

3 DRY VIOLATORS HERE ARRESTED, 2 CASES DISMISSED

Federal complaints charging John and Edwin Taylor, brothers and well known residents of the Applegate, and John Doe Pate of Klamath Falls with the alleged sale of intoxicating liquor were filed late Monday afternoon by federal prohibition authorities.

All three defendants were involved in the state dry raids of last week. The charges against John and Edwin Taylor were dismissed when called before County Judge Gardner. A high powered automobile, said to belong to Pate, is held by the county authorities pending the filing of confiscatory claims on the charge of transporting liquor.

Bonds of \$1000 each were posted by each defendant this morning. Henry Taylor, father of the two brothers, and Oscar Knox of Jacksonville, a sawmill operator, qualifying as bondsmen.

According to the county clerk, the trio will be taken to Klamath Falls for arraignment before the United States commissioner at that place.

Clenn O. Taylor, the local federal official, being absent from the city on a vacation.

A young man by the name of Burnett, alleged to have been the driver of the Pate car, pleaded guilty to a charge of possession of intoxicating liquor this morning before County Judge Gardner, and was given a sentence of three months in jail and fined \$50, the jail sentence being suspended on condition that Burnett pay the fine, which he said he would do.

Federal action in Jackson county bootlegging charges, according to county authorities, was due to the well known proneness of Jackson county juries not to convict upon the testimony of dry sleuths.

BOOM FOR COOLIDGE IN 1928

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charged with the responsibility of the office, become acting president, and in the present case de facto president, but no one can be de jure president except by election. In America, there is no succession."

TOTAL RAINFALL FOR DECEMBER TO DATE 3.44 IN

The deluge of rain last night amounted to 1.43 inches, and makes the total rainfall for this month up to this noon 3.44 inches, and the total rainfall since last September, 13.37 inches, as compared with the total rainfall of last year, the total 12 months—of 11.75 inches. Further rain is on the way as today was cloudy much of the time and rain is the official prediction for tonight and Wednesday.

The total rainfall so far during December while being so far during the average of that month in recent years is not record breaking, as in 1922 the December rainfall was 5.26 inches and in 1920 it was 3.43. In 1923 the month had 1.54, in 1921, .94, in 1919, 2.57; in 1918, 1.44; in 1917, 2.75; in 1916, 1.71, and in 1915, 2.25.

From 1912 to 1912 in which year there was a fall of 24.83 inches, the annual rainfall by years is as follows: 1923, 11.75; 1922, 17.01; 1921, 16.21; 1920, 16.33; 1919, 14.33; 1918, 14.68; 1917, 16.3; 1916, 14.51; 1915, 13.80; 1914, 14.75; 1913, 19.44.

Vaudeville Bill

Hunt's Craterian

Hunt's Craterian has another attractive bill to present to its patrons today in Orpheum, Jr., vaudeville, headed by Mindel Kingston and Geo. Elmer in "This and That," a musical turn, with Ethel and Manipulating the horns and Miss Kingston with a good voice and startling costumes.

Clayton, the mystic, in an added attraction, Darnley and Merrill have a song and patter turn called "So Long Broadway," and Maru and Ronnie Sinclair will be heard in a musical act, "The Xylomaniacs."

"Three Jacks and a Queen" song and dance revue, has Stanley, Doyle and Winslow and Bonnie Reynolds, and Selbini and Corbini will be seen in a novelty called "Follies of Vaudeville."

CHEESE ADVANCES A CENT A POUND PORTLAND MARKET

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—All makes of cheese advanced a cent a pound here today, following an announcement by Carl Haberlach, manager of the Tillamook association, to the effect that they had increased their prices a cent. Tillamook triplets are now quoted at 29 cents, f. o. b. Portland, with Tillamook loaf at 30 cents a pound.

Increasing cost of hay, grain and feed, together with a falling off in production due to the extreme cold spell which has prevailed during the last few weeks, are the principal factors in forcing the advance.

The demand during the holidays has been extremely brisk this year, with receipts in the local market cleaning up as fast as they came in. At the same time orders at Tillamook have exceeded the make, creating a very bullish situation.

Mellowest and other Oregon makes of cheese promptly followed the advance in Tillamook, with prices on cream triplets now ranging from 24 to 25 cents and from 25 to 26 cents for loaf in the local market.

The live poultry market is firm, with receipts moderate. Heavy hens are selling around 23 cents; light hens, 16 to 17 cents; springs, 20 to 22 cents. White Pekin ducks are scarce at 20 to 21 cents; live geese, 16 cents; live turkeys, 23 to 24 cents. There is no call for dressed turkeys, ducks and geese and prices are weak. Fancy dressed turkeys around 35 cents with light turkeys at 32 cents.

Eggs are lower, with a noticeable increase in receipts and narrower shipping demand. Current receipts selling on the street at 44 cents. Extras and pullets a cent lower on the exchange, with firsts posted two cents lower. Other grades are unchanged.

Country meat arrivals along the street were moderate this morning and prices were higher, reflecting the extreme advances at yards yesterday. Choice light veal are selling at 14 cents, with choice light hogs at 13 cents.

Butter prices are steady today, with no change in bid prices on the local board.

\$1.70; hard winter, \$1.71; northern spring, \$1.72; western red, \$1.67; BHB hard white, \$1.97.

Today's car receipts—Wheat, 54; flour, 2; hay, 3.

San Francisco Markets.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—(U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics.)—Eggs—Weak; extras, 55c; extra pullets, 49c.
Butterfat, f. o. b. San Francisco, 57c.

Poultry.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Turkeys, dressed young fancy, 35¢@40¢; off-stock, 30¢@35¢; live, 28¢@30¢.

ELECTED A DIRECTOR
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by the state legislature to provide for at least one new normal school in the state and appropriations to establish branch normal schools as need may arise. This may involve a request to the legislature for an appropriation of between \$200,000 and \$275,000 for the proposed school.

R. B. BRIDGE WASHED OUT
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The steamers Wallingford and Edna were making slow progress from Portland to Astoria.

Eugene Bridge Out
EUGENE, Ore., Dec. 30.—Elli creek bridge on the McKenzie highway near Blue river was carried out last night by flood waters of the McKenzie river, and travel over the highway at that point has been blocked. County officials have left for the scene to investigate for a new bridge.

Amazon slough in the southern part of the city overflowed yesterday and covered blocks of city streets. The waters had receded to the banks of the slough today, however.

The Willamette river has risen rapidly and covers the Pacific highway between here and Springfield junction. The flood waters were also over the Pacific highway to the north of Eugene and horses were needed to pull some of the automobiles through.

ROSEBURG, Ore., Dec. 30.—All rivers and streams in Douglas county are at extreme flood stage today, and damage is expected if the water rises higher. Warm rains fell in torrents last night, and as the snow melted from the hills and lowlands the rivers and streams came up very rapidly during the night, and this morning were higher than they have been for

many years. The south Yamapa was carrying a great deal of driftwood.

There is no indication of an impending flood.

The lava formation of the country which provides subterranean drainage makes flood conditions here an all-time record of occurrence according to those who have lived near the Deschutes river for a long time. Ice blocks in the river threatened the Deschutes-Tumalo bridge at Tumalo yesterday and the county court ordered the bridge closed. A crew is working on the bridge now repairing the damage done by the ice.

While the temperature dropped last night below the freezing point for the first time in three days the snow is practically all gone.



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in Friday's Mail Tribune

IT WILL INTEREST EVERYONE in SOUTHERN OREGON



PRE-INVENTORY SALE

Men's Shoes

One lot Men's Dress and Semi-Dress Shoes, \$4.00 values **\$2.95**
One lot Work Shoes, \$3.50 values, sale **\$2.95**
One lot \$3 values, **\$2.49**

Men's Coats and Jackets

Men's Mole-skin Sheep-lined \$10 values, **\$6.95**
Men's Leather Lined Mole-skin, \$8 val. **\$5.90**
Others at **\$4.95**
Stage shirts, all wool, \$8.50 value, sale, **\$6.95**

Children's Coats

A few Children's Coats left that must be closed out and we have cut the price accordingly—
\$2.95, \$3.19, \$4.89, \$5.95

Ladies' Knit Underwear

\$1.35 Union Suits... **98¢**
\$1.75 Un'n Suits... **\$1.15**
\$3.50 Un'n Suits... **\$1.89**
\$1.50 Misses' Union Suits **\$1.10**
\$1.35 Children's Union Suits **98¢**
\$1.00 Children's Union Suits **89¢**

Children's Shoes

Several lots of Children's Shoes to close out at—
98¢, \$1.39, \$1.49, \$1.59, \$1.98
A few Ladies' Shoes at **\$1.00 and \$1.98**

Boys' Shoes

Several lots Boys' Shoes in broken sizes at **98¢, \$1.98, \$2.49**

SILK UMBRELLAS HALF PRICE SILK UMBRELLAS

Men's Suits

Extraordinary Bargains in Men's Suits—
\$9.95 to \$27.95
Boys' Suits—
Priced for a quick cleanup—
\$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95, \$7.45, \$9.85

Blankets

\$2.95 Blankets **\$2.39**
\$3.25 Blankets **\$2.69**
\$3.95 Blankets **\$3.39**
\$4.50 Blankets **\$3.89**
\$5.50 Blankets **\$4.79**
\$6.50 Blankets **\$5.29**
\$8.00 Blankets **\$6.85**
\$10.00 Blankets **\$8.39**
\$12.50 Blankets **\$10.89**

BIG APPROPRIATION MEASURE PASSES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Practically without amendment the treasury and postoffice appropriation bill, the largest peace-time measure ever before congress, was passed today by the house.

As sent to the house the bill carries \$763,000,000, of which \$11,000,000 is for prohibition enforcement and \$20,000,000 for the coast guard service, which plans to use nearly half of its allotment for curbing rum running.

The Markets

Livestock
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—Cattle steady; receipts 149.
Hogs, selling steady; receipts 200, all drive ins.
Sheep nominally steady; receipts 290, (contract.)

Eggs
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—Eggs 1 to 2c lower. Current receipts 43c; pullets 42c; firsts 42¢@43¢; henneries 47½ delivered Portland.

Butter
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—Butter extra cubes, city 45½c; standards 45c; prime firsts 42c; firsts 40c; under-grades nominal; prints 49c; cartons 50c.
Butterfat firm, scarce. Best churning cream 45¢@46¢ net shippers' track in zone one; 45c delivered Portland.

Poultry
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—Poultry firm cent higher. Heavy hens 23c lb.; light 16¢@17c; springs 20¢@22c; old roosters 10c; ducks, white Pekin 20¢@21c; live turkeys 23c; dressed turkeys 32¢@35c; geese 15c.

Potatoes
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—Potatoes firm, \$1.50@1.60.
Onions firm, unchanged.

Portland Wheat.
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—Wheat bids: Hard white, Bluestem, Hart, \$1.62; soft white, \$1.72; western white.

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