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## Uncensored Observations

THE KLAMATH KID  
(Still a cereal)

Chapter Five  
The Klamath Kid's life was going about NINE miles an hour over the RUFF roads when they finally reached Chilqua. First off they hunted up a BREWERY for a little home made beer, but after taking one swig they didn't want any MOORE as the stuff was as sour as PHINEGAR.

Then they went into the KITCHEN to see the broken down old COOKMAN who looked like he was about ready to start for the golden SHORE.

"I'm old enough to be your grand FADER," he told them, "but as long as my fire BURNS I'll FRY you something to eat. Just wait till I get MCCAIN and I'll start TAPPON around and see what I can find for you. I just BIEHN fishing and if you'll wait a bit I'll cook you TENBROOK trout and bake you some PARKER house rolls.

"Aw, NIXON that old stuff," cried the Klamath Kid, "I got a DAYTON up at Fort Klamath."

So, grabbing the bride in his arms, he rushed out into the HALL, vaulted the HOOD of his car and was soon traveling toward the EAST-WOOD on his way to Fort Klamath. (Monday ought to finish it—and us)

Uncensored observation is taboo during the present epidemic of La Grippe, the county health office states. Some of the more progressive lovers of Klamath want to know how long this ban is going to last and suggest the establishment of disinfecting stations at different strategic points in Klamath.

A brand new hat has upset the tranquility of circuit court officials and the district attorney's office. The circuit clerk's office and the district attorney are at sword's points and a complaint has been filed against the district attorney, charging him with neglect to pay his betting debts. The turmoil all arose when Loyd DeLap, circuit clerk, wagered District Attorney Myers—or at least claimed he did—a new hat on the outcome of a case in circuit court. When the hat was not forthcoming this morning, Loyd drew up a complaint against Myers charging him with several heinous crimes, all hinging on the alleged failure to produce the alleged hat due to the alleged circuit clerk following an alleged wager made on the outcome of some alleged case in the alleged circuit court. Court house attaches wait with bated breath the denouement of the case. Mr. DeLap refused to be quoted. Mr. Myers refused to be quoted. The case has not been set for trial.

At least there is one person in Merrill, one member of the police force, that doesn't believe in dancing; and there is at least one would-be Shiek in Klamath Falls, one member of the "younger set," that doesn't believe in dancing with cops—again! The basketball game was hopping hot up last night in Merrill when the county cup was at stake and Klamath high took a goodly gang of rooters along to help them win the contest. Among the motley crew was one youth, well known throughout the village as a Shiek that would put Omar and his famous tent to shame. The effects of the game were too much and the Shiek became a slightly "swacked," to use the language of the streets. After the game dancing was in order and the youth wanted to dance, he didn't care much who with, he wanted to win a whirling contest. So his soft blue eye lit on a cop and tearing over to the Constable, Omar started in with some of his mean side steps. The cop side stepped him. When Jack the Shiek came to, he was trying to put one sleeve back in his coat, mending the rip up the back of his overcoat and keeping the blood out of his eye and mouth. This morning Rudolph was walking around with trophies on his physiognomy that made him look like he had accepted Dempsey's last challenge. No more will the Klamath Falls Shieks fall for the Shiek, at least not until a quart of New Skin and three yards of Adhesive Tape have been applied.

## VOTE ON WARREN TO COME UP MONDAY

### President Asks That Definite Action on Nomination Be Delayed

WASHINGTON, March 14.—President Coolidge asked today that a vote on the nomination of Charles B. Warren to be attorney general be deferred until Monday.

This word was taken to the capitol by Senator Curtis of Kansas, the republican leader, who had been summoned to the White House.

Some senators said the president had been convinced the nomination could not be confirmed and that he wanted time in which to make another selection before the senate adjourned.

There was no indication, however, that the president would withdraw the nomination. On the other hand it was said he still was insistent that a full statement on Mr. Warren's qualifications should go into the record in reply to the charges against him.

## AGGIE SENIORS INSPECT COPCO POWER PROJECT

### Kenneth Perry of Klamath Falls Among Engineering Class

Twenty members of the senior engineering class of Oregon Agricultural College left Corvallis this morning for Klamath county, where they will spend the week-end inspecting the building and construction project of the California, Oregon Power company on the Klamath river.

The boys will arrive in Medford this evening and Tom DeLzell of the Copco company will meet them and escort them on their inspection tour. The power company's project is one of the best known in Oregon and the class of engineering has indicated on visiting the project for the past year. Monday will be spent in Klamath Falls, before they return to Corvallis.

Kenneth Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Perry of Klamath Falls, will accompany the trip and may arrive in Klamath Falls this evening to spend a few hours at his home. He is a member of Sigma Nu on the O. A. C. campus.

## KILLED IN SMASHUP

### Three Persons Dead and One Seriously Injured in Auto Crash Near Taft, California

TAFT, Cal., March 14.—Three persons were killed and one seriously injured when the automobile in which they were traveling left the highway at a turn near here and was wrecked. The dead are G. F. Dollarhide and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith, all of Los Angeles. Mrs. Dollarhide suffered a fractured skull but physicians at the hospital here, where she was taken, said she would recover.

## FASHION SHOW TO BE GIVEN FRIDAY NIGHT OF EXHIBIT

Not the least in the attractions for the Klamath Falls Automobile show, a three-day event of next week, is the fashion show in connection with the exhibit. Stores in the city are cooperating and on Friday evening the second night of the showing, the latest in feminine and masculine apparel will be shown. The city has been offered the best in pulchritude and the men's models will be shown on the stronger sex who are well known in Klamath Falls for their manly qualities.

Stores exhibiting models are the Ladies Store, H. N. Moe; K. Sugarman; Golden Rule; Hector's and the Klamath Clothing Company. Hats used in the exhibit will be given as the courtesy of Miss Gertrude of the Millinery shop.

## Liquor Traffic In Klamath Now Shows Decrease

Liquor traffic in Klamath county is apparently on the decrease if records of arrests, convictions, fines and jail sentences kept in justice court are any criterion.

During the first two months and a half of 1925 ten were arrested on liquor charges and were fined and sentenced to jail. During the corresponding period of 1925, only six have met their Waterloo, along the channel of whiskey and wine. In 1924, during the first two months and a half of the year, fines imposed aggregated \$2,075 while in the same period of 1925 but \$1250 was collected.

Other comparisons between the early months of 1924 with the first few months of this year are shown in the following tabulation:

	1924	1925
Liquor violations	10	6
Game violations	5	2
Larceny charges	4	12
Forgery charges	0	3
Traffic violations	21	28

## Mrs. Robert Strahorn Near Death in Hospital at San Francisco Today

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—Mrs. Robert Strahorn, wife of a prominent Oregon railroad builder, is near death after an illness of several weeks, according to reports today from attending physicians at the hospital where she has been confined for some time. The husband is at her bedside. The couple came here several weeks ago. Mrs. Strahorn is reported to have grown weaker steadily the last few days.

## Three Fatal Accidents Reported During Week

SALEM, Ore., March 14.—Out of 315 industrial accidents reported to the state industrial accident commission for the week ending March 13, three were fatal. The fatal cases were: Wesley Carlyle, Bridge, Oregon, timber faller; Robert Crumley, Florence, Donkey engineer; N. C. Nichols, Oregon City, electrician. Of the total number of accidents reported 450 were subject to the provision of the workmen's compensation act, 64 were from firms and corporations that have not elected to come under the act and two were from public utility corporations not subject to the act.

## Funeral Services for Ray Crawford Will Be Held Sunday Afternoon

Funeral services for Ray Crawford, who died Wednesday night from pneumonia, will be held from the Elks temple at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon with members of the lodge in charge of the service. The services will include a brief logical ritual. Burial will be at Linkville cemetery.

## LOCAL COMPANY GETS CONTRACT

### Lorenz Company to Install All Irrigation Pumps and Equipment

Contract for the pumps and all pumping equipment as well as their installation has been awarded to the Lorenz company by the Shasta View and Malin Irrigation districts, according to announcement today.

The Lorenz company has already ordered the pumps and other needed equipment and expects to start on the work of installing them by the first of May. They have agreed to complete the work and have the pumps ready for water by June 1.

All of the equipment has been ordered, from the Fairbanks-Morse company.

## VACCINATION ORDERED

SEATTLE, Wash., Mar. 14.—Advised that small pox was mildly epidemic at Vancouver, B. C., Dr. G. M. Magruder, in charge here for the United States public health service, today ordered that all persons from that city be vaccinated before crossing the American border.

## Radio Broadcasting Station Is Planned For Klamath Falls

Installation of a broadcasting station to tell the bright-eyed world who's who and what's what in Klamath county is the plan of Lynn P. Sabin, secretary of the chamber of commerce, who has brought the matter before the board of directors for serious consideration.

A good broadcasting station which can send Klamath's clarion message up and down the coast would cost about \$3600, he estimates, but the publicity which the "Empire Awakening" would receive would be worth many times that amount, he believes.

Klamath county has any number of artists who could provide good weekly programs for such a broadcasting station, while the various communities would be invited to stage programs at frequent intervals, under Sabin's proposal.

## NOTED FOOTBALL COOS BAY HOTEL COACH DIES SUDDENLY

NE WYORK, March 14.—Walter Camp, noted football coach and critic died today.

He died of heart failure in the hotel Belmont.

Mr. Camp attended a meeting of the football rules committee last night, leaving about midnight and retiring to his room at the hotel Belmont. He apparently was in good health when he retired, his attaches said.

When the rules committee assembled this morning in the hotel Pennsylvania, the members delayed opening their meeting pending Camp's arrival. When some time had elapsed and he had not appeared, Bill Roper, Princeton coach, was delegated by the committee to look for Camp at the Belmont. Roper went to the famous coach's room and getting no response had the door opened. Camp was lying dead on his bed.

## DOG OWNERS AROUSED

### Portland Residents Subscribe Fund for Apprehension of Brutal Poisoner

PORTLAND, Ore., March 14.—Aroused over the poisoning of sixty dogs within the past few weeks, dog owners of Portland have made voluntary subscriptions to the amount of \$500, which the Oregon Humane society is offering as a reward for information concerning the identity of the dog poisoner.

## SALEM FARMER SLAIN

### Fred Schwartz Almost Instantly Killed by Premature Powder Explosion

SALEM, Ore., March 14.—Fred Schwartz rancher, 48 years old, was killed at his ranch 12 miles south of here on the Pacific highway this morning by premature explosion of dynamite which he was using in blowing stumps. His stump blowing operations being within a few feet of the heavily traveled highway, Schwartz was using fuses not over six inches in length, so he could touch them off when the highway was clear of cars and secure a rapid explosion. Investigating officers believe a defective fuse caused an almost instantaneous explosion, killing him before he could get away.

## SLAYS OWN CHILDREN

### Kansas City Father Murders Four Youngsters With Axe And Tries To Kill Self

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 14.—Maurice L. Gibson, of Prather Hill, Mo., near North Kansas City, killed his four children with an axe early today while his wife was in another part of the house and then hacked himself with the axe, and later slashed his wrist. He is expected to live. No reason has been assigned for the quadruple killing.

## Husbands, Look! Your Wives Are Working Women

One woman stayed home from church to please her husband, another was given an "iron man" when she refrained from cutting her spouse's unruly locks and still another sewed dilatory buttons on her man's shirt, all to earn a dollar which they pledged themselves to do for the Loyal Women's Bible class of the Christian church. The money was earned for the support of the treasury and this novel plan was hit upon by some of the members of the organization in order to reimburse the depleted fund.

More than \$20 was obtained in this manner! Husbands step up and have your wife join the Loyal Women's class so that for the nominal sum of 100 pennings she will refrain from doing little that annoy you such as the purchase of her mania for clipping your Samson Agnostes' like curl.

## Indians to Get Money Around First of Month Say Agency Officials

Government checks approximating \$100,000 will be distributed to members of the Klamath Indian tribe between now and the first of the month. It will be at least a week before the checks are ready for distribution, government officials at Klamath Agency said today.

Reports from the agency also were to the effect that the epidemic of bad colds and slight attacks of grippe is also on the wane. There were no cases of real influenza and never any cause for alarm, reservation officials said.

## DRY SLEUTH IS KILLED BY BIG BOMB

### NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Mar. 14.—Orville A. Jreuster, Federal customs official, was killed and Elmer Whitacre a friend, was seriously injured by a bomb, which exploded in Preuster's automobile here yesterday when he touched the self starter.

Preuster had been active in suppressing liquor smuggling. On Saturday he parked his car in front of his home and did not go near it again until 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when he started down town with Whitacre. Whitacre went to the front of the car to crank it in case the self starter failed and Preuster took the driver's seat. As soon as his foot touched the pedal there was an explosion that shook the neighborhood. Preuster's head was blown off and both his legs were torn from his body. Whitacre was blown 40 feet. He is in a hospital and is not expected to survive. He is 24 years old.

Preuster, in the opinion of local officials was the victim of a smuggling gang which has been operating along the Niagara border for six months.

A month ago Perusted and another agent caught Pasquale Curione, who was said to be the leader of this ring. They took more than \$12,000 worth of liquor from him. It was said, Curione is reported to have offered Preuster a bribe of \$2,000. He is now awaiting trial for attempted bribery.

## EXPECTED TO RECOVER

### John Bush, Injured in Explosion Yesterday, Still in Hospital

John Bush, who was badly injured in a premature powder explosion at the gravel pit opposite Lamm's mill yesterday, is expected to recover. It was reported today at the Klamath General hospital. He was badly hurt about the groin and there was some fear that complications might set in and make his condition critical.

## NEW MINISTER CHOSEN

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Hoffman Philip of New York, was named today by President Coolidge as minister to Persia.

## NET TIGHTENING ABOUT MAN IN POISON CASE

### Foster Father of Millionaire Orphan Is Held in Technical Custody

CHICAGO, March 14.—Questioned for hours early today after Charles Falman, head of a germ culture school, said he had sought information on administering typhoid germs without trace to a person, William D. Shepherd, foster father and chief heir of William Nelson McClintock, "millionaire orphan," who died of typhoid last December, was held in technical custody for further interrogation.

Brought from home at midnight to the offices of Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney, Shepherd was confronted with Dr. Falman and flatly denied his story that he had asked about methods of introducing the germs into the human body. His wife, a co-guardian of young McClintock, was later taken to the headquarters but permitted to return home after an hour's questioning.

State's Attorney Crowe planned to renew the interrogation later today and also to take means to block announced plans of Edwin Hedrick, attorney for Shepherd, to apply for a writ of habeas corpus if his client was not released.

## Doctor Tells Story

Dr. Falman, who also was held for further questioning and who was subjected to nearly 36 hours of steady examination before he told his story, said Shepherd had posed as a lawyer seeking information on germs in defense of a client accused of administering them. Later Shepherd had given him \$50 for a letter he had written to the school inquiring about bacteriology courses Falman said.

Beyond asking if they had a warrant, Shepherd offered no resistance to detectives who went to his home. Mrs. Shepherd became hysterical and declared "This is persecution."

## Wife Is Calm

She was calm several hours later when brought to the state's attorney's office and told assistant state's attorneys that "If they realized how much I loved Billy McClintock the case would have been dropped."

During the questioning of Shepherd, state's attorneys and police rounded up a number of witnesses who had been prominent in testifying before the coroner's inquest into McClintock's death. They sought Dr. Fosburg, who told the coroner's jury that he had been consulted by Shepherd about the effects of germs on subtle poisons and probability of their detection in an autopsy, and John P. Marchand, former agent of Falman, who told of the letter alleged to have been written to the school by Shepherd.

## MIDDLE WEST IN GRIP OF BIG BLIZZARD

### Snow and Rain and High Winds Tie Up Traffic and Cause Damage

CHICAGO, March 14.—A typical March blizzard, laden with rain changing to snow and borne on a 60 mile wind, was moving into the mid-west today, with warnings of a sharp drop in temperature.

Already it has the west, practically the Rocky mountain region, in its grip, and was sweeping two ways, through the north and from the southwest into Chicago.

Snow blanketed several portions of Colorado, while in Iowa heavy snow and high winds were accompanied by a rapidly falling temperature.

In Sioux City snow plows were needed to clear streets and railroad tleups.

Nebraska was swept by a gale. The snow was seen as a benefit for spring crops through the territory effected, as the soil was said to be badly in need of moisture.