

BETA PHI SIGMA ASK EXONERATION OF SCHOOL BOARD

A delegation of Beta Phi Sigmas, one of the high school fraternities under the ban of the school board, with R. E. Carnathan as spokesman, called on Superintendent D. A. Groat and asked for exoneration of charges made against them.

They said they had a large membership, of which only five or six were still in high school. They stated that most of their members were responsible business men and were not taken in until after they had completed high school, and that the six present high school members would be graduated in June.

They denied vigorously reports of foolish and dangerous initiations, and said the purpose of their organization was serious and helpful and much broader than reports indicated.

Groat suggested that they communicate in writing to the school board, and also that they see their way clear to wait until students finish high school before taking them into the fraternity.

The educational affairs committee of the board and Groat have prepared a questionnaire which they are sending to 20 of the largest cities in the country, asking for their experiences with the fraternity problem and how they have dealt with them.

Chinese Gunmen Go To Serve Life Terms

Yee Guck and Shee Fong, who have been in the county jail since the fall of 1917, were taken to Salem Tuesday morning to begin life sentences for the murder of Chin Hong, Chinese merchant, on June 2, 1917, during a tong war. The state supreme court denied the appeal of the two men and the sheriff's office received the commitment this morning.

\$38,000 Bond Issue Wins by 68-9 Vote

Ontario, Or., March 23.—At a special election Tuesday to vote refunding bonds, less than a hundred votes were cast. A bond issue of \$38,000 was authorized by a vote of 68 to 9.

Railroad Requests Rehearing on Rate Cut; Sought Raise

Salem, March 23.—A rehearing of the recent case in which the public service commission reduced rates on fuel and pulp wood is asked in a protest filed with the commission Tuesday by the O-W, R. & N. company.

The action of the commission in reducing the rates approximately 15 per cent followed an order suspending a new tariff which the roads had attempted to file increasing the rates approximately 15 per cent.

Under an amendment to the bar examination rule announced by the supreme court Tuesday, only one examination will be held each year hereafter, beginning on the second Monday in July. Herebefore examinations have been held in May and October.

A complaint against service rendered by the Eastern Oregon Light & Power company was filed with the public service commission Tuesday by B. F. and M. B. Wilson of La Grande, who seek to have the power company rebuild power lines serving their farm in Union county.

MERGER OF FRUIT PLANTS PROJECTED

Tacoma, Wash., March 23.—(I. N. S.)—A gigantic merger of fruit canning companies of Western Washington and Oregon, involving practically 90 per cent of plants in this section of the country, will be announced here today, it was learned from an authoritative source.

The combine will involve a capitalization of \$10,000,000, and \$3,000,000 worth of 8 per cent preferred stock will be placed on the market at once.

Some of the most powerful financial interests and capitalists of Seattle, Tacoma and Portland are supporting the move. It is expected the Puyallup and Sumner Fruitgrowers' Canning company, of which W. H. Faultham is president, will be the hub around which the combine will be built.

Fruit-canning and juice-extracting plants in Portland, Salem, Puyallup and other cities will be merged.

For several weeks efforts have been made here and in valley cities where canneries are located, by the Puyallup canning interests, looking toward a merger, but so far as is known none of the Oregon plants has agreed to join.

KLAMATH FALLS WANTS TO KNOW WHO PASSED BUCK

Determination to end one of the biggest games of "passing the buck" ever played in Oregon, is in the mind of every citizen of Klamath Falls.

At least the citizens of the Southern Oregon city believe that they have been made the loser in "buck passing" operations in regard to adjustment of freight rates over rail lines of the Southern Pacific company into Klamath Falls and now the Chamber of Commerce of that place is arranging a meeting of all "passers of the buck" to find out "how come."

The meeting of all parties concerned is being arranged by T. L. Stanley, manager of the Klamath Falls Chamber of Commerce, according to advice received by Frank Ira White, manager of the foreign trade department of the Chamber of Commerce.

OTHERS INVITED

To this meeting will be invited representatives of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, the California public service commission, the Oregon public service commission, the Southern Pacific company and the State Chamber of Commerce.

Klamath Falls is on a branch line. It is pointed out by merchants that for an extended period high rates were charged over the line because it was considered as being "under construction." Then rates were placed upon a branch line basis and the merchants of the city are dissatisfied. They say that Klamath Falls is the second largest shipping point in Oregon and that rate readjustments mean much to growth of the place.

"The reason we have called this meeting," says Stanley, "is that when we talk with Portland people they pass the honor on to the San Francisco people. San Francisco does the same to Portlanders."

BUCK IS PASSED

"The California public service commission says likewise of the Oregon public service commission, the Southern Pacific company passes the subject back to the state commissions and they all come back to the merchants and shippers of Klamath Falls to pay the bills. We are not certain but present indications are that the real guilty party is the Oregon public service commission, which has probably not done its full duty in this matter."

Klickitat Chief Demonstrates His Business Ability

Goldendale, Wash., March 23.—Skookum Wai-lee, hereditary chief of the Klickitat Indian tribe, who owns a large farm on the big Klickitat river, near Klickitat station on the Goldendale branch of the North Bank road, feels that he has fully demonstrated his ability to conduct his own business affairs. He recently sold to Klickitat county a right of way through his place for a wagon road, for which he obtained \$300 in cash and the concession of having the road fenced on both sides. When the county commissioners first sought the right of way across the chief's land, they took the matter up with the Indian bureau and received advice that \$300 would be about right as a compensation.

Bank Failure Not to Take Workers' Pay

Medford, Or., March 23.—In circuit court at Jacksonville Tuesday Judge Calkins instructed the jury, after the testimony had been heard, to return a verdict in favor of the workmen in the civil suit of E. M. Bigham against Jackson county for the recovery of \$184 due workmen employed on the road work last summer by the county, which money was lost when the Bank of Jacksonville failed.

Sues on Assault Charge

Vancouver, Wash., March 23.—Edward Reinikka has started suit in the superior court here against Sanford Brown, whom he charges with assault. He asks damages to the amount of \$1000, which he claims is due him because of the "mental and physical pain and humiliation" which he suffered as a result of the attack.

Marriage Licenses

Vancouver, Wash., March 23.—Marriage licenses were issued Tuesday to Harley A. Millon, 27, and Marguerite McGuire, 18, Portland; William Alanson, 21, Portland, and Marie Woodcox, 22, Vancouver; I. M. Banks, 44, and Ruth Murray, 27, Portland; George McCarty, legal, and Edna M. Shockley, legal, Linnton, Or.

Park Dates Announced

Washington, March 23.—(I. N. S.)—Secretary of the Interior Fall Tuesday announced the opening and closing dates for the tourist season in the National parks.

3-DAY 1c SALE!

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

We will feature all nationally advertised merchandise; goods that you want and that you have needs for every day. This sale is to take place

At Our Third and Morrison Store Only!

We have just finished enlarging this store and we believe that we have one of the finest drug stores on the Pacific Coast. We want all Portlanders to see this new store and are making prices that will bring you to it for

You Cannot Afford to Stay Away!

<p>Candies</p> <p>50c 1/2-lb. boxes of Irvington Sweet Chocolates, 2 boxes for...51c</p> <p>15c 1/2-lb. bags of Peanut Brittle, fresh daily, 2 bags for...16c</p> <p>30c 1/2-lb. Cream Wafers, 2 pkgs. 31c</p> <p>8c Borden's Milk Chocolate, 2 for...9c</p> <p>8c Borden's Almond Bars, 2 for...9c</p> <p>5c packages of Charms, all flavors, 2 for...6c</p> <p>5c Spearmint and Doublemint Gum, 2 packages for...6c</p>	<p>SOME of the Bargains</p> <p>By buying one of these articles at the original price you get the other one for 1c.</p> <p>A \$5.00 Gillette Razor for...1c</p> <p>An \$8.50 Manning-Bowman Electric Iron for...1c</p> <p>A \$2.00 Hot Water Bottle for...1c</p> <p>A \$1.00 bottle of Squibb's Oil for...1c</p> <p>A 50c Prophylactic Tooth Brush for...1c</p> <p>A \$1.50 Bath Spray for...1c</p> <p>A 50c box of Dier Kiss Rouge for...1c</p> <p>A 1-qt. brick of Ice Cream for...1c</p> <p>A \$1.50 box of Stationery for...1c</p> <p>A \$1.50 pair of Ivory Manicure Scissors for...1c</p> <p>A \$2.00 bar Spanish Castile Soap for...1c</p> <p>A \$3.50 Alarm Clock for...1c</p> <p>AND 200 OTHER BARGAINS!</p>	<p>Drugs</p> <p>A \$1.50 1-lb. Agar-Agar and a \$1.00 bottle of Squibb's Paraffin Oil, the 2 for...\$1.51</p> <p>25c 4 oz. Glycerine, 2 bottles for 26c</p> <p>25c 3 oz. Castor Oil, 2 bottles for 26c</p> <p>25c 2 oz. Spirits of Camphor, 2 bottles for...26c</p> <p>25c 2 oz. Oil Eucalyptus, 2 bts. 26c</p> <p>25c 2 oz. Aromatic Cascara, 2 bts. 26c</p> <p>25c 6 oz. Glycerine and Rose Water, 2 bottles for...26c</p> <p>50c 1 pt. Paraffin Oil, 2 bottles...51c</p> <p>Reg. 65c packages of 4 dozen Sanitary Napkins, medium size, 2 packages for...66c</p>
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These Prices Do Not Include War Tax

<p>Drug Sundries</p> <p>50c Prophylactic Tooth Brush, 2 for...51c</p> <p>\$1.50 Monarch Bath Spray and \$1.50 B'h Brush, the 2 \$1.51</p> <p>25c Tooth Brush, extra value, transparent handles, 2...26c</p> <p>\$2.00 Weavere 2-qt. Hot Water Bottle and \$2 Weavere Fountain Syringe, the 2 for only...\$2.01 (2-year guarantee on each.)</p> <p>\$2.50 Weavere Women's Douche Syringe, 2 for \$2.51</p> <p>\$8.50 Manning-Bowman Electric Iron, guaranteed for a lifetime, 2 for...\$8.51</p> <p>25c Wash Clothes, 2 for...26c</p> <p>25c Horn Dressing Combs, 2 for...26c</p> <p>50c Ivory Dressing Combs, 2 for...51c</p> <p>75c Ivory Dressing Combs, 2 for...76c</p> <p>35c Wool Powder Puffs, 2 36c</p> <p>40c Ivory Manicure Instruments, 2 for...41c</p> <p>\$1.00 Steel Manicure Scissors, 2 for...\$1.01</p> <p>\$1.50 Ivory Manicure Scissors, 2 for...\$1.51</p> <p>\$1.00 Empty Tourist Traveling Case, 2 for...\$1.01</p> <p>25c Nickel Soap Box and 25c Denton's Soap, the 2...26c</p> <p>75c Men's Genuine Leather Bill Folds, 2 for...76c</p> <p>\$5.50 New Haven Slumber Stopper Alarm Clock, 2 for \$3.51</p>	<p>Stationery</p> <p>75c 1 lb. White Linen Crash Note Paper and 75c box of 100 Envelopes, the 2 for 76c</p> <p>85c full lb. Tinted Linen Crash Note Paper and 85c box of 100 Envelopes to match, the 2 for...86c</p> <p>50c Linen Crash Correspondence Cards and Envelopes, 2 boxes for...51c</p> <p>50c Box Stationery, 1000 bxs. to go at 2 for...51c</p> <p>50c Holograph Pound Paper, 2000 lbs. to go at 2 packages for...51c</p> <p>75c Boxes of Men's Fine Stationery, 2 for...76c</p> <p>\$1.50 Finest Interlined Stationery, 2 boxes for...\$1.51</p> <p>15c Linen Envelopes, 2 pkgs. for...16c</p> <p>10c Envelopes, 2 pkgs. for 11c</p> <p>\$1.50 Salz Self-Filling Fountain Pens, solid gold point, 2 for...\$1.51</p>	<p>Toilet Goods</p> <p>50c Dier-Kiss Rouge, 2 pkgs. for...51c</p> <p>50c Chloro-Denta Tooth Paste, 2 tubes for...51c</p> <p>25c Soul Kiss Talcum and 35c Soul Kiss Perfume, 2 for 36c</p> <p>50c Creme de Camelia, 2 51c</p> <p>50c Pozzoni's Rice Powder, 2 for...51c</p> <p>25c Soul Kiss Tooth Paste and 25c Soul Kiss Talcum, the 2 for...26c</p> <p>25c National Bath Powder, 2 cans for...26c</p> <p>25c Optimus Bandoline, 2 bottles for...26c</p> <p>50c Optimus Coconut Oil Shampoo, 2 for...51c</p> <p>25c Shampoo, 2 for...26c</p> <p>35c 1/2 lb. Theatrical Cold Cream, 2 cans for...36c</p> <p>50c Tekla Face Powder, 2 boxes for...51c</p> <p>25c A. D. S. Peroxide Tooth Paste and 25c Tooth Brush, the 2 for...26c</p> <p>50c Pozzoni's Face Powder and 50c Wool Powder Puff, the 2 for...51c</p> <p>50c Pussywillow Face Powder and 35c Wool Powder Puff, the 2 for...51c</p>	<p>SOAPS</p> <p>\$2 Bar Romanza Spanish Castile Soap, 2 bars for...\$2.01</p> <p>15c San Remo Baby Castile, 2 bars for...16c</p> <p>15c Palmolive, 2 bars for...16c</p> <p>15c Colgate's Coleo, 2 bars for...16c</p> <p>15c Jap Rose, 2 bars for...16c</p> <p>15c Creme Oil Soap, 2 bars for...16c</p> <p>15c Lux Soap Flakes, 2 pkgs. for...16c</p> <p>25c Denton's Smooth Skin Soap and a 25c wash cloth, the 2 for...26c</p> <p>25c box (3 cakes) Kirk's Trelis Soap and 25c Nickel Soap box, the 2 for...26c</p> <p>10c Magic Soap Dye, 2 packages for...11c</p>
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A FREE SOUVENIR Is Given With Each Purchase to Every Man or Woman FREE ICE CREAM SANDWICHES FOR THE CHILDREN

In Our Candy Department

Easter Dinner Special SATURDAY ONLY

Regular 60c the pound assorted cream wafers in eight colors, fresh from our own factory and a 60c quart brick of Mt. Hood Ice Cream, your choice of flavors in French Salad, Neapolitan, Mt. Hood Special and Princess.

THE TWO FOR 61c

By request we will give you coupons from this store so that you can get these on Sunday from any one of our three stores.

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3 BIG STORES

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Northern Pacific Pharmacy 3d and Morrison Sts. Irvington Pharmacy E. 16th St. and Broadway Perkins Hotel Pharmacy 5th and Washington Sts.

Last Days! Ending This Saturday Night

RAYMOND'S REORGANIZATION SALE

An Exciting Finish

Before we finally settle down to our new, "reorganized" policy from our former installment and credit house to a strictly cash basis, the end of this week we are offering some "wonderful Easter specials" which will leave a lasting impression on all visitors and make them permanent patrons here.

MEMORABLE SALE OF

Dresses

For This Occasion Only

About 75 of them in this particular group. Truly beautiful styles in both silk and wool, light and dark colors ranging up to \$65.00.

\$10.95

EXTRA SPECIAL FOR THIS OCCASION

Coats, Capes and Wraps

STRICTLY NEW SPRING STYLE

Cannot be duplicated under \$25.00 and up to \$35.00, to be sold at...

\$18.95

Stylish Skirts \$4.95

Plaid Stripes, Etc. As Low as.....

A Big Discount On Everything Else In the House!

Positively nothing escapes. Everything else not advertised "Special" subject to reduction **1/4 Off** without exception

\$6.95

Raymond's CLOAKS & SUITS

409 Washington St., Between 10th and 11th Sts.

Easter Egg Dyes

Reg. 5c Packages for This Sale 2 Packages for 6c

Savings for Men

\$5.00 Gillette Razors, 2 for...**\$5.01**

\$1.00 Gillette Blades, 35c Ricksecker's Shaving Cream and 2 5c Shaving Lotions, all three for...**\$1.01**

25c Jergen's Shaving Sticks, 2 for...**26c**

10c Williams' Shaving Soap, 2 cakes for...**11c**

35c Ricksecker's Shaving Cream, 2 tubes for...**36c**

35c Mark Cross Safety Razors, silver plated, 2 for...**36c**

50c Razor Hones, 2 for...**51c**

\$1.50 Razor Straps, 2 for...**\$1.51**

\$1.00 Empty Toilet Cases, 2 for...**\$1.01**

35c Purolo Shaving Cream, 2 for...**36c**

\$1.00 Ender's Safety Razors, 2 for...**\$1.01**

65c Bicycle Cards, 2 packs for...**66c**