attend the school for a period longer than a week or 10 days."

The grand jury found 14 children at the home, in charge of a superintendent, a matron, a night assistant, an assistant matron, a matron for the smaller girls, and a cook—these six employes drawing $350 a month.

A recommendation is made for greater safety from fire for the Frazer home children. Mr. and Mrs. S. D. White, in charge of the home, are highly commended, but the report says that it believes the cost is excessive, results considered.

"We believe that the efficiency of the juvenile court would be greatly increased," says the report, "by putting all employes under civil service."

County relief funds are wastefully and inefficiently handled, says the report, and in many cases it was found that taxpayers' money had been "unwisely bestowed."

Regarding bridge and ferries the report says:

"Testimony has been given before us which leads us to believe that there is almost criminal carelessness in the department of bridges and ferries. Men who have proven to be grossly incompetent have been retained in the service, and men who have been discharged for inefficiency have been later re-employed.

"We believe that the superintendent of bridges and ferries fails to exercise the necessary supervision of the bridges and ferries to insure the protection to the lives and of the property of the citizens of Multnomah county. We believe that there is laxness in this department, and that such laxness is without justification or excuse.

"We believe the chairman of the board of county commissioners (Lightner) fails to realize the importance of protecting the lives and safety of our citizens, and that the employment of incapable and inefficient men is a serious menace to public safety."

A favorable report is made on the conduct of the county jail, with a recommendation that the prisoners be put to work.

The county hospital is commended, but a new fire-proof building is needed.

The grand jury found 372 patients at the county poor farm, which is highly commended as being an example of what such an institution should be. It is recommended however, that all but 10 or 20 acres of the farm be sold. It was found that more than 90 per cent of the inmates were there "because of impaired efficiency due to the use of liquor."

Arson Squad Praised.

Captain Jay W. Stevens, Captain W. A. Groce and other members of the "arson squad" are commended.

Speaking of juvenile delinquents, the report says that the grand jurymen "could not but feel that they were more sinned against than sinning." A lack of sympathetic parental guidance was found mostly to blame.

The work of the Social Hygiene society is commended for "bringing home to mothers and fathers the necessity of sex instruction to their children, and the need of confidence between mothers and daughters, fathers and sons."

Referring to the charges against Commissioner Lightner, the report says:

Lightner Makes Appearance.

Commissioner W. L. Lightner appeared at his own request before the grand jury to explain certain charges made against him of requiring county employes to pay for their jobs. Numerous witnesses were summoned. Evidence was produced showing that certain county employes in the past had indulged in many irregular practices of this kind; but no evidence was produced to show that Commissioner Lightner made a profit from these transactions. The evidence did show, however, that unnecessary burdens had been placed upon the taxpayers by lack of business efficiency and the employment of men better able to run political machinery than the county machinery. In many cases this has led to waste of the taxpayers' money, and we recommend that in the hiring of all county employes, real fitness for the job be the necessary requisite for employment.

Evidence showed the practice of note-shaving in the courthouse to be flagrant and long continued, and the report says:

Recommendation Are Made.

"We make the usual recommendations to the county commissioners that they prevent unauthorized persons from occupying desks or offices in the courthouse to carry on private business."

As to the escape of prisoners from Kelly Butte, the grand jury says that in its opinion there is no reason for a prisoner remaining there who wants to leave.

Concluding, the report says:

"Testimony has been given before the grand jury by bidders, in which it was shown that the former method of letting bids was secret and unbusinesslike. Bidders were not allowed to be present when the bids were opened and were not informed as to the successful bidders. Evidence was also produced which showed that at times bids were not awarded to the lowest bidders.

"We believe that the public, who furnishes the money, should at all times be given full and frank information how their money is spent."

The report is signed by: Ben Gadsby, foreman; Fred Lockley, secretary; S. J. Landon, Frank N. Leahy, E. J. Vennervitz, J. J. Huber and Martin A. Nelson.

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Amidon's Request to Have Coffey Appoint Deputies Raises Question.

SERIOUS MENACE IS SEEN

Present Registration Permanent and Should Not be Open to Possible Abuse, Contends Haney.

No legal obstacle stands in the way of placing deputy county clerks in various parts of the city to take the registration of voters, according to the opinion of Attorney General Brown given to District Attorney Evans.

Requests have been made for County Clerk Coffey, who is charged with the responsibility of administering the registration laws, to deputize 18 or 20 persons in various part of the city to act as registrars.

A list of places and the names of persons for appointment as deputy county clerks were submitted to the county commissioners by the Lincoln Republican club, of which E. L. Amidon is the chief factotum.

The question of the legality of this procedure, and more particular the wisdom of it, was raised by Bert E. Haney, Democratic state chairman, who took the matter up with District Attorney Evans.

"I think this is a grave matter," said Mr. Haney. "It is laying the registration open to possible abuse. I do not know the names that have been picked out by Amidon and the few who are with him, but it is unwise to turn the registration over to a list of persons furnished by volunteers. I do not think the law contemplates such action at all."

Mr. Haney pointed out that registrations now being made are to be permanent and for that reason they should be safeguarded rather than be thrown open promiscuously.

Amidon is one of an inner circle of the Multnomah county Republican committee which attempted to force county officials to deliver to them the patronage of their offices, and they were blocked when County Clerk Coffey defied them.

Skull Is Crushed.

White Salmon, Wash., April 1.—J. H. Zimmerman, while at work on the road between White Salmon and Husum Friday, received serious injuries. The root of a tree, which was being blasted, struck him on the head, crushing the skull. He was hurried to Hood River to the hospital there. He may not recover.

Practical Things Replacing Theories

Dr. Loveland Congratulates Epworth League District Meeting on Change—Prominent Speakers Make Addresses.

A new note in young people's work was sounded at the Epworth league rally in the First Methodist Sunday school temple last evening. Dr. Loveland in his address said that he had been watching young people's work for many years and that he was glad to see that theories were gradually being replaced by practical things in the Epworth league.

Some of the practical things given last night were arrangements to organize gospel teams. The gospel teams are groups of young people singers and speakers who go into sparsely settled communities and assist in the work for several months. F. J. Schnell, president of the Epworth League President's association, presented this subject.

J. A. Goodell, industrial secretary of the Y. M. C. A., urged the young folks to adopt measures of thrift, care and sincerity in their church and home life.

George N. Taylor of the Anti-Saloon league, urged the leaguers to register.

Judge E. V. Littlefield told the rally that prohibition would be good for the nation.

Hubert J. Scott presented an outline of the Methodist pageant, and C. D. Chilson gave a short talk on the value of the Epworth Herald to the members. Hartridge G. Whipp rendered a solo.

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC LINES

Burglars Escape By Window Route

Jumping from a second story window when they were surprised by the return of the occupants of the house, two burglars escaped after ransacking the home of Charles B. King, 841 Thompson street, about 8:40 last night.

An automatic pistol, $1 in cash, small articles of jewelry and a razor were taken.

Joe Nellist reported to the police last night that a heavy stock of saddle, spurs, a lasso and a plain leather bridle were stolen from his home.

Miss Anna Leon, 781 Kearney street, reported losing a black leather purse containing $17 while riding home in a Twenty-third street jitney last night.

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