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**SAFETY RULES
REITERATED BY
CHIEF MILLER**

"Yesterday's disastrous fire at the White Pelican garage proved that people will take chances," said Fire Chief Miller today in discussing the fire, which started from a blow torch used to thaw frozen plumbing.

"I want to urge every one again to avoid the use of a blow torch, burning waste or flames of any kind in thawing frozen pipes," said the fire chief. "The safe plan is to wrap the pipes with rags and pour boiling water over them."

"I have made this suggestion before and I want to emphasize it, now that we have this deplorable object lesson on the danger connected with the practice."

The chief also urges all householders to examine their flues and see that the wall paper laths and other inflammable material does not touch the stove pipe.

"We had an alarm Sunday from the E. H. Jefferson place, Esplanade and Huron streets" he said, "where the fire was caused by laths in the partition becoming ignited from the heater pipe. Fortunately the fire was checked before much damage was done, but every one may not be so lucky."

Other cities besides Klamath Falls suffered fires started by blow torches during the cold spell. The state fire marshal has asked the public to avoid this practice, so prolific in causing life and property loss, and Portland has asked the city authorities to pass an emergency ordinance penalizing the use of the blow torch in this connection.

AT THE THEATERS

A strong and dramatic picture is "Dust of Desire" which is shown at The Liberty Theatre tonight. The story is that of a young society girl who, believing her former lover dead, marries a rising South American explorer. The lover subsequently turns up, and again the situation of the eternal triangle—two men in love with the same woman—develops. A new complication arises in the person of the jealous wife of the rival and the electrifying scene between the two women is one of the best of superb dramatic acting that has been seen on the screen in a long while, and it is here that the play reaches its startling climax. The star of "Dust of Desire" is Rubye De Remer and her acting in this production is all that could be desired. The story told by this photoplay is vitally human and absorbing.

The Liberty Theatre announces "The Master Man" as the big feature attraction for Wednesday, and Manager Poole assures his patrons that in this play they have a thoroughly satisfying entertainment, presenting America's greatest character actor in the greatest piece of screen work he has ever accomplished.

Miss Lillian Gish has again proved her remarkable talent as a screen actress in her performance of Lucy, the child in "Broken Blossoms." D. W. Griffith's art sensation, soon to be shown at the Liberty Theatre. In Thomas Burke's story, "The Chink and the Child," taken from "Limehouse Nights," Lucy, the daughter of "Battling Burrows," is supposed to be 12 years old, but with the license of the artistic producer, Mr. Griffith took the liberty of adding three years to her age.

Few who see her performances as Lucy will forget that tragic moment when at her bullying father's command she tries to push her way into the semblance of a smile. Mr. Griffith declares that this was a purely involuntary piece of acting; for when, during the photography of the first scene of cruelty between her father and herself and she was all in very real tears, he suggested as director that she smile through her tears.

She was so wrought up over the scene that she tried to smile but could not and then, quite naturally and without thought of artifice, she, with trembling fingers tried to push up the corners of her lips. It was so pathetic and human a gesture that Mr. Griffith at once realized its value and it remains one of the striking notes of the performance of this moving "tale of loves and lovers."

WEATHER REPORT.

OREGON—Tonight and Wednesday, rain in the west, snow in the east portion, warmer in the interior; southerly winds, increasing to gales along the coast.

The Herald would bring good cheer from Klamath County; not only during the Christmas season, but during every day in the year. Show Early.

HECTORS

Ye Women of Fashion Take Note!

Beginning Wednesday at 9 a. m. Sharp

Special Sale of Dresses and Coats



Every Coat and Dress offered in this sale just received. The most important Dress and Coat event ever held in Klamath County. Over 75 new dresses and 100 coats. The cost of silk fabrics is steadily advancing. Spring will bring much higher prices on all silk frocks. Many of these dresses are forerunners of Spring modes. This is your opportunity! Grasp it!

THE DRESS FABRICS ARE :
Satins, Taffetas, Charmeuse, Georgette, Tricolette, Tricotine, Serges and Jerseys.
Sale prices \$9.85 to \$39.75

THE COATS ARE MADE OF
Silvertone, Broadcloth, Kersey, Plush, Zibeline, Polo Cloth, etc.
Sale Prices \$19.75 to \$98.75

**BIG DANCE
TONIGHT
AT
MOOSE HALL**

Kay-Jay Orchestra

**ATHLETIC LEAGUE
MEETING TONIGHT**

Interesting reports on the progress made in the organization of the Klamath Falls Athletic association are expected tonight at the meeting in the city hall. Committees on securing quarters, constitution and by-laws and other matters affecting the permanent organization were appointed at a meeting last Friday night and some of them will have reports to make tonight that may be vital to the success of the organization.

There is a strong sentiment behind the organization movement, indicated by the fact that 150 members were signed in one day's canvass. In order to keep the movement alive, the men active in its promotion are asking all citizens interested, directly or remotely, in the association to lend the support of their presence at tonight's meeting. It is called for 8 o'clock.

Chinese parents are afraid to give their children the fine high-sounding names their love suggests, lest the evil spirits of whom they stand in constant fear should come to understand how precious they are and cause them some calamity. So the little ones are called by such names as Little Stupid, and the like, the idea being that when the spirits hear the children called by such uncomplimentary names they will imagine that the parents care very little for them, and will not take the trouble to molest them.

Have sold the four houses advertised in these columns this month for the reason that they were very good values.

**HERE IS ANOTHER
GOOD ONE**

A 7-room house and bath, cost \$4,000.00 to build and could not be replaced for less than \$6,500.00. Lot is beautiful and sightly, cost \$1,000.00.

Will sell this property for \$3,000.00 with a cash payment of only \$500.00; balance like rent.

I have an auto and a bicycle to sell at a price.

J. F. Maguire

125 North Seventh Street

SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY

Eggs, per dozen75c
Hams (Swift's), per pound42c
Bacon (Swift's), per pound50c
A No. 1 bulk Coffee, per pound50c

For a very short time I have a Christmas Special on a limited amount of fancy TOILET SOAPS in an elaborate steel lock box, containing 16 bars of highly scented toilet soap. This box alone is worth \$3.50. This week, special \$4.50.

I also have this same assortment in a fancy paper box containing 17 bars at \$3.00 per box. Either one makes an ideal Christmas gift. You will have to see these to appreciate their value.

I also have everything in Candies and Cookies. Just in—Royal Ann Cherries—2 1/2, 55c a can; Sliced Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can, 50c.

I also have a good assortment of JAMS. Orange Marmalade at 40c. Also Mince Meat at 93c and Plum Pudding at 60c.

Pineapple in No. 1, 2 and 2 1/2 cans at 35c, 42c and 48c per can. All new stock, just received from San Francisco.

For your Christmas fruit cake—Orange, Lemon and Citron Peel—Currants at 43c a package. Sun Maid Seeded Raisins 28c a package.

All kinds of Pickles, Pigs' Feet and Sauer Kraut in bulk. Also Peanut Butter and Honey in bulk.

Our Canned Goods, including Oysters, Clams, Shrimps, Salmon and Sardines, are absolutely guaranteed. Your money cheerfully refunded if you are not satisfied with anything you purchase in this store.

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