

Date for Paying Intangibles Tax Extended Until March 10

DISAGREEMENT IS SAID REASON

Misunderstandings Grow From Conflicting Advices To Taxpayers

Because of conflicting and unofficial advices to taxpayers, the state tax commission Tuesday issued an order extending the time for paying the state intangibles tax without penalty or interest until March 10. It previously was announced that penalty and interest would be added after March 1.

Members of the tax commission said a large number of letters had been received from taxpayers in which the writers said they did not wish to avoid paying the tax, but were not informed as to the expiration date. Other taxpayers apparently were of the opinion that recent suits attacking the constitutionality of the law automatically stayed payment of the tax.

"Conflicting and unofficial advices to taxpayers have been productive of confusion and misunderstanding," read a statement issued by the tax commission in connection with the order. "Therefore, with the thought of giving everyone an opportunity to comply with the law, the commission has entered an order extending the time for filing returns until March 10. The action was taken under authority of the intangibles tax law."

"In the firm belief that the law will be sustained and approved by the courts, the commission will attempt to enforce and exact every penalty provided by the law for failure to file the return in regular form and pay the tax within the time set by this extension, not later than March 10."

"No court has declared the law invalid and no order enjoining collection of the tax has been issued. The mere filing of a return, without payment of the tax due thereon, is not in any sense a compliance with the law."

Members of the commission estimated that the tax will return more than \$600,000 this year, exclusive of delinquent payments resulting from the activities of investigators.

GOVERNOR NEARLY INSULTS GERMANS

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The German commander in full dress uniform, went with the German consul, L. Jaeger, to the governor's apartments in the Roosevelt hotel to pay his formal respects. They were escorted to the governor's quarters by Seymour Weiss, Lieutenant Colonel on the governor's staff.

They caught the governor in repose, wearing only green pajamas, a blue silk lounge robe and blue morocco bedroom slippers. Aghast and dumbfounded the German, exchanged courtesies and then quickly withdrew.

The German consul went to the office of Colonel Weiss and demanded an apology to his commander from the governor for his bedroom attire. At first the governor and the colonel laughed, but it was no laughing matter for the Germans.

School Banking Report Is Made Before Teachers

A preliminary report on school banking was made before the Salem Teachers' council by Albert DeWitt at the regular council meeting yesterday afternoon. DeWitt will give a more thorough report and make recommendations for the local schools at the next session of the council.

E. A. Miller, grand school principal, Miss Margaret Cosper, Garfield principal, and Merritt Davis, head of the high school commercial department, were appointed to audit the Teachers' Association accounts for the year. The council also voted to appropriate money to send delegates to the Inland Empire meeting in Spokane. The president of the local association met, attend as the association delegate, or the \$50 allowed may be divided among a party of teachers.

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The Call Board..

By OLIVE M. DOAK

GRAND
North High between Court and State
Today—"Her Private Life"
with Billie Dove.
Friday—"Two Weeks Off,"
with Dorothy Mackall.

BLIGH'S CAPITOL
State between High and Church
Today—"Isle of Lost Ships,"
with Noah Beery.
Thursday—"She Couldn't Say No,"
with Winnie Lightner.

FOX ELKSINORE
High between State and Trade
Today—"Chasing Rainbows,"
with Bessie Love.

HOLLYWOOD
North Capitol street, North Salem
Today—"Big News,"
and Manhattan players present
"The Sp.".
Friday—"The Mysterious Island."

Marie Dressler was funny in the "Hollywood Review," but she simply had not yet begun in comparison to what she does in "Chasing Rainbows." When she informs a man that the only thing that keeps him standing up is the crease in the legs of his trousers it is time to laugh, and how!

Polly Moran is a wonderful team mate for Marie. The two of them create enough disturbance to make three ordinary shows the way the fun is doled out in most of them.

And then there is Bessie Love and Charles King—well, the whole cast is excellent and the acting is natural, so natural that you get the feeling of being a part of the fun and near tragedies.

The play is a stage play but it is so different and realistic that even though you harbor a like grudge to mine against the average "stage play" you will never think of that grudge when you see "Chasing Rainbows." It is better fun than "The Sp." because the entire cast holds up the high level of acting demanded of the lead—in fact it is rather hard to place the lead for it gets stolen several times during the play.

"The Isle of Forgotten Ships" is spectacular to say the least. The photographic effects are wonderful and the sound effects are no less remarkable for as you know it has been difficult to get sound on water. In this picture which is taken on the water and in ships the sound is clear and true and certainly shows the results of diligent and artistic work on the part of the director, Irvin Willat.

Some of the best acting, however, is left for the queer old characters picked up by Willat along the sea coast towns to give "color" to the picture. Of course, Noah Beery is splendid—he always is, even when he is being a villain, there is something fine about Noah that makes one feel that after all he is not so bad.

But for the rest of the actors there is not so much to go said. Stilted action, mechanical speeches and clothes that bear the marks of the present year, despite the fact that some of the folk had been marooned in the Sea of Sargasso for 15 years, takes away from the value of a picture that is truly unusual.

NAVAL DELEGATES PREPARE TO WORK

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The most important phase of conference work will be started again tomorrow, when experts meet to consider the submarine question—not in its political or legal phases, but only as regard maximum and minimum tonnage.

The chief delegates will meet again Friday.

And that meeting, in the view of many observers, will be a large measure indicate what degree of success it is possible for the London parley to achieve.

Baseball League Sked Drawn Soon

The schedule for the Marion county high school baseball league will be made out at a meeting Saturday in Woodburn, it was announced Tuesday. More than usual interest is predicted for the baseball competition in the coming season.

TESTIMONY OF WETS FINISHED

Prohibition Advocates Will Get Chance to Defend Dry Statutes

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Chairman Graham presented a protest from his personal physician, Dr. S. S. Cohen of Philadelphia, against the limitation of medicinal liquor prescriptions to one pint every ten days even though the patient's life may depend upon a greater amount.

Graham said the Volstead law provisions constituted a reflection upon the medical profession. At the outset of the hearing, Graham had read into the record a letter from Walter W. Liggett which the magazine writer replied to Attorney General Smith of Kansas, who was enforcing conditions in that state. Liggett had charged before the committee that liquor could be bought by a stranger within 15 minutes in any town in Kansas.

The Kansas attorney general said in a statement to Graham that the writer's remarks were "false, libelous and untrue." Liggett reiterated his charges today and said his investigation had resulted in the dismissal of the Kansas sniping squad, which has been composed of ex-convicts and bootleggers.

Law All Wrong
Says College Expert

Dr. Stewart Payton of Baltimore, a Johns Hopkins university lecturer of psychiatry, testified prohibition was not a sound method of preventing liquor consumption and for that reason was having a disastrous effect on the young people of the country. He said under questioning that the moderate drinkers have greater expectancy of life than the teetotalers.

Mrs. Courtland Nicoll of New York, secretary of the national association for prohibition reform said her organization was determined to get rid of "that arch hypocrite—the drinking dry."

She said she had seen legislators of New York state cast a dry vote and later in the day "drink whatever they could obtain," adding that the legislatures of other states were no different.

Mrs. Nicoll challenged an argument which she said was advanced by dries that middle western states did not have the conditions she had found in the east.

"The women of the west tell a different story," she said. "One of them told me: 'We have the finest stills in the United States in Kansas. Garages back of high schools in my city are used by boys and girls for storing liquor and beer.'"

At the request of Rep. Moore, of Ohio she said the city in question was Hutchinson, Kansas, but declined to name her informant, saying she was a prominent woman 60 years old.

The other women witnesses were Mrs. Carol Miller of Pittsburgh; Robert A. Lovett of Boston.

BEATRICE WALTON RESIGNS POSITION

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no announcement was made February 29, she indicated. Miss Walton said she had no immediate plans for the future after leaving office.

A Portland paper is quoted as saying in its issue today that the move is generally accepted as a political one and that the new secretary is to be someone with a wide acquaintance and considerable political influence.

More Changes Are Expected Shortly

The paper will say that Miss Walton's resignation marks the beginning of the first of a series of changes which are expected to come during the course of the primary campaign.

Miss Walton was private secretary to the late Governor I. L. Patterson during the last two years of his administration and was serving under Governor Norblad in the same capacity. Following the death of Governor Patterson, Governor Norblad announced that Miss Walton would be retained. Information about her resignation is said to have "leaked out" Sunday following a conference between Norblad, Gus C. Moser and other persons close to the chief executive.

Prior to the conference, it is reported, three names were discussed for the position. These were DeWitt Gilbert, former Astoria newspaper reporter; Tom E. Shea, newspaperman, and Leo E. Merrick, secretary of the Astoria chamber of commerce. Gilbert is now a resident of Seattle.

Another impending change said to be pending is on the state board of medical examiners. Dr. Joseph Wood may be replaced by Dr. C. C. Newcastle. Dr. Wood is also a democrat.

Roy Neer, secretary of the state board of barber examiners, is also being changed. A barber in Astoria is said to have received a promise of the appointment, but since then, the newspaper will say, some difficulties have arisen and the Astorian is likely to lose out.

HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN IS NOW GOING WELL

Reports from the women of the Salem General Hospital auxiliary who are at work in the campaign began Monday to secure additional funds, which will complete the furnishings of first rooms in the hospital report unusual enthusiasm and interest on the part of the public.

It is reported that the campaign is developing into an educational fund as well as one to secure funds this being due to the interest displayed in an number of questions asked about the hospital activities.

No definite reports are yet ready to be given concerning the financial returns. Mrs. M. B. Brown and Mrs. D. R. Ross have charge of the finances. A rummage sale is going on at the same time that the campaign is progressing. This is in charge of Mrs. E. C. Cross, Mrs. W. E. Anderson, and Mrs. W. H. Dancy. The rummage sale committee are in need of more having anything that may be of use will be doing a good turn by getting in touch with some member of the committee.

Foreclosure of Bond Issue of Springs Asked

A suit to foreclose the bond issue of Hubbard Mineral Springs company has been instituted by the Lawyers association of Portland at the request of a majority of the bondholders.

The case was filed with the county clerk here Tuesday.

One of the reasons for the institution of the suit is to secure the appointment of a receiver in order that steps may later be taken to improve the property and provide additional facilities for the needs of this resort. The accommodations are not sufficient to take care of the growing demand and it is contemplated that the same and that the usual high grade service will continue to be extended to guests.

Sisson To Speak To Secretaries At Eugene Meet

"What a Business Man Expects of the Secretary" is the topic for an address to be given March 12 by Brown E. Sisson before the annual meeting at Eugene of the secretaries of the chambers of commerce throughout Oregon. Sisson was president of the Salem chamber in 1929.

Charles Wilson, secretary, expects to be in attendance for several days of the session. J. N. Chambers, president, will attend the meetings the first day.

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CONSPIRACY IS CHARGED TO 9

Three Members of Brokerage Firm Included in List To Face Trial

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field said that Bray and Haddow operated five "dummy accounts" under the names of two persons and by these accounts purchased and sold stock through the firm of Leib and Keyston.

Specifically the indictments charged the members of the firm and the employees named with having known that the money the bank officials used in operating the dummy account were embezzled from the Bank of Italy.

A rule of the San Francisco stock exchange prohibits member houses from carrying margin accounts for bank officers or employees without the consent of the directors of the bank.

The conspiracy, Hatfield said, operated over a period of four years, beginning in 1926 and was discovered last April. At that time Bray and Haddow were arrested by federal authorities following their indictment on embezzlement charges.

Prosecution of the two was held up while national bank examiners investigated the books of the Bank of Italy branch, today's indictments were the growth of this continued investigation by the examiners.

The grand jury set bail for Haddow and Bray at \$25,000 each, for Rosenthal at \$15,000, while Keyston and Galmarrino's bail was set at \$10,000 each. Bail for the others was set at \$5,000.

All Peddlers of Dubious Nature Not Wanted Here

Support of merchants in keeping out of the city itinerant peddlers is asked by the chamber of commerce in a bulletin being sent out this week.

An incident which brought forth the action occurred during the past few days when four men obtained licenses to sell rugs, allegedly to have been smuggled into the country from foreign lands.

The peddlers were gazed as marines and are said to have made numerous sales while in the city.

On the chamber's bulletin the names of the heads of the Merchants' league and the Ad club as well as of the chamber are listed with the request that merchants call these officials when any peddlers make their appearance.

University Man Reads Paper at Medical Meet

Dr. R. B. Dillehunt of the University of Oregon medical school at Portland read the principal paper at the regular monthly meeting of the tri-county medical society held last night at the Elks' temple. Dr. Dillehunt's subject was "Some New Conceptions in Treatment of Fractures." Dr. J. O. Matthews of Salem gave a paper on "General Anesthesia."

About 45 members of the society were present at the session, Yamhill counties. Dr. G. C. Knott of Independence is president and Dr. W. W. Baum of Salem is secretary.

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Willamette to Debate Whitman At Waller Hall

Lillian Beecher and Marjorie Nelson, members of the Willamette university women's debate squad will meet the Whitman college women's team on the question, "Resolved, that the modern diversification of women from home to business and industrial occupations is detrimental to society," in the auditorium in Waller hall tonight.

It will be a decision debate with Norborne Berkeley, Dr. Martin Ferrey, and Miss Grace Smith acting as judges.

Catherine Ogden and Katherine Keisling will talk on the negative for Whitman.

BOGUS COLLECTOR FAILS TO GET COIN

A young man, about 22 years of age, claiming he was a bill collector, failed to make good on his scheme Tuesday when J. B. Friesen refused to pay a \$35 claim presented by the impostor in behalf of the J. W. Copeland Lumber company.

Friesen denied having such a bill and ignored the urgings of the "collector." Friesen, as soon as possible, called on Copeland who denied sending the young man out and found that the bill owed by Friesen was only nominal.

The police were notified. The "collector" was dark, wore a leather coat, and was about five feet, eight inches in height.

Spring Opening Plans Discussed

Plans for spring opening, an event for late in March, are to be informally discussed at a meeting of the Salem Ad club Thursday. The principal part of the meeting will be devoted to a discussion of direct mail advertising led by Gardner Knapp and Arthur Mason.

Announcement of the committee for spring opening is to be made at the Ad club meeting.

AIRPLANES ORDERED

MEXICO CITY, March 4.—(AP)—The government contracted with the Fairchild Aviation corporation of New York today for 70 airplanes of the KR-4 type to be used as training ships by the Mexican air unit.

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MEN'S COUNCIL PLANS MEETING

Three Hundred Expected at Session Scheduled in Salem Today

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The round table on men's work, which is scheduled for 3:30 o'clock, and Ernest W. Peterson of Portland, president of the Oregon Conference Layman's association, will preside.

The largest session of the day will come at 8 o'clock with men's mass meeting which it is expected will be attended by several hundred men from all points of the valley. Bert Edward Smith will be in charge of this session. Signor Cappelli will sing several numbers and Lorenzo H. King will deliver the address. A conference meeting will follow this session.

A program has been arranged for the 200 women expected, this to be held at Waller hall on the Willamette campus, and session will be held at 2 o'clock, 7 o'clock and 8:15 o'clock. Feature of the first and last of the women's meetings will be the singing of Signor Cappelli.

Squirrel Poison Now Available At Court House

In the treasurer's office at the county court house today there is stocked several hundred pounds of squirrel poison which is available to anyone who desires its use. provided a nominal fee is paid to provide for the preparation of the poison.

County Horticultural Inspector Van Trump is in charge of the poison and will sell the mixture at 40 cents a bag, each bag weighing about two and one-half pounds.

Silverton and Chemawa Play Thursday Night

Announcement was made Tuesday that the Chemawa-Silverton high basketball game for the Marion county championship will be right to represent this county in

the district eliminations, would be played Thursday night in the Willamette gymnasium.

The Indians are favorites to win this game, as they defeated Silverton earlier in the season and while the score was close, that game was played before Chemawa received the reinforcements which have strengthened its team this semester.

Chemawa was later claimed to have forfeited a game to Silverton, but this is denied by Indian by Indian school athletic authorities who state that only one game was scheduled.

LOW ONION MARKET HITS LABISH FOLK

A low market price on onions is none too pleasing to Labish growers as shipments have been going out of the warehouses and pits during the past three weeks. Two hundred and ten cars of onions are the estimated number not yet shipped.

Unless there is a decided upward turn in the market, a number of farmers expect to be rather hard pressed to funds before the year is over.

Nevertheless, preparations for the spring plantings are going forward as usual. The Hays holdings will have 250 acres planted to onions this spring.

An oversupply of onions throughout the country has caused the difficulty.

Sunday Schools' Convention Being Pushed Strongly

"It is important, if the county Sunday school convention to be held at Stayton March 14 and 15 shall be a real success, that all Sunday school workers from every part of the county be in attendance," says Fred de Vries, president of the Marion county Sunday school council of religious education.

All who plan to attend the convention both days and desire to stay in Stayton Friday night, should write at once to Mrs. G. A. Sandner, chairman of the entertainment committee, at Stayton, says de Vries, and lodging and breakfast will be furnished without charge.

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