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PRESTIGE

clearer definition of a news- city, and inasmuch as this paper's exact status in the community For motion the Mr. Goddard, the satisfaction community. For months we goes with it of "better late have been urging its growing than never." importance. Judging by the best information available a daily paper is the finest asset

a town can have. Its prowarrant it.

to meet all the varying moods ject.

nature and to accept every is to clear Portland of blame. ter of self-protection we must kind of treatment with a For some reason all Oregon get busy and vote the necessmile. No wonder at times seems very ready to accuse sary funds. The more gracwe take the bit in our teeth Portland of everything in the lously we do this the easier and decide differently. The line of selfishness. Nobody it will be for the new admindays of hesitation and equiv- knows exactly why and no- istration, and the better start ocation have passed as re- body can show any reasonable gards the News. We stand reason. The very metropolis greater the assurance of a suc-four-square to all the winds it has grown into makes it a four-square to all the winds it has grown into makes it a cessful year. that blow. As a successful larger target to fire at and it newspaper we have "arrived." is in the disposition of us to

PULLING TOGETHER

It looks as though our busi- habit of blaming Portland, ness men are really in earnest when the Rose City may have

ness men are really in earnest to get somewhere with local development. They are pull-ing together in fine shape, cooperating whole-heartedly, and burying old animosities in the determination to ac-complish something worth while. This sort of thing uickly, and with much in life

while. This sort of thing quickly, and with much in life

THE MAYOR

Purely as a matter of record, it may be remarked how cordially Mayor Goddard and the News have managed without each other. We happened not to agree at the start-off and we have each maintained that ground through the year. But if we said nothing for him in recent months, we said nothing against him. And since December means Christmas we can afford now to end the nonsense and start off again with a clean slate.

We write that the more willingly because the Mayor of a town is in every sense its official representative. If Entered as second class matter at the postoffice at Klamath Falls Oregon, November 15, 1923, under act of March 3, 1879. to accept as chairman of the board. We are not so sure but Klamath has lost prestige by belittling the office of Mayor and its incumbent, and

we are very positive something can be gained by changing this. What the Governor is Someday we hope for a to a state the Mayor is to a

IN DEFENSE

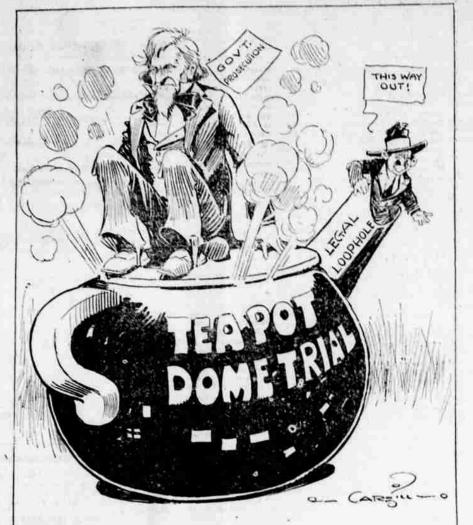
A gentleman reminded us vince is not merely to boost yesterday that Portland as a and palaver and enthuse and city has no hand whatever in compliment. Its management the railroad division fight, should be capable of think- which has a very direct bearing straight and speaking ing on many families locally. plain, and if occasional com- It appears to be a squabble ment seems a bit independent within the Brotherhood, of the situation may be there to railroad men against railroad another have been so numer-

If any service of any kind ineers, with very little on the special bond issue scheduled ed in the anywhere can compare in anywhere can compare in all about. It typifies the very erage given by a good local strata of human nature, con-paper we have yet to see it. The badget, in short, is for the cise need of this, the urgent need, is to provide for extra fire conjument and additional Stroke of the utimate It is called upon to oblige something or other. And yet fire equipment and additional growth for the coming year. first this person and then if one newspaper happens to police facilities to keep pace and Mrs. Therews. Please that, to soft-pedal this story look cross-eyed at another with the city's growth. It is needs of the police and fire department and the difficulties needs of the police and fire department and the difficulties needs of the police and fire department and the difficulties needs of the police and fire department and the difficulties needs of the police and fire department and the difficulties needs of the police and fire department and the difficulties needs of the police and fire department and the difficulties needs of the police and fire department and the difficulties needs of the police and the difficulties needs and to lambast that concern, newspaper, some people ob- entirely out of the question which the two departments have

want to score a bulls-eye. And so, without any particular justification we get the

Thursday, Dec. 2, 1926

Oil's Well on the Potomac!



VERY ESSENTIAL

Elections of one sort and

and dispositions with good But what we are aiming at without them, and as a matwe can make for 1927 the

Klamath has tributary to it 23

You will find Klamath Valley ospital amply provided with all

ansured for next year and the con-BUDGET ELECTION tinuation of city street improve-ment promised on a large scale, city FAVORED BY MAYOR

(Continued from Fage One) six percent limitation law.

to attempt another stretch been laboring for the past two years. Need of improvement of the city the city

BANK CLEARINGS

(Continued From Page One) lumber and potatoes, as well as ing business here during the past The fact that the tax paymonth. ing period this year came in Nov-ember is said to have also alded in boosting the enviable total.

of a neak November 15 are now on the decline and will probably con-tinue to drap off during the winter months, the average for 1926 will be far in encore of that for any pre-

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Decline of Silver Causes Panic in Mexican Industry

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News)-Silver, second national as-set of Mexico and the product that helped this country contribute to the power of ancient Spain, is suf-fering a decline which may bring

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 1.- (United

unemployment and a heavy loss of income to the nation. Depreciation of the value of this metal on the markets of the world has been followed by a decline in its value 19 points under the price paid for Mexican gold.

Heavy drops in the last few days have been predicted for some time by business men in touch with the situation. The prices of pra-tically all commodities have been affected by the slump.

For many years Mexico has been the principal producer of silver in the world, its output being 92,915, 168 ounces or about 40 per cent of the world's total in 1925.

Long before petroleum, now the chief product of Mexico had been dreamed of, Spanish galleons car-ried back to Spain from Nueva Hispana tons of silver, which enbled Spain for one century to main

tain supremacy as a coloniter. A decline of the silver arts, loss of markets for small metals for coinage, upheavals, and establish-ment of the gold standard in In-dia, have all sided in cutting the demand in countries where the Warkaw allow as once used or Mexican silver was once used extensively. Mining men are pessimistic, ab

though the covernment maintains il can bring the industry through the crisis. Meanwhile many mines are being closed. Mining companies say that the combination of pro-hibitive freight rates, excessive taxbeing ation on production and export, serious labor problems and restric-tive regulations of new mining laws all serve to bring the cost of production far above the selling price

Real del Monte, one of the far ger mines which is owned by the United States Smelting, Refining and Mining company, is the only one which can continue to operate some business men maintain.

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renewal of general activity next apring. MRS, THERESA PLEAS NAMED SPRAGUE RIVER POSTMASTER

SHOWING INCREASE

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ceeding year in the history of the city, local financiors stated. With additional heavy building

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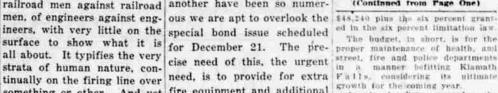
Prices of Overcoats from

\$25.00 to \$45.00

\$28.00 to

KLAMATH

Population 11,500. Altiude 4,000 feet. Monthly payroll of \$1,000,000. Several standard rigs boring for



will make of Klamath a to live for, it makes us stop modern facilities for the restoratotally different city. And in for a minute to readjust one's tion of health. view of all that faces us in new railroads, new industries, and new prosperity, it comes not a minute too soon.

quick get-away when the enthusiasm that is brimming rail. this winter will make for a ping into the future with an spring rush comes. Careful over, when all the time one preparation is half the battle. never really knows, and the nually in Klamath county is \$1,500.000, while the lamb and wool crop brings in excess of any answer is never exactly cermunicipal achievement is the tain. It is possible we are solution to band annually, while poultry handled annually, while poultry team-work we are growing dreaming too much of materinto, and the new spirit of ial values. An occasional year. commaraderie that keeps shock may wake us up to cer-

quick step with the proces. tainties and realities, and sion, with no single break in bring us individually to closer communion with the church. the ranks.

and new prosperity, it comes not a minute too soon. Getting our lines well-laid and thoroughly coordinated spring may develop, and dip-tion into the future with an The value of beef handled annually in Klamath county is \$1,500,products are valued at \$125,000 a YAKIMA POTATO TESTS GIVE WONDERFUL YIELD

YAKIMA, Dec. 1.—Trial plots of different strains of Netted Gem po-If that be done the lesson of tatoes are being tested here for a The 54 Southern Pacific fa-milles already here will be and the more it is done the tree years. Yields of plots of three milies already here will be very largely added to when things get properly organized. Eugene has 556 employees, and the contribution of the railroad to the population of that city is figured at over two thousand. tenths acre each were weighed and



