

We Wish Every Resident of the Merrill and Malin Country

And Everyone Else, as far as that goes

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

ON CHRISTMAS EVE, OUR BIG FORMAL OPENING, COME IN AND GET ACQUAINTED, AND GET YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT. YOU WILL LIKE US. EVERYBODY DOES.

We have given you a drug store of which you may be proud—and we want you to give us your patronage. Our confidence in the future of this section is great enough to induce us to open up where others closed, and we believe you will reward us by buying what you need from us.

Don't buy a single, solitary thing that YOUR drug store carries, from any other place. Make your own section a success by saving your purchase for your Local Drug Store... Once again we wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

THE MERRILL DRUG STORE

The Office Cat



BY JUNE'S

POOR OLD BOAT

My Boat was once a thing of joy,
A handsome young machine,
It never cost a cent except
For oil and gasoline.

It ran for miles without a squeak
It never knew a pain,
It never failed to roll along
In sunshine or in rain.

But now its bolts are rusty,
It has a million ills,
It groans and squeaks and jerks
Along

And lurches up the hills,
I shoo out shekels to my friend,
The trusty handy man
Who tightens, loosens, readjusts
And mends as best he can.

But when I venture forth again
To tour the bumpy ways,
I wonder oft and plenty if
External fixing pays.

Some day I'll take my chariot
And run her in the lake,
And leave her safe from groan and
squeak
And mortal motor-ache.

And then I'll hoof it fast and free
To some good motor store,
And there, beneath the rubber tree
I'll swear forevermore:

I'm through with busses four years
old,
I'm through with all this woe,
I'm through with freely shelling out
My shilling, pence and dough.

Trot out your newest, brightest car,
Bring me a trusty pen,
I'll write a check and save myself
From motor woe again."

Even if the girls do adopt the new
knickerbocker style, its dollars to
doughnuts they will make them out
of the same transparent materials
they used for skirts.

Lots of people who fancy that they
are making a big impression on their
so-called inferiors by a show of digni-
ty are merely making themselves
ridiculous, declares W. V. Marshall.
He narrates a case in point as fol-
lows:

When a young mistress of the
house entered the kitchen she car-
ried herself with great dignity. She
had, incredible as it might seem,

come to call the cook to account.
"Bridget," she said, "I must insist
you have less company in the kitchen
evenings. Last night I was kept
awake by the uproarious laughter of
one of your woman friends."

"Yes, mum, I know," Bridget ad-
mitted cheerfully, "but she couldn't
help it, I was telling her how you
tried to make cake yesterday morn-
ing."

In the old country, the stork
builds on chimneys; but here it
doesn't bother the man who is rich
enough to own a house.

A New York youth who tried to
amuse a baby by playing robber killed
the baby. But anyway he did try
to amuse the baby. Give credit where
it is due.

STIFF
The laundry man's devices
Are great, but the cost hurts;
He charges me stiff prices
To do up my soft shirts.

THE WRONG WAITER
Patron at crowded soda fountain—
"Oh, say waiter, how long have you
been employed here?"

Waiter—"Only six weeks, sir."
Patron—"Oh, then it isn't you I
ordered a sandwich and a cup of cof-
fee from."

MECUM KEPT IN JAIL
Auto Driver Who Ran Into Rig Is
Unable to Get Bail

Charles Mecum, charged with
driving a motor vehicle while un-
der the influence of liquor, had a
hearing in the justice court yester-
day. His bail was placed at
\$300 by Judge L. L. Gaghagen,
in default of which he was com-
mitted to jail. Mecum's undoing
came Sunday morning, about eight
o'clock, when he ran into a rig at
Center and Main streets, driven by
M. L. Heavilin, and occupied by
Mrs. Gladys Bisset and Mrs. Ed-
wards. The horses and occupants
of the rig were all badly shaken
and bruised.

Jack Nichol had his hearing be-
fore the justice yesterday on a
charge of bootlegging. Due to seri-
ous illness, the defendant's hearing
has been deferred, and he is out on
bonds.

Charged with the murder of
Oliver Jefferson on the night of De-
cember 14, Watkin Davis, a young
Indian, was arraigned before Justice
of the Peace Gaghagen Monday
for a preliminary hearing, which he
waived. The judge held him over
for the direct examination of the
grand jury, which will meet either
the last of February or the first
of March. Davis' bonds were placed
at \$5,000, in lieu of which he was
returned to the jail.

Cinders have been found useful in
English road making for preventing
clay of the sub-base of the road rising
to the surface.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Bunch of keys on triangle
key ring. Finder phone 349 and
receive reward. 19-21*

Bubble Books—Earl Shepherd.
19-23

FOR RENT—Four rooms and bath.
Steam Heat—Over Army store.
Suitable for an office or apartment.
Inquire Army Store. 19-21

FOR SALE—Four room house, mod-
ern with bath and toilet. Furnish-
ed price \$2200.00. Will trade for
good 2nd hand Dodge car and some
cash. Apply at 1116 Grant Street.
19-24*

Holstein cow, just fresh, with half-
breed calf, for sale or trade for good
work horse. Inquire of J. A. Johnson,
Phillip's Ranch. 18-23*

FOR SALE—250 tons No. 1. Alfalfa
hay, 6 miles from town. \$4.50 per
ton. See H. N. Moe, Klamath Falls.
17-23*

A No. 1 Limb wood and tops. All
lengths. Delivered on pavement
\$7.50 per cord. Also some big limbs
for fire places. Frank Crossfield,
Phone 2763. 17-22*

Buy Bubble Books with little Rec-
ords that sing for the kiddies' Christ-
mas. Earl Shepherd. 19-23

SEE OUR CRATER LAKE Pictures
before you buy elsewhere. Stin-
son Photo Shop. N25tf.

LET PERKINS solve your Xmas
problems. Santa Claus will be
here this year.

MOVED—Central transfer has moved
to Sweet Shop, Phone 1553. 15-1f

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS
Klamath Flower Shop
834 Main, Phone 589. 14-23

SLIGHTLY USED PIANOS and Pho-
nographs. Winters Jewelry Store.
tf.

Private garage for rent, 1003
High St. Phone 288M. 20-23

Harts Mountain Rollers singers.
Make dandy Xmas gifts. For sale at
403 Pacific Terrace. 20-21*

NOTICE
Santa Claus and Christmas tree,
at Moose Hall, Friday, December
23rd, for all children under ten years
of age. 20-23

Weak Eyes Seldom Grow Better Without Help

Headaches many times come from Eye Strain. That may be
the cause of yours.

DR. GOBLE

Has relieved hundreds. He might help you.
He gives you the benefit of an Optical education and 25
years' experience in Fitting and Grinding Glasses.
If it were not for glasses, most people would be useless after
they are 50 years old.

A fine Christmas Present for Mother would be
a Good Pair of Glasses

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UGLIEST INDIAN GETS MANY MARRIAGE OFFERS.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19.—Beauty
contests are held frequently but stu-
dents at the national university re-
cently held a contest to discover the
ugliest Indian in Mexico. Jesus Mem-
ije won without a struggle. Despite
his handicap he is said to have re-
ceived da countless dozens of propos-
als of marriage from "admiring read-
ers" ever since his photograph was
published in the Mexico City news-
papers.

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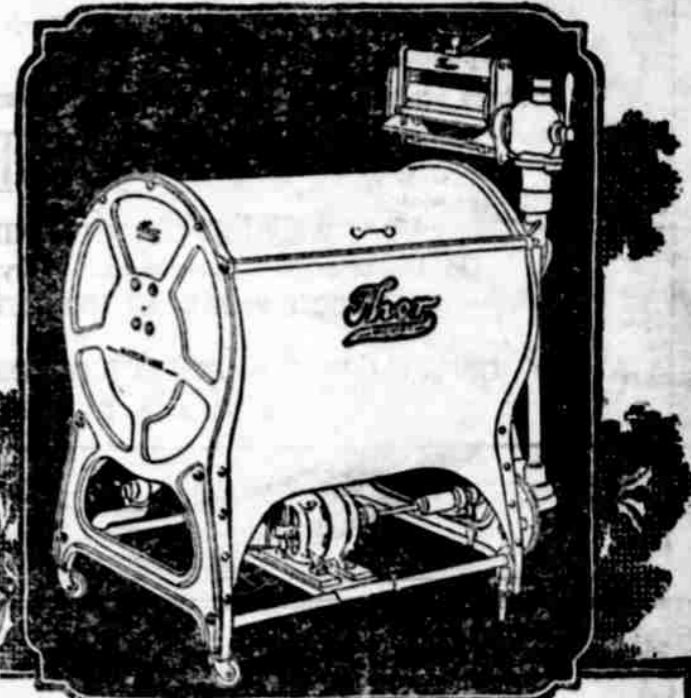
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Next to Strand Theatre

The New Thor-32 Electric Washing Machine

With Rust-Proof Self-Cleaning Luminoid Cylinder



A Thor for Christmas

Here is a real Christmas idea. No home washer ever made could be quite so much appreciated as the wonderful new Thor-32. It is the simplest, handsomest, most perfect washing machine ever made. All metal body—all metal swinging wringer. Look at the shapely lines of the illustration. But remember, the beauty is incidental to the practical value. For the construction is such that this model does your washing in half the time required by other machines.

\$10 Down Brings It

You can have a Thor for your next washday by paying only \$10 down—the balance in small monthly payments. In this way a Thor will actually pay for itself by the saving in laundress hire, and the saving in clothes now worn out by washboard rubbing. Thor washes everything from heavy blankets to lace curtains, dainty lingerie or grimy work clothes. It washes them clean without rubbing or wear. After using, the tub cleans itself without removing the cylinder. The average washing takes only one hour and costs only 10¢ for electricity. Come in today—or tomorrow—or phone for demonstration.

Authorized Thor Dealer
COMET ELECTRIC CO.
1026 MAIN ST.

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MURPHEY'S FEED STORE

124 So. 6th St.

Phone 87