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THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

The way to find out what the crops are going to be is to get down next the corn and wheat roots out in the great producing field and see how the next growth is coming along. So the best method of predicting the business future is to get next the manufacturing industries, and see what the demand for commodities is as judged by the degree of activity of the producers. The most significant indication out of the business world for some months, was a statement a few days ago from The National Manufacturers' association, which indicated that practically every basic industry is making plans for taking on more men. Iron and steel, electrical machinery and tools, leather and lumber products, textiles, paper and metal concerns, are all shown to have an unusually promising outlook. Apparently about two thirds of them are planning to increase operations in the near future. Booming times in the luxury trades sometimes means that people are putting money into non-essentials which later they are going to lack for the real needs. But when people are buying the basic products freely, it suggests that the money is going first into vital necessities and that thrift is being exercised. Prosperity in the basic industries usually indicate that a lot of construction work is going to be done, and that not merely are needed dwellings being put up, but that manufacturing equipment will be enlarged. Construction enterprises employ a great body of labor, and wherever producing facilities are increased new workers are employed. The recent advance in wages among unskilled laborers in many industries indicates that the period of unemployment is over. The unskilled men are usually the last to be put to work. If there is a scarcity of these it indicates that production is steadily increasing, giving hope for a continued run of prosperity.

The federal trade commission is after the paper dealers of the northwest charging wholesale dealers with suppressing competition. This is good news to the newspaper men of the state. It is really more than we expected—but no more than we should get, judging from the market prices quoted by the tightest combination that ever existed throughout the northwest. Let the commission proceed with its work. Any denial that a price-fixing process is not in operation on this coast is the rankest bunk. And this method of doing business has long been in effect. Nobody knows it better than the newspaper men of this state. It is high time the iron fist was being dispensed.

The city council is stepping off right in its decision to rid the city of all fire hazards. This is a matter that concerns every property owner in Roseburg. No better campaign could be inaugurated at this time than to clean up every available indication of refuse and do away with dilapidated buildings that are a menace to the safety of the city. Every good citizen should work to that end to make Roseburg as near fire proof as possible. If your home or business quarters harbors a fire hazard waste no time in eliminating the nuisance. It will pay you well in the long run.

The young man who thinks he is making a hit with his employer by adhering to the cigarette habit during working hours is lessening his chances every day for advancement. Good service and hitting the cigarette are just about as opposite as a canary bird and a pole cat.

While it is now too late to buy early you have a good, long chance to buy late before Santa Claus arrives—and the merchants of Roseburg have a fine assortment of goods to make selections from.

This is fine weather to accomplish your Christmas shopping.

Beautiful
DIAMONDS

There is good reason for us selling so many Diamond Rings. We grade our stones far above the average, mount them beautifully, and quote the lowest possible prices for quality rings. Your sweetheart will cherish the diamond that comes from—

BUBAR BROTHERS
JEWELERS

Prune Dickin's
BY BERT G. BATES.

GOOD EVENING FOLKS—

Don't bring me posies
It's a kiddie-Kar
That I want.

That's the balled the young fry are wailing these days. Gosh, all hemlock it must be great to be a kid and not have to worry about buying presents.

Art Davis, who has just returned from college, has purchased his father a ukulele for Christmas.

Ye ed, of this column of uplift attended the Jr. class play last eve and watched the young thespians blink their eyes at the footlights. It was a peach of a show and the girls all had their eyelashes beaded.

Judging from the number of gowns worn in the show last eve the stocks of the Roseburg merchants must have been sadly depleted yesterday.

C. O. Garrett, of Glendale, was in the village today smoking last Xmas seagars which should be a lesson to everyone purchasing the same brand this season.

Some girls are so modest they won't hang up their stockings on Xmas if they have runners in them.

The wimmen folks are wearing turbans again according to our Paris correspondent to this column and the sheiks are still in style as a result.

At the show last eve, we noticed one of the fellows wearing a pongee shirt with a tuxedo which is just about as proper as wearing spats with pajamas.

Ye ed, was the judge at a high school debate this afternoon which gave us an excellent opportunity to acquire a few more enemies.

The hoof-shakers of the Glendale vicinity are going to kick each other in the shins at a big shindig there tonight and it is hoped that the supply of crutches will exceed the demand.

Who remembers when Tom Weatherford used to have a great big bowl of Tom and Jerry in his barber shop about Xmas time?

The best he has to offer nowadays is bay rum.

The ministers are getting their Santa Claus costumes together once more.

Percy Webb, bell hop at the Douglas hotel, purchased a supply of mops this morning as Xmas presents for his wife.

Doc Bailey of S. Deer ck. was in town this a. m. Doc is the pencil pusher for the Ore. Grange Bulletin and is getting a taste of the trials and tribulations of the poor downtrodden editor.

(Mrs. Willis)—Our Willie has been swapping things again.

(Mr. Willis)—Born trader, that kid, isn't he? I suppose he traded some marbles for the next-door kid's knife?

(Mrs. Willis)—Oh, No. He swapped your appendix for Mrs. Bump's gallstones.

STARTING THE FORD

Give the crank, Elmer—Wait a minute till I retard the spark—Now try her—Wait till I advance the spark—Now spin her—Got plenty of gas? Maybe there's a clog in the feed line—Spark seems all right—Spin her again—Drader 'n a mackerel—Lookit that switch?—Al right!—Give her another spin—Must have a loose connection somewhere—Try her now—Wait a minute till I fix this thingummy—Now spin her—There she is!—Hop in—Honk, honk.

We were talking to a chap yesterday that talked like an atomizer. He sprayed us so liberally when expounding adjectives that we almost asked him to go home and call us up on the telephone.

We would like to get hold of the dumb bell who circulated the report around Douglas county that we were not allowed by the doctor to eat turkey. We have been used for libel and get damned for a less vicious story than that.

So bring in your turkeys folks, don't pay any attention to idle gossip.

Carl Mack stood before the mirror with his eyes closed very tight. And tried to see just how he looked. When fast asleep at night.

It matters not whether it is a promoter putting on a world's championship boxing bout or a prune peddler trying to sell a few pounds of his produce to a public that demands raisins and yeast cakes, it takes publicity to get the goods started to moving, and the man who advertises the most religiously, gets the kind of results he has started out to get.

LAFE PERKINS SEZ:
"Kissin' a girl under the mistletoe ain't much sport if she's too willing."

In From Hlee Hld—
Mrs. June Brown, resident of Hlee Hld, spent several hours in the city today, looking after business matters.

MOST OF OUR CUSTOMERS USE
CALUMET
THE BAKING POWDER
Pickens Bros.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

PRICES PAID FARMERS FOR PRODUCE

Butter, 35 cents a pound.
 Butterfat, 49 cents.
 Eggs, 45 cents per dozen.
 Eggs, pullet, 40 cents per dozen.
 Hens, heavy, 17 cents a pound.
 Hens, light, 12 cents a pound.
 Springers, 15 cents a pound.
 Old roosters, 10 cents a pound.
 Geese, 18 cents a pound.
 Ducks, 18 cents a pound.
 Wheat, \$1.30 at mill, sacks returned.
 Barley, \$36 a ton.
 Veal, dressed, 8 to 11 cents a pound.
 Hogs, dressed, 12 cents, 120 to 160 pounds weight.
 Cows, prime, 4 1/2 cents.
 Steers, prime, 5 1/2 cents.
 Lettuce, \$1.00 per dozen.
 Honey, local production, 20 cents a pound.
 Cascara bark, 1922, 6 1/2 cents a pound.
 Cascara bark, 1921, 7 1/2 c.
RETAIL PRICES ON MILL PRODUCTS.
 Mill run, \$1.40 to \$1.50 a sack of 50 pounds.
 Cracked corn, \$2.15 a 100 pounds.
 Rolled barley, \$1.55 a sack of 70 pounds.
 Grey seed oats, per bushel, 76c to 80c.
 Feed oats, per 100, \$1.50.
 Flour, soft wheat, \$1.55 a sack.
 Flour, hard wheat, \$1.55 and \$2.10 a sack.

MASSONS ATTENTION

A special communication of Laurel Lodge No. 13, A. F. of A. M., will be held in the Masonic Temple Wednesday, Dec. 20th, at 2:30 p. m. Work in the Master Masons degree. Dinner will be served at 6:30.

By Order W. M.
W. P. HARRIS, Sec'y.

NOTICE

Beware of agents who are supposed to be selling a New Singer machine. Get the GENUINE Singer from the Singer Store. Phone 542-J.

ASTORIA BANKS OPEN IN TEMPORARY QUARTERS

(By Associated Press.)
 ASTORIA, Dec. 19.—The police and civilian guards took over the protection of the city, the sailors of the destroyer, Yarrowborough returning to the vessel which is scheduled to leave today.

All of the banks opened today in temporary quarters. They will not cash checks on pre-fire accounts until the vaults are opened. Special police were hired by the banks to guard the vaults. The police and federal officers are guarding against bootleggers and searching every automobile reaching the city.

GLIDE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Watson spent Saturday in Roseburg visiting. Mrs. Layton, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hill and Miss Francis Hennegar attended the same meeting in Roseburg last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Oliver left the first of the week for California, to make their home. We are sorry to see them go.

The pie social at Glide December 15 was a decided success. There were 50 pies sold. The amount raised was \$86.15, to be paid on the piano that was bought for the new consolidated school.

Frank Batiste and children were in Roseburg Saturday, shopping and attending the basketball game.

Helen Daniel is home from California, where she has been attending school.

The Christmas tree and program will be held in the Church house on Saturday, December 23, at 1:30 p. m. It is suggested that each family provide some small gift for each member or friends who will attend. In order that everybody will get a gift besides the usual nuts, candies, etc., which Santa always brings in his pack. We urge all to come and have a most merry time.

One egg now is worth two in the spring. It is important that the birds go to roost with a good full crop during cold weather. A little extra grain in a trough an hour after the regular grain feeding at night will help to obtain this condition. It takes more fuel for the hen's furnace during cold weather and heavy production than when the birds are molting and resting.
—O. A. C. Exp. Station.

Wasco county peach growers sprayed practically 100 per cent. last winter for peach leaf curl, for the first time. One-half the peaches in that section are Elberta, the most susceptible variety to this disease. The result was that where previously heavy losses had been experienced there were none this year.

Ice water is not conducive to heavy egg production. A little extra labor in supplanting like warm water on cold mornings is well repaid by a presentable egg basket.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau, local office, Roseburg, Oregon, 24 hours ending 2 a. m.
 Precipitation in in. and Hundredths.
 Highest temperature yesterday... 53
 Lowest temperature last night... 36
 Precipitation, last 24 hours... 9
 Total precip. since first of month 2.25
 Normal precip. for this month... 5.52
 Total Precip. from Sept. 1, 1922, to date... 10.40
 Avar. precip. from Sept. 1, 1871-11.96
 Total deficiency from Sept. 1, 1922... 1.56
 Average precipitation for 44 wet seasons (Sept. to May, Inc.)... 31.39
 WILLIAM BELL, Observer.

Local News

Electric Percolators for Xmas \$8.50 up. Hudson Electric Store.

In Portland—
 Vivian Jackson, is spending a few days in Portland, looking after business matters.

Pruning expert. Prune grapes now. Right time. Louis Bergold, Roseburg.

In From Winston—
 Mrs. George Bradburn, was in town for several hours today, attending to holiday shopping matters.

E. R. ROISE, TEACHER of violin. Call Moore Music Studio.

Here from Oakland—
 Miss Mollie Easley, of Oakland, was in the city this morning for a few hours, looking after holiday shopping matters.

Electric grills, boil, fry, toast, \$4.50 up. Hudson Electric Store.

Returns from Portland—
 H. C. Waddell, who has been in Portland during the past week, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Chas. G. Stanton, teacher of Piano. Phone 75-J. 702 S. Pine.

Here For Holidays—
 Miss Dorothy Eddy who attended the O. A. C. Conventions, is here to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Eddy.

SPINELLA CORSETS. Made to Measure. Bell Case. Phone 291-L.

Here on Business—
 S. A. Aldrich, prominent Riddle resident, was in town today for several hours, transacting business matters.

Watch the Fern window. You will see something fine for Xmas gifts.

Here from Yoncalla—
 R. W. Long, of Yoncalla, arrived in the city on this morning's train to spend a few hours, transacting business matters.

35 puts a new Singer Sewing machine in your home. Singer Store. Phone 542-J.

Here from Portland—
 Mrs. and Mrs. G. L. Eliot, of Portland, are in the city to spend the Christmas holidays with friends. They arrived here this morning.

NOTICE—We will keep open store every evening this week. C. A. Lockwood Motor Co.

DODGE BROTHERS
MOTOR CAR

Few days are too cold for comfortable driving in this sturdy car.

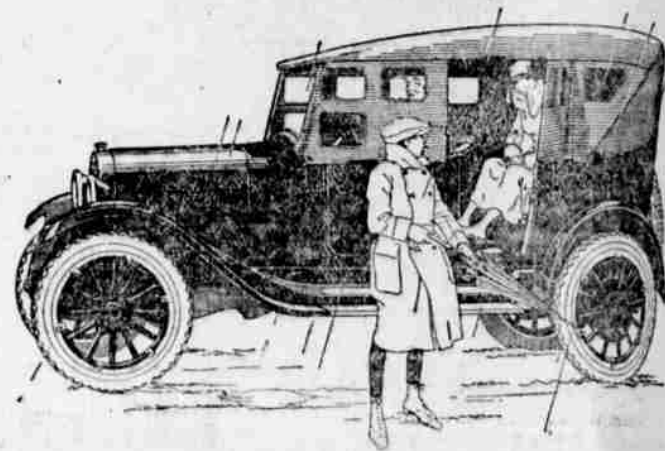
Snug-fitting curtains, which open and close with the doors, afford complete protection from wind and snow.

The carburetor and starter are famous for their prompt and dependable response on cold mornings.

Cord tires, with safety treads, act as a safeguard against skidding, and greatly reduce the possibility of having to change tires in disagreeable weather.

The price is \$1065 delivered

J. O. NEWLAND & SON
 ROSEBURG, OREGON
 Phone 458.



Grinsted, real silk hosiery. 189-J.

Leaves for Riddle—

H. Wollenburg left for Riddle this morning, to spend a few hours looking after business matters.

Arundel, piano tuner. Phone 189-L.

In from Glide

Mrs. Harry C. Boyle, of Glide, was in town today, shopping and visiting with friends. Mrs. Boyle was registered at the Hotel Umpqua.

For Fuller Brushes Phone 302-M.

Here from Glendale—
 Misses Mabel Eakin and Julia Eakin, of Glendale, are here for a few days, to look after holiday shopping matters, and visiting with friends.

Buy her a canary singer for her Christmas, make the finest of presents 230 N. Jackson St.

MOORE MUSIC STUDIO, 230 N. Jackson St.

Glendale Visits—
 Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hart, Glendale, were visitors in the city last evening. They spent several days here, attending to holiday shopping matters.

Returns for Holidays—
 Miss Alvin Levin, who is away at the Oregon College, has been looking after holiday shopping matters, and during the past few days, this morning, to the visitors, who reside at home.

PNEUMONIA
 Call a physician
VICK
 VAPOR
 Over 17 Million Sold

Candy for Christmas

We have a fine selection of Box Chocolates, including the well-known brands

Society, Rosarian, Oriole, Krause

A box of our Famous

Panama Chocolates

Will make a fine Xmas Gift. They're made in our own candy kitchen.

Try the New Confection

Cactus Crystals

"The Dessert from the Desert."

THE ROSE



You have our best wishes for a Merry Christmas