

TOWN TOPICS

COMING EVENTS
 Western Oregon Old Girls conference, Corvallis, April 11.
 Central and South Western, grand council, Albany, April 22.
 Ancient Order of United Workmen, grand lodge, April 24.
 Oregon Lutheran Festival conference, Portland, April 25-26.
 State Retail Jewelers association, Eugene, May 1.
 O. O. E. grand encampment, Eugene, May 18.
 Officers of American, grand court, Astoria, May 17.
 P. M. L. O. E. Jubilee, May 18-21.
 P. M. L. O. E. F. department council, Eugene, May 18.
 Oregon Laundry owners association, The Dalles, May 19.
 Officers of Husbandry, state grand, McMinnville, June 5.
 Order of Eastern Star, grand chapter, June 14-18.
 Oregon State Letter Carriers association, Roseburg, June 24.
 Oregon Boy Scouts Union summer assembly, Columbia City, June 28 to July 5.
 American Home Economics association, Corvallis, July 4-5.
 The American Institute of Bankers, July 12.
 Improved Order of Red Men, annual council, Bend, July 26-27.
 Eugene West, August 8-12.
 Oregon Christian Endeavor Union summer conference, Colquhoun, Aug. 27 to September 4.
 General convention of Protestant Episcopal Church of America, Portland, September 8-23.
 Round-Up, Fredonia, September 21-25.
 English Tenpins, grand championship, Roseburg, October 13.
 Fourth International Livestock Exposition, Portland, November 4-11.
 State Hotel association, Salem, December 8-9.
 State Teachers association, December 26-31.

WEATHER FORECAST
 Portland and vicinity: Tonight and Wednesday, rain; southwesterly wind.
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WEATHER CONDITIONS
 High pressure prevails off the northern California coast and extends from the Rocky mountains eastward to the south Atlantic coast. These centers of low pressure are apparent, one in the St. Lawrence valley, one in western Canada and one over the southern plains. Precipitation has occurred in the north Atlantic states, over parts of the north Pacific slope and at a few places in other sections. Warmer weather is the rule in the West and colder weather in the East. The greatest rise in temperature has been in Alberta and the greatest fall in western New York.
 Relative humidity at Portland: Noon yesterday, 68 per cent; 9 p. m. yesterday, 60 per cent; 8 a. m. today, 53 per cent.
 Precipitation since January 1: Total, 11.58 inches; normal, 13.7 inches; deficiency, 2.12 inches.
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OBSERVATIONS

STATIONS	Temp.	Wind	Pressure
Athens, Texas	78	0	0
Baker, Or.	40	26	0
Billsboro, Mont.	46	26	1.02
Boston, Mass.	46	26	0
Buffalo, N. Y.	46	26	0
Calgary, Alberta	46	26	0
Chicago, Ill.	34	26	0
Denver, Colo.	34	26	0
Des Moines, Iowa	34	26	0
Edmonton, Alberta	34	26	0
Franklin, N. C.	34	26	0
Galveston, Texas	70	26	0
Honolulu, T. H.	78	26	0
Huron, S. D.	34	26	0
Juneau, Alaska	34	26	0
Kansas City, Mo.	46	26	0
Los Angeles, Cal.	82	26	0
Manchester, N. H.	46	26	0
Madison, Wis.	46	26	0
Memphis, Tenn.	46	26	0
New Orleans, La.	78	26	0
New York, N. Y.	54	26	0
Nome, Alaska	24	26	0
North Head, Wash.	46	26	0
North Platte, Neb.	34	26	0
Phenix, Ariz.	46	26	0
Pittsburg, Pa.	46	26	0
Portland, Ore.	57	26	0
Prince Rupert, B. C.	46	26	0
Roseburg, Or.	72	26	0
Sacramento, Cal.	72	26	0
St. Louis, Mo.	38	26	0
St. Paul, Minn.	34	26	0
Salt Lake City, Utah	46	26	0
San Diego, Cal.	72	26	0
San Francisco, Cal.	54	26	0
Seattle, Wash.	42	26	0
Sheridan, Wyo.	46	26	0
Sitka, Alaska	46	26	0
Spokane, Wash.	46	26	0
Tanana, Alaska	46	26	0
Tatoush Island, Wash.	42	26	0
Tonopah, Nevada	58	26	0
Vancouver, B. C.	46	26	0
Walla Walla, Wash.	46	26	0
Washington, D. C.	52	26	0
Williston, N. D.	32	26	0
Winnipeg, Man.	32	26	0
Yakima, Wash.	48	26	0

*P. M. report of preceding day.

Proceedings Halted—Contempt of court proceedings were halted Monday afternoon by Federal Judge Bean when counsel for the defendant, the Pacific Cooperative League Stores company of La Grande, convinced him that the defendant had not been advised of the court's order. Officers of the company were cited into court after R. L. Sabin, receiver, complained that they were withholding assets of a bankrupt store in La Grande, which the court had ordered surrendered. When Sabin attempted to take possession of the property the defendants claimed it had been sold to another party. Judge Bean allowed the defendants 10 days in which to make a showing in court.

Charged With Trapping Beaver—Notice was received at the headquarters of the state game commission today that Dan Heising and John Burns, manager of the Corbett ranch, on the Metolius river, near Sisters, had been arrested on charges for having deer meat in their possession out of season, and of trapping beaver. The notices were sent in by George Tonkin, United States game warden and C. A. Adams, deputy state game warden. Hearings will be held in Bend this week.

May Visit Hood River—Efforts are being made by the apple growers of the Hood River valley to have delegates to the International Apple Growers' association convention at Seattle, July 26 to 28, arrange their schedule of travel to take them through the Hood River orchards. P. F. Clark of the Hood River association visited the state chamber of commerce during the weekend and discussed travel arrangements. It is anticipated that from 300 to 1000 delegates will attend the meeting and entertainment plans will be made both in Hood River and Portland.

Columbia Stages (formerly known as Shepard's Auto Bus Lines)—Portland-St. Helens division—Leave Portland 7:30 a. m., 10 a. m., 1 p. m., 4:15 p. m. and 12:30 a. m. Leave Astoria 7:15 a. m., 10 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 3:30 p. m. and 8:15 p. m. Direct connections at Astoria to and from Seaside and Clatsop beach points. All cars heated. Leave from and arrive at the new Auto Stage Terminal depot, 353 Yamhill street, corner of Park street. Phone Main 8611.—Adv.

Holds Quarterly Meeting—The Holy Name society of the Catholic churches of the archdiocese held its quarterly meeting Sunday at the Holy Redeemer hall, Portland boulevard and Williams avenue, and elected the following officers: J. E. Marcotte, president; Patrick Touhy, first vice president; James O. Aveline, second vice president; Charles Mau, secretary; S. Crespo, treasurer; Phillip Dwyer, marshal.

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Sneak Thieves Bob Tillis—While C. E. Tabler, clerk in sEbell Oil company filling station at East Broadway and Larrabee street, was waiting on a customer Sunday night, a sneak thief slipped into the office and stole \$21 from the till. In the same way \$100 was stolen from the till in the office at Couchman's garage at Nineteenth and Couch streets while the night man was in another part of the building working on an automobile.

Columbia Stages (formerly known as Shepard's Auto Bus Lines)—Portland-Multnomah Falls division—Leave Portland 9:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 4:45 p. m. daily to Hood River, Multnomah Falls. Local at 6:30 p. m. daily except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, and 11:15 p. m. Saturday, Sunday and holidays. Leave Hood River 9:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 4:45 p. m. daily. Phone Main 8611.—Adv.

Ask Lower Fruit Rate—Lower fruit rates over the transcontinental railroads from the Northwest were made the subject of a plaint which was heard last week in Seattle before an explainer of the interstate commerce commission, according to H. E. Lounsbury, general freight agent for the Union Pacific system, who returned Monday from attending the hearing.

Los Angeles Man Wins—Contract for furnishing the screened wagon service for the Portland postoffice has been awarded to Harry S. Cook of Los Angeles, who was the low bidder at \$24,000.

Cook's bid was \$2000 below that submitted by the lowest Portland bidder. The contract will cover a 4-year period, beginning July 1, and will take care of the screened wagon service between the main office and central station to the railroad stations and between streetcar terminals to stations C, E, F and H. Bids were opened in Washington, D. C., and the awards made from that office.

Expert Wood Pulp Rates Reduced—Export rates on wood pulp and wood pulp board from Chicago to the Pacific coast ports, when destined to the Orient, will be reduced from 90 to 75 cents effective in the immediate future, according to announcement made today by J. H. Mulchay, general freight agent for the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon. Rates on tea packages and cartons from Pacific ports to Eastern points will be reduced from \$4.42 to New York and \$4.68 to Chicago to a new basis of \$3.33 subject to concurrence of Eastern lines.

New United States Examination—Not enough applicants responded to civil service examinations for positions of junior engineer, junior physicist and junior technologist in the coast geologic survey, and domestic science teacher in the Indian service, given recently in Portland; so additional examinations will be held May 17, the civil service commission announces. Information and application blanks will be distributed by the secretary of the civil service board in the postoffice building.

Ad Club Speakers Announced—"Finance and Business" will be the general subject before the Portland Ad club Wednesday noon in the Benson. E. L. Eddy, vice president of Ladd & Titton bank, will speak on "Methods of Establishing Proper Relationship Between Banker and Client," and Frederick Greenwood, manager of the Portland branch of the Federal Reserve Bank, "The Value of the Federal Reserve System to Community." Emery Olmstead, president of the Northwestern National bank, will preside.

Ranger Brown Transferred—Ranger Tom Brown is removing from Dufur to Weleche, on the Oregon national forest, where he has been transferred by Supervisor T. H. Sherrard. Brown, whose station has been at Friend, reported the roads so bad between that place and Dufur that it took him from 7:30 a. m. until 6 p. m. to go the 17 miles. A part of the time he had four horses hitched to the front of his automobile. Ranger C. C. Hon will have charge of the Dufur district this summer, and Brown will assist Ranger Henson at Zigzag.

Mormon Apostle to Speak—George Albert Smith, a member of the council of 12 apostles of the Mormon church, and Hiram G. Smith, presiding patriarch of the same church, both residents of Salt Lake City, will speak at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 810 East Madison

Street. Apostle Smith has announced that he will speak from the subject, "The Gospel of Jesus Christ." Bishop Robert C. Iverson of the Portland church will preside at the service. Both speakers are blood relatives of Joseph Smith. Bishop Iverson has invited the general public to the service.

Auto Driver Arrested—Inspectors Horack and Hamrick arrested J. A. Lundeen Monday night on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated. Lundeen was arrested after he had collided with a motorcycle ridden by Percy Austin, 743 Fern avenue. At the time of the accident, Lundeen was driving west on the wrong side of Couch street, according to a report made by the inspectors.

Newsboy Is Accused—Charges of assault and being armed with a dangerous weapon were placed against Morris Carshish, 12-year-old newsboy Monday night, following a fight in the Oregon building. Carshish is alleged to have attacked Louis Cohen, 19, another newsboy. Cohen is a new boy on the job and is said to have resented hazing by the old timers, which precipitated the fight.

Treasury Certificates Stolen—Two treasury certificates valued at \$100 each, a kodak and a gold watch were stolen from the home of R. J. Darling, 1256 East Taylor street, according to a report filed at police headquarters this morning. The burglars entered the home by jimmieing a kitchen window.

Four Chinese Taken—A Chinese matron, Ah Kum, and three men, Ah Sing, Ah Yow and Chin Sing were arrested Monday night by Patrolmen Burdick and Shafer on charges of having opium and opium-smoking paraphernalia in possession. Several jars of opium and pipes were confiscated at 37 1/2 Fourth street.

Notice of Change of Schedule—The Dalles steamer leaves Taylor street dock Mondays, Wednesdays, Saturdays, 10 p. m. Phone Main 8065. Fare \$1.—Adv.

Dr. Katherine Schless, physio-medical physician and surgeon, is now located in the Medical building, Alder and Park.—Adv.

Liberal Party to Meet—Members and friends of the Liberal party will meet in room 204 Public library, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Lost Totals \$1000—An additional report made this morning to the police

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after a second thorough check placed the total loss from the burglary of the home of O. C. Mauthe, director of physical education at the Multnomah club, at \$1000. The loot included diamonds and money. Mauthe lives at 623 1/2 Marshall street. The place was robbed Saturday night.

Portland-Salem-Albany—Leave stage depot, Park and Yamhill, every hour from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. Fare \$1.50.—Adv.

Portland Canton Dance—The Portland Canton of the I. O. O. F. will give a dance tonight at 8:30 at the East Side

W. O. W. hall, East Sixth and Alder streets. The public is invited. Tickets are 50 cents.

St. Helens—St. Helens via Columbia river, 2:30 p. m. daily; 11:30 a. m. Sunday. Alder at dock Main 823.—Adv.

Salem Bids to Bend—Bids made to order. Fleming, 253 Washington at Fifth street. Broadway 4135.—Adv.

Salem-Mills City Stage—Connects O. E. train No. 5 and 9 for Mills City. Joseph Hamman, Salem, prop.—Adv.

Waldemar Seton, attorney, has returned to his office, 710 Chamber of Commerce building.—Adv.

S. & H. Green Stamps for Cash—Holman Fuel Co., Bldg. 235, 50-21.—Adv.

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