

COASTAL WIRELESS SCORED DELAY TO BE REVERSED

Marine disasters on the Pacific coast, such as that which occurred to the Japanese steamer Tokyoku Maru Monday, may continue to result in loss of life unless wireless service at coastal stations are improved...

Over has sent a detailed report of the activity of his vessel in rendering assistance to the Tokyoku Maru to the district communication superintendent of radio at Bremerton and a copy has also been sent to the Portland Chamber of Commerce...

NO REPLY RECEIVED The master of the motor schooner says that he intercepted S. O. S. calls from the Japanese steamer at 4:25 p. m. and again at 11:50 p. m., when the master of the steamer in distress said that he had to abandon ship...

SERVICE CALLED ROTTEN Over continues his communication as follows: "The common, much abused excuse that they were at the time working on a line was long since discarded in this case rather out of place as the distress signals were sent continuously for 20 minutes..."

CHICAGO MAYOR IS CALLED DANGEROUS Farmer will default his interest next autumn if present prices prevail even with good crops. But given the present low prices, Chicago will need help. Wheat, cattle and cotton must bring more money on the farm before industry in Chicago can hope to get back to the 1919 level...

WAR DEPARTMENT TO APOLOGIZE FOR ANY ERRORS ON SLACKERS Washington, May 7.—(L. N. S.)—The war department will make a public apology if the name of any man is erroneously included in the list of draft evaders now being made public. Secretary of War Weeks announced today. The secretary said every effort had been made to check the list, but that it was possible that errors might have crept in...

ROUTE IS CHANGED FOR VANCOUVER CARS All Vancouver cars will be operated the reverse way around the Broadway bridge loop beginning Sunday, according to an announcement made Friday by the engineering department of the P. R. & N. The change is being made in an effort to relieve traffic congestion on Washington street. The bridge will be routed from the Broadway bridge, over the Washington street bridge, to Fifth and Glisan and back to the bridge...

NO LOWERING TO BE MADE IN COAL RATE Coal operators have been advised that reduction in the cost of transportation on coal is not to be expected this year. H. E. Lounsbury, secretary of the National Coal Association, advised that the Interstate Commerce commission has advised that the transportation costs had not been proposed to the I. C. C. There are local reasons why the bankers who are so wise about many things, who know conditions so far from home, do not feel free to interfere to break...

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Through the activities of the fire marshal's bureau there is good prospect of a spring "cleanup" of sections of the downtown district through the raising of about a dozen decrepit buildings that have been determined a menace to public safety. In addition to orders for demolition previously issued, new orders have been served on property owners...

THE BUILDINGS WHICH MUST BE TORN DOWN WITHIN 30 DAYS, IN COMPLIANCE WITH THESE ORDERS, INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING: Nos. 213, 213 1/2 and 215 Third street, and Nos. 225, 236 and 237 Belmont street, having frontage of 100 feet on Salmon street...

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DR. EDWARD SISSON ACCEPTS CHAIR OF PHILOSOPHY IN REED Dr. Edward O. Sisson, until recently professor of the Montana State university at Missoula, has accepted the chair of philosophy at Reed college, according to an announcement of the regents today. Dr. Sisson's election to the Reed faculty is the first return of the Eastern trip of President Richard F. Scholz of Reed, who spent a day at the Montana institution on his way to New York...

LAND SEEKERS NEED NOT FEAR INFLATION OF VALUES, OPINION Settlers from the Middle West desiring land in Oregon will not be met with inflated land values, the opinion of secretaries of commercial organizations in the state in messages to the State Chamber of Commerce. This query was made to the chamber by immigration and settlement officials of Western railroads, and the questions were telegraphed to all the commercial organizations of the state. The opinion was that the man with \$2000 to invest had better than an average chance to make good at farming in this state...

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