

City News

THE WEATHER
OREGON: Fair and cool to-night and Sunday. Frosts to-night; gentle variable winds. Temperature today, minimum, 29 degrees. Maximum Friday, 49. Precipitation today, none. Stage of river, 3.4 feet. Direction of wind, north.

Cold Night Reported—
Eugene experienced a touch of winter early this morning, when the mercury dropped to 29 degrees above zero—the coldest weather recorded thus far in 1925, according to Gerard M. DeBroekert, United States weather observer. The freezing spell was not wholly unexpected, as there has been frost on the ground every morning for several days. The thermometer at one time registered exactly at the freezing point, but no one expected it to sink to three degrees lower, at least after the warm sunshine of yesterday afternoon. It was typical of March weather, however, and according to forecasts, some more chilly weather is due next week. The mild week of March will be the week of March 16, it is predicted.

Beans Cause Alarm—
Clouds of smoke issuing from windows at an apartment house at 212 Fourteenth avenue east this morning caused an emergency call to be turned in to the fire department, which made a run to the scene. When the firemen broke into the room they found it to be nothing but a pot of beans, left on a stove, that were burning. A Ford automobile caught on fire at 1253 Fifth avenue last night at 1:30 o'clock, and the fire department was summoned. The blaze was easily extinguished, and the owner reported little damage.

Post Here Monday—
Edgar Lee Masters, author of the famous "Spoon River Anthology," which is considered one of the most original of American poetical works, will speak at the woman's building at the University Monday night at 8 o'clock. This is his first continental tour. Mr. Masters' book is required reading in Yale University. His unusual form of verification and democracy and sincerity have brought him praise from English critics. The Manchester Guardian prophesied that the book would become a classic.

Many to See Europe—
That approximately 20 faculty members of the University of Oregon, and students will visit Europe this summer on tours is the opinion of E. H. Girdon, passenger agent for the Cunard Lines, who was in Eugene yesterday. Mr. Girdon held a number of conferences with prospective passengers who are interested in the new low rate college tours being arranged.

Telephones Down—
More than 100 telephones in the Fairmount district are out of commission as a result of a trolley accident yesterday. A street car trolley slipped off its wire and hit a telephone cable, burning it nearly in two. Service in the Fairmount section will be crippled for a day or more, announced John L. Bland, manager of the telephone company.

Portland Banks Active—
Several of the larger Portland banks are undergoing remodeling and such activity in this line was noted by Bruce R. Brundage, cashier of the Bank of Commerce of this city, who returned yesterday after making arrangements for equipment for the new Bank of Commerce here.

The Sale Held—
Guardians of the Salvation Army are selling tags on the streets of Eugene today to raise funds to purchase uniforms for the guard. Forty of the young women have been invited to attend the young people's dance in Portland, and hope to appear in full uniform. Major and Mrs. J. T. Winterbottom and Captain and

YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE A MAGICIAN TO TURN THOSE IN-THE-WAY-THINGS INTO MONEY. USE A WANT AD.

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4 LOSE LIVES IN FIRE

Townsmen to Stay in Homes

COURT DECREE IS OPPOSED BY LAVOYE PEOPLE

Business Leaders Declare That People Will Remain in Homes

Citations of Contempt of Court may be Faced If They do

LAVOYE, Wyo., March 7.—(AP)—Frontier-like Lavoys, perturbed as never before, contrived today for means to stave off her day of judgment set yesterday by a federal court, because it is alleged, the soil on which this boom town stands, is occupied in trespass, and against the laws of the land.

TRAINING SCHOOL PLAN IS CHANGED BY KAY PROTEST

SALEM, Ore., March 7.—A protest raised by State Treasurer Kay today caused a change in the plans for construction of the new boys state training school to be established near Woodburn. Governor Pierce without much persuasion agreed to the change and it was voted to advertise at once for bids from contractors. It is believed construction will be under way in May.

CAR OF CANNERY PRODUCTS MOVED

A carload of canned cherries and blackberries was sold today for New York market by the Eugene Fruit Growers' association. It is announced by J. O. Holt, manager. The association has been shipping from its stock of canned goods all winter, and always carries enough on hand to take care of orders until spring. The fruit and berries sold today were packed mostly in one-gallon cans.

Eugene High Leads At Half, 20 to 10

Eugene high was leading Corvallis, 20 to 10, at the end of the first half in the Corvallis game here this afternoon. The contest was to decide which team is to participate in the state tournament.

G. O. P. is Split On Treatment Of Insurgents

WASHINGTON, March 7.—(AP)—Objection from their own ranks prevented the republican majority today from completing organization of the new senate.

MR. HILLES MAY BE AMBASSADOR

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Charles D. Hilles of New York, an ambassador to Germany is understood to be under consideration by President Coolidge.

MR. HILLES SURPRISED

NEW YORK, March 7.—Charles D. Hilles said today that he had no knowledge to substantiate the report from Washington that President Coolidge was considering him ambassador to Germany.

Dr. Simons to act as German President

BERLIN, March 7.—The majority party in the Reichstag have agreed to frame a measure appointing Dr. Walter Simons, president ad interim of the German republic. Dr. Simons is a former foreign minister and now is president of the supreme court at Leipzig.

CONVENTION OF NEWS MEN TO BE BIG AFFAIR

Seventy Acceptances to Invitations Have Already Been Received

Six associations will be represented this year, bringing together editors, publishers, advertising men, circulation managers, trade journalists, news service men, writers and printers.

DEDICATION OF NEW CHURCH IS TO BE SUNDAY

Architecture Unique

The exterior approximates the California mission type, with its cream colored stucco walls, brown trim, and copper color above the main entrance.

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Congregationalists Invite Public to Attend Opening of Edifice

The new First Congregational church erected at Thirteenth avenue and Ferry streets, to be dedicated by special services beginning tomorrow, is one of the most delightful and original in architectural design of the smaller churches of the northwest.

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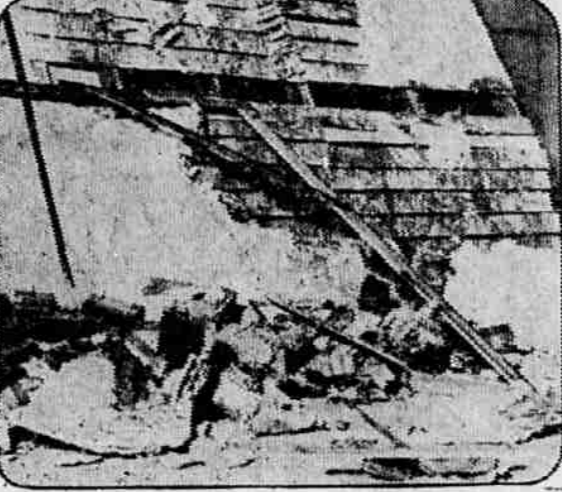
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GUTZON BORGLUM TO SEEK FREEDOM THROUGH COURTS

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THREE LITTLE CHILDREN DIE AT LA GRANDE

Mother is Also Burned to Death; Father is Also Severely Burned

Brother-in-law may Have to Have Hands Amputated From Burns

LA GRANDE, Ore., March 7.—Four persons were burned to death, and two others were severely burned early today when the home of Walter Schultz in Evans, 55 miles northeast of here was destroyed by fire. The dead are Mrs. Walter Schultz, her son Jimmy, aged 4 years; her daughter, Florence, aged 2, and her six months old baby. Schultz and a brother-in-law, Ted Frost, 16, were seriously burned.

TWO CHILDREN BURNED

TULSA, Okla., March 7.—Fire branded the playhouse of Edith and Kate Henckman, 4 and 5 years old, yesterday, and left only their scorched bodies. The little girls were using holes of hay in a barn to represent a stove and dining table. Papa, were on the water-bellows stove. A mattress was struck and the hay burst into flames. Their retreat cut off, the children huddled into the hay, where their bodies were found locked in each others arms.

Pronunciation as Well as Meaning of Words is Essential

When you start to use such a word as "abracadabra" and you are not quite sure of the correct pronunciation, just turn to the "Pronunciation and Etymology" in the New Encyclopedia Britannica, where there will be found a simple, easily understood way that will unlock the pronunciation of the most difficult words.

Man Loses Life For Giving 'Lift'

ELSTON, Ill., March 7.—W. G. Wright, Putnam county school superintendent died at 9:30 o'clock this morning from injuries suffered Wednesday when he was assaulted by two young men to whom he had given a "lift" in his auto near Elston.

150 Fishermen are Drowned or Frozen

EKATERINOSLAV, Russia, March 7.—Caught in an ice flow in the sea of Anz, 150 fishermen and 60 horses were drowned or frozen to death, it was learned here today. The fishermen had gone out for their daily haul with horses and wagons. When in the middle of the sea, the ice broke and they were carried away before assistance could arrive.