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THE WEATHER

OREGON: Tonight and Wednesday occasional rain west, snow and warmer east partion, moderate southerly winds.

## SALEM, OREGON, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1922 WOMEN JURORS ACT HELD CONSTITUTION

ver Offer \$10,000 Re- ing for magazines. ward For Capture Of Quartet of Gunmen.

viction of any one who participated in the robbery of \$200,000 in currency from a federal reserve REDUCE TAX OF mint yesterday. A limit of \$5,000 was placed on the total rewards which were authorized by the federal reserve board at Washing

Denver, Colo., Dec. 19 .- The city and county of Denver today offered a reward of \$10,000 for the capture, dead or alive, of the bandits who yesterday shot and killed a guard of the federal reserve bank and escaped with \$200,000 in currency in a sensational robbery in front of the Den-

Chief of Police Rugg Williams was still of the opinion today that the men who committee the robbery are not professional bandits, and informed the Associated Press that he was conducting his search slong that line. He believes the obbers have not left Denver, Last night and during the early hours his morning police made a thorsugh search of the rooming houses and all hotels and there was a general checking up of all charcters known to police.

### No Clews Found.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 19 .- After pproximately 24 hours had lapsed since the robbery, police uthorities conceded that the four bandits and their light touring car have at least temporarily eluded The thin air into which the des-

sly vanished is be by charged with radiograms broadmast from several stations (Continued on Page Nine.)

an Community Federation monthmeeting to be held Wednesday Mire Marketing."

Mr. Dodson is regarded as one t the "heavyweights" of the Orethe "heavyweights" of the Ore-m commercial world and has fre-mently been sent to Washington. ntly been sent to Washington, D. C., to appear before committees spresenting matters in which the torthwest is interested.

The Marion County Community deration consists of delegates from 23 localities in the county. It meets monthly to discuss maters of general county interest. The oning of a speaker so well known to Mr. Dodson is regarded as commentary to the federation, as Mr. Dodson is in great demand ughout the northwest as a Weaker on marketing problems.

## MISSING MAIL PLANE

Sait Lake City, Utah, Dec. 19 .sea found alive and well at the ment corporation bill, rather penn STATE LEAVES there his wrecked plane was distance of the state of th ered late yesterday, according

### Salem Reporter Passes On After STATEMENTS Salem Reporter Extended Illness

Theodore M. Irvine, Salem newspaper reporter, passed away at a local hospital at 11 o'clock this morning. He had been ill for three months.

Mr. Irvine, who had been nember of the staff of the Salem Statesman prior to his illness, was formerly employed on the Portland City and County of Den- Journal. He had done some writ-

Mr. Irvine is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sylvia Irvine; his mother, Mrs. Ella Hart of Independence and a brother, Roy C. Irvine of La-Crosse, Wash,

Funeral services will be held Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 19.-The Thursday morning at 10 o'clock ederal reserve bank of Kansas from the Presbyterian church at city late today offered a reward Independence. Interment will be of \$1,000 for the arrest and con- made in an Independence ceme-

Before the Oregon legislature, laws be so amended that farm lands and improvements thereon be assessed not to exceed 80 per cent of that now borne. The move purports to be you are not accurate and are wholam attempt to relieve a part of the ly at variance with the facts," the burden now resting on the farmers letter continued, "I feel it my duty of the state and was launched, on to you, to myself and to the peo-motion of Governor-elect Walter M. ple we both represent to give you last night.

In its scope the recommendation, the committee, is most sweeping.

nothing has been done by the com- ship subsidy bill, or the facts surmittee about real property, and he rounding it." outlined a plan which would relieve real property from state taxes, but larly statements in the questionmake it subject to local taxes. He naire that the government intendproposed shifting the burden from ed to sell its far built merchant land to business and suggested as flet for approximately \$200,000, sources of revenue a gross-earning 000, planned to lend \$125,000,000 tax on public corporations, a net to recondition the ships or build income tax on private corporations, a net income tax on unincorporated usinesses and a personal income

There is but one opinion in the that is the advisability of such a measure. There has been a difference of opinion as to whether there Chamber of Commerce, is in reshould be a flat rate or a progressive rate. The committee, by major-ity, favors the former, Mr. Pierce "R. pressive rate.

merce, will address the Mar- ments on the ame thing in differ- for immediate survey and teleent counties, and the committee from graph report. the beginning has recognized that mening at the Sunnyside school this was one of the first places for lon unless this report is favorable. He will speak on "Cooper- a reformation and to equalize the Would suggest that efforts be burden of taxation.

Washington, Dec. 19 .- Hearbefore the senate banking committee nears a conclusion today, with members of the committee predicting that a comprehensive bill embodying features of several of the farm relief measures now pending would be ready for submission to the senate early next week.

At today's committee session PILOT SAFE AND WELL Ben C. Marsh, who said he represented the People's Reconstruc-tion league, composed of progres-against Max Spiegel, theatrical tion league, composed of progres-Mall Pilot Henry G. Boonstra, sive farmer and labor organizations of the producer of this city. The assets alising since last Friday morning, tions, asserted solution lay then he became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay then he became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay then he became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay then he became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay then he became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay then he became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay then he became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay then he became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the became lost in a blizzard present agricultural situation lay the blizzard sing since last Friday morning, tions, asserted solution of the were not mentioned in the petitoute to Rock Springs, Wo., has in passage of the Norris govern-

What agricultural needs, advices received by air mail of-balls here.

What agreed the but higher prices and legislation which will divorce the farmer from the The Penn State college football ination. prices and legislation which will Wall street owned and controlled team was scheduled to leave here makington. Dec. 19.—By a federal reserve system." He also first lap of its journey to Pasative of 118 to 52 the house to the resolution proposing a consistent of the further issuance of tax among the further issuance of tax in the further issuance of tax among the further issuance of tax in this afternoon for Chicago on the commander, the nomination will minoeapoils a few years ago, actomic for the case of its journey to Pasative this afternoon for Chicago on the be made of Chris. Kowitz and Lyle cording to Mr. Eberhart, who said in the seneral run of its afternoon for Chicago on the be made of Chris. Kowitz and Lyle cording to Mr. Eberhart, who said information concerning the new dens received by telegraph that its not permitting the farmers to lay dens, Cal., where the Nittany peared for the post of chapiain.

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# ON SHIP BILL!

Erroneous Ideas Spread Pacific States Paper By Senator Capper In Magazine Questionnaire Says Lasker.

hington, Dec. 19 .- Accurstatements made in a quesire sent out by Capper's ing board in a letter received by ily designated "legitimate" Senator Capper.

sure you do not desire the readers zona. Montana, New Mexico and which convenes here January 8, will of your papert o reach their con- Alaska. The respondents were give be placed a recommendation that tax clusions upon either inadequate or en 30 days in which to answer erroneous statements."

Statements Inaccurate.

"Because the statements in the circular of the organ controlled by Pierce, at a meeting of the state tax the facts and thus enable you to investigation committee in Portland correct the erroneous impression your publication has created. You certainly would not wish and l suggested by I. N. Day, chairman of certainly could not permit any part of our people to be misled Coe A. McKenna declared that concerning the provisions of the

Mr. Lasker questioned particu-

(Continued on Page Nine.)

### SALEM TO HELP TELL OF ASTORIA'S PLIGHT

ceipt of the following telegram from Congressman C. N. McAr-

"Representative Hawley has in as governor, will advocate the pro- troduced \$1,000,000 relief bill for Astoria emergency and sec-One of the main drives the committee is making is to urge a cen- manding general of the Ninth

"We cannot get legislative actmade to convince engineers as to necessity of immediate relief." Acting upon the suggestion, directors of the Chamber of Comwrote the Portland chamber of commerce and the Senttle cham- Diego. ber of commerce, asking whether it would be advisable for the Sa-Iem Chamber of Commerce to send delegates with other chambers of commerce to aid in presenting ings on rural credits legislation the needs of Astoria in the right manner before the engineers who will survey the situation at Au-

### THEATRICALP RODUCER FACING BANKRUPTCY

Habilities of \$1,000,000, three will be considerable competition creditors today filed an involun- for the principal officers of the

## FOR PASADENA GAME

State College, Pa., Dec. 19 .-

# ACCUSED OF

Dealers Association Target Of Federal Trade Commission.

Washington, Dec. 19 .- The Pacific States Paper Trade association, its officers and members are cited in a federal trade commisaly, published by Senator Cap- sion complaint issued today republican of Kansas, head which averred that, by concerted the farm block, to ascertain agreement and adherence of mem bers of the local association, a schedule of prices was maintained and that certain dealers and f Chairman Lasker of the ship-channels of trade were arbitrar-'Illegitimate."

In his letter, made public by comprised of a number of "local the shipping board, Mr. Lasker associations" embracing practictold the senator that "whatever slly all wholesale dealers in pamay be your position upon the per and paper products in Oremay be your position upon the gon, Washington and California pending ship subsidy bill, I am and others in Idaho, Nevada, Arithe complaint.

# **ELEVENS READY**

San Francisco, Dec. 19-Transcontinental journeys are being started this week by three eastern football teams, representing Virginia, who are to play western elevens in California in the coming holiday season. The Nittany Lions of Penn

State, under Coach Hugo Bezdek, are coming to meet the Universiannual Tournament of Roses east Year's day, Bezdek has given his team a shakeup since its last

Glenn Warner, the veteran coach, is leading his Pitt Panthers to a game with Stanford university, which is coached by his lieutenant, Andy Kerr, Although for the coast Thursday.

West Virginia's unbeaten elevmerce in session last evening, this year. The Gonzaga eleven ject to search. left Spokane yesterday for San

### FOREIGN WAR VETS TO ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

exception of post quartermaster,

For commander, it is probable Jones, present senior vice commander, George Willit and W. W. For that of senior vice com-

test will be between Carl Abrams plant.

## POOR ASK TO HELP POOR PRICE FIXING Can't You Spare Fifty Cents Worth

Consider the 50-cent piece. It toils not, yet it spins away mer-

Of Christmas?

Tossed on the counter of a confectionery store it will bring a bit of candy. It will purchase one hair-cut or double the number of face scrapings. For it, the tobacconist will hand you a few cigars.

That same half-dollar-that identical four-bits, left at the office of The Capital Journal will buy three car-loads of happiness for some Salem kid. Some young lady who's looking for a rag doll; some youngster who wants a pop-gun or a candy cane will never forget this December 25 if you'll forget expenses, become indiscreet and plunk a portion of your pile on The Capital Journal counter.

Feel around. The old semi-cartwheel is jammed down in your jeans now. The Elks need it to buy a cheap present for a youngster who isn't going to have much of a Christmas any way you figure it.

Pluck from your pants pocket those five dimes and step to The Journal office now. If you can't bring it, mail it. You won't miss them and some youngster will miss much if you don't. The money will be turned over to the Elks who are trying, with the aid of The Journal, to reach every family that's needy in the city.

Today is 50-cent day. Will you give yours?

### TO START WEST Astoria on Upgrade; Blue Jackets Leave; 3 Banks Open Today

Astoria, Or., Dec. 19 .- Blue jackets which have been maintaining guard here since fire wiped out the business section of the city ty of Southern California in the December 8 were withdrawn today and the destroyer Yaraborough Pasadena New was to leave if weather conditions

game and, according to reports over the patrolling of the burned were wrecked by the fire will dining room, guard the vaults until they are

temporary quarters, three in the lined by the state board of vocacourt house and one in a building tional education, department of Warner is coach of Pittsburgh which was spared from the flames. trade and industrial education. W. D. B. Dodson, general secretary of the Portland chamber of the portland cha start to finish, reports from Stan- would not each checks on pre-fire nesday afternoon of each week ford indicate. The Panthers leave accounts until the vaults are open-

> Special precautions are being en, which is to play Gonzaga at taken by local and federal prohibi-San Diego Christmas day, is due tion officers to prevent bootlegat Los Angeles Friday for a work gers importing liquor. Some arout. West Virginia is one of the rests have been made. Every aufew eastern teams undefented tomobile entering the city is sub-

Portland Telegram was stopped. type case '95 point Howland cans'

Walker Oille Homstead," a Hol-New York, Dec. 19.—Alleging now held by J. R. Coulter, there Heletals at any new types of the second state company at Austin, Minn., has broken the world's record for a year's production of butter, her figure for 365 days endthe contest will lie between Allan ing at midnight last night being lones, present senior vice com-

# WILL START SOON

has sent five of his regulars, in-area and the residence district, ing school for walters will be held cluding Captain Bentz, center to Details of special officers hired by at the Marion hotel Wednesday the second string eleven. The the four banks whose buildings afternoon at 2 o'clock in the large

> Miss Jennie Baker, head wal opened and the contents removed. tress, will be in charge and take All the banks today opened in up the work of instruction as out-

> > with an hour for each meeting. In-

ernoon, each in the class will be was reported a total of \$8398 given an opportunity to make a raised in pledges during the past A car belonging to the Evening list of the necessary articles used day. Budget and carrying in its ton- at each of the three meals. Also to neau a font of type loaned by the state just where should be placed graph show that the eastern dison the table the line, glassware, trict, which was given a quota of The guard read on the end of the silverware, bread and butter and \$75,000 will not be able to raise other practical matters.

class was established.

### URGES ADMISSION OF ARMENIAN REFUGEES

equivalent of 1521.6 pounds of worth Hunting of Vale told the zation. "What will the rest of Watson, former president of the butter, according to A. L. Eber-house immigration committe to-Oregon say about Salem if we do First National bank of Colquitt, hart, president of the company day that the admission of Near not raise our quota?" For that of senior vice com-mander, it is understood the con-and manager of a local packing East refugees proposed in the At the meeting today it was re-mander, it is understood the con-and manager of a local packing East refugees proposed in the ported that a pledge had been re-dicted by the grand jury in Uni-The former record of 1506.9 grade the status of American civil- ceived from Senator Charles Me- ted States court here on 32 counts, candidates may be placed in nom- pounds of butter was held by lans. He favored their entry he Nary, who is at Washington, D. C. alleging embezzlement of sums tonation.

"Duchess Skylark Ormsby," a Holsaid, on biological grounds, beAnother pledge of \$10,000 was retalling nearly \$100,000.

For the post of Junior vice stein whose death occurred in cause they would be of higher ported from a Salem man who had commander, the nomination will Minneapolis a few years ago, ac- average than the general run of already subscribed, the piedge be-

record was received by telegraph who has worked among the refu-but \$10,000 had been raised in day reduced the price of petroleum

Who are the givers? Who are the ones determined that Salem's unfortunate youngsters are not to be entirely miserable next Christmas day? Along a dimly lighted street

The Capital Journal automobile crawled last evening. It was a far orner of Salem and the address of a volunteer contributor was sought. In the distance a big white louse loomed and the driver concluded his destination had been reached.

But the number was wrong. On

The driver was puzzled.

Then, far back from the road, he saw the flickering of an oil lamp. Through the mud the man made his way to the house, the dimensions of which were at least eight by ten feet. He knocked.

"Yes," the mother said. Shortly she returne d with alarge pack (Continued on Page Nine.)

ports available today from the sanitarium where Wallace Reid, motion picture actor, is suffering been drawn. The next name taken from a breakdown which relatives from the jury box was that of a ascribed to complications follow ng his breaking away from the Lane county circuit court ordered use of whiskey and narcotics, indi- this name to be laid aside as the cated an improvement in his con- male quota of the jury had been lition today.

Reid's physicians said the actor's temperature was nearly normal and that his pulse had dropped from 130 to 112, and he was ble to take a little nourishment.

The physicians said Reid's decline followed his abandonment of the use of drugs and liquor but procedure as a discrimination the specific ailments which threat-ened his life was influenza. against the male jurors and, there-fore, as unconstitutional. ened his life was influenza.

The Methodist Preachers' association of Southern California planned to ask the city council to- to a defendant the right of trial day to appoint a commission of by an impartial jury, leaving the men and women to make a thor- legislature to provide the method ough investigation of the extent of securing such a jury." Justice of the use of habit forming drugs McBride points out in upholding

# \$100,333 NEEDED

With less than 36 hours left in which successfully to complete the points out, "and there is no reason struction will be practical, and Williamette forward movement those wishing to improve their campaign there must be raised a work will be given real demonstratotal of \$100,333 of which Salem tions as to how things should be must raise \$36,000. At the lunchmust raise \$36,000. At the lunch-eon this noon of team captains in Salem and the Kiwanis club there At the meeting Wednesday aft- Salem and the Kiwanis club there

> Report being sent in by telethe amount by at least \$15,000. "Tomorrow night at midnight Wickersham,

we will know the destiny of Willamette-whether she will keep BANKER IS INDICTED her place with the rest of the colleges of the state or take a ster beckward," declared John Washington, Dec. 19 .- Dr. Ells- Nary, chairman of the local organ-

ing given with the understanding

HUMBLE HOMES HELPING ALL POINTS

Supreme Court Hands Down Opinion In Case Of State vs. J. J. Chase Involving Law.

The act of 1921 making women he drove to another large house, barely silhouetted against a blackened sky. But again the number was not the one sought.

Bit the number is a constitutional according to an opinion written by Justice Menumber was not the one sought. supreme court today.

Also that provision of the act requiring the presence of an equal number of women and men on juries sitting in sex crimes involving a minor girl, meajns just exactly what it says, Justice Mc-Bride declares. In other words in a jury of 12 persons sitting in judgment in a case of this nature six of the jurors must be men and six must be women, the act permitting "any suitable process or mode of proceeding \* \* \* which may appear most conformable to the spirit of this code," to be adopted in attaining this equality of representation.

Lower Court Upheld

The case upon which the opinion is based is that of the state of Oregon vs. J. J. Chase, the defendant being found guilty of the crime of rape upon the person Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 19 .- Re- of a nine year old girl.

In drawing the jury in this case six men and five women had man. Judge Skipworth of the filled. The names of other men were then drawn in the search for the sixth woman juror and the calling of a special panel of jurors was necessary in order to fill out the quota of women on the

jury. The plaintiff objected to this

Women Now Peers

"The constitution guaranteer the proceeding adopted by Judge Skipworth in selecting the jury in this case.

"So long as it is a jury of his peers, that is of qualified citizens impartial between the state and himself the defendant has no right to complain because a particular class of persons is included or ex-

"Women are now the peers of men politically," the opinion to question their eligibility upon constitutional grounds."

# **EDICT ATTACKED**

Washington, Dec. 19 .- The lecision of Federal Judge Hand at Members of Marion Post No. 661, veterans of foreign wars, will meet at the armory Wednesday evening for the nomination and election of officers for the ensuing year. Nominations will be made from the floor.

Omaha Neb., Dec. 19.—"May the foat and promptly dumped out the foat of vocation training of the Oregon dy vocation training of the Oregon dy vessels cannot bring intoxicating quota has more than made up the amount with a total of \$110,642 amount with a total of \$110,642

### TODAY ON 32 COUNTS

Albany, Ga., Dec. 19 .- S. C. Miller county, Georgia, and former

Petroleum Price Lower.

New York, Dec. 19-The Stand-Dr. Enther Lovejoy of Portland, that I twas not to count until all and Oil company of New York tofor export half a cent a gallon The captains will meet again to-making refined in cases 16.50 morrow noon for the last meeting cents and in tanks 7 cents,