

## NEWSPAPERS UNITE WITH EVANS OWNER

### TWO LOCAL DAILIES

AND ONE WEEKLY REMAINS IN FIELD TO FURNISH KLAMATH FOLK WITH INTELLIGENCE OF INTEREST.

Samuel M. Evans announces that he has bought from the Klamath Development Company the Pioneer Press, the every-day-but-Monday morning daily, and from Edward J. Murray the Klamath Chronicle, published likewise, and the Klamath County Chronicle, weekly. The whole will be consolidated into a daily, thus leaving the field, so far as Klamath Falls publications are concerned, to the two dailies, the Evening Herald and morning Pioneer Press, and the Weekly Republican, published by the proprietor of the Evening Herald.

Some time ago the Pioneer Press discontinued its weekly edition and has since been sending to subscribers that publication its Sunday paper. It is understood that the merged publications will discontinue the weekly Chronicle.

Since the transfer of the Chronicle from William T. Olive, who was making it for the benefit of creditors under an assignment to Murray, the latter has been assisted by J. Scott Taylor and P. H. McNeary in the editorial department. Under the recent ownership of the Pioneer Press, which was the name given the paper shortly after the Klamath Development bought the daily Express from J. Scott Taylor, A. C. Wronn has been in charge of that publication, assisted in the editorial department by Philip Bennett and Vance Hutchins. Under the new regime Wronn will be foreman, with Evans, Bennett and Hutchins in the editorial department.

In announcing his purchase of the papers Mr. Evans says that they will for the present be published in the present quarters of the Pioneer Press and it is generally assumed that the Pioneer Press will be the same held at least for the time being. Mr. Evans also says that he hopes before many months the paper will have a home of its own.

Next month, so it is asserted, the name of the daily will be changed. The price paid for the papers is not stated.

Mr. Evans some time ago came to this region to write some articles on features of the country for the Sunset Magazine, by which he has for some time been employed. As the Sunset Magazine is the official organ of the Southern Pacific railroad, it is generally believed that Mr. Evans will conduct his paper in a spirit amicable toward the development of the Klamath basin and the interests which are doing much to expand this district.

## THIRD ANNUAL AVIATION MEET STARTS DOWN SOUTH

Facilities for Fliers Are Unusually Good and Among Those Who Will Hear is Eber A. Chingman—Many Novel Features Planned.

OAKLAND, Feb. 19.—The third annual aviation meet began Saturday and will continue for six days. The infield of the old race track has been leveled off and the facilities for racing and alighting are splendid. Miss Blanche Scott, the "Tomboy" of the air, will be one of the big attractions, as will Tom Guin, the only Chinese aviator in the world. Others

## Federals Again Control Juarez But Anarchy Is Rife In Torreon Region

EL PASO, Feb. 19.—Juarez is again a federal stronghold. Emeliana Barquez, a Maderista, has been installed mayor. Machine guns have arrived and

to fly are Lincoln Beachey, Weldon Cooke, Hilary Beachey, Glen Martin, William Hoff, Farnum Fish, Horace Keowny and Phil Parmalee.

The birdmen will have in international races, do a figure eight, carry passengers, demonstrate wireless telegraphy, carry mail, and everything else novel that can be thought of.

### PLTNEY OF NEW JERSEY IS SUPREME COURT JUDGE

Chancellor of State University of Mesquite State and Former Congressman Gets Birth of Decidedly Unusual National Importance.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—It is officially announced at the White House that Mahlon Pitney, chancellor of the State University of New Jersey and former congressman, will be appointed to the supreme court.

### TAKES NINE TAILORS TO CONSTITUTE MALE HUMAN

Therefore Golden Gate City Judge Decides that Four of Them Charged With Peace Breaking Do Not Make One Defendant—Case Dismissed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—"It takes nine tailors to make a man," declares Police Judge Shortall today. Four tailors were before him for disturbing the peace. "As there are only four tailors here there is but half a defendant. Case dismissed."

### DARROW TO STAND TRIAL SAYS DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Declares Indianapolis Distographs Invaluable, But Declines to Say If One Was Used in Los Angeles Office of McNamara's Defense.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19.—District Attorney Fredericks is back from an eastern trip and admits he will try Darrow. He declared the distographs used at Indianapolis are invaluable. He refused to reply when asked if one was operated in the office of the McNamara's defense here.

## JOHNSON ALLIES WITH ROOSEVELT

CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR BELIEVED TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING COLUMBUS SPEECH SIZZLER.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Gov Hiram Johnson, of California, who saw La Follette, to whom he has heretofore been pledged, last week has issued a formal statement declaring that he is for Roosevelt for president.

His statement is interpreted as endorsing not only the ex-president but the speech to be delivered by Roosevelt at Columbus, Ohio, on Wednesday next, which will be the Roosevelt keynote for the coming campaign.

The governor had delayed taking a stand in favor of the Oyster Bay man and as a result of his influence it is believed the Columbus speech will be more radical than the colonel originally planned to have it.

After referring to the California progressives waiving political advantage to have a presidential preference primary, Johnson's statement said in part: "Admiration of California progressives for La Follette is undiminished."

## HEY, THERE, YOU I.O.O.F. MEMBERS

THERE'S A MEETING TONIGHT, PREPARATORY TO FORMING AMUSEMENT CLUB, THAT WILL INTEREST YOU.

All Odd Fellows, whether of Klamath Falls or not, are not only invited, but urged, implored, prayed to and otherwise strongly sollied and begged to attend a meeting which is to be held this evening in I. O. O. F. hall for the purpose of undertaking an auxiliary movement which is believed to be for the best interests of the membership. The plan is to take steps toward the formation of a club which will take over the bowling alley and so forth recently purchased by the I. O. O. F. hall association from Frank Sargent. It is expected to perfect an organization for the benefit of the members which will come into control of the amusement feature. It is expected to have a resort which will be highly enjoyed and liberally patronized by members of the order not only in the city, but of outside lodges when they happen to be in Klamath Falls.

## SHERIFF IS OUT FOR SOMETHING

BUT IT IS NOT ANOTHER TERM. HE IS SEEKING TO GARNER IN SHERKES IN SHAPE OF TAXES DUE ON PROPERTY.

Sheriff William B. Barnes is out for the coin.

Not in the sense you think, however. The kind of coin he is hustling for now is that which belongs to the county and is rendered in the shape of taxes by folks owning property on which the taxes are due.

Collections began today and in order to induce property owners to be good they can have a 3 per cent rebate from now until March 15, if they settle in full by that date. After the first Monday in April taxes will be delinquent, unless half be paid before then, in which case the other half may be paid without penalty any time before the first Monday of October.

But if the remaining half is not paid by the first Monday in October, which will be October 7, 1912, a penalty at the rate of 10 per cent will be charged, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent from the first Monday in April until paid. Personal checks will be cashed. Nothing but the coin or the legal equivalent thereof goes.

## NEW ATTRACTION FOR OPERA HOUSE

REPERTOIRE FOR BOARDS WILL BE IN ORDER WHEN NEWMAN-FOLTZ COMPANY OPENS SATURDAY NIGHT.

A coming attraction at Houston's theater is the popular and well known Newman-Foltz company, presenting a fine repertoire of high class comedy and drama. The company opens in Klamath Falls next Saturday night in the charming comedy drama, "The Parisian Princess," in which the big New York favorite, Mary Bolan, appeared so successfully. Miss Foltz, who has the reputation of being one of California's cleverest leading women, will be seen in the title role, and her work compares favorably with that of the more celebrated star. Miss Foltz comes of one of California's most distinguished families and she is possessed of abundant talent, especially excelling in emotional roles. "The Parisian Princess" suits her talents admirably and in the lighter scenes she gives herself an equally good comedienne.

## INDIAN VETS TO HAVE PENSIONS

IF BILL INTRODUCED BY RUCKER, CONGRESSMAN FROM COLORADO HAPPENS TO BECOME A NATIONAL LAW.

All ex-soldiers who are eligible to join are being requested to become members of the Order of National Indian War Veterans, of the national executive committee of which Paul Richt, of Merrill, is a member. Those wishing particulars may address him on the subject.

W. A. Rucker, a member of congress from Colorado, has introduced at Washington a bill to pension the warriors.

Sale all this week at Runk & Sailer's military store.

## REGULAR FEAST WILL BE CORKER

COMMITTEE OF REBEKAHS GETS TO WORK ON ARRANGEMENTS FOR REGULAR EPICUREAN REGALEMENT.

For the monthly banquet of the Rebekahs, which is to take place at I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday evening, March 7, the following committee is working and promises an unusually good repast for those eligible to partake thereof: Addie Walker, Alice Baldwin, Alva Hall, Rose Keese, Wallace Baldwin, P. L. Fountain, Kate Rousevelt, Nelson Rousevelt, M. R. Doty, Eva Graves, Charles Graves, Harry Pelts, Jennie Pelts, Jay Manning, Stella Bamber, Fred Bamber, Lois Driscoll, Carrie Clendenning, C. B. Clendenning.

## FAULDER SPLITS UP LITTLE WOOD

MAN ACCUSED OF MURDER GETS OUT UNDER GUARD OF DEPUTY SHERIFF AND PREPARES SOME FUEL FOR FLAMES.

Noble Faulder, accused of the murder of Louis Gehlert, was ushered out to the back of the court house this afternoon by Deputy Sheriff John Schallock. There is a woodpile there, and when Faulder was equipped with the necessary implement to divide large pieces of wood into smaller pieces, he went at the task with great vigor and seemed to enjoy it. It's not often that men accused of capital crime get a chance out of jail a nice day like this and the prisoner seemed to enjoy splitting wood.

## CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 19

Excavations are being made in the gardens and cellars of the palace formerly occupied by the ex-sultan, Abdul Hamid, in search for the famous sword of the great. This sword is the most highly-prized relic of Turkey's past glory.

The authorities have just finished ransacking the home of Tahir Pasha, to whom Abdul was believed to have given the precious weapon when he was ousted from the throne. Tahir believed the precious weapon lies buried in the Yildiz Kiosk, but he says he has forgotten the exact place. It is suspected that he may have sold it to some antique dealer in Paris or London.

## THREE BIG FISH STEVENS' CATCH

NIMROD GOES TO LINK RIVER ABOUT SUN-UP AND FIRST THREE HE PULLS OUT WEIGH OVER THE LIMIT.

James Stevens, who lives on Fourth street over Weber's paintshop, is the envy of the nimrods around town today. He took his line to Link river this morning about sun-up and opposite the old Moore sawmill proceeded to go after what might bite. He caught, within about an hour's time, two rainbow trout and one steelhead that were enough to make a man tired if he tried to carry them far. When he got to Quillitch's grocery he weighed them and the scales turned to 30 1/2 pounds. As twenty pounds is the limit he had to quit. He would not have over-

## VIENNA SUICIDE CITY, HEADING ALL IN EUROPE

In Past Year Over 1,400 Belongs Tried Self-Destruction, Including Seven Children Under 14, Who Had Trouble in School.

VIENNA, Feb. 19.—In the annual roll of suicides, Vienna still stands at the top of the list of the big cities of Europe. There have been 1,416 suicides or attempted suicides here in the past year. The list includes seven children under 14 years of age. They ended their lives because of unfavorable school reports and fear of punishment at home.

## Women Strike Picketers Arrested After Officers Charge On Them

LAWRENCE, Feb. 19.—Three women picketers were arrested after two hundred police, fifteen cavalrymen and a detachment of infantry charged a hundred women strikers

## COUNTY COURT IS ASKED TO ANSWER

AS TO SITE OFFERED BY THE MEMBERS OF KLAMATH FALLS COMMERCIAL CLUB ABOUT MONTH SINCE—MANY SIGNERS TO REQUEST.

Secretary of California Gives This Opinion for Benefit of Dancer Who Is Trying to Copyright Act of His Company Which Includes It

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 19.—There can be no bars to the "Texas Tommy" dance on the stage. This is the opinion today of Secretary of State Frank Jordan, given to Max Goldsmith, a vaudeville dancer. Goldsmith has an act of frisky dolls and gents that specializes "Texas Tommy" and he wants to protect the dance by copyright, claiming to have invented it.

President Taft will make five speeches in Chicago March 9.

## CARPENTER VS. LIQUOR MAN IS SUIT INVOLVING MONEY

Former Asks \$24,000, Make Up of Various Items for Assault, Being Called "Crook," and Lost Time, Retaining Three Lawyers to Collect

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Coo Cross, a carpenter, today has entered suit for \$24,000 against Thomas W. Costello, a wealthy liquor dealer.

Cross wants \$15,000 of the amount as payment for malicious assault, \$200 for medical attention, \$5,000 for suffering endured pain from shock \$2,500 for being called a "crook" and \$2,000 for loss of time while recovering.

The men had quarreled over business matters. The carpenter has retained three lawyers to collect his claim.

At San Francisco all reserve indictments against Abraham Ruef having been dismissed, he is expected to testify freely against ex-Mayor Eugene Schmitz, indicted for bribery.

## SLIGHT CLUE TO YORK STATE HEIR

J. FRED GOELLER, PLANING MILL MAN, HAD RUSSELL IN HIS EMPLOY ABOUT A YEAR AND A HALF AGO.

Attorney Joseph S. Kent has a slight clue to V. Russell, the New York state heir who was last heard from in this city two years ago. J. Fred Goeller, the planing mill man, remembers Russell, who was a laborer in his employ about a year and a half ago. Goeller's attention to the case was called by reading an account of it in the Evening Herald.

## WOMEN STRIKE PICKETERS ARRESTED

LAWRENCE, Feb. 19.—Three women picketers were arrested after two hundred police, fifteen cavalrymen and a detachment of infantry charged a hundred women strikers

stationed in Lawrence near the common, begging operatives "Not to return to work and such." They are charged with intimidation and disorderly conduct.