

The Lumber Industry

NEWS OF INTEREST TO KLAMATH LUMBERMEN

LOWER RATES EAST NECESSARY, HOLDS WILLIAM M. BRAY

"Klamath Falls has succeeded so well in the past because of having enjoyed unusually cheap available timber to overcome a tremendous handicap in freight rates," says William M. Bray, writing from Oshkosh, Wisconsin. Fir timber, he says, is delivered in Oshkosh today on which the railroad labor costs amount to more than the cost of stumpage, logging, manufacturing and merchandising combined. He refers to the following article from the Mississippi Valley Lumberman of February 10, 1922:

Rail Rates and Prices
A railroad official in the Middle West recently wrote to the publicity department of the National Lumber Manufacturers' association complaining that our references to lumber rates reflected unjustly upon the railroads themselves, disclaiming that transportation costs are disproportionate to the value of lumber commodities. Special reference was made to the situation in Minneapolis. In order to learn the facts an inquiry was made by Mr.

R. E. Saberson, general sales manager of the Thompson yards, Inc., of Minneapolis, and Mr. Saberson submitted the following letter, which conclusively demonstrates the contention originally made in the publicity matter. Mr. Saberson wrote:

"The present fir rate from Everett, Washington, to Minneapolis, Minnesota, is 66 1/2 c. Fir weighs, according to schedule, 2,600 pounds per thousand feet, which makes the cost of freight \$17.29 per thousand feet. We are retailing this lumber in Minneapolis today for \$25.25 per thousand. After the railroad has taken its toll for hauling the lumber from coast to coast, there remains \$7.96 to be divided up among the logger, the sawmill and the retailer. The operations consist of investment in timber lands, logging, transportation of logs, sawing, drying, mill piling, loading, unloading, piling, reloading and delivering and financing the customer. This does not take into consideration the cost of selling for the mill owner, the wholesaler and the retailer. The 66 1/2 c freight rate is the coast rate on fir to Minneapolis."

CADETS MAY RETURN

Naval Budget Slash Would Return Local Boys From Annapolis

Three Klamath county boys, in their last year at Annapolis, would be returned to civil life without commissions if the economy proposal of the house naval committee is ratified by congress. They are John Tenbrook, Ralph Wishard and Howard Orem.

An effort is being made to pruned the \$350,000,000 estimate for naval expenditures for the next year, and the committee suggested that the 140 members of this year's graduation class be retired to civil life.

The recommendation, it is said, will probably be forwarded to congress with an added suggestion that hereafter each congressman's appointments be limited to two men, instead of five, as at present.

BUY SHOE BUSINESS

Van Bellen Store Purchased by G. W. Houston and Glenn Jester

G. W. Houston and Glenn Jester today announced that they have purchased the shoe business formerly conducted by L. G. Van Bellen. They took charge today.

Jester has been connected with the store for the past nine years, and will bring to the partnership a valuable knowledge of local business conditions.

Houston is well known in local business circles, having been, until his retirement about two years ago, a member of the K. K. K. store partnership.

The new firm plan some improvements and additions as time shows their necessity, and will handle complete lines of all footwear.

THREE FINAL DIVORCE DECREES ARE GRANTED

Final divorce decrees have been granted by Judge Kuykendall to Axel E. Ekwald against Jessie Ekwald, allowing plaintiff custody of a minor child; to Ora C. Coffey against Charles H. Coffey; and to Adal Williams Rodriguez against Frank Rodriguez, allowing plaintiff to resume her maiden name, Adal Williams.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Otto Beck, who has been visiting her mother here, returned to her home at Mt. Hebron this morning.

J. E. Enders was a passenger on this morning's train for Ashland, where he will spend several days on business.

Ed Geary left for Stockton and San Francisco this morning for a two or three weeks business trip.

G. C. Lorenz left this morning for Sacramento where he will remain for about a week on business.

H. E. Calkins returned last night from Groville, where he has been looking into business conditions for several days.

Mrs. Harry Thrasher and two small daughters, will leave in the morning for Oakland, where they will probably spend the remainder of the winter.

A. M. Thomas, who operates a ranch near Malin, is a business visitor here today.

Tom Miller, who is employed by the Southern Pacific company at Weed, is expected to arrive here tonight for a short visit with friends.

D. Eranikoff, a rancher of the Olney district, is transacting business here today.

NEW TODAY

Will exchange 2nd hand auto for lumber. Address Box M. P. Herald 17

Steam Heat at Colonial Rooms. 17

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS
KLAMATH FLOWER SHOP
Phone 589 834 Main St. 17

Furnished one room cabin. 741 Walnut. 17*

FOR SALE—Several good town lots close to hand. Buy now—buy at right prices. See Dick, 246 Broad St. 17-18*

Experienced typist and clerk wants position, all or part time. Address W. P. care Herald. 17

Furnished house for rent. Apply 505 9th St., or phone 276W. 17-18*

DRESSMAKING—208 Main St. Phone 511W. 17-18*

Steam Heat at Colonial Rooms. 17

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. 635 N. 11th St. 17-23*

WANTED TO BUY—4 or 5 room modern house, close in. Phone 340J 17-18

FOR SALE OR TRADE
Three room house cheap for cash or will trade. What have you?
Eight room house close to high school. Can be used for apartments. Very cheap—some terms.
Five room house, cheap for cash or will trade.

Several other houses for trade, will consider auto, valley farms, livestock of any kind.

Also vacant lots in any part of the city for sale.
Several hundred tons of alfalfa hay for sale in Malin district.

Farms for sale, trade or rent. Close to Klamath Falls, Malin, and Bonanza.

One farm for sale, close to Roseburg. A dandy, cheap. Some terms, no trade.

House and 4 lots and 4 acres adjoining in Bandon, Ore. Berries and garden land. Trade for small alfalfa ranch or will sell cheap.

No. 1 milk cows and some stock cattle. Can arrange terms to right party, 208 Winters' Bldg. 17*

WANTED—3 or 4 room furnished house or apt. by 3 adults. Box L. R. F. Herald office. 16-17

Nurse desires work, country or city. Very reasonable. P. O. Box 133, Klamath Falls. 17-23*

Every day at the Rex, 25c dinner from 11 to 6. 15-22

The water is warm and nice warm dressing rooms at the Natatorium. Come and learn to swim. J26. F. 28

GOOD ROADS VOTE YES

NEW!

New Suits For Men and Young Men

\$25.00 \$30.00 \$35.00

WE'VE just received an elegant assortment of Men's and Young Men's Suits in the newest patterns and Styles.

Come in and look them over. It's a pleasure to show goods in our Day-Lite Store.

K. Sugarman

"I AIN'T MAD AT NOBODY" THEY SATISFY GOOD ROADS



The new **SPRING FASHIONS** ARE HERE!

We Announce the Initial Showing and Display of Spring Wear in **Wraps, Coats, Suits and Dresses**

Fashion has been most decorous this year, advancing in varying steps through each changing season, till now, there comes the latest modulation of the modes in the many delightful deviations of design which accentuate the attractive attire adapted to the season.

As an inducement to do your buying early in the season we are offering a special discount of 20 per cent.

Mae's

THE WOMEN'S STORE

It Takes GOOD ROADS to Haul Our Loads

Vote "Yes" February 21

HECTOR'S

Extra Special Values for Saturday Only

SIX YARDS BLEACHED MUSLIN
\$1.00.
Full yard wide, fine Quality

FIVE YARDS PERCALE
\$1.00
36 inches wide; light and dark colors

FOUR YARDS BLEACHED INDIAN HEAD
\$1.00
Fine soft finish

THREE YARDS FINE BLACK SATEEN
\$1.00
Extra good quality; 36 inches wide

TWELVE WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS
\$1.00
Fine White Lawn with Embroidered corners

FIVE YARDS HEAVY WHITE OUTING
\$1.00
Best grade; 27 inches wide

SPECIAL LOT OF GINGHAMS
21c
27 inches wide, in Stripes, Checks and Plaids

FLESH OR WHITE BRASSIERS
29c
An excellent inexpensive Brassiere. Very Special, 29c