

## BUNCO SAILORS INFEST KLAMATH

**Attempt To Work Ancient Game of Selling Goods Supposedly Smuggled**

He didn't look as if he had trodden many a tarry deck, nor sniffed the salty breezes that blow variously and vagrantly over the seven seas. No quid enlarged his leathery cheek, and his salivary control was perfect.

But he had the hink of a sailor, as he entered the Herald office and asked to see the boss. The fellow that picks the preferred creditors at the first of each month, and decides who'll adorn the waiting list, was pointed out to him and became an immediate object of verbal attack.

"Now, see here, skipper," quoth he, "Me two mates is wild me and they got their dunnage bags stowed full of stuff that we can sell cheap. How about a nice fur coat for the missus?"

And he gave the scribe a knowing, naughty look, indicating that Uncle Sam's customs sleuths had not been clever enough to collect the duty that makes imported furs soar far above the editorial buying power.

After a brief interview, he weighed anchor and cast off, mates, dunnage, furs and all, in search of vic-



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time. The trick concealed in the sacks of the seamen, so far entrained from salt water, is as old as the ocean itself. It's so old that they can't work it along the coast any longer; and that is the reason that Klamath becomes a port of call. Hope springs that there may be some here who have not heard of it.

The fur, or other articles, offered with the suggestion, rarely put in words, that because it has been stolen, or escaped duty, it can be purchased far cheaper than the local dealer would sell it, will not stand the test. It's cheap stuff at any price and the victim usually pays two or three times what he could buy it for in a legitimate shop—lured by the clever appeal to his cupidity.

Despite the wide publicity that has been given the bunco game, hundreds of persons fall for it yearly. Possibly the wandering tar may find customers in Klamath Falls.

### ABOLITION OF DEATH PENALTY BRINGS INCREASE IN CRIME

BUENOS AIRES, Aug. 3.—Argentina abolished the death penalty from the penal code about a year ago, and since then there has been a noticeable increase in crimes of violence in this city. The question of restoring the death penalty has arisen, and a bill to this end has been introduced in congress.

Large numbers of emigrants from Europe, many of them belonging to the criminal classes, have come to Argentina recently, and the present crime wave is attributed to this undesirable element.

## PLAN TO MEET CITY'S DEBTS

**Investors Syndicate Offers Proposal At Rotary Club Meeting**

A plan for meeting the city's bonded obligations as they mature during the next 20 years was laid before the Rotary club at today's luncheon by E. Stewart Gear, representing the Investors Syndicate, of Minneapolis, Minn., with its Oregon branch at Portland.

Under the plan a sinking fund would be created, the original deposit being \$30,952. During the next six years \$20,954 would be added yearly; \$16,724 per year for the following three years, and \$11,450 for the last ten years.

This would produce a principal of approximately \$316,000, which during the life of the fund, under the administration of the Investors syndicate, would earn, in round figures, \$215,000 interest.

The total obligations to be met are, approximately, \$530,000.

The annual deposits in the fund would be raised by tax levy. Gear declared that the financial situation of the city, like most Oregon cities, requires immediate attention, and

argued that under his plan only \$316,000 would actually be contributed by the taxpayer. The interest would take care of the balance. The syndicate pays 5½ per cent, he said.

As a further argument Gear declared the willingness of the syndicate to immediately invest from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 in Klamath real estate loans.

Thirty cities of the state have adopted the plan, he said, and Portland is considering its adoption.

Gear will be here for at least two weeks, and will discuss the plan with the council.

In respect to the memory of President Harding, the club omitted singing and music from today's program, and members stood in silent prayer for a minute before the luncheon was served.

### GRADERS PICNIC

Lumber graders and tallymen will picnic at Rocky Point Sunday, Aug. 5. Boat will leave mall dock at Shippington 8:30 a. m. Transportation free. Those who do not take lunches can buy them at Rocky Point. Regular meeting of Graders club at Scandinavia Hall, Saturday, August 4, at 9 p. m. All graders and tallymen be present.

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## IN THE COURT

Martin Bros. vs. Nettleton-Bruce-Eschbach.

A suit asking judgment for \$2323.45, and costs, was filed yesterday in the circuit court by Martin Brothers vs. the Nettleton-Bruce-Eschbach company. The amount is alleged due for merchandise sold the defendants.

Krizzo vs. Lacey, et al.  
Frank Krizzo and wife yesterday filed suit in the circuit court against Dick Lacey and J. Brosnan to collect \$504.28, alleged due for provisions and labor. It asks that defendants be made to pay costs of the suit.

PHONE SHORTAGE, YOKOHAMA  
YOKOHAMA, Aug. 3.—It costs \$175 to have a telephone installed in this Japanese city, and of the 4,500 applications for instruments on file, only 450 have been cared for since the first of the year. The trouble arises from lack of equipment.

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| 12 oz. Schilling's Baking Powder       | 2.10   |
| 12 oz. Royal Baking Powder             | .48    |
| 2 1/2 lbs. Royal Baking Powder         | 1.30   |
| 5 lbs. Royal Baking Powder             | 2.50   |
| Canned Peaches                         |        |
| Large can Standard Peaches             | .20    |
| Large can Fancy Peaches                | .30    |
| Gal. size can Standard Peaches         | .60    |
| Gal. size can Fancy Peaches            | .75    |
| Fruit Juice                            |        |
| Pint Grape Juice                       | .40    |
| Quart Grape Juice                      | .75    |
| Pint Loganberry Juice                  | .35    |
| Quart Loganberry Juice                 | .65    |
| Pint Elder                             | .25    |
| Quart Elder                            | .40    |
| Pint Lemon Juice                       | .40    |
| Quart Lemon Juice                      | .75    |
| Pint Lime Juice                        | .40    |
| Quart Lime Juice                       | .75    |
| Pint Orange Juice                      | .40    |
| Quart Orange Juice                     | .75    |
| Coffee                                 |        |
| 1 lb. Lipton's Coffee                  | .40    |
| 1 lb. Schilling's Coffee               | .43    |
| Fancy Bulk Coffee, lb.                 | .30    |
| Fresh Fruit                            |        |
| Doz. medium size Oranges               | .40    |
| Doz. large size Oranges                | .55    |
| Fancy Elberta Peaches, crate           | 1.15   |
| Fancy Blackberries, crate              | 1.50   |
| 3 cups Fancy Blackberries              | .25    |
| Fancy Grapes, lb.                      | .10    |
| Large Fancy Bananas, lb.               | .15    |
| Large Fancy Grapefruit                 | .10    |
| 4 lbs. Cooking Apples                  | .25    |
| 3 lbs. Fancy Gravenstein Apples        | .25    |
| Crisco                                 |        |
| 3 lbs. Crisco                          | .75    |
| 6 lbs. Crisco                          | 1.50   |
| 9 lbs. Crisco                          | 2.20   |
| Snowdrift                              |        |
| 2 lbs. Snowdrift                       | .48    |
| 4 lbs. Snowdrift                       | .90    |
| 8 lbs. Snowdrift                       | 1.75   |
| Mazola Oil                             |        |
| Pint Mazola Oil                        | .30    |
| Quart Mazola Oil                       | .58    |
| Half gal. Mazola Oil                   | 1.10   |
| Wesson Oil                             |        |
| Pint Wesson Oil                        | .30    |
| Quart Wesson Oil                       | .55    |
| Half gal. Wesson Oil                   | 1.05   |
| Candy                                  |        |
| Fancy Marshmallows, lb.                | .35    |
| Fancy Peanut Brittle, lb.              | .25    |
| Fancy Chocolates, lb.                  | .30    |
| Fancy Pop Corn Candy, lb.              | .25    |
| Fancy Plain Mixed, lb.                 | .25    |
| Cookies                                |        |
| Fancy Mixed Cookies, lb.               | .25    |
| 3 lbs. Fancy Ginger Snaps              | .50    |
| Fancy Cheese                           |        |
| Same grade as Tillamook, lb.           | .32    |
| Imported Olive Oil                     |        |
| Half pint Pure Olive Oil               | .35    |
| Pint Pure Olive Oil                    | .55    |
| Quart Pure Olive Oil                   | 1.00   |
| Fancy Sugar Cured Hams                 |        |
| Cascade Hams, lb.                      | .32    |
| Fancy Creamery Butter                  |        |
| Jersey Brand Creamery Butter, lb.      | .45    |
| Marion Creamery Butter, lb.            | .45    |
| Crater Lake Creamery Butter, lb.       | .45    |
| Cereals                                |        |
| Cream of Wheat                         | .24    |
| Swiss Down Cake Flour                  | .40    |
| 2 pkgs. Shredded Wheat                 | .35    |
| Kellogg's Corn Flakes                  | .10    |
| Kerr's Pancake Flour                   | .25    |
| Kerr's Rolled Oats                     | .30    |
| Kerr's Wheat Flakes                    | .30    |
| Grape Nuts                             | .15    |
| Fancy Hard Wheat Flour                 |        |
| 12 lb. sack Polar Bear                 | .60    |
| 24 lb. sack Polar Bear                 | 1.10   |
| 40 lb. sack Polar Bear                 | 2.10   |
| Fancy Dried Fruit                      |        |
| 25 lb. box Seedless Raisins, lb.       | .15    |
| 25 lb. box Fancy Small Prunes, lb.     | .10    |
| 25 lb. box Fancy New Apricots, lb.     | .18    |
| 25 lb. box Fancy Dried Apples, lb.     | .15    |
| Tobacco                                |        |
| Camel Cigarettes                       | .13    |
| Chesterfield Cigarettes                | .13    |
| Lucky Strike Cigarettes                | .13    |
| 2 tins Velvet                          | .25    |
| 2 tins Tuxedo                          | .25    |
| 2 tins Lucky Strike                    | .25    |
| Plug Horseshoe                         | .74    |
| Plug Star                              | .74    |
| Plug Climax                            | .74    |
| Fresh Vegetables                       |        |
| Fresh Corn, dozen                      | .40    |
| Large Cantaloupes                      | .10    |
| Cucumbers, each                        | .05    |
| Celery, each                           | .15    |
| Lettuce                                | .10    |
| Beets, bunch                           | .10    |
| Carrots, bunch                         | .10    |
| Large Fancy Red Onions, lb.            | .05    |
| Large Fancy Yellow Onions, lb.         | .05    |
| Fancy Ripe Tomatoes, lb.               | .10    |
| Soap                                   |        |
| 20 bars Crystal White Soap             | .93    |
| 25 bars Bob White Soap                 | 1.00   |
| 35 bars Luna White Soap                | 1.00   |
| 35 bars Lenox Soap                     | 1.00   |
| 3 cans Old Dutch Cleanser              | .97    |
| Large pkg. Peet's Washing Machine Soap | .35    |
| Large pkg. Sea Foam                    | .25    |
| Large pkg. Citrus                      | .25    |
| 3 pkgs. Ivory Soap Flakes              | .35    |
| Large pkg. Borax Soap Chips            | .25    |
| Large pkg. Borax                       | .12    |
| 3 small pkgs. Pearlina                 | .10    |
| 2 large pkgs. Pearlina                 | .15    |
| Large can Rex Lye                      | .11    |
| Large can Sani-Flush                   | .25    |
| 3 small bars Ivory                     | .25    |
| 3 bars Glycerine Rose Soap             | .25    |
| 4 bars Cream Oil                       | .28    |
| 14 bars Cream Oil                      | .90    |
| Sugar                                  |        |
| 100 lb. sack Cane Sugar                | 9.60   |
| 50 lb. sack Cane Sugar                 | 5.00   |
| 25 lb. sack Cane Sugar                 | 2.55   |
| 10 lb. sack Cane Sugar                 | 1.10   |
| Salad Dressing                         |        |
| 8 1/2 oz. Wright's Olive Dressing      | .35    |
| 3 1/2 oz. Wright's Olive Dressing      | .15    |
| 3 1/2 oz. Wright's Dill Dressing       | .35    |
| 3 1/2 oz. Wright's Dill Dressing       | .35    |
| 3 1/2 oz. Wright's Thousand Island     | .15    |
| 3 1/2 oz. Wright's Thousand Island     | .35    |
| Pint Wright's Thousand Island          | .60    |
| 3 1/2 oz. Wright's Mayonnaise          | .15    |
| 8 1/2 oz. Wright's Mayonnaise          | .30    |
| Pint Wright's Mayonnaise               | .50    |
| 3 1/2 oz. Wright's Sweet Relish        | .15    |
| 8 1/2 oz. Wright's Sweet Relish        | .35    |
| Crackers                               |        |
| 3 1/2 lb. box Soda Crackers            | .50    |
| 3 1/2 lb. box Snow Flakes              | .60    |
| 4 1/2 lb. box Graham Crackers          | .70    |

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