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Uncensored Observations

HALL OF SHAME

Ye Editor of the Hall of Shame has been awarded with showers of blessings, Hardeman Hats, cigars and cigarettes and now glances over the medicine shelf he finds himself out of everything from toothpaste to a compact for his wife. Page the Drug store!

Today we nominate for the Hall of Shame, and it is indeed an honor that few in Klamath Falls are accorded, C. C. Curran of that well known establishment, "Curran's for Drugs."

For a compact my wife has had gone bugs.
So she showers me with kisses and hugs.
So like a poor fish,
I must grant her this wish,
How about it, there "Curran's for Drugs?"

We strolled into
The O. K. shoe shining
Parlor this a. m.
To get the mud scraped off
Our boots,
And got more than our
Money's worth
In the way of
Information about
Things in general.
The colored boy said
He didn't mind
Shining shoes when
Business was good
But with such sunshiny
Weather in Klamath Falls
The lot of the shiner
Of shoes
Is a tough one.
"Anyway, I'd rather
See this good weather
And not make much
Money than to see it rain
All the time."
See he.

And then he went on
To say that the man
Who couldn't make
A living at his
Line of work
In eight hours ought
To get out of it
And try something
Else.
So we sort of
Predict that Klamath Falls
Is soon going to lose
A blamed good shiner
Of shoes
If this particular
Colored lad
Can find an
Eight-hour job
That will bring
Home the well known
Bacon.

LEASE OIL LAND

WASHINGTON, March 25.—A lease to mine and dispose of oil shale on 2,680 acres of public land in Jackson county, Oregon, was awarded today by the interior department to the Hartman Syndicate. The company must pay the government a royalty of two and one half per cent on shale produced.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

CHILDREN SACRIFICED

LONDON, March 25.—Dispatches from Calcutta report an amazing case of the sacrifice of children to the Goddess Kalliat Mandala near Jabalapu in the central provinces.

FIVE KILLED IN WRECK

PARIS, March 25.—Five persons are known to have been killed and fifty injured when the Bordeaux-Paris express was wrecked near here today. The dead include Dr. Adolphe Pedebidou, senator from the upper Pyrenees.

PRISON SUPERINTENDENT APPOINTED

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Luther C. White of Massachusetts was appointed today as superintendent of federal prisons.

BEND MAN KILLED

BEND, Ore., March 25.—Dewey Spencer, 27-year-old boiler maker employed at a local saw mill, died while being brought to town last night following an automobile accident 12 miles from town on the Bend-Burns highway.

SHEPHERD STILL TRYING

CHICAGO, March 25.—Prospects at noon today were that the arguments on the question of bail for William D. Shepherd, charged with the murder of his foster son, William N. McClintock, by typhoid inoculation, would require the remainder of the day.

MERRILL IS WINNER OF TITLE

Fouls and Poor Shooting Bring Defeat to Local Team in Cup Game

Fouls and inability to shoot baskets led to the defeat last night of Klamath County high school by Merrill high school, 16 to 10, for the championship of the Klamath county basketball league. The team from southern Klamath led the local quintet from the start, forging into the lead with a basket during the first few minutes of play.

Couldn't Convert

The Klamath Falls team attempted four baskets to Merrill's one throughout the first three quarters. Inability to convert baskets from easy distance brought defeat to the local five.

Merrill Gets Cup

Had Klamath Falls won, they would have been entitled to keep the Glover cup, by virtue of having won the county title for three successive years. The Merrill team now have charge of the cup for the ensuing year.

LANE PIONEER DIES

EUGENE, Ore., March 25.—Ansel Hemenway, 84, a resident of Lane county for the past 72 years, died at his home here today.

SCHOOLS GIVEN NEW APPARATUS FOR RECREATION

Youngsters in the rural public schools will have a lot of new playground equipment for their games before and after school hours, County Superintendent Fred Peterson said today.

He has just completed installing new swings at Olene and Malin, as well as giant strides at Henley, Malin and Shasta View. Similar equipment will be added to the playgrounds of other rural schools during the next two weeks, he said. The equipment is all standardized so that broken parts can be easily and quickly replaced.

MOTHER KILLER SWOONS AGAIN

Dorothy Ellingson Carried Unconscious Into Ante Room of Court

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—Dorothy Ellingson, the girl who killed her mother rather than stay home from a jazz party, fell in a faint flat on the stone corridors as court was adjourned for noon at today's session of her murder trial.

The girl, deathly pale, a crumpled, forlorn figure, was carried into an ante-room of the court. Her father and court attendants worked over her several minutes before she showed signs of animation.

RECEIVES PICTURE

George Walton is in receipt of a picture shown on the N. E. A. service sheet sent to newspapers, wherein his daughter Beatrice Walton, a well known Klamath Falls girl, is depicted as assisting in the "Arbor Day" celebration of the College of the Pacific. The picture also includes several other students and Dr. Tully W. Knowles, president of the college. The institute recently moved from San Jose to Stockton, California.

SUGAR COMPANY OFFERS PRIZES

California Concern Encourages Sugar Beets in Klamath County

The Sacramento Valley Sugar company shows its stand to promote and encourage the raising of sugar beets on a commercial scale in the Klamath Basin, in a letter received by the County Fair Board this morning. They state "we will offer \$25.00 in prizes as follows—1st prize \$15.00, 2nd prize \$7.00 and 3rd prize \$3.00. I would like to see the first prize large enough to make it an incentive for strong competition.

"Our Mr. Oldemeyer (resident field representative of the company) will give you any assistance in the matter and will see there is a large display and we will try and have a display from the factory showing the process of sugar manufacture. Showing the seed, beets, thick and thin juice, raw sugar, refined sugar, beet pulp and molasses refuse, and if possible will have some one attend it and explain the process of manufacture.

"I would suggest that none be eligible to enter this contest unless they have contracted at least five acres of beets with us for this year.

ACCIDENT FATAL

Beauty Parlor Owner Killed in Accident at Battleground Washington

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 25.—Mrs. Margaret Rider, 28, who operated a beauty shop at Camas, Wash., died at a hospital here early today from injuries suffered in an auto accident on the Battleground highway about midnight. The car in which she was riding plunged into a ditch when W. P. Emson, 27, who was driving, was blinded by bright lights of a passing car.

Lang Reunion Will Be Held In Rose City

Mrs. Lulu Lang, indicted today by the federal grand jury in Portland on a charge of attempting to destroy public records, will be joined by her son, Millard Lang, who was bound over to the federal grand jury today by United States Commissioner Bert C. Thomas on a charge of introduction of intoxicating liquor onto an Indian reservation.

Lang was unable to meet the \$1500 bond set by the commissioner and will be taken to Portland on the 1 p. m. stage today by C. C. Wells, deputy United States marshal. Two other Indian boys, who were charged jointly with Lang on the liquor count, have not been apprehended following their escape from the county jail Sunday night. They are Elias Barclay and Louis Knight.

The grand jury has not yet acted on the Reynold Mose case, according to advices received today from Portland. Mose is held under a charge of forging the name of Fred A. Baker, superintendent of the Klamath Indian reservation, to a check which Mose cashed in Chiloquin.

\$450,000 DUE COUNTY BY 6TH OF NEXT MONTH

Sheriff Makes Urgent Request for Taxpayers to Meet Obligations

Although there is approximately \$500,000 due in the first installment of Klamath county taxes by April 6, not more than \$50,000 has been received to date, according to announcement today at the office of Sheriff Burt Hawkins.

The sheriff makes an urgent request that all persons who wish tax statements apply for them at once in order to avoid the last minute rush on April 6.

Many of the larger corporate and individual taxpayers are now mailing in requests for their statements, but they probably will not mail their checks until the last day or two before the time limit for the first installment expires.

An extra force of clerks is now employed in the tax collecting department of the sheriff's office, making up and mailing the tax statements, but if taxpayers delay making their requests, the office may become swamped during the last few days and be unable to get the statements ready before April 6.

TWO LAWS VIOLATED

Banking Department Finds That in Moving They Break Statutes

SALEM, Ore., March 25.—Discovery has been made here that the state banking department in moving from Salem to Portland, has violated not only the present law fixing the location of the department, but also the new banking code act which was passed by the 1925 legislature and which will be effective May 28. The banking department was transferred yesterday from the state house to the Henry building in Portland.

BELCHES BROADSIDE

Wonderful Display of National Naval Defense Being Made

Aboard U. S. S. Concord, off San Pedro, Cal., March 25.—The most powerful of America's floating sea fortresses, 11 dreadnaughts, today belched forth a deluge of flame and steel unlike anything ever before loosed upon the Pacific ocean. For six minutes the great battle fleet rent the air with appalling vibrations in its annual force practice, simulating a terrific naval battle.

RURAL SCHOOLS ARE HARD HIT BY INFLUENZA

Several of the rural schools have been hard hit by the flu epidemic which has spread through the county during the past few weeks. At Chiloquin, nearly 75 per cent of the pupils have been absent because of the flu, while Merrill also was among those whose ranks were badly depleted because of the epidemic. The Merrill high school had nearly 50 per cent of the pupils out at one time, according to County Superintendent Fred Peterson.

Other schools where the flu epidemic has made serious inroads into the attendance were at Libby and Malin.

BETTER HOMES FORUM SUBJECT

Little Symphony Orchestra Entertains at Chamber of Commerce

H. R. Perrin of the firm of Perrin and Coseboom, was the speaker at the chamber of commerce forum luncheon today, when he chose as his subject, "Better Homes." Pictures, cuts and clippings of good home arrangements were in evidence both in the dining room and in the office. The address was exceptionally interesting, Perrin stressing all points from the purchase of land for the homes to the manner in which they are financed.

T. P. Henderson of the membership committee spoke briefly on the work of the group and the new members which they had obtained. In the interest of the Golden West coffee, which was furnished through the courtesy of Closet & Devet's, A. R. Brisson of Rogue River spoke for a time on the history of coffee, its use and source. The talk was especially instructive and thoroughly appreciated.

SLEUTHS UNPOPULAR

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Coast guardsmen, by their increased vigilance against rum smuggling are incurring an unpopularity among the townsfolk at points along the Atlantic coast that in a number of cases has been carried to the point of a death threat, according to reports reaching coast guard headquarters here.

THIEVES CAUGHT

Wall Street Wolves Are Charged With Stealing From Boys

NEW YORK, March 25.—The arrest of six men today as members of gangs that have preyed on Wall Street bond and brokerage houses for months revealed that the bands employed slight-of-hand experts to steal securities from messenger boys in crowded trains and elevators, the police said.

EXAMINER APPOINTED

SALEM, Ore., March 25.—Governor Pierce has reappointed F. I. Marshall of Portland as a member of the state board of barber examiners.

COUNTIES COOPERATE

SEATTLE, Wash., March 25.—Cooperation of Grant, Benton and Yakima counties to build a road to Priest Rapids, where construction of a \$100,000,000 hydro-electric project including farming commodities is to commence in the autumn, was agreed upon yesterday.

Indignant Indians Seek Order Forbidding Whites From Fishing or Hunting

Reprisal Sought, Following Conviction of Purcell and Moore on Charge of Killing Elk; Tribal Council to Meet

Angered at what they term a "miscarriage of justice" in the Leonard Moore and Ed Purcell case, a movement is under way among Indians of the Klamath reservation to deny all white people the privilege of fishing, hunting or trapping on reservation ground, according to authentic advices received here today.

A special meeting of the tribal council will probably be called the latter part of this week or the first part of next to consider the question, according to Charles S. Hood, one of the leaders of the movement.

The tribal council will be asked to issue an order forbidding white people to fish in any of the streams on the reservation, to hunt bear, ducks, deer or any other wild animal or to trap fur bearing animals on the reservation. That the council will look favorably upon the reprisal measure is confidently expected by Mr. Hood, who, with William Crawford of Chiloquin, has interviewed a number of tribal councilmen on the matter.

DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY ARRIVES IN KLAMATH FALLS

David R. Vandenberg, who was recently appointed deputy district attorney for Klamath county, arrived here today to take over his new work under Acting District Attorney W. P. Myers. Mr. Vandenberg comes from Portland where he has been engaged in the practice of law. He was recommended for the place by District Attorney Stanley Myers of Multnomah county.

TREATY GIVEN RIGHT

According to the treaty between the Indians and the United States government, the Indians are allowed to kill game or fish on the reservation at any time of year. On that basis the two young Indians claimed immunity from prosecution in the elk case. They held that even though they did take one elk from outside the reservation, that the animal was fatally wounded within the reservation boundaries which precluded any prosecution for hunting out of season or killing an animal protected by state law.

SUGAR BEETS WILL BRING GOOD PROFIT

With more than 250 acres of land in the Klamath valley signed up by farmers and ranchers anxious to produce sugar beets, the crop should yield more than 250 cars this year, according to Robert Oldemeyer, the representative of the Sacramento Valley Sugar company.

BAKER DOESN'T KNOW

Fred A. Baker, superintendent of the Klamath Indian reservation, stated that he had heard nothing of the white exclusion movement on the reservation, either directly or indirectly. Mr. Baker has just returned from a 10 day business trip to Portland.

INDIANS SPONSORING THE MOVEMENT

Indians sponsoring the movement claim they represent a majority of the Indian population on the reservation. They say that the conviction.

Tapered Trousers and Flaming Collars to Predominate in Fall

CHICAGO, March 25.—Tapering trousers, worn with suspenders, bright and vivid collars and suits so designed as to establish the illusion of extreme height in the wearer will mark next fall's styles for men, according to advance models displayed at a style show here, sponsored by leading clothing manufacturers.

Use of suspenders will bring out the extra height illusion, it was said.