

### PHONE EMPLOYEES TO RECEIVE BENEFIT OF INCREASES IN WAGE

#### Certain Classes of Workers to Get More Money in New Retroactive Contracts Signed.

Contracts signed by employees and management of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, provide important pay increases on certain classes of work and under a special clause are made retroactive to February 1. The contracts arranged by the Association of Central Office Employees and the Out-Department's association have been signed. That involving the installer's association has not been signed thus far.

In the case of the central office workers' pay increases are, for beginners, from \$2.50 a day to \$75 a month and up to \$145 a month after 36 months of employment. Double time for overtime is eliminated and straight time substituted, but employees will be granted annual vacations with pay.

For the workers this agreement is signed by W. S. Gilmore, president; H. T. Scott, vice president and H. J. Sherrett, secretary-treasurer of the association of central office workers.

For outside repairmen the wage has been increased from \$6 a day to \$23 a week. Double time for overtime has been eliminated and time and a half substituted. This agreement is signed for the workmen by M. Stanard, John Williams and E. V. Hunter, officers of the association of repairmen. For the company, W. D. Moore, retiring division superintendent and H. J. Tinkham, new division superintendent, were signers.

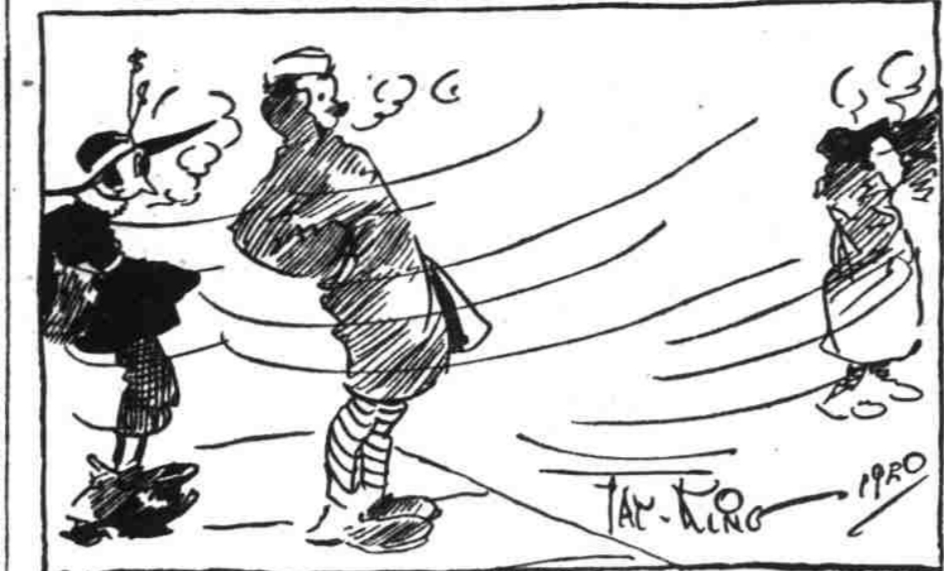
### Many Horses Starve On Mountain Ranges Near Copper Butte

Copper Butte, Feb. 10.—As the snow disappears the carcasses of horses are found throughout the Granite mountains. Owing to the low price of range horses these animals were left to shift for themselves. A dry summer shortened feed and fall found stock in poor condition. Sheep, cattle and the better grade of horses were taken off the ranges and fed during the severe weather, which registered as low as 50 below zero. Some of the range horses found their way home and were cared for, but the bones of the weaker ones are mute evidence of the ravenous appetites of wolves and coyotes, the latter having devoured the frozen flesh. The best grade of horses commands good prices, and has not lacked care, but the \$25 and \$35 horse has had a battle for life and his bleached bones during the coming summer will tell why the trappers have met with poor success during the winter in catching coyotes. The coyote had an abundance of horse flesh.

### Students at Free School to Dance

Students of the free night school being maintained at 290 Grand avenue north by the Knights of Columbus committee on war activities are to have their first social evening next Saturday. A dance is planned to which the 500 students and their girl friends are invited. The work of the free employment bureau for ex-service men by the Knights of Columbus took on added life last week, with the sending out of a large number of letters to business houses in Portland and vicinity employing much help. The employers are being appealed to in the work of securing permanent positions for the ex-service men.

### FAY KING FINDS FOLKS READY TO FREEZE FOR SALVATION ARMY



By Fay King (Miss King is a Portland girl, whose first newspaper work was published in The Journal several years ago. She now is located in New York.)

The other night, when it was cold enough to freeze the alcohol in the mind of a prohibitionist and the wind was howling like a bad loser at poker, and the icicles hung around the taxi top like pass moochers around the sporting editor on the eve of a fight, the faithful old Salvation Army was holding down its old corner stand, bravely singing away to the accompaniment of the tamborine.

You'd think they were going up in smoke from the breath clouds that rose on the cold air as they sang along, and the shivering few that stood along the curb to get their message had to keep hopping from one foot to the other to keep their circulation. You couldn't help feeling a thrill of admiration for this Army that is as much on the job in Peace as in War. One by one the gang that had gathered threw a bit of change on the drum and beat it for shelter, and they could hardly be blamed, but one guy stayed.

### Mrs. Volara Nelson Of Twin Falls Gets Air Pilot License

Twin Falls, Idaho, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Volara Nelson, formerly of Twin Falls, has been granted the first pilot's license issued by the Aero club of America, say eastern newspapers. She is an expert aviator and knows how to do the loop, the loop, tail spin and many other aerial feats. She left Twin Falls in 1915, going to Boise, where her husband became manager of the King Motor company. She was for a time interested in automobiling and appeared with great success in the War Bonnet round-up at Idaho Falls in 1914. Later she as- sisted Barney Oldfield, master driver, with her driving.

### Woman Has Rival in Field for Constable

A few years ago Mrs. Nelson forsook the race track for the clouds and has achieved remarkable success in that field. Sig Wertheimer, 1111 East Morrison street, is the first to contest honors for the Republican nomination for constable with Mrs. Mary Jackson. Wertheimer, previous to 1918, had 10 years' experience in the constable's office as deputy, and on this bases his campaign. His slogan is "trained by experience for the office."

### Pulls Gun Instead Of Money; 'Profiteer' He Yells at Dealer

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 10.—(I. N. E.)—"Anybody that has the nerve to charge \$18 for a pair of shoes hasn't any kick coming when he gets some of his own medicine," declared a bold bandit as he drew a gun on a local merchant and backed out of the store today.

### Workingmen Dig Up Silver Bullion Loot

Twin Falls, Idaho, Feb. 11.—While digging a basement for a house in the Antelope Springs district, W. A. Snyder discovered eight bars of silver bullion, believed to have been cached there years ago by some robbers in the stage coach days. The bars were once inclosed in a wooden box, it is believed, as pieces of decayed wood were found. Of European invention is a pneumatic life boat that can support 60 persons in water, and which can be inflated and made ready for use in three minutes.

### Bergman Shoe Co. Plans New \$40,000 Factory Structure

Output of the Theo. Bergmann Shoe company will be trebled by the addition of new equipment during the next six months, according to officials of the concern. Plans are being prepared by Clause & Clause for the erection of a new factory building at Eighteenth and Thurman streets for the Bergmann company. The new structure will be three stories in height with a full basement, 60 by 100 feet in dimensions and will cost approximately \$40,000. The Bergmann company employs 35 men in its present plant at 621 Thurman street in the manufacture of logging, work and sporting boots and shoes. The present annual output is valued at approximately \$300,000.

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### BRIEF SUMMARY OF WHAT TO EXPECT

**In the Suits**  
Handsome new ripple model of tricotine—other materials, too—variously fashioned and enhanced in some instances with smart touches of embroidering. Artistic use of buttons are of note on some garments.

**In the Dresses**  
Taffetas claim greatest favor—quite the vogue in leading fashion circles. In this sale you'll see the newest style features in frocks, embroidered, beaded or shell trimmed. Predominant are navy, black, brown, taupe and gray. Satin, tricotine, tricolette, georgette, serges and tricotines also shown.

**In the New Coats**  
The NEW in coats calls for jaunty cuts of camel's hair cloth and polo fabrics. They are in this sale—the selection comprehensive. Medium and three-quarter lengths. Every new shade—all sizes.

**Special Skirt Sale**  
At 20 per cent off low regular prices, choice of all our new spring skirts. Handsome plaidings in wool fabrics—striking sports patterns. Many silk skirts in this new showing. Plain and pleated models.

**THE NEWEST Millinery 20% Off**

—New, every hat.  
—Regular \$7.50 to \$25.00 hats.

Sale Price **\$6 to \$20**

—Of refreshing newness, these artful creations with floral and ribbon garniture. We remark the great variety of effects in this sale.

## Extra Saleswomen Wanted!

# Thrilling News For Women!

### --Something Has Happened!

Luck is like lightning—unexpectedly and positively it strikes. We dare say not one of you dreamed of such a thing as leisurely choosing from many hundreds of authentic and beautiful spring garments at genuine price reductions of from 20 to 30 per cent. Yet, that is the joyous opportunity before you at Peterson's Upstairs Store starting tomorrow.

We doubt if Portland's retail history records a seasonal event the equal of this, and it would not be the case now were it not prompted by a reason altogether urgent. You'll remember when, less than a year ago, the Peterson store was more than doubled in size. At that time a partner was taken into the business and the capital increased. Now it is that Mr. Peterson is again acquiring sole ownership and must raise the cash quickly with which to purchase the other's interest. That, in brief, is why the actual savings on spring's choicest garments and millinery are as remarkable as they are bona fide.

## Naturally, We Are Calling This PETERSON'S MONEY-RAISING SALE!

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All \$49.50 Spring Garments, Money Raising Sale Price \$39.60
All \$54.50 Spring Garments, Money Raising Sale Price \$43.60
All \$59.50 Spring Garments, Money Raising Sale Price \$47.60
All \$69.50 Spring Garments, Money Raising Sale Price \$55.60
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