

TOWN TOPICS

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TODAY'S FORECASTS
Portland and vicinity—Tonight and Saturday fair, continued cold, easterly winds. Oregon and Washington—Tonight and Saturday fair, continued cold, easterly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS
Temperatures of low pressure are shown, one in northern Saskatchewan, and one on the north Atlantic coast. Over the remainder of the country the pressure is abnormally high, the highest readings being in Nevada. Precipitation has occurred in the Atlantic and Gulf states and Tennessee, and at a number of northwestern stations. The following heavy precipitation is reported: Washington, D. C., 1.45; Boston, Mass., 1.06. The weather is much milder over a large part of the Rocky Mountain region and in the extreme northern Pacific region, and is much colder over most of the eastern half of the country. The temperature is below zero along the coast, and in the middle Atlantic coast, and over a small area in the northern Rocky Mountain region. Temperatures below zero extend from the Gulf of Mexico to the Gulf of Alaska.

OBSERVATIONS
STATIONS

STATIONS	TEMP.	WIND	PRECIP.
Baker, Or.	26	0	0
Boston, Mass.	45	34	1.06
Buffalo, N. Y.	10	8	0
Chicago, Ill.	10	8	0
Denver, Colo.	10	8	0
Des Moines, Iowa	2	14	0
Franklin, N. C.	39	30	0
Galveston, Texas	39	30	0
Havana, Mont.	28	20	0
Honolulu, T. H.	13	24	0
Kansas City, Mo.	12	12	0
Knoxville, Tenn.	12	12	0
Los Angeles, Calif.	60	42	0
Marshall, Or.	50	26	0
Memphis, Tenn.	30	20	0
Modena, Utah	20	2	0
New Orleans, La.	48	32	0
New York City, N. Y.	42	34	0
North Platte, Neb.	10	10	0
Oklahoma City, Okla.	20	2	0
Pittsburg, Pa.	40	28	0
Portland, Or.	40	28	0
Prince Albert, Sask.	14	18	0
St. Louis, Mo.	2	22	0
St. Paul, Minn.	2	22	0
Seattle, Wash.	40	30	0
Spokane, Wash.	40	30	0
Swift Current, Sask.	4	12	0
Tampa, Fla.	74	18	0
Vancouver, B. C.	34	22	0
Walla Walla, Wash.	48	30	0
Washington, D. C.	48	30	1.48
Winchester, N. C.	28	2	0

THIRTY STAMPS
and
WAR SAVINGS STAMPS
Business Office, The Journal

Club to Give Entertainment—The South Mount Tabor Improvement club recently reorganized, will give its second weekly free entertainment tonight at the Joseph Rogers school, Sixty-ninth street and Powell Valley road. Permission for the use of the assembly room of the school every Friday night for these entertainments has been granted by the school board. The club has been organized with a view to creating a better community spirit among the residents of the South Mount Tabor district, according to G. E. Abrams, secretary of the organization.

Extension Classes to Meet—The University of Oregon extension classes meeting this evening at the central library are as follows: Structural drafting, north gallery, 7:15; electricity and magnetism, story hour, room 730; literature of national idealism, room 12, 7:30; elementary general psychology, room E, 7:30; principles of genetic psychology, room E, 8; Russian spirit in literature, room G, 8; physical and economic geography in Europe, room A, 8:15; music, room A, 7:15. Visitors are very welcome at any of the lecture classes.

Abigail Sholem Services—Services will begin tonight at 8 o'clock at Congregation Abigail Sholem, Park and Clay streets. Rabbi R. Abrahamson and Arthur S. Montaz will conduct the services. Rev. R. Cornblith will speak in behalf of the Sheltering Immigrant Aid society. Rabbi Arthur S. Montaz will deliver his sermon on "Christian Science—What Is It to Us?" the following Friday night. Services on Saturday morning will begin at 9:30 o'clock.

Audubon Study Club to Meet—A moving picture lecture will be given by William L. Finley, president of the Oregon Audubon society, Saturday night at 8 o'clock at Library hall, for the Audubon Bird club and their friends. An intimate view of the sage grouse and other unusual birds and animals not seen by the general observer will be given by Mr. Finley in his picture, "Hunting Rare Birds and Animals." The meeting is free and all are welcome.

Alaska Society to Meet—The Alaska society will hold its second meeting on Tuesday evening, January 7, at 8 o'clock, in the parlors of the Imperial hotel, for the purpose of electing officers and perfecting a permanent organization. It is desired that all persons having interest in Alaska, former residents of the territory, those whose homes are there or who contemplate migrating to that northern region, attend this gathering.

Steamer Itasca, for St. Helens and Rainier, daily at 2:30 p. m., foot of Alder street; Sunday, St. Helens only, 1:30 p. m.—Adv.

For Women and Girls Only—"Patriotic Womanhood" will be the subject of an address to be given this evening at

Colt's Pacific Market Offers Special Inducements for Saturday.
Meats, Butter, Eggs and Cheese at temptingly low prices. Read very carefully.

Now what is the best paying high prices for your meats? Read these low prices that the Pacific Market quotes for Saturday.

Steak Pot Roasts, 18c lb.
Shoulders of Lamb, fancy, 20c lb.
Lamb Stew, fancy, 17c lb.
Round Steak, 20c lb.
Pork Roasts, 30c lb.
Veal Chops, 25c lb.
Veal Roasts, 25c lb.
Beef Meat, 25c lb.

Nice young bears.
In spare ribs, neck bones, rock bones, pig's feet, pig tails, beef hearts, lamb tongues, beef tongues, calf tongues, any amount on hand at lowest prices.

Butter, Egg and Cheese Dept.
Green Valley Butter, 65c lb. or \$1.25 for 2 lbs.
Fresh Ranch Eggs, 75c dozen.
Dairy Butter, 45c roll, 25c lb.
Margarine and Buttercup, 67c lb. or \$1.35 roll.
Gold Crest, 70c lb.
Finest Storage Eggs, 60c doz.

Still have some Tillamook full cream cheese, a little bit left.
Uncle Oleomargarine, 40c lb. or 2 lbs. for 75c.
Columbia Oleomargarine, 45c lb. or 2 lbs. for 85c.

Now be sure to get the right place—**THE PACIFIC MARKET**, 212 S. 4th and 5th hills. You'll see the big sign on the side of building, which reads **PACIFIC MARKET**. Remember it's in the Central Market bldg., cor. 4th and Yamhill. Adv.

Repeal of County High School Fund Law Is Advocated

Salem, Jan. 3.—County school superintendents, in session here today, adopted the report of the legislative committee, recommending the repeal of the county high school fund law and that the state department of education investigate the feasibility of a state high school tuition fund law to take its place, thus making the state the unit of taxation for high school education.

Another recommendation is that the school law be amended to provide that all teachers' contracts, made by school boards, must be approved by the county school superintendent before they become valid.

The county superintendents also recommended an amendment to the present laws which will require teachers in districts of the first class to do reading circle work as a condition for having their certificates registered as is required of those of the second and third classes.

They also recommended an increase in the salary of the superintendent of public instruction from the fourth street building to the superior court and pleadings were ordered.

Lebanon Physician Returns
Lebanon, Jan. 3.—Captain J. C. Booth arrived at his home here this morning from Camp Lewis, having been honorably discharged from the medical service of the army. He enlisted and was called April 15, 1918, and served in different camps in the Northwest until he was sent to Camp Eustis, Va., about two months ago.

New Classes Start Next Monday, January 6. Day school and night school enroll now. Link's Business college.—Ad.

Georgiana, 7 a. m. daily, except Friday, Astoria and way points; Lurline, 8:30 p. m. daily, except Sunday.—Adv.

McCarver, Bates & Levy, fire, casualty and automobile insurance, Yeon building. Telephone Main 168.—Adv.

Special Reduced Prices on holiday goods. Portland Cutlery Co., 88 Sixth street.—Adv.

U. S. Liberty Bonds—Will pay cash, 416 Pittcock block.—Adv.

Dr. Dammasch has returned. Morgan building.—Adv.

Dr. C. E. Brown, Eye, Ear—Mohawk building.—Adv.

Albany Woman Dies Of Spanish Influenza
Albany, Jan. 3.—To go through life without knowing the loving care of his own mother is the lot of a little boy born last Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallagher, his mother having died Thursday night from influenza. Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher were married a year ago. Mrs. Gallagher was only 22 years old.

There were no new cases reported to the city health officer up to 2 o'clock today, against four yesterday and 23 Tuesday. With a rigid quarantine in force, the authorities hope to prevent further spread of the disease.

The thing that appeals at midday—
Lunch!

You'll like our lunch; served piping hot from 11 to 2; delicious menu changed daily; there's none better.

50c
De Oregon Grill

W. H. Markell & Co.
380-386 East Morrison, Corner Union Avenue

29th Annual Clearance Sale
Many liberal reductions will be made on desirable merchandise in every department throughout our store.

Ladies' Beautiful Plush Coats
Salt's Esquimette Plush, satin lined; \$30.00, \$32.50, \$35.00 and \$40.00. To close out at **\$27.50**
Ladies' Cloth and Velour Coats; \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.00. To close out at **\$17.50**

Ladies' Late Fall and Early Spring Suits
All Wools, Serges, Panama and Poplin—navys, browns, plum and greens; \$25.00, \$30.00, \$32.50, \$37.50 and \$40.00. To close out at **33-35% REDUCTION**

Ladies' Silk Taffeta, and fancy silk stripe and plaid.
Dress Skirts
\$6.00 to \$21.50. To close out at **25% REDUCTION**

Ladies' beautiful George-ette and Crepe de Chine Waists, \$6.00 and \$7.00 values. To close **\$4.95**

Ladies' Crepe de Chine and George-ette WAISTS, \$3.50 and \$4.50 val. To close out at **\$2.95**

Aluminum Ware on Second Floor 25% Reduction
An excellent Soap, bar, 5c

No more than six bars to one customer. No phone orders, delivered only with other goods.

White Navy Laundry Soap
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Double Red or Green Trading Stamps Saturday and Monday

PERSONAL MENTION

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