TOWN TOPICS

COMING EVENTS

State Retail Jewelers association, Eugene, May 1-3.
Willamette association (Baptist) annual meeting, Gladstone, May 8-10.
I. O. O. F. grand encampment, Eugene, May 16.
Foresters of America, grand court, Astoria, May 17.
K. P. O. R. Jubilee, May 18-21.
P. M. I. O. O. F., department council, Eugene, May 22.
Oregon Laundry Owners association, The Dalles, May.
Patrons of Husbandry, state grange, McMinnville, June 6.
Rose Festival, June 7, 8 and 9.
Order of Eastern Star, grand chapter, June 13-15.
Oregon State Letter Carriers association, Roseburg, June 24.
Oregon Baptist Young People's Union summer assembly, Columbia City, June 29 to July 5.
American Home Economics association, Corvallis, July 5-8.
The American Institute of Banking, July 16-22.
Oregon State Editorial association annual convention, Corvallis, July 21-22.
Improved Order of Red Men, great council, Bend, July 25-28.
Bureau Week, August 6-12.
Christian Endeavor Union summer conference, Columbia City, August 27 to September 4.
General convention of Protestant Episcopal Church of America, Portland, September 6-22.
Round-Up, Pendleton, September 21-23.
Knights Templar, grand commandery, Roseburg, October 12.
Pacific International Livestock Exposition, Portland, November 4-11.
State Hotel association, Salem, December 8-9.
State Teachers association, December 28-30.

FORECASTS

Portland and vicinity—Tonight and Thursday fair; winds mostly easterly.
Oregon and Washington—Tonight and Thursday fair; moderate easterly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The pressure is moderately low in the upper Mississippi valley and upper Lake region, and in northern Alberta. Over the remainder of the country high pressure prevails, the highest readings being in Utah. Precipitation has occurred on the extreme North Pacific coast, in the Northern Plains region and at a few scattered places in the East and South. The temperature has risen rapidly in parts of Alberta, California, Nevada, Oregon, Idaho and Colorado, and has fallen rapidly on the Middle and North Atlantic coast. Freezing weather reaches southward to the Mexican boundary.

Relative humidity at Portland: Noon yesterday, 50 per cent; 5:00 p. m. yesterday, 42 per cent; 5:00 a. m. today, 80 per cent.

Precipitation since January 1: Total, 15.83 inches; normal, 19.49 inches; deficiency, 3.62 inches.

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OBSERVATIONS

STATIONS	Temp. Highest Yesterday	Temp. Lowest Last Night	Precipitation 5 p. m. to 5 p. m.
Baker, Or.	56	32	0
Bakersville, B. C.	36	30	0
Boston, Mass.	74	44	0
Buffalo, N. Y.	42	40	0
Calgary, Alberta	32	20	0
Chicago, Ill.	56	44	0
Denver, Colo.	46	32	0
Des Moines, Iowa	58	32	0
Dodge City, Kan.	..	30	0
Edmonton, Alta.	72	48	0
Fresno, Cal.	72	48	0
Galveston, Texas	70	56	0
Helena, Mont.	42	38	0
Honolulu, T. H.*	76	..	0
Huron, S. D.	54	24	.01
Juneau, Alaska*	48	..	0
Kansas City, Mo.	58	44	0
Los Angeles, Cal.	78	58	0
Marshfield, Or.	62	36	0
Medford, Or.*	70	26	0
Memphis, Tenn.	60	50	0
New Orleans, La.	82	66	.16
New York, N. Y.	70	46	0
Nome, Alaska*	..	..	0
North Head, Wash.	50	44	0
North Platte, Neb.	56	26	0
Oklahoma City, Okla.	58	40	0
Phoenix, Ariz.	76	42	0
Pittsburg, Pa.	56	46	0
Pocatello, Idaho	50	34	0
Portland, Or.	62	42	0
Prince Rupert, B. C.	44	38	.60
Roseburg, Or.	70	42	.0
Roswell, N. M.	58	30	.0
Sacramento, Cal.	68	50	0
St. Louis, Mo.	50	44	.0
St. Paul, Minn.	50	26	.12
Salt Lake City, Utah	48	32	0
San Diego, Cal.	76	50	0
San Francisco, Cal.	70	50	0
Seattle, Wash.	54	40	0
Sheridan, Wyo.	48	26	.06
Sitka, Alaska*	48	..	0
Spokane, Wash.	56	42	0
Tanana, Alaska*	38	..	.04
Tatoosh Island, Wash.	46	42	.01
Tonopah, Nevada	50	38	0
Valdez, Alaska*	36	..	.04
Vancouver, B. C.	48	42	0
Walla Walla, Wash.	62	44	0
Williston, N. D.	36	18	.02
Washington, D. C.	70	44	.02
Winnipeg, Man.	34	16	.02
Yakima, Wash.	66	36	0

*Afternoon report of preceding day.

Salvation Army Revivals—Colonel George Davis of the Salvation Army will conduct special revival meetings at No. 128½ First street, beginning today and continuing to May 1. He is a veteran in Salvation Army work. He served as principal of Chicago Training college, vice principal of New York Training college and divisional commander in Connecticut, Colorado, Wyoming and New Mexico. He is known as the Western territorial revivalist. Colonel Davis had charge of relief work during the Pueblo flood. He was also overseas during the late war.

Columbia Stages (formerly known as Shepard's Auto Bus lines)—Portland-Multnomah Falls-Hood River-Dalles 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 9:20 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 4:45 p. m. daily. Direct connection with all stages to and from The Dalles. Phone Main 8611.—Adv.

To Attend Trade Meet—Several representative business men of Portland will attend a meeting of commercial organization delegates which has been called to convene in New York city May 15. The meeting has been called by the New York State Chamber of Commerce and delegates from 100 of the largest commercial organizations will assemble to discuss commercial problems of the nation.

Progressive Business Men—Before the Progressive Business Men's club at the Benson, Thursday noon, Morris J. Dures, secretary of the organization and service department of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce will speak on "Citizenship—Its Privileges and Responsibilities." Miss Mignon Hawkes will render violin selections. R. W. Childs, publicity manager of the Multnomah hotel, will preside.

Mass Meeting at White Temple—The Oregon Baptist state laymen's council has arranged for a men's mass meeting to be held in the White Temple on Friday at 8 p. m. Judge Corwin S. Shanks from Seattle will deliver the address, in which will be set forth the present condition of the campaign that is now under way to secure the funds needed to meet local obligations to the Baptists' five year program. Judge Shanks is the first vice president of the Northern Baptist convention, a member of the executive committee, and chairman of the committee on adjustments. He rendered valuable service through his committee of distinguished laymen by rearranging the income which the various societies would receive as based upon a smaller income than was originally hoped when we undertook to raise the $100,000,000 budget.

Columbia Stages (formerly known as Shepard's Auto Bus Lines) Portland-Astoria-Seaside 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, 352 Yamhill street, corner of Park street. Phone Main 8611.—Adv.

Illinois Alumni to Banquet—The annual banquet of the University of Illinois alumni will be held at the University club Saturday, April 29, at 6:30 p. m. President P. L. Campbell of the University of Oregon will be the principal speaker. Among other speakers will be Miss Mary A. Rolfe, '02, the new dean of women at Oregon Agricultural college. Reservations are being made with A. H. Burton, 585 East Alder street.

Columbia Stages (formerly known as Shepard's Auto Bus Lines) Portland-St. Helens division—Leave Portland 10 a. m. and 4:15 p. m. daily and 11:15 p. m. Saturdays, Sundays and holidays only. Leave St. Helens 7:30 a. m. and 1:15 p. m. daily and 6:15 p. m. Saturdays, Sundays and holidays only. All cars heated. Leave from and arrive at the new Auto Stage Terminal Depot, 352 Yamhill street, corner of Park street. Phone Main 8611.—Adv.

Contributors to Incorporate—A meeting of contributors to the University Park library building fund will be held at the Artisans' hall, Portsmouth and Lombard streets, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of forming an association and taking steps to incorporate. The old Community club of University Park will also meet at the same time and place.

Smoker Is Blamed—Smoker's carelessness is believed by city firemen to have caused a small blaze in the paper chute at the Montgomery Ward store, 27th and Raleigh streets, about 8:45 o'clock this morning. The fire was confined to the chute. Damage was estimated at $25. Firemen believe an employe threw a lighted cigarette stub into the chute.

"Originality of Jesus"—"The Originality of Jesus: What He Taught That Was Never Taught Before," is the topic to be discussed at Dr. W. T. McElveen's Christian philosophy class Thursday night in the parlors of the First Congregational church.

Messianic Society to Meet—The Universal Messianic society will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. in the Central building, room 206, under the direction of Mrs. Hal G. Child. All are invited to attend.

Portland-Salem Stage—Leave Stage Terminal, Park and Yamhill, hourly from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. and Owl car at 11:20 p. m. daily, Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, 2:30 p. m. and 11:20 p. m. Main 8611.—Adv.

South Portland Bridge—There will be a meeting of the residents of South Portland at Heitkemper's cigar factory, 151 Porter street, tonight, to obtain the full sentiments of the citizens in regard to the proposed building of the South Portland bridge across the Willamette.

Portland-Tillamook Cadillac Stage—Stage depot, Park and Yamhill sts., daily at 8:15 a. m., 12:30 and 3:30 p. m. Special arrangements made for fishing parties. Main 8611.—Adv.

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Str. America—St. Helens via Columbia river, 2:30 p. m. daily; 11:30 a. m. Sunday. Alder st. dock. Main 8323.—Adv.

Salem-Mills City Stage—Connects O. E. trains Nos. 5 and 9 for Mills City. Joseph Hamman, Salem, prop.—Adv.

Salmon Rods to Rent—Rods made to order. Fleming, 293 Washington at Fifth street. Broadway 4125.—Adv.

Dr. J. K. Locke has returned.—Adv.

String Quartet From Corvallis Presented By MacDowell Club

A string quartet from Corvallis, the only one in Oregon appearing in public, was presented in a delightful program Tuesday afternoon at the Multnomah hotel by the MacDowell club.

This organization is known as the Marguerite MacManus string quartet, and consists of Marguerite MacManus, first violin; Hokan Truedson, second violin; John Bedynek, viola, and Florence Bowden, cello. Mrs. MacManus is head of the MacManus school of music at Corvallis, and Miss Bowden is her assistant in the school. Truedson and Bedynek are students at the Oregon Agricultural college who are giving serious attention to the study of music. The quartet has been organized nearly a year and has a large repertoire. Mrs. MacManus made her debut in Europe as violin soloist after having studied with Leopold Auer and later was featured in this country as soloist with Sousa's band. A few seasons ago she made a concert tour with Leopold Godowsky, the pianist. Mature musicianship was revealed in the noble readings of the several works presented, including the Beethoven quartet in C Minor, Op. 18, No. 4. Lovely tone and expression marked the playing of the beautiful Andante Cantabile from Tschaikowsky's celebrated quartet, Op. 2.

Corvallis has reason to be proud of this musical organization.

Burial to Be Near Mary's Peak Home

Corvallis, April 19.—The body of Fred Forstrom was taken to the home on Marys peak, Tuesday, for burial in that vicinity. Mr. Forstrom died in Corvallis from a ruptured appendix, after he had been brought down the mountainside and over almost impassable roads, a journey requiring more than 10 hours. An operation was performed in an effort to save his life. His home was five miles west of Mary's peak. His wife is ill with pneumonia. Several children survive.

Unselfishness Key Word for Rotarian, Says New President

"The English language doesn't contain a single he-man word that indicates unselfishness. We have 'tightwad,' skin-flint and other words to indicate the contrary. I hope to see Rotary become the word that indicates the finest type of unselfishness and service," declared J. Roy Ellison, newly-elected president of the Portland Rotary club, who received an ovation when he was inducted into the office at the meeting of the club in the Benson hotel Tuesday afternoon.

"It is better to give a man a job than $10 or $100," said Ellison, who added, "Our motto is 'He profits most who serves best,'" which means that a man gives his best service to the world and to Rotary by putting his very best into his own business first. There would be fewer jobless, fewer dependents and less misfortune if we did all we could do to energize business. There would be fewer organizations in the Community Chest if organized business did a better job in keeping humanity busy."

Klamath Falls in Quandary on How To Name Assessor

Klamath Falls, April 18.—Will Klamath county have an assessor, and how can he gain office? These are the questions facing the county clerk's office and commanding the attention of Attorney General Van Winkle as well.

The quandry develops from the fact that the incumbent, W. T. Lee, was appointed by the county court upon the death last year of his father, Captain W. T. Lee, who held the office for 16 years. Ordinarily the term would expire in January, 1924. The question now is, does W. T. Lee continue to hold office for the remainder of the elective term, or shall he or some other person be elected to hold office for the remaining two years; and, if elected, would the incumbent hold office for two or four years.

STUDENT ON TRIAL

Vernon Kloster, one of five dental college students charged with contributing to the delinquency of two minor girls, went on trial before Judge Kanzler of the court of domestic relations Tuesday. Fred Jeannete, a musician, was convicted recently in connection with charges involving the same girls.

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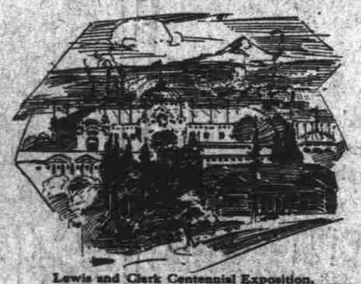

Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition, Portland, 1905

THE death, in 1893, of William S. Ladd, president of Ladd & Tilton Bank, came at the close of a very successful career. Many of the banks of his day throughout Oregon, Washington and Idaho, indebted to him for either financial or moral assistance, thus lost a true friend. Quoting from the Oregonian:

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Among the late public activities with which Mr. Ladd was identified was the securing of a 25-foot channel from Portland to the sea and the completion of the splendid Bull Run water system.

Among the important events of the next 15 years were:

The Spanish-American War, in 1898, in which the Second Regiment Oregon U. S. Volunteer Infantry distinguished itself by being "first in the Philippines," and by its valorous service in that war.

In 1905, the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition.

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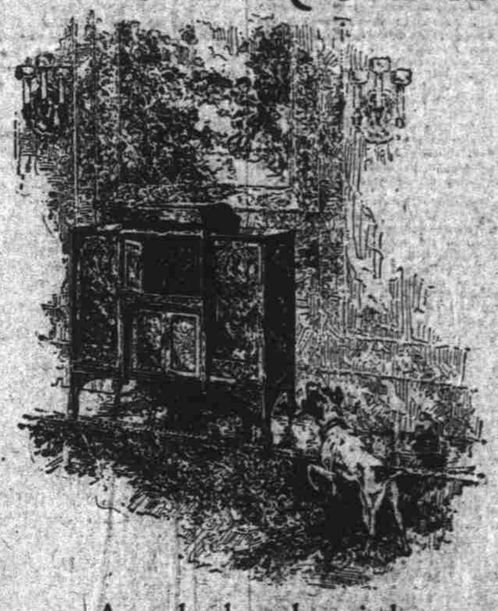

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