

TOWN TOPICS

COMING EVENTS

State Retail Hardware and Implement Dealers' Association, January 25 to 27.
National Dietetics Association, Portland, Jan. 25 to 27.
Quarterly conference of Oregon and Washington churches of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Portland, February 4 to 6.
Annual convention Oregon Christian Endeavor Union, Salem, February 15 to 18.
Home makers' conference, Corvallis, March 20 to 25.
United Presbyterian church synod assembly, Albany, April 11.
United Workmen, grand lodge, April.
Eure Festival, June 7, 8 and 9.
Order of Eastern Star, 5 and 6.
The American Institute of Banking, July 15 to 22.
National convention of Protestant Episcopal church of America, Portland and September 5 to 25.
International Livestock Exposition, November 4 to 12.

WEATHER FORECAST

Portland and vicinity: Tonight and Thursday rain; southerly wind. Friday and Saturday rain; southerly wind. Sunday and Monday rain; southerly wind. Tuesday and Wednesday rain; southerly wind.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Low pressure system in Alaska and Western British Columbia, but practically the entire United States is still covered by two high pressure areas, one central in the Great Valley and the other in the northern Pacific slope. Precipitation has been heavy in the north Pacific slope, and in the Great Valley. The temperature in the north Pacific slope, and in the Great Valley, is below normal from the middle Mississippi valley to the north Atlantic coast. The temperature in the south Pacific slope, and in the Great Valley, is above normal from the middle Mississippi valley to the north Atlantic coast. The temperature in the south Pacific slope, and in the Great Valley, is above normal from the middle Mississippi valley to the north Atlantic coast.

OBSERVATIONS

STATIONS	Temp.	Wind	Clouds	Pressure
Baker, Or.	36	8	0-99	30.0
Bell, Idaho	36	8	0-99	30.0
Boston, Mass.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Buffalo, N. Y.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Chicago, Ill.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Denver, Colo.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Des Moines, Iowa	18	0	0-99	30.0
Dodge City, Kan.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Edmonton, Alberta	18	0	0-99	30.0
El Paso, Tex.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Galveston, Texas	18	0	0-99	30.0
Havana, Cuba	18	0	0-99	30.0
Indianapolis, Ind.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Juneau, Alaska	18	0	0-99	30.0
Kansas City, Mo.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Los Angeles, Cal.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Manitowish, Wis.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Medford, Or.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Mesa, Ariz.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Minneapolis, Minn.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Missoula, Mont.	18	0	0-99	30.0
New Orleans, La.	18	0	0-99	30.0
New York, N. Y.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Omaha, Neb.	18	0	0-99	30.0
North Platte, Neb.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Oklahoma City, Okla.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Phoenix, Ariz.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Pittsburg, Pa.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Portland, Or.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Prince Albert, Sask.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Roseburg, Or.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Rosewell, N. Y.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Sacramento, Cal.	18	0	0-99	30.0
St. Louis, Mo.	18	0	0-99	30.0
St. Paul, Minn.	18	0	0-99	30.0
San Diego, Cal.	18	0	0-99	30.0
San Francisco, Cal.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Seattle, Wash.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Spokane, Wash.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Tacoma, Wash.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Tampa, Fla.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Tucson, Ariz.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Vancouver, B. C.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Wallula, Wash.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Washington, D. C.	18	0	0-99	30.0
Yakima, Wash.	18	0	0-99	30.0

Quarter Block Transferred—The quarter block at the southwest corner of Eighteenth and Everett streets was transferred Tuesday from the Apartment House Investment company to Harry Krause for a consideration of approximately \$40,000. The property is improved with a three-story frame house. The deal was handled by H. Lee Turner and H. L. Metzger of the Metzger-Parker company. Krause announced that the purchase was made as an investment.

Surveying New Colony—C. J. Buck, assistant district forester, has returned from Okanogan, where he has been looking over plans for recreation layouts on various national forests in Washington.

In the Wenatchee national forest a summer home site is being surveyed on the Indian river south of Lake Chelan, which is visited by thousands of persons from the Wenatchee valley for fishing and camping. In the Rainier national forest 65 permits are in effect and 25 applications received for lots, the surveying of which began three years ago. A few years ago there was not a summer home in the region, says Buck.

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Hauser Is Host at Dinner—A complimentary dinner was given at the Midway hotel Monday night by Eric V. Hauser to the engineers and construction men in charge of the work just completed on the Elk Rock tunnel on the Southern Pacific electric line. Fifty guests were present, and among the speakers were Mayor Baker, Chief of Police Jenkins and Kenneth Hauser.

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Beneficiaries of Compensation Law Widely Scattered

Salem, Jan. 25.—Every county in Oregon, 25 of the 48 states in the union and 15 foreign countries are represented by beneficiaries receiving pension payments from the segregated accident fund in permanent partial disability, permanent total disability and fatal cases, according to a summary prepared by the state industrial accident commission.

Of 1239 receiving pension payments 986 are residents of Oregon, 206 are residents of other states and 47 are citizens of foreign countries.

In Oregon Multnomah county leads with 555 cases, 36 per cent of the total and 29 per cent of the grand total. Lane county is second with 74 cases and Marion third with 52. Washington has the greatest number of beneficiaries outside of Oregon, 80, and California is second with 53. Ten of the 47 foreigners receiving pensions are citizens of Japan.

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Southern Oregon People Guests of Ashland Chamber

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