BRIEF INFORMATION

(178D DAY OF 1917.)

Coming Events

National Education association meets Portland, July 7-14.

Pacific Coast Claim Agents' annual convention, Portland, July 18, 19, 20.

Buyer's Week, Portland, August 6 to 10.

Great Council, I. O. R. M., August 21.

Multnomah county fair, from September 11 to 16, at Gresham, Or.

Today's Forecast

Portland and Vicinity—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; easterly winds.

Oregon—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; warmer south and east portions Saturday; easterly winds.

Washington—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; warmer east portion Saturday; easterly winds.

Idaho—Fair tonight, cooler central and southeast portions; Saturday fair, warmer north and west portions.

Weather Conditions

An irregular low pressure system overlies the southwestern and central portions of the country, and relatively high pressure obtains over the northwestern states and from the Mississippi valley eastward to the Atlantic coast. Showers have fallen in western Oregon, western Washington, western Canada, northern Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, Nebraska and Tennessee. The weather is cooler on most of the western highland and in Illinois; it is correspondingly warmer in eastern Colorado and the plains states. Except in southeastern Idaho, temperatures are below normal in the greater portion of this forecast district.

The conditions are favorable for partly cloudy weather in this district tonight and Saturday. It will be cooler tonight in central and southeastern Idaho, and warmer Saturday in southern and eastern Oregon, eastern Washington and western and northern Idaho. Winds will be mostly easterly.

T. FRANCIS DRAKE, Asst. Forecaster.

Observations

STATION.	Temperatures: At 8 a.m. Pacific Coast Time.	Changes in 24 Hours.	Highest yesterday.	Lowest.	Last Night.	Wind Velocity 8 a.m. Pacific Coast Time.	Precipitation Last 24 Hours.
Abilene, Texas	76	+6	96	74	12		0
Baker, Or.	46	+6	66	46	....		0
Billings, Mont.	58	−2	90	54	....		0
Boise, Idaho	50	−6	78	50	....		0
Boston, Mass.	72	+4	84	64	....		0
Calgary, Alb.	46	−2	68	42	....		.02
Chicago, Ill.	58	−8	82	58	10		0
Denver, Colo.	64	+10	82	64	....		0
Dodge, Kan.	70	+12	90	68	....		0
Edmonton, Alb.	44	−2	46	44	....		.50
Fresno, Cal.	58	−8	96	58	....		0
Havre, Mont.	52	+4	74	50	10		.50
Kalispel, Mont.	40	−10	66	40	....		.28
Kansas City	72	+8	86	68	10		0
Knoxville, Tenn.	66	−2	....	62	....		.14
Lewiston, Idaho	60	0	....	52	....		.02
Los Angeles	58	+4	76	58	....		0
Marshfield, Or.	42	−12	68	40	....		.06
New Orleans	76	+2	88	70	....		0
New York, N.Y.	72	+4	80	64	....		0
No. Head, Wn.	56	+2	58	54	10		.20
No. Platte, Neb.	62	+8	78	60	10		.01
No. Yakima	42	−6	78	42	....		0
Oklahoma, Okla.	70	+6	90	68	10		0
Phoenix, Ariz.	74	+4	106	74	....		0
Pocatello, Idaho	60	−2	82	54	....		0
Portland, Or.	53	+4	70	53	....		.04
Roseburg, Or.	46	−12	70	46	....		0
St. Louis, Mo.	72	0	86	70	....		0
St. Paul, Minn.	52	0	64	52	12		0
San Francisco	50	−4	64	50	....		0
Seattle, Wn.	52	−2	64	50	....		0
Spokane, Wn.	48	−10	70	48	12		0
Swift Current	48	+4	56	44	14		.10
Tatoosh I., Wn.	50	−2	56	48	....		.10
Vancouver, B. C.	50	0	68	50	....		.42
Walla Walla	54	−4	76	54	....		0
Washington	72	+2	84	62	....		0

TOWN TOPICS

Princeton Professor to Lecture.—As the first of a series of six lectures offered by the University of Oregon during the six weeks' summer course here, Dr. J. Duncan Spaeth of Princeton university will lecture tonight in the Lincoln high school auditorium on "Socrates, the Teacher." Dr. Spaeth is an athlete and was coach of the Princeton rowing crew. These lectures will be open to the public. Others who will give Friday evening addresses are President King of Oberlin, President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university and President Foster of Reed college.

Cambrian Society Meets.—The monthly meeting of the Cambrian Social society was held last Friday evening. After the business meeting, there was a splendid program that had been arranged by the entertainment committee, Mesdames D. M. Davies, W. M. Jones, which was as follows: Reading by D. W. Prichard; presentation of an American flag to the Cambrian Social society by Hopkin Jenkins; T. J. Jones, "Star Spangled Banner."

Ice Cream Social Tonight.—The Wide-Awake girls of the Woodstock Methodist church, on Woodstock avenue and Forty-fourth street, will give an ice cream social tonight at 8 o'clock for the benefit of the Red Cross. A patriotic program will be given.

C. H. Dexter on Crutches.—C. H. Dexter, general agent for the freight department of the O-W. R. & N., is able to get around on crutches. He has been in the hospital for several weeks with a broken ankle.

Tired; All In. Get made over at Ironside Instittute, 327-8-9 Pittock block.—(Adv.)

Two Meetings Planned.—There will be two big meetings at the men's resort Sunday night. Dr. Reed and young women of the First Methodist Episcopal church will take charge. Wednesday night, June 27, Dr. Boyd of the First Presbyterian church will address the men. Beulah Myer Curtice, soprano, and Mrs. Robert F. Clark, contralto, will sing at the Wednesday night meeting.

Mount Defiance Is Goal.—The Mazamas Sunday will climb Mount Defiance, one of the highest points on the Oregon side of the Columbia river. The party will leave the Union station on the O-W. R. & N. at 6:15 p. m. Saturday, arriving at Lindsay at 8:40, and camping for the night near the railroad. The start for the summit Sunday morning will be at 6 o'clock. The climb is very steep, over 5000 feet being ascended in less than three miles climbing. Individuals will take their own comissary. The return to Portland will be on the limited at 5:00 o'clock Sunday evening. The leaders are Charles J. Merten and George F. Allen.

Another Sing Announced.—With the revival of old songs at its height, Professor W. H. Boyer directing and Mrs. Lulu Dahl Miller and Mrs. Jane Burns Albert as soloists, Irvington's first community sing Thursday evening was a splendid success. Mrs. Warren E. Thomas played the accompaniments for the solos and choruses, and so well pleased with the result was everybody that Mrs. John F. Logan, chairman of the music committee of the Irvington club, announced that plans were made for another sing about the middle of July.

Services at Ahavai Sholom.—Services will be held at Congregation Ahavai Sholom, Park and Clay streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. M. Mossesohn will deliver an address. Tomorrow morning services at 9:30 o'clock. Rabbi R. Abrahamson will officiate. Next Friday evening Rev. John H. Boyd will address the congregation in behalf of "The League to Enforce Peace."

Spanish Veterans to Elect.—The Scout Young camp of the United Spanish War Veterans will hold its annual election of officers at Hillsboro, June 28 and 29. The department commander, Lieutenant Colonel Carl Abrams, is with the Third Oregon now. His place is filled by Clyde Nicholsen. Mr. Nicholsen is a candidate for the office for the next year.

British Red Cross.—The weekly meeting of the British Red Cross society will be held in the Knights of Pythias hall, Eleventh and Alder streets, on Saturday evening. An address will be given by Sergeant Major Kenning of the Royal engineers, Vancouver, B. C. A musical program is being arranged.

Will Hold Reception.—The ladies of Calvary Presbyterian church will give a social and reception this evening in the church parlors. President Wallace H. Lee of Albany college and Mrs. Lee will be guests of the evening. All friends are cordially invited.

Places Open for Boys.—Superintendent of Schools Alderman has several openings for high school boys wanting work. Employers desiring boys to fill various jobs have placed their calls with him.

Latimer to Lecture.—George O. Latimer will speak on the "Basic Principles of the Bahai Movement" in Room 516, Ellers building, this evening at 8 o'clock.

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

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T. Paer Thinks of Goats
Dynamite Is Dangerous Food

T. Paer sat on his back porch in the shade, daubing mutton tallow on a ruby nose with his hesitating finger. Ferd pussyfooted noiselessly up on his rubber soled sport shoes, and walloped the little man enthusiastically between the shoulders.

"That's the last blow," shrilled the revenue producer, springing to his feet. "No woman can hit me on the sunburn twice in the same place."

"What's the matter with you?" demanded Ferd. "Do I look like a woman to you?"

"What do you mean—batting me on my blister?" countered T. Paer, thrusting his shining proboscis as close into Ferd's face as his limited stature would permit.

Preparing for Coronation

"I didn't know you had one," Ferd apologized; "but I don't like to be called a woman," he insisted.

"I thought it was the old lady making one of her cross drives," explained T. Paer. "Nobody'd call you a woman if they got a lamp on you first. Where'd you get the cute sport suit?"

"Oh," said Ferd, peering out from under his hat brim. "Didn't you hear about the fire we had on the fourth of June?"

"Gosh, no!" said T. Paer; "I thought it was a deluge. Anyway, I've been out of town."

"Where you been?" Ferd wanted to know. "Your nose looks like it was to Hornbrook."

"Sanitarium," T. Paer explained. "Been taking the rest cure, so's to be able to bear up at the coronation."

"What do you mean—coronation?" Ferd asked, scratching back of his ear. "This ain't no kingdom."

Will Sit at George's Feet

"Haven't you read it?" asked T. Paer. "The paper says, 'Mayor Gets Throne.'"

"You don't tell me!" said Ferd. "That'll be fine. George'll cut some figure on a throne. Is he going to have a scepter, too?"

"It didn't say," T. Paer answered; "but George'll want one if the other fellows have 'em."

"Wonder if he will have a crown?" mused Ferd.

"No, a halo," T. Paer said. "Crowns ain't popular."

"Where are the other fellows going to sit?" Ferd asked.

"At George's feet," T. Paer answered. "There'll be room in a semicircle."

"That's right," said Ferd. "They're only commissioners."

"It'll make a cute picture," T. Paer murmured. "I can see it with my eyes shut. There'll be George sitting up on the throne, and there'll be the sheep on the right and the goats on the left, and—" T. Paer trailed off into a giggle.

When Goats Feed on Dynamite

"What are you laughing at?" Ferd demanded.

"I was just thinking about the goats," T. Paer said.

"Who are the goats?" asked Ferd.

"George ain't picked 'em yet," said T. Paer. "I'm going to watch 'em when he does. Goats eat anything, and there's no much dynamite lying around loose up at the city hall there'll be something doing the first time anybody wallops one of the baaboys below the belt."

"Yes," said Ferd, thoughtfully. "I ain't going to stub my toe on any of 'em."

Gorman to Be President

Chicago, June 21.—James E. Gorman, chief executive officer under the Rock Island receivership, will be elected president of the road by the directors in New York Wednesday according to an announcement made when the stockholders ratified the reorganization plans this afternoon. A. C. Ridgway is slated for vice president.

On Friday, June 22, at 8:15 p. m., James W. Irwin, official lecturer Southern Pacific company, will give an illustrated lecture "From the Golden Gate to Puget Sound," with many beautiful scenes in natural colors and interesting motion pictures, at First Presbyterian church, 12th and Alder streets. Admission free. Children under 14 years admitted only when accompanying adults. (Adv.)

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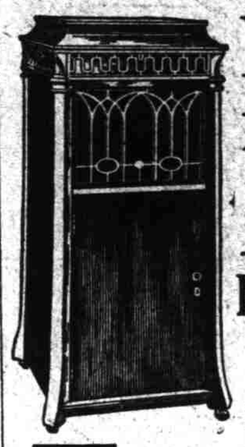

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