

RAINFALL RECORDS FOR MAY HERE ARE BROKEN, IS REPORT

Weather reports for the month of May as announced today by Gerard de Broekert, local weather observer, show an unusual heavy precipitation for this period.

The average precipitation for the last six years in 1.18 for May. This month it is 3.31 or 2.13 inches above normal. This is about three times as much as usual.

The average stage of the river for May for the last nine years is 4.2 feet. This month it is 3.7 feet or .5 of a foot lower than usual.

The average temperature for May is 55.2 degrees. This month it is 58, or 2.8 above the average.

The mean temperature for the month was 58.8 degrees. The maximum temperature was 83 degrees recorded on May 7. The minimum temperature was 36 degrees recorded on May 8. There were 12 clear days during the month. Eight partly cloudy days and 11 cloudy days. The general direction of the wind was west.

The following table shows the maximum and minimum temperature for the month and the precipitation:

	Max.	Min.	Pr.
1	67	46	
2	65	49	
3	76	40	
4	82	41	
5	85	46	
6	76	47	
7	79	45	.02
8	65	36	.08
9	71	40	
10	60	45	.02
11	69	44	.53
12	73	45	.02
13	76	74	.06
14	74	52	.32
15	80	48	
16	72	52	.18
17	75	47	.44
18	75	53	
19	77	53	.43
20	72	56	.06
21	69	50	.14
22	64	48	
23	70	43	
24	70	42	
25	72	42	
26	78	41	
27	79	45	
28	82	44	.50
29	86	40	.25
30	88	48	.06
31	88	48	.06
Total precipitation			3.31

FATHER O'HARA'S WORK IS HONORED

Special recognition of the work of Rev. Father Edwin V. O'Hara, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church was given Sunday evening in the parish hall following solemn benediction at 7:30 in the church. The reception given by the parish was in honor of the twentieth anniversary of Father O'Hara's ordination.

Following musical numbers by pupils in St. Mary's school, Monsignor Arthur Lane of Albany addressed the gathering on Father O'Hara's work as a priest. R. A. Booth spoke of his civic work, and Father George F. Thompson, pastor of the Madeleine in Portland spoke for Portland representatives of the Knights of Columbus, the Catholic Daughters of America, the Altar society, St. Mary's school, and J. J. Kirchoff as chairman of the committee on arrangements also spoke.

Father O'Hara's distinguished record included work abroad as chaplain of the 70th division and mobile hospital in the Argonne during the world war. He is author of "Catholic History of Oregon," and has been pastor of St. Mary's cathedral in Portland. His Portland service began following his ordination and continued until 1920 when he took up his work here.

He was appointed chairman of the survey committee of the Oregon Consumers' League by Governor West in 1912, out of which grew the legislation which established the Industrial Welfare commission in 1913 making rulings governing wages, working conditions and hours for women in industry. It has since been copied by Washington and California and more than a dozen other states.

He headed the Oregon unemployment committee in 1913 during the depression period, was chairman of the Portland housing committee out of which grew the Portland housing code. He has been engaged in the work of hospital standardization of records, laboratories and ethics since the American College of Surgeons and the Catholic hospital association joined forces in 1920. He is at present director of the rural life bureau of the national Catholic welfare conference.

Try Eugene Special for a good cigar.

SOCIETY AND CLUBS

By MARIAN LOWRY

Clouds and forecasts of rain for the week-end were not seriously considered by scores of Eugeneans who journeyed from the city to many of the mountain and bench places of interest for the two-day holiday, the weather being particularly pleasing for such occasions. Among those spending the time at Newport were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Galkins and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pierce; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ludlow; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Fell; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Barrett; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hathaway; Mrs. L. B. Paine; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Starbuck.

Much interest is being taken by the college group in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Lillian W. Baker and Donald L. Woodward. The announcement was made just preceding the annual staff banquet of the Emerald Friday evening in the Woman's building an extra edition of the student daily, of which Mr. Woodward is the retiring editor, and Miss Baker, a staff member, was distributed to the guests, telling of the betrothal.

Both are prominent students on the campus, where Mad Baker is a member of Delta Delta Delta. She is a former student of the University of Washington and will graduate here in

June. Mr. Woodward, who is also a graduate this year, is a member of Theta Chi, Fraternity, and Sigma Delta Chi. He plans to attend Columbia university next year. The date for the wedding has not been announced.

Mrs. Sadie Douglass Mock of Portland is visiting in Eugene as the guest of Miss Mary Woods. She has been in Portland for the past year.

Dorothy Selton and Winifred Hickoff invited a group of their friends to spend a pleasurable evening at the home of the former Friday. Guests for the affair were Thelma Stry, Juliana Egan, Melba Nelson, Lullia and Elizabeth Parker, Aris May Stokes, Lois Colburn, Elsie Brunner, Wanda Smith, Goldie Clark.

The W. F. M. S. of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet at the church parlors Tuesday afternoon. Grace Clarke circle will be hostesses, and Circle No. 1 is to give the program.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid society will be entertained at its regular meeting tomorrow at the home of Mrs. F. A. Trapp, 789 Eleventh avenue west.

SCOUT CAMP LIFE IS HELD BENEFIT

All boy scouts and parents of scouts who are interested in the scout's summer camp to be held this year near Mapleton are urged to call on officials of the Eugene organization in regard to the camp, says Kenneth C. Ables, chairman of the camp department. Two separate camps of two weeks each will be held this summer, it is stated.

"A summer in a scout camp would be a great advantage for any boy," says Mr. Ables. "A boy is of scout age only a short while. To fill his summer with adventures and experiences in Scout camp is to give him in later life a treasure chest of memories that will forever be a source of great pleasure to him. Your boy will come back from the camp better physically, mentally and morally for having attended. Camp will make his back straight, his eyes clear and his voice happy. He will spend the entire time in useful activities, under the leadership of men of high character, and in company with boys who are clean physically, mentally and morally."

"The exercises, regular hours, plenty of sleep, fresh air and well prepared food will build his body; the instruction in woodcraft, camp craft and scout craft will benefit his mind."

The camp will be located on Knowles creek, near Mapleton, and easily accessible by train. The camp committee consists of K. C. Ables, W. R. Robertson, Dr. Del Stannard and Leland Johnson.

ENDOWMENT QUOTA IS SPEEDING UP

Quota for Eugene in the American Legion drive for the endowment fund to aid disabled veterans and orphans of veterans, and for maintenance of the Doernbecher hospital, is rapidly being raised, according to the committee.

Donations toward the \$3000 to be raised here were slow in coming in at first, but in the last few days a number of citizens have sent in their contributions, and indications are that Eugene will soon be numbered among those who have gone "over the top."

Towns that have already announced their complete success are Astoria, Wauna, Bend, Milton, Roseburg, Pendleton, La Grande, Arlington, Marshfield, Medford, Toledo, H. H. H. and Reedsport.

The American Legion is conducting this campaign for two projects, its national endowment fund of \$5,000,000 for relief of widows and orphans of veterans, and for maintenance of the Doernbecher hospital for crippled children, located in Portland. From the funds to be raised—\$110,000 in Oregon—the hospital will receive sufficient for its maintenance for one year.

Chef for Summer Camp of Y. M. C. A. To Arrive June 6

J. B. Crarr, principal of the Creswell high school, has accepted the official position of chef for the Y. M. C. A. boys' summer camp to be held

EUGENE ASSETS EXCEED MILLION

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Cash unapportioned in the office of the building inspector was \$265,855, and other cash funds were divided as follows: General fund, \$11,745.99; special road fund \$7359.51; district improvement fund, \$13,018.58; general bond interest fund, \$8,297.89; general bond funds, \$10,514.31; general bond sinking fund, \$20,270.27; improvement bond sinking fund, \$19,238.56; improvement bond interest fund, \$2,704.26; fiscal agent, Eugene, \$721.87; fiscal agent, New York, \$8,867.58.

Investments and sinking fund totals were \$97,981.19; accounts receivable, \$76.85; taxes receivable, \$132,207.49; liens receivable \$217,161.40; bonded liens receivable \$194,946.55; improvement district work in progress, \$72,826.10; property and improvement (exclusive of district improvements) \$462,599.01.

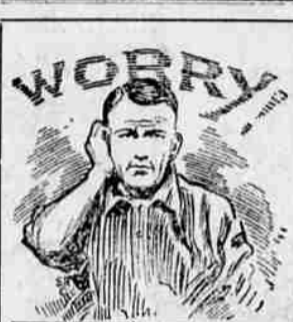
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City Traffic cop Sworn Into Office

Harold J. Hurr, newly-elected traffic officer for the city of Eugene, was sworn into office this morning by Judge George A. Gilmore, at his office in the city hall. The new officer replaces the vacancy caused by the resignation of A. H. Shortess, who is entering trucking and ambulance business.

Mr. Hurr was also deputized by Sheriff Frank E. Taylor as a deputy sheriff, giving him jurisdiction as a peace officer outside the limits of the city, for the recovery of stolen automobiles, or arrest of persons carrying contraband liquor in their cars.

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provement fund \$271,942.10; general bond interest fund, \$24,324.13; general bond funds \$47,477.91; improvement bond interest fund, \$40,232.11. Bonded debt general bonds \$564,000.00; bonded debt, improvement bonds, \$227,100.79; bond interest coupons \$9,589.25.

The capital and surplus deficit figures were: \$30,893.90; surplus Jan. 1, 1925, \$2,961,810.52; add, \$255,217.34; district improvement recorder in Jan., Feb., March, April \$150,498.39; Surplus increase, Jan., Feb., Mar., April, \$98,730.93; surplus adjustment, \$12.00; total \$2,917,027.89; deduct \$2,947,421.85; warrant adjustment, \$5,378; capitalized district improvements, \$2,942,143.85.

Program is Ready For Benton Hotel

J. A. McLean and Mrs. W. A. Hodges, proprietors of the Osburn hotel, are planning to attend the opening of the new Benton hotel at Corvallis which is scheduled for tomorrow evening. This will be a formal opening for the stock and bond holders of Corvallis who aided in the financing of the community project. It is planned to have the public opening later. The new Benton hotel has 120 rooms, 68 with baths, and is modern in every particular and will be under the management of A. N. "Al" Moore, formerly of the Marion hotel at Salem, and known throughout the Northwest among traveling men. The Corvallis chamber of commerce is sending out word of the public opening soon of the new hotelery.

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