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Our entire stock of coats offered at these reduced prices. Right at the peak of the season, in time for all holiday wearing. These lovely coats must be sacrificed.

The season has been backward—no cold weather—and we must therefore reduce our stock with prices cut to the bone.

Every style and size is here for you—choicest colors in soft pile-fabric dress coats—smartest color combinations in sport garments—all luxuriously fur trimmed—and on sale now at just ONE-FOURTH OFF

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- \$97.50 Values, Now \$73.13
- \$77.50 Values, Now \$58.13
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- \$39.75 Values, Now \$29.80
- \$19.75 Values, Now \$14.80

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Health Meeting At The Dalles Next Saturday

The Oregon Organization for Public Health Nursing will hold a sectional meeting in the auditorium at The Dalles on Saturday, Dec. 4, beginning at 12:30 p. m. There will be a banquet at 6:00 o'clock and an evening session at 8:00 p. m. to which the public is invited.

Miss Marion Crowe, superintendent of the visiting nurses association of Portland, is president, and she, with members of the executive board of the Oregon Organization for Public Health Nursing, will attend the meeting.

Miss Elvora Thompson, of the Marion child health demonstration is chairman of the program, the purpose of which is to offer an exchange of opinions and experiences of nurse members and lay members in putting forward a health program.

Nurses and lay members from Wasco, Hood River, Marion, Multnomah, Umatilla, Union, Deschutes, Clackamas and Yamhill counties will attend, and Women's clubs have been invited to send at least one delegate, thus keeping in touch with health educational programs throughout the state.

Members of the executive board are: Miss Althea Stoneham, Miss Margaret Gillis, Miss Mary P. Hillmeyer, Miss Margaret Lynch, Miss Cecil Schreyer, Miss Bertha Wilson, Miss Elvora Thompson, Mrs. Glendora Haskely, Miss Mae Mercer, Dr. Estella Ford Warner, Mrs. R. G. Dieck, Miss Margaret Tynan, Miss Louise Schneider and Mrs. P. R. Whitelands.

ENGAGEMENT BROKEN

NEW YORK—The engagement of one of the country's wealthiest

MAIL PLANE CRASHES; ONE KILLED



In a heavy rainstorm, the Los Angeles-Seattle night airmail plane was completely wrecked and Donald Rossiter, passenger, killed, Nov. 11, when it went into a tail spin at 3800 feet elevation and crashed into the mountains near Van Nuys, Cal. Charles E. Wildner escaped in his parachute, but Rossiter failed to manipulate his. The pictures show all that remained of the plane after its fall.

bachelors was broken. John Vanheck wanted to wed immediately. Miss Mary Adwell wanted to wait until Jan. 15, when she will be 21. They are still the best of friends. "You know how kids are today," explained the young lady's father.

State Board Will Lose Only \$5,000

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 2 (AP)—The state board of control said yesterday that the state will not lose more than \$5,000 on the approximate \$150,000 loaned to farmers during the past biennium from the fund made available to farmers who were forced to reseed their lands after the freeze of 1924. The money was made available to the extent of \$1,200,000 from funds of the state bonus and loan commission, but less than \$500,000 was borrowed.

An Electric Heater for \$3.50!

They're worth looking at—

La Grande Electric Co.

1412 Adams Ave. "Everything Electrical"

CONVENTION NOW ON IN KENTUCKY

American Vocational Association Meeting in Louisville Today

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 2 (AP)—A program of talks by business men, teachers and others interested in business training, started a three and a half day meeting when the American Vocational Association opened in first annual convention today.

It is the only national organization devoting its energies to vocational education exclusively. Edwin A. Lee, Berkeley, Cal., president, said. Secretary Z. M. Smith, Indianapolis, declared these state organizations had affiliated: Alabama, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Michigan, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Texas.

Talks covered analysis of jobs in agriculture, trade and industry, commerce, home economics, civilian rehabilitation, and vocational guidance.

5-Day Week Ignored

In the home economics section, Mrs. Frank Gilbreath, homemaker and consultant in household engineering, Montclair, N. J., speaking on reducing fatigue in family life, ignored Henry Ford's five-day week for his men, but maintained "our fatigue" investigation demands that some attention be given to the 24-hour day.

"Psychological fatigue," she said, "demands that increasing attention be given to the consideration of worry, friction, pressure, clutter, monotony, isolation.

"Industry is not only recognizing importance of home life as it affects industrial efficiency, but is able to furnish a profitable method of attack on home problems. It has developed methods of measuring which apply equally well to housekeeping as well as industrial problems. It has a technique for simplifying practice, for standardizing work methods, and for making both job and personality analyses, serviceable to the homemaker."

A centralized supervision of courses for college students was recommended by Iva L. Peters, dean for women, Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y., in a plan she admitted to be revolutionary from point of view of organization of the majority of colleges and universities. Her central office would group all sides of the student's character and development for immediate personal counsel.

the faculty's job. "Such a plan would throw into high relief the aims against youth committed by heads of colleges, deans of schools, and heads of departments who oversee their organizations by advertising methods discarded in intelligent business houses. Under such a centralized supervision of counsel the student would be assured of information based on research."

Obtaining Jobs

The determining factors in obtaining desirable jobs and promotion among continuation school students are ability, personality and industry on the part of the pupil rather than the existence or absence of a compulsory school attendance requirement, said William J. Hogan, principal of the Central Continuation School, Buffalo, N. Y.

John F. Case, editor of the "Missouri Ruralist," thought vocational education in agriculture should be the chief link in the chain of community progress as no other individual came into so close relationship with the home life of the students as the teacher in that subject.

BRUNETTES BETTER DRIVERS

LONDON (AP)—Fair men are more careful motor car drivers than dark men, but brunettes are much steadier than blondes at the steering wheel, it was declared by experts at a luncheon, celebrating the opening of the fall automobile show.

Incidentally it was stated that one woman in four in England knows how to drive a motorcar.

Road Commission To Advertise Work

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 2 (AP)—The highway commission late yesterday ordered bids advertised for grading the last gap in Oregon on the Redwood highway. The work will cover 10 miles of the Hayes Hill-Applegate stretch in Josephine county. The stretch extends beyond Applegate to within four miles of Grants Pass. The commission will meet next Dec. 22.

Skinny Men Run Down Men Nervous Men

You probably know that Cod Liver Oil is the greatest fish producer in the world.

Because it contains more vitamins than any food you can get. You'll be glad to know that Cod Liver Oil comes in sugar coated tablets now, so if you really want to put 16 or 20 pounds of solid, healthy fish on your bones and feel well and strong, ask Red Cross Drug Store, or any druggist for a box of McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets.

Only 50 cents for 50 tablets and if you don't gain five pounds by the time your druggist is authorized to hand you back your money, insist on McCoy's, the original and genuine. —Adv.

MAN ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Dec. 2 (AP)—H. F. Adams, 70, night watchman for the Algoma Lumber company, was killed instantly early this morning when he fell eight feet from a tramway to the ground. His temple struck a timber.

A fish found in the Mediterranean is capable of 50 miles an hour. Stories like that must be getting to be universal.

Today's fable: Once there was a senator who wasn't once a poor boy on a farm.



Kline has shaved his mustache off until you would hardly know him. He says the coal is all right.

A little Scotchman and a little Scotchwoman are out here loading up a dollars worth of wood. They just asked, "When is that Rain-bow not coal going to get in that you are going to sell out at 10¢ per hundred?" We told them about next Monday or Tuesday. From the looks of their Ford car and the two boys to hold the sack they ought to put in considerable coal.

We had quite a trade yesterday in wood. Our old farmer woodcutters will have to turn on a little more steam or else take on an extra hotcake for breakfast.

Get your sack and scoop ready, and also your 4¢.

We took a vacation off a short time ago and we couldn't hardly get away for so many people kept coming after stuff until one of the boys got a club and kept the customers away while we sneaked out the back way.

Claude C. Pratt Lumber Co.

"The Poor Man's Friend" Near Foundry. Phone Main 248 No Sunday Business.

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SETTING the PACE!

SAFEGWAY

THE trend of modern retail business is constantly toward improvement in distributing facilities—toward a lessening of the excessive spread between producer and consumer that has engaged the earnest attention of the ablest economists for many years.

In line with this trend to reduce distributing costs—setting the pace on the Pacific Coast—the recent amalgamation of the interests and operations of Skaggs Stores and Safeway Stores was perfected.

The purchasing economies and advantages which this union of interests has given us were touched upon in our last advertisement.

The operating economies effected include enormous reductions in buying, accounting and administration costs due to the elimination of duplication of effort and simplification of system through scientifically centralized control. It is just as easy, for instance, to enter the purchase of several car-

loads of canned corn as that of a single case. Likewise, it requires no more effort to bank \$10,000 than it does to deposit \$100. Thus a few people do the detail work that many are ordinarily required to do and the time and effort of the others is released for productive effort in other departments of business.

The saving in operating costs alone, because of this consolidation, will amount to hundreds of thousands of dollars annually and will be quickly realized, by the consumer, in the materially increased purchasing power of his food dollar. For, not only are we setting the pace in reducing the costs of distributing the necessities of life—we are also setting the pace in passing along to you the tremendous savings made possible by our organized effort.

The extent to which you participate in these savings will be determined by the regularity with which you patronize Skaggs-Safeway Stores.

Features for Friday, Saturday and Monday

BANANAS—Fancy golden ripe fruit, dozen	29c
ORANGES—Large size Navels (150's) sweet and juicy, 2 dozen	98c
ORANGES—All sizes, Navels, half case	\$3.49
LARD—Armour's "Star" Pure Lard, 8 lb. Pail	\$1.45
LARD—Armour's "Star" Pure Lard, 4 lb. Pail	75c
ROLLED OATS—Kellogg's regular 15c size, package	5c
PEAS—Sweet June, 1926 pack, per can	10c

ALL WEEK PRICES

DATES AND FIGS	CANDY
Dates, imported fresh stock, 2 pounds	All pure sugar candies and fresh stock satin mixed, pound
25c	15c
Figs, fancy California large figs, 2 pounds	Christmas mixed, 2 pounds
45c	35c
Figs, extra fancy layer figs, five pound box	Chocolate Creams, 2 pounds
98c	39c
Citron, fancy imported from Italy, pound	Peanut Brittle, 2 pounds
59c	39c
	Fancy Cream mixed, 2 pounds
	45c
	Chocolates, hand dipped assorted, 5 pound Xmas box
	\$1.69

MIXED NUTS	CEREALS
Mixed Nuts—all new crop, 3 pounds	Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkg.
79c	9c
	Post Toasties, package
	9c
	Shredded Wheat, package
	11c
	Rolled Oats, 9 lb. sack
	55c

BROOMS—5 tie, green straw, dollar value, each

79c

MILK—Federal, Borden's, Carnation, large cans, each

10c

ROYAL FRUIT GELATINE—The popular dessert, 3 packages.

25c

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