



Enough silk stockings will be given for Christmas presents to keep skirts short another year.

A La Grande man was telling a friend about being raised in Portland. "The thief took my watch, purse, billfold, ring—in short everything."

"But I thought you carried a loaded revolver."

"I do but he didn't find that."

Charity may cover a multitude of sins but curiosity uncovers a great many more.

Modesty is that quality of character that impels the golfer to walk down an alley when he dons his first pair of knickers.

"What, you are charging me for a shirt which you lost?"

"Yes, sir? We had it washed before we lost it."

DO IT NOW
The knot was tied, the pair was wed.

And I, the smiling bridegroom, said "Unto the preacher, 'Shall I pay?"

"To you the must fee today?"

Or would you have me wait a year, And then pay you three hundred clear.

If I should find the marriage state As happy as I estimate?"

The preacher lost, no time in thought;

Study, to him, no trouble brought; There were no wrinkles on his brow;

He said, "I'll take three dollars now."

Reckless Driver Fined \$250.
ROSEBURG, Ore.—Paxton Ridgway, ex-resident of Portland, now residing in Portland, was fined \$150 on a charge of reckless driving and \$100 for being drunk on the highway. In addition his driver's license was revoked for one year. Ridgway, according to the complaint, was in a party of young folks who met with an accident near Yonahia several months ago. Ridgway was injured and his case was postponed, but following his partial recovery he went to Portland. His appearance here was made by his attorney.

LAVA RIVER CAVE SAVED.
BEND, Ore.—Assurance that the timber will be saved in the immediate vicinity of the Lava river cave, scenic spot of great interest to tourists, ten miles south of Bend, has been given by officials of the Shevlin-Hixon company.

They also have written the state highway commission a notice that the company is preparing to deed a strip of land surrounding the mouth of the cave to the state.

The Lava river cave is one of the volcanic wonders of the Deschutes country.

African Musical Instruments Banned by Cuban President

HAVANA, (AP)—Playing of the fujero, or tom-tom or other musical instruments of African character, with singing and contorted dancing, have been prohibited by presidential decree.

President Machado's decree says this class of music and the "rumba" are contrary to the good custom and public order of Cuba.

Robbed Chrysanthemums Appear

LONDON, (AP)—Robbed and shingled and curled chrysanthemums made their appearance in the National Chrysanthemum Society's show to the great disgust of lovers of unadorned nature.

Some of the chrysanthemums were even kept in cart papers and the big shingled blossoms as large as the head of a football player were given permanent waves and otherwise manipulated to fool the judges.

Pug Pilot



This is John De Palma, brother of the Cotton Ralph, whose ability as a driver of racing cars is known the world over. John has branched out as a boxing manager, having Eddie Gleason, former national amateur lightweight champion, under his wing. John at one time was a boxer himself.



Popular Gifts

BAGS AND CASES—Smart styles and shapes, in all leathers and beaded designs. Also Steel-cut Bags. \$2.50 to \$37.50

GLOVES—Slip-on and French flare cuff styles in kid, wool and chamouisee. Smart gloves for dress or sport. 60c to \$5.00

BEADS AND CHOKERS—In new style in both pearl and cut-glass. Also short strands of pearls in gift boxes. 50c to \$7.00

SILK UMBRELLAS—The new stub models in all of the popular patterns of plaids and checks with carved wood and celluloid handles. \$3.50 to \$15.00

HANDKERCHIEFS—Dainty little lacy hankies of linen, crepe, voile and lawn with embroidered corners and flowers. 50c to \$2.50

Useful Gifts

SLIPPERS—Charming boudoir slippers of satin in the famous Daniel Green make. Also satin mules with heel counter, in all colors. \$2.50 to \$4.50

FUR NECKPIECES—Of Squirrel, Opossum and Fox in the newer styles; nicely finished—a most acceptable gift. \$7.75 to \$62.50

HOSIERY—La France, Phoenix and Kayser in the sheerest of chiffons to the heavier thread silks, in all the costume shades. \$1.00 to \$2.95

NECKWEAR—Lovely jabots, front sets of lace, linen and net in ecru and cream colors. 75c to \$8.25

SCARFS—For evening wear in lovely patterns of georgette and lace with long silk fringe, in all shades. \$3.95 to \$7.75

Practical Gifts

COMPACTS—In gold, silver, beaded or enameled styles, in either single or double compacts, in all shades. 50c to \$2.00

BOUDOIR CAPS—Lacy little caps and bandeaus in dainty colors with ribbon and flowered trimmings. \$1.00 to \$2.25

BOUDOIR LAMPS—In a host of shapes and shades in several materials. All beautifully trimmed. Complete with cord. \$3.25 to \$6.90

COTY'S COLOGNE—An appreciated gift in a five-ounce flask. A toilet water of distinction, in several scents. \$1.80

COTY'S PARIS SOAP—In a neat gift box with silk cord and drawstrings. Comes in set of four bars in a box. \$2.10

Intimate Gifts

BUTTONNIERS—Dainty colors in all flowers and coat ornaments so popular this season—a most appreciated gift. 60c to \$1.75

TOILET WATER—Coty's and Cologne in a number of scents, so fragrant—and the joy of every woman. \$1.20 to \$3.75

SWEATERS—In the popular turtle-neck, slip-on and coat styles, in gay colors and combinations. Also blazer styles. \$2.50 to \$9.00

CUTEX SETS—Compact little traveling sets. Also large home sets, so necessary for the care of the nails. Complete— 90c to \$2.60

TOWEL SETS—A towel and wash cloth to match in a number of pleasing color combinations, packed in a gift box. 95c to \$2.50

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