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**INDUSTRIOUS**

The dominant note of Klamath is industry. Everybody works or almost everybody. Occasionally we run across individuals who belong in darkest Africa, where strong men sit around and let women do all the chores. The Christmas idea has done this much for the world, emancipated women and put them on a level with men.

And because Klamath is industrious, its people have money to spend for Christmas. That is if the hobgoblins of gambling don't get them first. The carnival of Saturday shopping was a revelation for a town of this size, and will keep up all this week.

This thinking and planning for others is good for all of us, and the joy of having a bank account to draw from comes of first being industrious and saving.

**OPPORTUNITY**

A small item on the Want page announces this morning the offer of a hundred hens. On the surface it looks pretty small for us to be bothering with, but someone will take that poultry flock and make it the nucleus of a poultry business. And in proportion as one succeeds others will follow, which is the way countryside industries develop.

It is worth noting that eggs and chickens are being brought in here from the outside, some shipments from as far away as Medford and Grants Pass. That, of course, ought not to be. We need to tap first our own resources, and to begin doing it this very week. These things have to be thought out in advance and arranged for ahead of time. And if some family with a bit of ground wants to make itself a real Christmas present, that flock of a hundred hens could eventuate into genuine good fortune, and the promise of independence in the years to come.

**INDIVIDUALITY**

The happiest expressions of Christmas sentiment are those that embody some part of your personality. A lady with a fine taste for art sends out something she has worked on herself, and the very soul of thoughtfulness goes with it. We know of one enthusiastic sportsman who features a photo of his hunting family and dogs for the season's best compliments, and somehow it is always welcome. The mere spending of money does not make Christmas. It is yourself.

**KLAMATH COUNTY WILL ASK OILING**

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outlined and perfected for the coming year by the commission:

Oiling from Keno to Jackson county line, and recommend that Jackson county oil from Jackson-Klamath line to Pacific highway.

Oiling from Algoma Point, to Deschutes county line on The Dalles-California highway, and complete oiling of that project north.

Resurfacing a 12-mile stretch between Klamath Falls and Merrill that has virtually been destroyed by heavy traffic and storms during the past season.

Close inspection of Klamath Falls-Lakeview highway between Klamath Falls and Dairy to determine whether or not that road should be oiled before it is resurfaced.

It is the opinion of the delegation, that such facts and figures can be presented, that the state highway commission will see the economy in carrying out such a program and oil before it is necessary to resurface entirely after the coming tourist season.

**AMPHIBIAN PLANES READY FOR TAKE-OFF**

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will be retraced to Colon, where it will follow the west coast of South America to Valdivia, Chile, where the flyers will turn due east and across the continent to Bahia Blanca, Argentina, thence up the eastern coast to Buenos Aires.

Here the flyers will go up the Parana river 700 miles to Asuncion, capital of Paraguay.

Doubling back by the same route to Montevideo, Uruguay, the planes will follow the coast line northward, visiting Brazil, the Guinea, and Trinidad. At Trinidad, the route leaves the mainland and the flyers will make a series of hops through the West Indies, visiting Porto Rico, Dominican republic, Haiti and Cuba, thence to Miami, Fla.

The official ending of the flight is provided for Miami, but the planes probably will continue on to Washington.

**AMBASSADOR'S DAUGHTER DIES AT BUENOS AIRES**

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 20, (U.N.)—Emily Jay, 15 year old daughter of Peter Jay, United States ambassador to Argentina, died today from a complication which followed an operation for appendicitis.

She was born while her father was serving as consul general in Cairo, Egypt.

LITHUANIA IS OVERTHROWN KOVNO, Lithuania, Dec. 20.—(U.N.)—Anastanas Smetona, disciple of the teachings of Premier Mussolini of Italy, has established a dictatorship in Lithuania on the grounds that the Stolicus government which he overthrew was "betraying the country to Russia."

**Idaho Potato Man Visits This City**

Interested in potato production of Klamath county, of which the northwest has heard much since late summer, J. E. McDowell, one of the largest potato producers and influential farmers of the Idaho country, arrived in Klamath Falls yesterday from St. Anthony.

McDowell spent some time with Klamath potato growers and land owners investigating the condition of the soil and obtaining facts and figures of Klamath's production with a view of putting in a crop for the coming year.

If McDowell plants an acreage for the next season, Klamath ranchers are of the opinion that it will lead other Idaho potato growers into the Klamath country seeking to obtain acreage of fertile soil, now under irrigation, for the production of the tubers.

**LA GRANDE SELECTED FOR NEW NORMAL SCHOOL**

SALEM, Dec. 20, (U.N.)—La Grande was selected as the location for the new normal school of eastern Oregon at a meeting of the normal school board of regents here this afternoon.

The vote was very close with La Grande and Pendleton being the only contenders before the final ballot. The vote was five for La Grande and four for Pendleton.

Members of the board who voted for La Grande are: Governor Pierce, E. E. Briggs, F. J. Miller, R. R. Turner, and J. H. Miller.

For those who are interested in something unusual for Xmas Gifts see our exclusive display of genuine Navajo Indian Rugs, Beaded Baskets, and other beautiful articles, never before shown in this city. KLAMATH HOME SUPPLY CO., 1011 Main St.

**Pine Tree Offers Vaudeville Stunts**

A selected gathering of sparkling novelties, high-powered jollity and humor, with many clever bits of song, dance and gymnastics will be presented for your pleasure at the Pine Tree theatre tonight and tomorrow.

This extraordinary bill is headed by "Novelties of 1926," or rather, "A Jazzology Surprise," a well-constructed offering of music, singing and dancing, presented by four versatile artists. There are clever and entertaining specialties and a well arranged repertoires of song, dance and instrumental numbers, with a dash of pep and novelty that adds zest to the number.

Mills and Peters have a comedy vehicle entitled "Cedarville Slickers," which embraces a clever line of chatter together with some excellent musical and dancing numbers. They are exceptionally original and versatile and their present offering is a splendid laugh-gatherer.

Elliot and LaRue are an exceptional comedy couple, presenting "Walks, Talks, and Squawks," a skit full of nonsense and fun, interspersed with a few catchy songs. Georgia Chartres is a whistler and singer who is exceedingly clever and has a thorough knowledge of how to put her songs and chatter over to the complete satisfaction of her audience.

Max Freehand Duo is an "European Novelty Surprise," of new and astonishing feats of gymnastics. This duo is well-known in the acrobatic field for their spectacular ability. They will keep their audience in breathless amazement.

Our one-half price sale will continue until the end of the year. We will be out of business then, until our new store is re-modeled, about January 15th. Gertrude's, 527 Main St.

**FAILURE OF BANK BLIGHTS CHRISTMAS**

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imported from Chicago and Omaha banks during Sunday.

Inability to realize on real estate loans made over a period of several years was given as the reason for the failure by officials.

Pretty bright spring dresses for sale for \$14.95. In today, at Bee Begin's Store, 119 So. 7th St.

**BENEFIT SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION**  
 "Tomorrow is another day." Yes, but will it pay you interest on your investment of today?  
**MAKE IT CERTAIN**  
 20c Saved Daily Will Return to You ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS IN 120 MONTHS  
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**NOTICE**

The following plants will dry clean children's garments at a cost of 50 cents—suit, coat or dress, up to 12 years of age.

- KLAMATH CLEANING & DYE WORKS
- ACME CLEANERS
- PELITORIUM
- KAPITAL KLEANERS
- SIXTH STREET CLEANERS

**National Association of Dyers and Cleaners of United States and Canada**

Washington, D. C.

To Patrons of Drycleaning, Greetings:

It is a custom within our industry to observe the week between Christmas and New Year's as National Week for Cleaning School Children's Garments, for the purpose of sending a million children back to school in fresh, drycleaned (germ-free) clothing.

To better serve the convenience of American households where school children live, drycleaning plants will give particular attention the week of December 27th to refreshing children's clothing, because the holidays make it possible to send school apparel for drycleaning while children play inside with Christmas toys.

Cleanliness in all of its practices produces splendid habits for clean living. Are you teaching this vital lesson early to school children

Cordially,

(Signed) H. Arthur Heinze,

President.

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**Houston & Jester**

**Christmas Slippers for the Family**



Never before have we shown a better selection, suitable for the whole family than we are showing this Christmas in either felts or leather, made by Daniel Green. There are none better.

**For Mother**

**Satin Deorsa** by Daniel Green. Made up in black or pink with satin linings and neatly trimmed at \$5.00.

**Soft Solid Satins** with soft heel, in black or salmon pink with satin, buy at \$2.75 and \$3.00.

**Comfy Toes**—A new black kid comfort slipper, soft heel and steel arch, which makes this slipper ever lasting, at \$3.50.

**Pullman Slippers**—For the lady who travels. An ideal gift, made in pink satin or black kid leather, with convenient leather case \$5.00.

**Fancy Felt Slippers** in wide range of colors, neatly trimmed, at \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00.

**For Father or Sweetheart**

**Pullman Slippers**—An ideal gift. Shown only in black kid with convenient case. These are always acceptable at \$5.00.

**Felt Slippers**—For those who want something more warm. Shown in brown, grey, blue and tan at \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50.

**For the Little Tots**

**Bunny Slippers**—Made of heavy sheep skin with fancy decoration on vamp, very warm and comfortable at \$1.95, \$2.00.

**Red Novelty Slippers** with fancy eye decorations, soft soles, including a cloth case at \$2.00, \$2.50.

**MEN!** Let us suggest Luxite Silk Hosiery for her gift. All silk full fashioned chiffon or service in eight shades, at \$1.95 per pair, boxes free.

**Houston & Jester**