

CLIMATE HERE NOT CHANGING

Records of Last 28 Years Show That Weather Man is Usually Kind

LAST MONTH VARIABLE

Conditions Over Period of Last Eleven Years Are Shown in Report

The old-timers will often claim that the climate of this part of the Willamette valley is changing and

that it is becoming colder in winter and warmer in summer. But when the pioneer is confronted with the actual weather reports of the government, and observations made in Salem and vicinity for the past 28 years, the claim that the weather is changing is not sustained.

The past month of January, according to government records of 11 years, was just about an average month, with a little less rainfall than usual for the first month of the year. Records show that December is the real rainy month of the year, with January ranking second for precipitation.

The month just passed experienced a rainfall rather below the average of the past 11 years, as its total was 5.01 inches, while the average rainfall for the month since 1912 has been 5.30 inches. This average has been brought up by the heavy precipitation in Salem during the month of January, 1921, when the total was 10.36 inches.

The night temperatures of the past month have been on the average lower than any for the past 11 years, with but one exception. The average minimum tempera-

ture, which generally registers between 4 and 5 o'clock of mornings, for January just past was 29 degrees. In January of 1916, the mean low temperature was 28 degrees above. The mean maximum temperature of the past month was about the same as in the past 11 years.

The official records of mean maximum temperature and mean minimum temperature in Salem and also rainfall for January of the past 11 years according to the government's record is as follows:

Year	Mean Max.	Mean Min.	Rainfall in inches
1912	47	37	5.77
1913	49	35	4.26
1914	46	40	8.72
1915	45	34	4.08
1916	38	28	4.49
1917	48	34	1.30
1918	49	39	4.39
1919	46	33	8.68
1920	47	34	2.98
1921	46	33	10.36

Citizenship Applicants Will Apply Next Week

On Tuesday, Feb. 7, one week from yesterday, 24 applicants for citizenship will appear before Judge George G. Bingham and give testimony as to their fitness to become American citizens. Twenty of this number have made their appearance before the court and have had their case continued for several reasons.

The four who will make their first appearance and give testimony as to their fitness to become real American citizens are Frederick Wilhelm Moore, born in England; Frederick Wilhelm Otto Bartels, born in Germany; Emil Romner, born in Switzerland and Arnold Augustine Schoenbaechler, born in Switzerland.

Others who had their cases continued at the first appearance and who will make another attempt at citizenship, are as follows: William Weirich, Henry Purdy, William Gengeroth, Anton Hanowski, George Edward Schopf, Edward Klumek, Jacob Biersack, Herman Sprind, Gerhard Fritz, William Parry and Henry Fred Pardy, all born in Germany.

Those born in Austria who will seek citizenship are Frank Calaba, Frank Gringsbl, Emerich Shtatz, Frank Rada and Josef Dolezal. William Walter Psetak, another who will seek citizenship, was born in Canada. Nicholas Maguin was born in Belgium and Charley Johnson, in Sweden.

KIWANIANS ARE INDIAN GUESTS

Domestic Science Girls at Chemawa Provide Luncheon for Members

Members of the Kiwanis club who attended the luncheon yesterday given in their honor at the Salem Indian school at Chemawa, under the auspices of Harwood Hall, superintendent, are loud in their praise of the cooking of the Indian girls in the ninth and tenth grades of the school.

The girls, who are students of the domestic science department, served fried potatoes in milk, meat loaf, ice cream, salads, fine biscuits, cold tongue, corn, then ice cream, jellies, coffee and most excellent fruit cake.

Following the luncheon there was the singing by the Indian quintette, recitation of the "Message from Garcia," by Frank Johnson, who came to Salem from the extreme part of northern Alaska, and a recitation by Eleanor Hawk, a girl from the Blackfoot tribe of Montana.

Following the luncheon the Kiwanians, under the guidance of Superintendent Hall, were shown through the blacksmith shop, electric shop, laundry, sewing rooms, and other buildings, the superintendent calling attention to the fine work being done by the students.

Fred Erlison called attention to the fact that the Salem Indian school was of great benefit to Salem and vicinity and suggested that Kiwanians should hereafter be more interested in what the institution is doing.

At the meeting of the club next Tuesday a resolution will be voted on in which Kiwanians pledge themselves to call the attention of Oregon representatives in congress to the needs of the institution and towards securing an appropriation of \$150,000 for the building of additional school facilities. Superintendent Hall said he hoped with one more building, to accommodate 1000 students, thus making the Chemawa school the largest Indian school in the United States.

John Rundberg, steward of the Commercial club, was voted an honorary membership in the Kiwanis club for the good work he has been doing this past winter in charitable work. Roy Shields, president of the club, said that Mr. Rundberg has given more than \$500 towards charity the past winter, and that as he was working along the same lines of the Kiwanians, he was glad to extend an honorary membership in the club.

EXALTED RULERS TO HAVE NIGHT

Men Who Have Presided Over Elks Meet Thursday of This Week

According to the rules of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, the meeting held on the first Thursday of February is known as past exalted rulers' night. On that evening past exalted rulers fill all the chairs, and there are stories told of what happened years ago.

Holding down the honored position of exalted ruler of the Salem Elks' lodge is almost an assurance of long life as all the exalted rulers of the lodge who have served since 1886 the organization year, are now living.

The first exalted ruler of the lodge was John Knight, who held the office during the official year 1896-97. He now lives in Portland and is hale and hearty and is expected to visit the lodge on Thursday evening.

Other exalted rulers following John Knight, in the order in which they served, are as follows: W. J. D'Arcy, Frank T. Wrightman, P. H. D'Arcy, W. D. McNary, Frank W. Durbin, Dr. W. H. Byrd, Dr. H. H. Olinzer, George L. Rose, Al H. Steiner, C. L. McNary, W. Carlton Smith, H. E. A. Benoit, Ben O. Schucking, Arthur W. Benson, Charles V. Galloway, Roy Buckingham, August Huckle, Milton L. Meyers, A. J. Anderson, Louis Lachmund, Walter E. Keyes, H. J. Wenderoth, Charles R. Archer and E. A. Kirtz. Dr. Roy D. Byrd is the present exalted ruler, his year of service ending April 1.

Willamette Deputation Team Goes to Silvertown

SILVERTOWN, Or., Jan. 31.—(Special to The Statesman).—The Willamette deputation team has been secured by the Silvertown Hi Y club to come here for the dates of February 10, 11 and 12. Two years ago the Willamette team staged a very successful entertainment at the Silvertown high school. It is expected that the program scheduled for this year will prove just as interesting as the former one.

The Silvertown Hi Y club has gained much in every way during the past two years since its organization. Probably one of the most popular of the club features is the father and son banquet which it has been putting on. The third one of these will be held February 10. The Willamette team will be present to help make

COMPENSATION IS ALLOWED WIDOW

Peculiar Case Before Accident Commission Decided by Supreme Court

The state industrial accident commission must provide benefits under the workmen's compensation act for Mrs. Wunsa Stark of Portland, whose husband, whom she was suing for divorce, died as a result of a friendly scuffle in a shipyard.

The case was appealed from Multnomah county, and an opinion of the supreme court yesterday, written by Justice Bean, affirms Judge Robert G. Morrow of the lower court.

Stark, in the scuffle, was fatally injured, when a fellow employee applied an air hose to his body.

In deciding against allowing compensation for Stark's dependents the accident commission held that Stark was the instigator of the scuffle and further noted that his wife was not living with him at the time of his injury and death.

The lower court held that Stark died while in the performance of his duty and that legally Mrs. Stark had not deserted him, and ordered that the compensa-

INCOME TAX LAWS FOR TWO STATES ARE CONTEMPLATED

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 31.—Advisability of recommending that the legislatures of Oregon and Washington enact income tax laws was discussed at the second day's session of the joint meeting of the Oregon and Washington tax investigation commissions here today.

The Oregon commission, it was indicated, plans to urge passage of such a measure by the next legislature of that state. Members of the Washington commission discussed a proposal to substitute an income tax for the present poll tax in Washington.

Dr. S. B. L. Penrose of Walla Walla and Frank D. Oakley of Tacoma declared themselves in favor of continuing the poll tax. No decision was reported at the morning session.

Pacific Coast Lumber Company Given Approval

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 31.—Federal Judge C. E. Wolverton today issued an order approving the creation of the Pacific Coast Lumber company, an \$18,000,000 concern to take over the holdings of the C. A. Smith Lumber company and all possessions of the old Coos Bay Lumber company.

Other opinions were handed down today as follows: Selma L. Wallace vs. Portland Railway Light & Power company appellant; appeal from Multnomah county; action for damages. Opinion by Justice McBride. Judge C. U. Gantenbein reversed and case remanded.

Mary H. Couch vs. the Scandinavian American Bank et al. appellant; appeal from Multnomah county; objections to cost bill sustained.

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NEW VICTOR RECORDS For February Now On Sale

RED SEAL RECORDS

66019 For Ever and Ever! (Tosti)	Emilio de Gogorza
74724 Alice, Where Art Thou? (J. Ascher)	Mitscha Elman
74726 Quartet in D Major—Allegro Moderato (Haydn)	Flonzaley Quartet
66014 Ol' Carolina (Cooke)	Amelita Galli-Curci
66017 Les Saltimbanques—C'est l'Amour (Louis Ganne)	Orville Harrold
66021 Canzonetta (Goethe-Loewe)	Hulda Lashanska
66020 Sweet and Low (Tennyson-Barnby)	Hulda Lashanska
87331 Querida (My Darling) (Spaeth-Seismit-Doda)	In Spanish Titta Ruffo
74704 Taming of the Shrew—Part I	E. H. Sothorn-Julia Marlowe
74705 Taming of the Shrew—Part II	E. H. Sothorn-Julia Marlowe
87332 Still wie die Nacht (Carl Bohm)	In German Ernestine Schumann-Heink
74725 Fete Boheme (Bohemian festival)	Arturo Toscanini and La Scala Orchestra
66018 Where my Dear Lady Sleeps (Weatherly-Breville-Smith)	Reinald Werrenraeth
64955 Russian Dance (Zimbalist)	Efrem Zimbalist

DANCE RECORDS

18835 My Sweet Gal—Fox Trot	All Star Trio and Their Orchestra
(I'm Laughing All the Time—Fox Trot	All Star Trio and Their Orchestra
18839 Gypsy Blues—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
(When Buddha Smiles—Med. Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
18843 Just a Little Love Song—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
Ty-Tee—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
18843 (Granny, You're my Mammy's Mammy—Fox Trot	Club Royal Orchestra
(All That I Need is You—Fox Trot	Club Royal Orchestra
18846 (I Want My Mammy—Mandy 'N' Me—Fox Trot	Joseph C. Smith and His Orchestra
(Stealing—Fox Trot	Joseph C. Smith and His Orchestra
35718 (Popular Songs of Yesterday—Medley Waltz No. 1	Hackel-Berge Orchestra
(Popular Songs of Yesterday—Medley Waltz No. 2	Hackel-Berge Orchestra

STANDARD AND POPULAR RECORDS

45244 (Mill By the Sea	Elsie Baker
(Baby Dreams	Elsie Baker
45253 (Second Hand Rose	Fanny Brice
(My Man (Mon Homme)	Fanny Brice
18838 (Rose of My Soul	John Steel
(Whisper to Me in the Starlight	John Steel
18837 (Georgia Rose	Sterling Trio
(Tomorrow Land	Sterling Trio
18838 (I've Got My Habits On	Miss Patricia
(Happy Hottentot	Miss Patricia
18841 (When Shall We Meet Again	Edna Brown—Elliott Shaw
(Mississippi Cradle	Edna Brown—Elliott Shaw
(1) Run, Run, Run (2) Jumping (3) Running Game	Victor Orchestra
18840 (4) Air de Ballet	Victor Orchestra
(Waltzes (Brahm's, Op. 39, Nos. 1, 2 and 9)	Victor Orchestra

This is an unusually good list—You are invited to call and hear them



GALE'S ALTERATION SALE

That the people of Salem are taking advantage of these opportunities for saving is sufficient argument for its genuineness. Everything on sale is exactly as represented and remember

No Sale Is Complete Unless You are Satisfied

Men's Work Shirts	Yard Goods	Men's Overalls
Heavy Blue Chambray each	36 inch Cotton Challies, yard.....	Heavy Blue Bib, pair
49c	Amoskeag Utility Gingham, yard.....	\$1.00
Turkish Towels	36 inch Sateens, extra quality, yard.....	Gingham Dresses
Size 18x34—Special	36 inch Hope muslin, best quality, yard	for women and children
19c	Curtain Scrim in white or ecru, yard.....	All At Reduced Prices
Ladies' Kid Gloves	Lingerie Crepe in white or flesh, yard.....	Women's Bungalow Aprons
in White, Grey and Black	Good quality White Outing Flannel, yd. 14c	Extra Quality
Special, per pair	36 inch Silk Poplin, to close out, yard.....	88c
\$1.79	36 inch Silk Poplins, all colors, yard.....	Boys' Overalls
Ladies' Purses and Vanity Cases	58 inch Wool Tweed Coating, yard.....	Blue Bib Double Knee and Seat—Ages 8 to 14 years
At Special Discounts	50 in. Broadcloth, all wool, special, yd. \$2.98	79c
Ladies' Corsets	56 inch all Wool Tricotine, yard.....	Ages 15 to 18 years
Special	50 inch all Wool Storm Serge, yard.....	89c
88c	56 inch all Wool French Serge, extra special, yard.....	Women's and Children's Hats
Compensation is Allowed Widow	40 inch all Wool French Serge, yard.....	A special lot to close out, each
Income Tax Laws for Two States are Contemplated	36 inch half wool Tricotine, navy blue, special, yard.....	50c
Domestic Science Girls at Chemawa Provide Luncheon for Members	36 inch Serges, in navy blue, brown, copen, black and wine, yard.....	Men's Handkerchiefs
Citizenship Applicants Will Apply Next Week	36 inch Chiffon Taffetas, all colors, yd. \$1.79	6c Each
Exalted Rulers to Have Night	36 inch Messalines, all colors, yard.....	
Willamette Deputation Team Goes to Silvertown	36 inch Duchesse Satin, yard.....	
Kiwanians are Indian Guests	Wool Flannel, cardinal red, special, suitable for middies, etc., yard.....	
Compensation is Allowed Widow	36 inch Imperial Crepe, all colors, yard	
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