

TOWN TOPICS

Travelers to all parts of the United States of about 2000... Northwest Building Contractors' association... State Sunday School association, May, 1920...

TODAY'S FORECASTS

Portland and vicinity: Tonight and Tuesday unsettled, probably with rain; northerly winds... Oregon and Washington: Tonight and Tuesday fair, light northerly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Three areas of moderate to heavy rain are apparent this morning... Precipitation has occurred in the southern Pacific states and scattered showers near the Atlantic coast.

OBSERVATIONS

Table with columns: STATIONS, TEMPERATURE (High, Low, Wind, Clouds, Rain, Snow, Fog, Ice, etc.) for various locations like Boise, Idaho, Boston, Buffalo, etc.

THRIFT STAMPS

McKevins Speaks on Robert Emmet... Dr. W. T. McKevins, pastor of the First Congregational church, will act as presiding officer...

Arrested of Breaking Dry Law

Rambo, a chimney sweep law—John Rambo, a chimney sweep, was arrested at Second and Burnside streets early Sunday morning on a charge of violating the prohibition law...

Out Again, in Again, Pearson

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Persia Writer Speaker

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Two Are Arrested—Gunner Anderson

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Anderson Trial Wednesday

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Boys Injured—Ivan Scott

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Westminster Guild Rally

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Ben Butler Post Meets

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Carlisle Plans Probe

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son, which is to be carried on under the auspices of the extension division of the university. Dr. Carlisle is a graduate of the Western Reserve university and for the past 20 years has been particularly interested in the problems under investigation.

Law May Be Repealed—Assurance of efforts to repeal a law which makes it possible for the department of the interior to sell Indian lands to private parties without the consent of the heirs, was given at Washington to the Umatilla Indian delegation, which recently returned to Pendleton. Senators McNary and Chamberlain and Representative Sinnott, with C. Merritt, assistant commissioner of Indian affairs, are reported to have given assurance that the law will be changed.

Will Not Locate in Vancouver—That the Dalley Products company, claiming to have an ultimate capacity of 2000 employees, will not locate in Vancouver has been definitely announced by members of the Vancouver port commission. The company may locate in Astoria or other port on the coast.

Damage Suit to Commence—A damage suit involving \$40,000, resulting from the cancellation of contracts by the United States government at the close of the war, will be tried in the superior court of Clark county on Tuesday. The United States Spruce Production corporation has made defendant in the suit which was brought by the Siler Mill company of South Bend, which held large contracts to supply spruce logs for the cut-out plant at Vancouver.

Big Shipment of Cider—Twenty carloads of cider, valued at \$40,000, will be shipped out of Vancouver by the Interstate Products company within the next five weeks, according to Manager Hamling. The shipment is preparatory to moving, as the present site occupied by the firm has been sold. Whether the Interstate Products company will remain in Vancouver or will locate elsewhere in Clark county has not definitely been decided.

New Club Head Chosen—At a special meeting of the Greater Willamette club of Willamette university, Manager Paul Flegel of Portland tendered his resignation because of his duties as manager of the 1921 "Wallah" Harold Miller was elected to the place and will take up his duties at once, one of the most important of which is the management of the 1921 "Wallah" Harold Miller tournament, to be held at Willamette university March 4 and 5.

Coal Fields Investigated—Coal fields lying dormant in the Columbia river basin and within easy access, which would give this section of the country an unlimited supply of cheap fuel, are being investigated, according to A. I. Haley, engineer of the port of Vancouver. Tests have been made showing that the coal makes coke comparing with the best, and that the product is high in tar, oils, pitch, benzol, ammonia, cresol and gas.

Want Duty on Beans—Oregon bean growers are urged in a letter from G. E. Hyson, professor of horticulture at Oregon Agricultural college, to petition congress to enact a duty of 4 cents a pound on beans shipped into this country from the Orient. It is said that the larger the bean crop in the Orient being sent into the United States it great quantities and spoiling the market for the domestic crop.

Highway Paving Resumed—Officials of the Kibbe Construction company, engaged in paving the Columbia River highway between Hood River and Wyeth, announce that they have begun laying "hot stuff" and the road will be completed in a few days. The road is to be 6 p. m. between Hood River and Cascade Locks. It is believed the paving crews will reach the Hood River city limits by June 8.

Water Supply for Reedsport—It will cost \$100,000 to put in a water supply at Reedsport, according to W. P. Reed, who spent a few days in Portland last week. The water is to come from Clear Lake, which is about six miles from the town, and contains 400 acres. The lake averages 200 feet in depth and is 230 feet above sea level. A tunnel 2000 feet in length will be driven to lay some of the water pipe.

Rashford Buys Timber—The sale of 1019 acres of timber land along the Lewis river to N. R. Rashford of Portland was completed last week. The land was sold by the Darr and Sawmill Lumber company, the consideration being \$10,000. Mr. Rashford is interested in a logging firm near La Center, and it is said that he will buy 20,000,000 feet of lumber during the year in the forests along Lewis river.

Bridge to Be Started Soon—It has been given out that construction work on the piers of the "Bridge of the Gods" across the Columbia river at Cascade rapids will be started just as soon as the water is low enough to permit the pouring of the concrete for the base of the piers.

Chickens Stolen From Family Coop—Has the H. C. L. inspired chicken stealing? Or are the darktown strutters hereabouts? A. Huber of 153 East Eighteenth street north has reported to the police that someone stole four fine chickens from the family coop.

Who Likes to Wash, and what's the use, when the Palace laundry will do your washing so well and so cheaply? Family economy wash as done by the Palace at 7 cents per pound is receiving the approval of those who are trying it. Phone East 330—Adv.

Woman Hurt in Fall—As the result of a fall at her home at 771 East Eighth street north, Mrs. T. W. Spencer, aged 70, suffered a fractured wrist and broken nose Sunday. She was taken to Good Samaritan hospital.

Portland-Newberg—Leave Fourthhand Alder daily, 8:30, 9:30, 11 a. m., and 1, 2:30, 4:15, 6:30 p. m.; Saturday and Sunday, 11 p. m. Phone Main 5165.

McCarraig, Bates & Lively—Fire, life, casualty and automobile insurance, Yeon building, Telephone Main 183—Adv. McCarraig, Bates & Lively—Fire, life, casualty and automobile insurance, Yeon building, Telephone Main 183—Adv. "Milk Cure" at the Moore Sanitarium. Dr. A. G. Bettman has returned—Adv.

FAY KING "ALL HET UP" BY TAX EXEMPTION FOR ALIMONY-CHASERS



By Fay King (Mrs. King is a Portland girl, whose first newspaper work was published in The Journal and the Oregonian. She now is located in New York.) No income tax on alimony checks! Good night! That makes me sore! Can you imagine these alimony queens that wouldn't turn a finger to earn a living, but started right in to scheme and land some guy with a bunch of kale? They were figuring on the alimony end of the purse when the very wedding bells were ringing, and could hardly wait for some filmy excuse to give the hubby the gate. And since they have done nothing all day but rock and knock and gab and snore and dress and fuss. They never had a chick or a child or a generous impulse. They set back swathed in finery, loafing through life, while the poor guy in the case should marry again and the little old chick shouldn't happen to be forthcoming maybe the alimony hound wouldn't bust up his new home in a hurry! One way to check divorce is to tax alimony. Far be it from me to dictate to the government, but I think in some cases there should be an income tax on alimony and a luxury tax besides. Anyway, tax should be adjusted —not so much by the INCOME as the OUTGO! It ain't how much money you GET; it's how much you manage to KE P that should be taxed. Lots of folks have a pretty good INCOME, but there are so many necessary expenditures one way or another they really MAKE very little. But the woman who lives a selfish, useless life on checks sent her by some smart guy she double crossed certainly ought to be made to hand over as readily as the working woman who pays her own way! My ideas about alimony are these: A father separated from his family should be forced to contribute to their support, and that sort of al-

come. In the period during which Europe is expected to curtail purchases here, she may be able to manufacture goods for sale in this country, which would help to correct the exchange. In the meantime some plan may be evolved which will lead to resumption of trade with foreign nations.

COMMUNITY SERVICE TO MOBILIZE IN CAMPAIGN FOR FUND OF \$20,000

An "army" and a "navy" are being mobilized and trained for a campaign of dollars about to be launched by the community service. To provide trained leaders, places of meeting and equipment for a social, recreational and educational program as outlined by the community service, will require at least \$20,000, and the task of collecting this sum has been assigned to Walter Jenkins, song organizer of the community service. Admiral Mrs. Lloyd Leslie of the Woodard, Clark company heads the "navy," and under her are five captains as follows: Florence John, Gladys Murray, Nellie Arkins, Gladys Johnson and Marie Gilmore. Under each of these captains will be 10 "boats."



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bringing in the largest number of members and the girls bringing in the biggest sums of money. Jenkins will be assisted throughout the campaign, especially with the women's organizations, by Mrs. Alexander Thompson, a member of the council of 100 of the community service. Headquarters for the organization are at 436 North-western Bank building, telephone Main 654. About \$2500 has already been subscribed at Jerome as support for first class baseball team the coming summer.

Time Granted to Ask New Trial—C. Byron of Portland and E. M. Comyns of Seattle, both attorneys, who were convicted in Seattle last week of using the mails to defraud, have received an extension of 10 days in which to file motions for a new trial. Byron and Comyns were charged with defrauding purchasers of government lands.



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Glassware Sale

Advertisement for Glassware Sale, featuring a list of items and prices: 'Thin Blown Ice Tea Tumblers on sale Tuesday, only 10c'.