

XMAS HOLIDAYS START FRIDAY

Tomorrow at noon, school doors of the city and county schools will close, for the Christmas holidays, not to reopen again until Wednesday morning, January 2.

During the morning hours of tomorrow, pupils of the city and county schools will take part in informal Christmas programs.

Sacred Heart Academy will also close tomorrow. The Knights of Columbus will provide the annual tree for the students at the Academy.

DR. E. JOHNSON IS RECOVERING FROM DEEP CUT

Dr. E. D. Johnson, prominent physician is slowly recovering from a serious injury of the right hand. The wound is causing the physician considerable pain.

While attempting to open a mason jar, the jar slipped from his hand. He attempted to catch it and as he did so, the jar broke, cutting through the palm of the right hand. The wound is deep and considered serious.

LODGE INDUCTS NEW OFFICIALS

At the regular convocation of Klamath Chapter, Royal Arch Masons held in Masonic hall last night, officers recently elected were installed by Past High Priest George Walton, assisted by Past High Priest, Oscar Peyton, acting as Marshall.

The following officers were installed for the ensuing year:

Excellent High Priest, Jacob A. Leech; King, Charles Griffith; Scribe, Herbert A. Key; Treasurer, Marion Hanks; Secretary, Frank L. Evans; Captain of Host, Willard L. Smith; Principal Sojourner, Milford W. Harbison; Royal Arch Captain, George P. Taylor; Master of 3rd Vell, Geo. D. Grizzle; Master of 2nd Vell, Andrew Auer; Master of 1st Vell, John G. Belmont; Sentinel, Hans Hanson.

Greeted by U. S. Officials



At Corinto, Nicaragua, President-elect Herbert Hoover was snapped by the NEA cameraman as he stopped to shake hands with General Feland, of the Marines. At the left of this group is Charles C. Eberhardt, the American minister to Nicaragua who greeted the good-will party at the dock.

MAGISTRATE IS BACK AT DESK

Partially recovered from a painful attack of rheumatism, William B. Barnes, justice of the peace, was back at his desk this morning for the first time in several days.

"A bit 'rocky', but I guess I'll come along alright," the magistrate said.

S. P. PURCHASES RIGHT OF WAY

Purchase of rights of way from Ivan Buell and Marguerite Buell, by the Southern Pacific company, was announced today with the filing of the deed in the county clerk's office.

The property included 2.45 acres in two small tracts, near Malin.

Nieshim And Norton Fight Hard to Draw

Let it be known, here and now, that Ole Nieshim and Douglas Norton, two of the toughest boys that have appeared in a ring for many a moon, fought to a draw last night in the main event of last night's fight card in Chiloquin.

There was a mix-up at the end in which the referee misread the decision of the judges. When he announced that Norton was given the decision, the howl that was raised could be heard as far as Modoc Point. After most of the crowd had departed, they checked back over the decisions of the judges, corrected the mistake, and officially declared the fight a draw.

It was a great fight from the opening bell to the close. Both boys were everything they were supposed to be and more.

Mike Daly did what everybody expected him to do—defeat Billy Huff, Chiloquin, in a six round semi-final. At the close of the last round, Huff was as cold as a "shark's eye."

Ansin Rosander, Astland whirled, defeated Jack Davies in the four-round special event. Young Jerry of Chiloquin defeated Billy Smith in a preliminary.

SANTA WILL BE AT CITY HALL CHRISTMAS EVE

Jolly Old Santa Claus, laden with 4000 gifts for kiddies of Klamath county of Santa Claus age will be at the City Hall on Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Standing beside the beautiful Christmas tree which has been decorated by the police and fire departments, Santa will greet each and every child.

This Christmas eve with presents of toys, candy, nuts and fruits is made possible each year by the efforts of the two departments.

It will be remembered that more than 3000 children were present last Christmas eve.

Miss Lois Snowgoose of Keno is planning to spend Christmas at Keno with relatives and friends. Miss Snowgoose has been residing at Butte Falls for some time. Her uncle, Ray Trefren will accompany her home.

JURIST'S LIFE IS THREATENED

(Continued from Page One) three men on trial for kidnaping Billy Ranieri, who declared the death card had been turned. Judge Robert Gentzel was told.

"The defendant, Pettit," said Assistant State's Attorney Mueller, told a bailiff who was guarding him: "Mike Devito will be the next to die."

Two other state witnesses reported that they had been threatened if they testified. They were Deputy Sheriff Don Ryan and Adolph Goselli, both of Kankakee, Ill., whose testimony has to do with the firing of the Capelonne where Billy Ranieri was held prisoner 13 days last September.

SEARCH ON FOR MISSING MAN

(Continued from Page One) sent by Bureau authorities. He told police that the young man asked several meaningless questions and have him under the impression of being somewhat dazed.

In the meantime Terrill's family is frantic over his absence and has told authorities to undertake every possible means in locating the young man.

Police Chief Ambrose expected to apprehend the young man this afternoon.

WOOL SALES GOOD

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 20. (UP)—Good sales of Texas twelve months wool are being made with prices slightly firmer. The secured basis price is \$1.05 a pound. Other offers on fine wools are being reported but trading is generally slow.

EARTHQUAKE REPORTED

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 20. (UP)—A strong earthquake shock was reported today in La Serena. Residents fled from their houses to the streets. There were no casualties. An exceptionally heavy tremor was reported yesterday at Emuco.

Gang Warfare Claims Lives In California

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20. (UP)—A new outbreak of gang warfare in California was attributed by police here last night as the reason for the murders of Alameda Sorensen, 25, and an unidentified Italian whose bodies were found today at Fair Oaks, 25 miles from Sacramento.

Scarsdale, a San Francisco racketeer, had been sought for the murder of Gerry Perri, a Mafia leader. His dead companion was believed to have been involved in the slaying of Mario Filippi at Sacramento Friday night.

The men had apparently been taken "for a ride" as their bodies were only 350 feet apart.

As a result of the latest killings, seven murders in northern California this year have been blamed to friction between gangs most of which have been engaged in transportation of liquor. Perri was said by police to have refused to split equitably with Scarsdale a \$10000 collection for liquor.

YOUTH DIES OF SEVERE BURNS

Suffering from severe burns caused when he attempted to light a fire early Tuesday morning at the farm home on Lake Lake, Elmer Westenberg, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Westenberg passed away at Malin yesterday.

The youth was burned from his head to his feet. Beside the serious burns which brought his death, he had inhaled the flames.

The young man was rushed to Malin by his parents where every possible attempt was made to save his life.

The remains are at the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine Avenue at Sixth.

MRS. COOLIDGE LEAVES FOR MOTHER'S HOME

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20. (UP)—Mrs. Coolidge left here yesterday to visit her mother, Mrs. Lemira Goodhue, who has been ill in a Northampton, Mass., hospital for one year. She is expected to return to the White House in time to join the president for the Christmas holidays.

C. AITCHISON IS CRITICISED

(Continued from Page One) commission is that my work has been kept up.

Aitchison told the committee that he had been assigned to revise the commission's statutes but that he had not been relieved of his other work. The revision, he said, was a long and arduous task on which he had spent half his time during the past year including many nights and Sundays.

Upon request from Senator Wheeler the commissioner agreed to submit data giving a list of the cases assigned to him personally when hearings were assigned, when they were held, and when the cases were disposed of, and the reason for the delay, if any.

Aitchison had testified that the telephone valuations had not come up because the commission has been too busy with railroad valuations and that "we have taken up within the limits of our appropriations the things of vital importance."

Wheeler asked why, if important money and facilities were at hand to take up the telephone case, the commission had not come to Congress for relief and Aitchison replied that the commission "is forbidden by law to ask for money."

"You don't violate the law by coming up here and telling us the situation," Wheeler said.

"Yes, we do," the commissioner declared. "We are told we have no right to go to committee of congress. We have only the right to answer questions."

Senator Smith, democrat, Georgia, a member of the committee, interpolated: "Oh, yes, this is the age of economy."

LOUIS E. BEAN MUST SUBMIT TO OPERATION

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 20. (AP)—Louis E. Bean, member of the State Public Service commission for the last two years, will undergo a major surgical operation today at a Salem hospital. Bean has been ill for several weeks. His home is at Eugene.

SNUB OF GIRL LEADS MAN TO TAKE OWN LIFE

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 20. (UP)—George Ads, 22, of Albany, assistant pastor of the Mount Limer American Legion, jumped overboard to his death because a girl in Buenos Aires paid more attention to two more young Brazilian aviators, Ads' friends here were told tonight.

TO UNITE FERRIES

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20. (UP)—Automobile ferries of the Southern Pacific, Northwestern Pacific, Golden Gate ferries and Monticello Steamship company are to be united for the benefit of their patrons, according to a joint statement issued here yesterday.

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at 2:45 p. m. instead
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"This is Mrs. Smith speaking. I want to get a nice Davenport Suite for Christmas. What will you allow me for my old Day Bed and a rocker I will not need. My neighbor, Mrs. Brown, traded you some old things last week on a Davenport Suite and she is so well pleased I decided to phone you."

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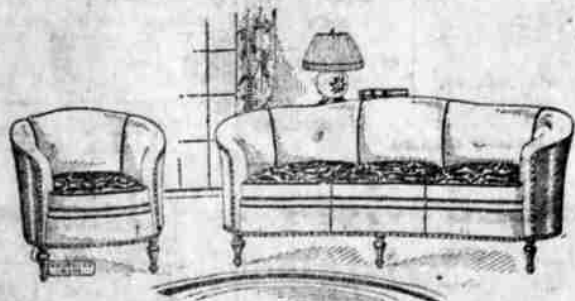


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Must be entirely closed out
in Next Three Days
Regardless of Cost or Profit.

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All \$2.00 Trucks and Racers, reduced to \$1.25
All 75c Dolls, reduced to only 50c
All \$6.50 Tricycles, reduced to \$4.50
Nice Baby Grand Toy Pianos Reduced
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Large Electric Trains Reduced
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Pretty Child's Rockers Reduced
Games and Books of all kinds Reduced
Phonographs \$2.50 up to \$7.50—See Them.

THE HOME STRETCH -AND FINISH-

THE EXCITING PART OF THE RACE
Our Big Good Will Campaign
CLOSES CHRISTMAS EVE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK

Thousands of Klamath Falls People have taken part for many weeks in our good will campaign. You can come on the HOME STRETCH and make Big Savings by getting your Christmas gifts and toys at our store. See us today for full details.

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