

FIRE DANGER IN AUTOS, GARAGES AND THEATRES

By Fire Chief Delaney.

Automobile fires contribute a liberal share toward the annual fire loss in all cities.

Leaking carburetor, back firing, short circuit of some part of the electrical equipment and careless owners hunting trouble with matches, candles, etc., represent the principal causes of automobile fires.

A cool-headed driver with a small hand extinguisher can easily extinguish a fire about his machine when from all appearances the car is doomed. Road dust and sand thrown upon the fire will in many cases smother it before any real damage is done.

Garages

Fire reports tend to show that more fires occur in small private garages than in large public ones. Spontaneous combustion in oily rags for wiping and polishing, careless smoking, gasoline explosions from improper ventilation and the general rubbishy and unclean condition found in most private garages constitute the principal causes of fire.

The garage should be kept spotlessly clean and free of inflammable oils. It should be ventilated at the floor line to carry off the gasoline vapors which, being heavier than air, settle to the ground. An explosion will result if these vapors come in contact with a flame from match or candle.

Keep a bucket of sand or a chemical extinguisher in the garage. You may prevent a disastrous fire which might communicate to your home before the fire department can check it.

Moving Pictures

After many serious fires with attending losses of life, laws governing moving picture theatre and projecting room construction are being enforced in all states.

The projecting room in which the picture machines are located must be of fireproof construction and the theatre provided with exits, the number of which is regulated by the seating capacity.

Every precaution must be taken in the projecting room because of the highly combustible nature of the celluloid film used. However, if this enclosure is properly fireproofed and ventilated no fire or smoke can escape into the audience, and if the theatre patrons understand this, in the event of a fire the danger of panic will be greatly minimized.

The use of toy motion picture machines by children in the home when the dangerous celluloid film is projected should be frowned upon by their elders, who at all times should conduct the exhibition and operate the machine.

Boys and Girls in Illinois Town Are Practical Crusaders

MATTOON, Ill.—The younger generation of this town has started a crusade which threatens to place the so-called "blue laws" far in the shade. The girls have pledged themselves not to keep company with young men who smoke cigarettes and to use their influence in stopping the habit. Nearly 400 have enlisted in the crusade.

In retaliation, the young men have formed a club and are going the girls one better. They insist on making the girls over into "the kind of girls our mothers were." Hereafter, all members of the club will refuse to keep company with girls who insist on wearing skirts knee length. They must wear them so long that no part of stocking may be seen, neither may they wear the half-sock rolled down variety. They will refuse to go to dances with girls who wear no corsets or wear low-cut dresses beyond the point where mother wore them when she was a girl. Rouge and paint and other aids to the complexion are also taboo.

The new slogan for the boys is "lips that touch rouge shall never touch mine." Silk stockings are blacklisted, cotton or wool must be worn. Only the old-time square dances and the waltz and two step will be permitted, and in the case of the latter two, any unnecessary muscular movement will be promptly chided. Pulled eyebrows and cootie garages have to go with the shimmy and the toddle.

EGGS STILL DECLINING

PORTLAND, Feb. 9.—A decline of three cents in egg prices today brought the best quotations to country shippers down to from 25 to 40 cents, according to grade.

OREGON BREVITIES

MEDFORD.—Interest in the drilling at the Triconia oil well has much increased in the past few days during which the oil indications have become more pronounced. The 800 feet of 10 inch casing has all been set which shut off the water in the well hole to that depth.

SALEM.—The house has passed a bill making criminals of persons operating or patronizing punchboards or nickel in the slot machines by a vote of 44 to 12. T. T. Bennett, leader of the insurgents, declared the house was "getting down to pretty small business" to consider such a bill when it had "big matters" awaiting attention. Mrs. William S. Kinney of Astoria was one of the 12 voting "no".

ROSEBURG.—Considerable opposition to the proposed game bill, now before the senate, has been shown by Douglas county farmers, according to Senator B. L. Eddy. This bill protects bears, and provides punishment for a dog owner whose animal runs deer whether or not the owner has knowledge that the dog is engaged in this act. This would prevent many farmers in outlying districts from keeping dogs or allowing dogs to chase from out of their orchards or away from their gardens. In protecting bear a great deal of damage would be done the farmers, especially the sheep men, Senator Eddy states.

SALEM.—Nineteen patients at the state hospital for the insane are there under illegal commitment, according to the decree of Judge G. G. Bingham of the Marion county circuit in the case of George Uber. The reason is that they were committed by justices of the peace acting for county judges under a statute that had been inadvertently repealed.

PRINEVILLE.—Bend has abandoned her plan for the appointment of a commission to "investigate the economic uses of the Deschutes river." Finding herself alone in all Central Oregon in this demand which would probably halt or at least materially delay the development of the Deschutes valley, the Bend interests proposing the commission plan have receded from their stand, and are willing to adopt the suggestion of a Redmond man that the United States Reclamation Service be invited to take over the project.

Senate Would Raise Salaries of Officers

SALEM, Feb. 9.—The house today indefinitely postponed Hosford's bill repealing sections of the Oregon statutes known as "labor's bill of rights," legalizing picketing. The senate defeated the Patterson bill consolidating the department of weights and measures with the state food and dairy commission. The senate passed bills increasing salaries of officers of Lake, Deschutes, Jefferson, and Crook counties, and the house and senate have arranged for a joint session to hear an address by Senator-Elect Stanfield at 2:30 this afternoon.

Mayor of Bend Is Acting Police Chief

The mayor of the city of Bend is now acting chief of police of the city, says the Bend Press. This action was taken late last week when he took the oath as a police officer and assumed the duties of chief, without pay. He has delegated to four of the employees of the city police powers and these officers will report direct to him at all times. These four men are R. H. Fox, the present night officer; Tom Carlson, the fire chief; E. L. Stephens, fire engineer; and Myrl Hoover, assistant engineer. It is the intention to make the office of the mayor the police headquarters and the four officers will be in close touch with the chief while on duty so that he will be able to summon one or more of them at any time they are needed.

THE STAR

Clean, fast humor—jollity—that describes "Just Out of College," a Goldwyn picture, with Jack Pickford, which comes to the Star theatre for Thursday.

There's not a shade of vulgarity in it, though it is punctuated with screamingly funny situations.

A very definite plot, carefully constructed forms the framework for situations that would make the gummiest pessimist come out of his shell. Pickford has splendid support, among the actors figuring in the picture being the famous "Lefty Flynn," the Yale athletic star of not so long ago. It's a corking picture.

Personal Mention

Lena Barkhurst, of Olene is in the city for several days attending to business and shopping.

A. Kinney, is in the city today from his home near Olene attending to matters of business.

Roy Hickman, a stockman and farmer of the Ft. Klamath valley is a city visitor attending to business matters and shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoover, residents of the Chiloquin country, are in the city today attending to matters of business and shopping.

A. A. Sanders, representing Good-year Tire company of San Francisco was an arrival on last night's train and is visiting the local agents.

C. C. Williams, agent for the traffic department of the Southern Pacific is in the city looking after the interests of the company.

J. M. Wilkinson, income tax agent, who has been in town for several days, returned to Medford this morning.

Sam Courtney, a sheepman of the Langell valley country, is in the city attending to matters of business for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, left this morning for Portland, where they will be gone for about a month on a combined business and pleasure visit.

A. E. Rhodes, freight agent for the Missouri Pacific railroad company, is in the city looking over shipping conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Moneyhun and small son, who drove a car in here from Pola Alto, California several weeks ago were passengers on this morning's train for their home there.

C. V. Holmes, who operates a merchandise store at Malin and the Klamath Cash grocery here is in the city looking after business interests for several days.

Ed. Pike, who is employed in the office of the Pelican bay mill, was a passenger on this morning's train to Vancouver, Wash., where he will remain for several days on business.

C. W. Barrett, credit manager for the Chanslor & Lyon Co., of San Francisco, Cal., is in the city looking over the business conditions of this country.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Crane, lumber people of the Chiloquin country, are in the city for several days shopping and attending to matters of business.

Joe Walton of this city was a passenger on this morning's train to Dorris, Cal., where he will remain several days with friends and relatives.

Joe McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom McDonald, who has been attending Santa Clara college, has returned home. He will go back to the college in September.

Mrs. Amlee Enders and small son returned on last evening's train from Ashland where they have been visiting friends and relatives for several days.

Max Weiss, local merchant, was a passenger on this morning's to Wood, California, where he will conduct an army blanket sale for several days.

Fred Mills, local attorney who has been in Salem for several days attending to important business affairs, is expected home this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Mouk, who have been residents of this city for sometime, were passengers on this morning's outgoing train to Dunsmuir, Cal., where they will make their home.

Chester DeLap of this city was a passenger on this morning's train to Ashland, Oregon, where he has been called by the illness of his father-in-law, Robert Casey, a pioneer of this country.

R. H. Dunbar, local insurance broker, made a business trip to Upper Poe valley yesterday, investigating the Kinney fire, which occurred last week. Mr. Dunbar reports the roads in fair condition and considerable snow on the hillsides.

BOY BABY ARRIVES

A telegram was received this morning by Mrs. W. E. Bowdoin, announcing the arrival of a 9-pound boy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brunner at 872 15th avenue, Oakland, California. Mrs. Brunner was Miss Virginia Bryant, daughter of Mrs. Bowdoin.

A wet summer is healthy because the rain washes the air and flushes germ-laden dust away.

RESOLUTION

A Resolution Declaring the Intention of the City of Klamath Falls to Change the Grade on Washington Street Beginning On the Easterly Line of Third Street and Extending from Third Street to Fifth Street.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to change the present grade on Washington Street beginning on the easterly line of Third Street and extending from Third Street to Fifth Street, BE IT RESOLVED that the Common Council hereby declares its intention to change the grade to read as follows:

Beginning on Washington Street at the Easterly line of Third Street grades shall be established as follows:

- Elevations.
- South Sidewalk 225; South Curb 226; North Curb 226; North Sidewalk 226.5.
- Thence on a uniform grade to center of block (or at 132 feet towards 4th St. 220, 223, 223, 225.75.
- Thence on a uniform grade to the westerly line of 4th Street, 219, 222, 223, 224.5.
- Thence to the easterly line of 4th street, 224, 226, 227, 228.0.
- At 53.2 feet, 227.2, 229.2, 229.8, 232.0.
- At 106.4 feet, 230.4, 232.4, 232.6, 235.5.
- At 159.6 feet, 234.3, 236.9, 237.1, 239.0.
- At 212.8 feet, 238.9, 242.7, 243.3, 245.25.
- At 266.0 feet, 243.5, 248.5, 249.5, 251.5, and that at breaks in grade, curbs and sidewalks there are to be such verticle curves as the city engineer shall direct.

STATE OF OREGON, County of Kamath, City of Klamath Falls.—I, A. L. Leavitt, Police Judge of said City, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a duly enrolled copy of the resolution passed by the Common Council on the 7th day of February, 1921.

NEW TODAY

FOR SALE—Very cheap, practically new Ford sedan. Phone 529M.

GOOD USED FORD CARS

- 1920 Ford Touring car, new body—starter and Electric Lights, \$500.00.
- 1918 Ford Sedan, lots of extras, \$600.00.
- 1914 Ford Touring \$200.00.
- 1917 Ford Touring, \$325.00.
- 1917 Ford Touring, \$325.00.

Banner Paddy Motor Co.

FOR SALE—2 porch rockers, 2 chests of drawers, at 1923 Main St.

TO TRADE—80 acres close to city for good house and lot in Klamath Falls, or will trade part of it for good car, pay cash difference. Inquire 729 Walnut.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 1 1/2 H. P. 3 Phase motor. Brand new. Call 58, Klamath Ice & Storage Co.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment—No children. Mrs. O. Peyton, 620 Market St., Phone 506.

FOR SALE—U. S. Army wool blankets—\$4.85. The Army Goods store—1136 Main.

FOR SALE—U. S. gov't Bacon, packed in 12 lb. cans—Every can guaranteed—\$2.75 per can—at The Army Goods Store—1136 Main.

FOR SALE—Ford Sedan practically new—very cheap—Phone 529M.

LOST—Diamond stick pin—\$50.00 Reward. Leave at Herald office. C. F. Mellus.

Better order some of our fine Baron-Tancred White Leghorn Baby Chicks for May delivery—an excellent time in your climate. They will fill the egg basket all the Fall and Winter when eggs are high. \$12.50 per 100 for May and June. ORDER NOW. Safe delivery guaranteed.

Maywood Poultry Farm, Corning, Calif.

VAUDEVILLE TRIO ARE HIT AT THE MONDALE

McCormack and Sis, the Irish Joy dispensers, in a comedy singing and talking act, divided the honors at the Mondale theatre last night with Jack Valmore, mimic, imitator, and song singer. This trio have been following the Pantages and Hippodrome circuit, and their work stamps them as topnotchers. Their acts are just the sort to make you want to sit back in your seat and enjoy the entertainment until "kingdom come," but like all good things the end comes sometime, and you are forced to fall back upon the pictures for the rest of your evening's enjoyment. Last night, and in fact every show night, the Mondale had pictures that are heaps of satisfaction in themselves, but even if the pictures had been lacking last night, the show would have been mighty satisfactory from a vaudeville viewpoint. Sis is a clever little entertainer, and rounds out the trio of joy makers to a queen's taste.

These clever vaudevillians will be here for four nights.

If you are looking for a home site see Fred Buesing, 1020 Main St. Ask to see his two beautiful Grand Ave. lots, Magnificent view, 5-11*

RESOLUTION

Fixing the time and place for the hearing of objections to the proposed Assessment Roll made and filed by the Common Council in the matter of the Improvement of Washington Street, First to Ewauna Boulevard.

Whereas, the Common Council of the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon, has made and filed in the office of the Police Judge the "PROPOSED ASSESSMENT ROLL" in connection with the proposed improvement of Washington Street from FIRST street westerly to Ewauna Boulevard, BE IT THEREFORE, Hereby Resolved, by the Common Council, that Monday the 21st day of February, A. D. 1921, at the hour of 9 o'clock P. M. at the Council Chamber in said city (the same being a regular meeting date of the Common Council) be and hereby is fixed as the date, time and place for hearing objections to such proposed assessment roll, and to the individual property assessments therein set forth.

And be it further resolved that the Police Judge of the city of Klamath Falls, Oregon, give at least ten days notice by publication in the Evening Herald on three separate days, and by posting notice on each lot, part of lot, block, piece and parcel, and acreage property set forth and described in said proposed Assessment Roll, that at said meeting of the Common Council on said date, all objections made and filed to such Assessment Roll and to individual assessments, will be heard and determined and that following a determination of all objections the Common Council will proceed by ordinance to assess the proportionate share of the cost of making such proposed improvements in accordance with the benefits accruing therefrom to each lot, part of lot, block, piece and parcel and acreage property heretofore found and determined to be liable for such cost; Such notice so to be published and posted as aforesaid shall further state the boundaries within which the property lies that is found to be benefited and liable for such proportionate share of the cost of such improvement and shall also refer to such proposed assessment roll for detailed information.

STATE OF OREGON, City of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath.—I, A. L. Leavitt, Police Judge of the city of Klamath Falls, Oregon, do hereby certify and attest the foregoing to be a properly enrolled copy of a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the said city at its regular meeting on February 7th, 1921.

Witness my hand and the seal of said city this 8th day of February, A. D. 1921.

RESOLUTION

Fixing the time and place for the hearing of objections to the proposed assessment roll made and filed by the Common Council in the matter of the improvement of High, Sixth and Seventh streets.

Whereas, the Common Council has made and filed in the office of the police judge the "proposed assessment roll" in connection with the proposed improvement of High Street from Sixth st. to Eighth st. and Sixth st. from Pine to High st. and Seventh st. from Pine to Washington st.

Be it therefore hereby resolved, by the Common Council, that Monday the 21st day of February, A. D. 1921, at the hour of 9 o'clock P. M. at the Council chamber, in said city (the same being a regular meeting date of the Council) be and hereby is fixed as the date, time and place for hearing objections to such proposed assessment roll, and to the individual property assessments therein set forth.

And be it further resolved that the Police Judge of the city of Klamath Falls, Oregon, give at least ten days notice, by publication in the Evening Herald on three separate days, and by posting notice on each lot, part of lot, block, piece and parcel and acreage property set forth and described in said proposed assessment roll, that at said meeting of the Common Council on said date, all objections made and filed to such assessment roll and to individual assessments will be heard and determined, and that following a determination of all objections the Common Council will proceed by ordinance, to assess the proportionate share of the cost of making such proposed improvements in accordance with the benefits accruing therefrom to each lot, part of lot, block, piece and parcel and acreage property, heretofore found and determined to be liable for such cost; Such notice so to be published and posted as aforesaid shall further state the boundaries within which the property lies that is found to be benefited and liable for such proportionate share of the cost of such improvement and shall also refer to such proposed assessment roll for detailed information.

STATE OF OREGON, County of Klamath, City of Klamath Falls.—I, A. L. Leavitt, police judge of the city of Klamath Falls, Oregon, do hereby certify and attest the foregoing to be a properly enrolled copy of a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the said city at its regular meeting on February 7th, 1921.

Witness my hand and the seal of said city this 8th day of February, A. D. 1921.

A. L. LEAVITT, Police Judge

PAYS \$100 FOR KILLING DEER IN CLOSED SEASON

Fletcher Decker, an employee of the California-Oregon Power company at Keno, was fined \$100 by Justice of the Peace Gahagan yesterday afternoon for killing a deer out of season. Decker was arrested at Keno by Sheriff Low and H. B. Stout, game warden.

RESOLUTION

The City Engineer pursuant to the resolution of the Common Council heretofore adopted, having under date of the 21st day of January, 1921, filed plans, specifications and estimates of the cost of improving Pine Street from Eleventh Street to Esplanade, including intersections; and the Common Council having taken the same under advisement and finding said plans, specifications and estimates satisfactory,

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, That said plans, specifications and estimates for the improvement of Pine Street from Eleventh Street to Esplanade, including intersections, be and the same are hereby approved; AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Common Council hereby declares its intention to improve said portions of Pine Street, in accordance with said plans, specifications and estimates; said improvement to consist of paving said portions of Pine Street with Concrete, Bitulithic or Willite. The estimated cost of the improvement of said portions of said street by placing thereon either Concrete, Bitulithic or Willite to be \$12,662.90, said cost including grading, rolling, curbing and cement sidewalk.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, By the Common Council that the following described property be and is hereby declared benefited by said improvement, to-wit:

Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 of Block 2, Nichols Addition to the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Block 3, Nichols Addition to the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon; also property described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the southerly line of Pine Street with the easterly line of 11th street; thence northeasterly along the southerly line of Pine Street, 120 feet; thence southeasterly at right angles to Pine Street, 65 feet; thence southwesterly at right angles to 11th Street 120 feet; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of 11th Street to the point of beginning; also, beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Main Street with the easterly line of 11th street running thence easterly along the northerly line of Main Street, 58 feet; thence northerly parallel with 11th street, 100 feet, thence westerly parallel with Main Street, 58 feet, to the easterly line of 11th street. Thence southerly along the easterly line of 11th street to the point of beginning; also, beginning at a point on the northerly line of Main Street, 120 feet easterly from the intersection of the northerly line of Main Street and the easterly line of 11th street; thence northerly at right angles to Main Street 240 feet to the southerly line of Pine Street, thence easterly along southerly line of Pine Street 120 feet; thence southerly at right angles to Main Street, 240 feet to the northerly line of Main Street 120 feet to the beginning; also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of 11th street 65 feet southeasterly from the intersection of the southerly line of Pine Street with the easterly line of 11th street; thence southwesterly along the easterly line of 11th street 75 feet; thence at right angles to 11th street northeasterly 58 feet; thence at right angles northwesterly parallel with 11th street 75 feet; thence at right angles to 11th street southwesterly 58 feet to the point of beginning, all said property being in Nichols Addition to the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and that said property above listed and described be and hereby is declared to be assessed for the expense of said improvement.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That Monday, the 7th day of March, 1921, at the hour of 8 o'clock P. M. at the Council Chambers at the City Hall, be fixed as the time and place for the hearing of objections and remonstrances against the said proposed improvement and the Police Judge is hereby directed to cause notice of said hearing to be published as by Charter provided.

STATE OF OREGON, County of Klamath, City of Klamath Falls.—I, A. L. Leavitt, Police Judge of the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a duly enrolled copy of a resolution adopted by the Common Council on the 31 day of January, 1921, declaring its intention to improve Pine Street from Eleventh Street to Esplanade, including intersections, and approving the plans, specifications and estimates of costs submitted by the City Engineer.

A. L. LEAVITT, Police Judge.

Civil Service Exams To Be Held Again

The Civil Service commission invites special attention to the fact that in examinations held recently in Klamath Falls, Oregon and other cities throughout the United States for the positions named below, both for the departmental and field services, applicants were not secured in the number desired, and that these examinations will again be held on the dates indicated: Apprentice fish culturist, Physician, Panama Canal service, Assistant observer, weather bureau, Apprentice plate cleaner, Apprentice transferer, Apprentice letter engraver, Apprentice picture engraver.

Persons interested in these or other examinations should apply to the secretary of the U. S. civil service board at the local postoffice for detailed information and application blanks.

WEATHER REPORT OREGON—Tonight and Thursday, rain.