

The Weather

Forecast: Tonight and Tuesday, fair. Cooler tonight. Temperature: Highest yesterday 41. Lowest this morning 39.

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HOUSE REJECTS PROHIBITION REPEAL

Comment on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS. HERE is a bit of philosophy offered to this writer yesterday: "Keep your face turned toward the sun, and the shadows will fall BEHIND you."

IT is good philosophy, that is, if you string with the optimists. If you lean toward the pessimists, it isn't so good.

HERE is an exceedingly sound statement made to this writer a while back by an intelligent and progressive business man: "In this country, particularly, and throughout the world in general, optimism rules in GOOD times, and pessimism prevails in BAD times."

IN BAD TIMES, we lose all our optimism and just simply CAN'T see anything good ahead. Having lost our optimism, we are inclined to lose our courage, for courage and a certain measure of optimism must go hand in hand.

HERE is some more philosophy, proffered yesterday by a friend who, of course, was kidding, but kept a perfectly straight face: "The trouble with this civilization of ours is that it is too complex. We ought to be living in the tropics, wearing a gee string for clothing and eating bananas."

TRUE enough. But what has been the cause of most of the progress that has been achieved in this world? Why, somebody's worrying, of course. If nobody had ever worried about anything, or bothered about anything, or WANTED anything better than he had, we still WOULD be living in the tropics, wearing a gee string for clothing and eating bananas.

SOMEBODY, for example, away back in the beginnings, wanted something better than a club to hunt with, and started worrying about it. Out of this worrying came the bow and arrow.

IT IS FINE to have nothing much to worry about, and maybe a gee string is clothing enough in the tropics and perhaps bananas will keep one alive.

ASTORIA, Ore., Dec. 5.—(AP)—Jammed fast in the shifting sands of Clatsop spit south of the Columbia river entrance, the Boston freighter Sea Thrush, was still hard aground today while plans were made for great efforts to remove her. Seaman doubted whether the large ship could possibly be moved.

SIX-VOTE MARGIN DEFEATS GARNER LIQUOR PROPOSAL

Two-Thirds Vote Fails When Solons Poll 271 for and 144 Against—Drys Cheer As Result Is Announced

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ANGRY CITIZENS DISRUPT PARADE FOR HIGHER PAY

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Fruit Strike Leaders Flogged, Painted Red

MOVE TO NAME NEWS RECEIVER HITS NEW SNAG

Affidavit of Prejudice Filed Against Judge Brand Is Granted—Next Step Before Judge Norton Tuesday

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WORLD LEADERS OCCUPIED BY WAR DEBT PROBLEMS



Europe's war debts to America continue to occupy the statesmen of every nation concerned. To Ramsey MacDonald (upper right) fell the task of preparing a second note by which Great Britain hoped to convince the United States that postponement of the \$25,550,000 payment by December 15 is essential to the economic well-being of the world.

POLICEMAN HALTS FLEEING FORGER AT GRANTS PASS

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FARMER SOLONS QUAKE AS VOTE ON REPEAL NEAR

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Sutherland Suffers Injuries Midst Fight

Frank Sutherland of South Central avenue, suffered injuries to his head late Saturday night in what officers characterized as a "family fight," and was taken to a local hospital for treatment. Sutherland is under arrest, and will be required to appear in court on a charge of disturbing the peace as soon as he is able.