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Weekend Roundup

A MAJORITY of Klamath Falls' city councilmen will seek reelection this November. Rollin Cantrall and A. A. Montgomery are sure-fire candidates. Elmer Hosking, who flirts with the idea of running for mayor every two years, will probably land in the councilmanic race again. John J. Keller hasn't definitely made up his mind to run for the post he has held four terms. Charles Thomas has been quoted as saying he will run for mayor if he runs for anything.

Mayor Richmond definitely will not run again. In election years past it has been customary for a sizeable fraction of the local population to run for mayor, but the candidacy signs have not been so plentiful this year. Still, there is plenty of time.

The John Houston mayoralty candidacy continues a strong probability. There is an incipient movement to circulate petitions in behalf of the dynamic young business man, who has qualms against "self-starting." The petition enterprise should dispose of that question and bring Mr. Houston out as a candidate.

His enthusiastic supporters believe Mr. Houston represents the balance needed in a city which should continue with its debt liquidation and other careful fiscal policies and at the same time should move forward along progressive lines with vigor and color.

That matter of throwing off the debt is of extreme importance, and it is not quite correct to distinguish between such a policy and progressivism, as we have in the above paragraph. The word "progressive" is overworked, but if we know anything about its meaning, we would say that reducing the public debt is truly progressive.

Klamath Falls, incidentally, now has a net debt of less than a million dollars, which represents real progress from the conditions of a few years ago, and is a credit to the present administration and all those who have had a part in working off the old debt and avoiding the incurrence of too many new ones.

Readers of both city and country will be interested in knowing that progress is being made toward the installation of traffic signals in the city. The highway commission will advertise for bids next month, and perhaps the signals will be in operation for the rush of pedestrian and auto traffic on local streets in the late fall and during the Christmas season.

A new type of signal may be tried out here. If it proves unpopular, it will be taken out and the more familiar type installed.

While we're waiting for traffic signals, the need for courtesy and fair dealing on the streets is great. One little practice that doesn't belong in that category is for motorists to drive into the pedestrian lanes when stopping before entering a through street. We've seen this done by some of the "best people" who must not have realized how discourteous and unmannerly they were being. If you have to stop, anyhow, stop back of the pedestrian lane line and let the foot traffic get through.

We would vote for a law that would make it unnecessary to recognize even one's best acquaintances if they are hiding their eyes behind dark glasses.

Local housewives are currently enthused over the wild plum crop. But with all such boons there's a certain unpleasantness. Look out for rattlers before you plunge into a wild plum thicket.—M. E.

The rhea, ostrich-like bird of South America, sleeps lying down, with its legs stretched out behind.

Canada ranks first among world exporters of nickel, asbestos and radium.

Looking for Bargains? Turn to the Classified page.

TODAY GENE AUTRY ONLY "Rancho Grande"

TOMORROW

RUTHLESS-SAVAGE-THRILLING!

GERONIMO

A Paramount Picture with PRESTON FOSTER • ELLEN DREW ANDY DEVINE • WILLIAM HENRY RALPH MORGAN • GENE LOCKHART MARJORIE GATESON • KITTY KELLY

RAINBOW

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24 — Don't fall off your boss, partner, if Charles McNary comes out firmly in his acceptance speech for public development of water power.

It may sound inelegant of a vice presidential candidate running with a former outstanding private utility leader, but McNary has always cared more about his independence than elegance. His 19-year-old record as the republican senator from Oregon has always hewed to the public development line. Consequently those of his republican associates who were permitted to take a squint at the text of the speech which he is flying west to deliver, were not surprised at the position he promised to take.

Also in it was a stern declaration against the Hull-Roosevelt reciprocal trade treaty program (which Willkie rather likes) as an obstacle to safeguarding the entire American market for the American farmer.

The inner republican councils have thus already been made aware that if the minority party leader in the senate is elected with Mr. Willkie, he will use his influence for the things he has stood for — which apparently is not as displeasing to Mr. Willkie as some of his adversaries have intimated.

BRITAIN PLEASED

The inside news which Canadian Premier MacKenzie King passed to Mr. Roosevelt at their Ogdensburg conference, pictured England as far more elated over recent war developments than even their spokesmen have dared to assert publicly. The first air attack proved bombers could not be sent over in mass formation, MacKenzie King related. Only sneak raids hereafter stand a chance of success, he indicated. Superiority of British planes individually and the development of aircraft defenses put the Fritz on the blitz, he thought.

DARKER SIDE

But there is a far different story available in competent impartial quarters here (not the navy or army, both of which count British chances as much better now). The other slant is that Britain is radiating optimism because she is afraid Spain will do what Mussolini did when Hitler broke through the French at Sedan. Spain is supposed to have one hand out ready to grab Gibraltar at the first sign of British faltering.

Hitler has merely been experimenting, according to this version. He rotated attacks by his 6000 to 10,000 planes and pilots in order that his entire air force might gain experience with flying conditions and British defenses. It was merely prepar-

SIDE GLANCES



"My ears are twitching for the town's latest gossip—let's go in and have another finger wave."

tion for unleashing the whole mass in the final drive.

SECRET BOMBS

A new line on a secret bomb weapon which Hitler is known to have — the thermit bomb — has been gained by those of our authorities who keep watch on such developments. It is a terrific missile which can be dropped from the air to explode several hundred feet above the ground, spreading a mist of fire in every direction. The residue has the burning quality of molten iron in the form of mist, being composed of iron oxide and aluminum encased in a magnesium alloy. A fabulous temperature of 2500 degrees centigrade is reached. This is so hot it even seems to burn the earth. Steel girders melt at its fiery breath. More than a suspicion exists here that Hitler intends to use these thermit bombs upon British air bases.

He has several other types of so-called secret bombs (all of which we know about) but none is held in the same awe as the thermit. The Lewisite bomb casts a mustard gas pall which may last for days. The phosphorus bomb contains some toxic smoke which may or may not get through all except the latest type of gas masks. Our army officials let a few soldiers at the recent Texas-Louisiana maneuvers get a brief whiff of the toxic smoke just to enable them to identify it. Most of those who took the experiment were unable to eat for two or three days.

Java is the twelfth largest island in the world, having an area of 48,400 square miles.

The life of the average milk bottle is 35 trips to the dairy before being broken.

Courthouse Records

FRIDAY

BARNES-REAL. James McDowell Barnes, 24, service station attendant. Resident of Klamath Falls, native of Oregon. Three day requirement waived.

CARR-PEYTON. Charles Fred Carr, 18, truck driver. Resident of Klamath Falls, native of Colorado. Audrey Ruth Peyton, 17, Resident of Klamath Falls, native of Oregon. Three day requirement waived.

Complaints Filed

First Securities company versus A. E. Fugate. Plaintiff asks judgment for \$331.36, with interest, attorney fees and costs. R. C. Groesbeck and Pendergrass, Spackman and Bullivant, attorneys for plaintiff.

W. R. Canton versus Klamath Concrete Pipe company. Plaintiff asks judgment for \$347.65 with interest, attorney fees and costs. F. O. Small, attorney for plaintiff.

H. E. Hauger versus K. M. Bradshaw. Plaintiff asks judgment for \$322.55 and \$13.31, with interest, attorney fees and costs. Don F. Hamlin, attorney for plaintiff.

Carol Hamilton versus Harry W. Hamilton. Suit for divorce. Charge, cruel and inhuman treatment. Couple married Vancouver, Wash., September 17, 1917. Clarence A. Humble, attorney for plaintiff.

Doris Smith versus L. S. Smith. Suit for divorce. Charge, cruel and inhuman treatment. Couple married April 8, 1933. Plaintiff asks custody of two minor children.

Justice Court

Herb Smith. No operator's license. Fined \$5.50.

Emmett Howis. Assault, armed with a dangerous weapon. Waived preliminary hearing. Bond set \$2000 property or \$1000 cash. Committed to county jail.

Elephants, at one time in prehistoric days, had four tusks.

ENDS "Red" Barry—"ONE MAN'S LAW"

TODAY * Richard Arlen—"BLACK DIAMONDS"

TOMORROW!

THE THRILL-STORY OF OUR OWN AMERICAN YOUTH

Columbia Pictures present

"MILITARY ACADEMY"

featuring

Tommy Kelly • Bobby Jordan

David Holt

Jackie Searl

Don Beddoe

Jimmy Butler

"RED RYDER SERIAL"

COMEDY, MUSICAL

AND LATEST NEWS

DIAL 5514

ALL SEATS 25¢-35¢

VOX

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Telling The Editor

LAZY AMERICANS

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., (To the Editor)—I take hearty exception to the letter in tonight's paper, signed by Orris McCartney, in which he makes the statement that "first or second generation immigrants are seldom true Americans." I have never known a naturalized American citizen who wasn't proud of his citizenship and who did not at least try to live up to its obligations. Two of my sisters married naturalized Germans and one married a Scot. My husband's family can be traced back to one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and he takes his citizenship seriously, but he is not a bit better citizen than my brothers-in-law. And it is not likely that my children will be any more intelligent, thoughtful, or unbiased than their cousins.

I had just finished voting over at the Mills school when Mr. Quibell, who is well known in that part of town, was going in to vote for the first time. He had changed his citizenship from English to American shortly before and I will never forget the fine, proud expression on his face as he was GOING TO VOTE! How can we say that those born in other countries are "seldom true Americans" as long as the percentage of natural born citizens of this country who are too lazy or too disinterested to vote remains as high as it is?

It seems to me that the true American ideal is to select and combine the best and finest of all nations into a strong, healthy composite, to assimilate the culture, endurance, art and ideals of those who have joined themselves to us, and in that way to develop ourselves into a finer nation. Few present day Americans would be satisfied to go back to the Colonial days of our history, although we look back to them with pride, because in the years since then we have been growing steadily.

If foreign born Americans do not always learn our ways and ideals as fast as we might wish, it is because we who were born here are too lazy or too snobbish to teach them.

Sincerely,

MRS. J. R. SHERRICK.

driven, support money. Edwin E. Driscoll, attorney for plaintiff.

Investment Service company versus R. W. Duncan. Plaintiff asks judgment for \$229.72, with interest, attorney fees and costs. Lynn Moore, attorney for plaintiff.

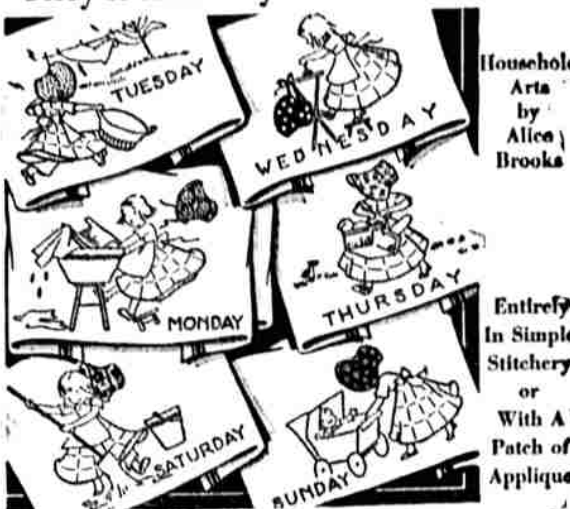
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They'll Add Gay Touch to Kitchen



PATTERN 6486

Just one look at these towels convinces any needlewoman that they can be embroidered in no time. They make a welcome shower or housewarming gift. Pattern 6486 contains a transfer pattern of seven motifs averaging 5 1/2 x 7 1/2 inches; applique pattern pieces; materials needed; illustration of stitches; color schemes.

To obtain this pattern send 10 cents in coin to The Herald-News Household Arts Department, Klamath Falls, Ore. Be sure to write plainly your name, address and pattern number.

LAKEVIEW HOLDS LIVESTOCK SALE

Lakeview Friday night concluded the most successful livestock auction in the county since history before a crowd of 300 people gathered under the lights of the high school field.

The show, sponsored by the Lakeview Rotary club, drew buyers and stock enthusiasts from many points in the Klamath basin as well as from Lake county. It was held in conjunction with the county fair and the 4-H and FFA organization meets.

Future Farmers of America's Herb Carroll was awarded the blue ribbon for the champion steer in the afternoon contest. His prize-winning entry brought 33 cents per pound from Gordon Smith in last night's auction. Total steer sales brought an average of 23.1 cents per pound.

Allen Withers' champion 4-H lamb was sold to J. J. Van Keulen for \$101 cents per pound. Averages sales were at 68.4 cents per pound.

In the fat hog class, the champion FFA hog belonging to Wendell Neascham went to E. R. Bennett for 27 cents per pound. The average sale price was 19 cents.

Carroll's steer was sold for \$284.46. Withers' lamb for \$83.83 and Neascham's hog for \$47.23.

A party of Klamathites including Tom Watters, Hod Ellis, L. A. West, Andy Street and Cliff Jenkins, attended the evening show.

Charles K. Wiese of Tulalake was the auctioneer.

1 Killed, 3 Hurt In Oregon City Auto Crash

OREGON CITY, Ore., Aug. 24 (UP)—Injuries suffered in a head-on automobile collision on the Oregon City-Wilsonville highway brought death today to Pearl Elizabeth Irvine of Tigard.

Three other persons injured in the accident yesterday were Mrs. Howard Thompson, Portland; her mother, Mrs. Heinka Peters, Portland; and George Spohrer, Tigard.

Witnesses told police the machine driven by Spohrer crossed an intersection, turned left, and crashed head-on into the approaching car driven by Mrs. Thompson. Both cars were demolished.

Poe Valley

The last playday for the children of Poe Valley will be held Aug. 30 in the afternoon at the Poe Valley school house. Each person is asked to bring five cents for a watermelon feed.

Mrs. Polly Barret and children went to Ashland to visit relatives and friends for a while. Joy and Phyllis Ross visited their grandmother, Mrs. Emma Ross, Wednesday.

The Rawleigh man was in the valley doing business the first part of the week.

Margaret Frenee was a Klamath Falls visitor one day this week.

Earl Webber and family are now living in the schoolhouse which has been recently remodeled.

The word "plate" originally meant "silver" and indicated the material from which the dish was made, instead of the shape.

TODAY ONLY 'Lucky Cisco Kid'

Starts TOMORROW!

Here Comes Trouble! It's a merry merger of toughies and roughies!

"You're Not So Tough"

with

NAN GREY

HENRY ARNETTA

ROSINA GALLI

BILLY HALOP

HUNTZ HALL

COLOR CARTOON

UNUSUAL OCCUPATIONS

COLOR NOVELTY

NEWS

A Universal Picture

PELICAN

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ENDS 'GOLD RUSH MAISIE' ANN SOTHERN LEE BOWMAN

TOMORROW!

FUNNY!... It's Fantastic!

The "Thin Man" Needs a Detective to Find... HIM!

William Powell • Myrna Loy

"I Love You Again"

FRANK McHUGH • EDMUND LOWE

LATEST ISSUE

MARCH of TIME

ALWAYS COOL

PINE TREE

DIAL 3262

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