

# Industrial Review of State

Salem, Ore., June 22. The announcement is made that by an agreement between the department of Economics of the State University and the Central Labor Council, a campaign will be taken up to solve the problems of unemployment.

Bandon fire losses amounting to \$200,000 are to be rebuilt.

The Oregon Public Utilities commission authorizes increased telephone rates at Newberg, and in the Eugene electric power case, sustains the contention of the Oregon Power Company.

The manufacture of logan berry juice and sawdust briquets are new industries being considered in various parts of the state.

Hood River county will vote on a \$75,000 bond issue for the Columbia Highway.

Labor Commissioner Hoff had a meeting of officials of labor boards at Portland to consider needed labor legislation.

Break laws have had the same effect in Wisconsin as Oregon. In both states taxes have doubled. Wisconsin went up from \$2,566,711 in 1913 to \$7,665,318 in 1914. For many years they had no state levy.

Hop growers met at Aurora and protested against putting up their industry with annual product of \$6,000,000 on a popular vote.

Portland millers are to be allowed to bid for army supplies.

Sellwood is to have the first wing of a large hospital built.

Mercy hospital, Eugene, will build a \$15,000 training school.

Clackamas county will establish a sand and gravel plant at New Era. Maupin is to have a new \$15,000 bank building.

The Langreel, Baker county, sawmill will be located on Burnt river.

The State Grange bulletin says not one person in a hundred will pay anything but a land tax if the \$1500 exemption passes.

Albany will have a \$50,000 school erected this year.

Eugene is laying 21,500 feet of water main extensions.

Charles Bordeaux of the American Brewing Co. of Baker has been looking up a location at Fort George, B. C.

Marshfield voted \$15,000 for a high school gymnasium.

The Oregon Power Co. has 100 men at work extending its intake for the Springfield water supply.

Cannery, cannery, is the cry of the Albany business men.

The Portland Central Labor Council is agitating an initiative bill to annul the franchises of the Portland Gas and Coke company which the legislature refused to repeal.

Milwaukie will get a one dollar gas rate from the Portland Gas Co.

Independent bar pilots have reduced rates from \$1.50 to \$1.00 per foot draft for vessels.

Dallas voted fair grounds and septic tank bonds.

Force of laborers doubled on the Hill terminals at Flavel.

Lane county hop crop this year will be \$350,000.

Albany loganberries drier handled \$600 pounds a day.

Eola will have a \$5000 church.

The 1914 wool crop brought Oregon \$2,080,000.

Mrs. Hogue will build a \$200,000 hotel at Eleventh and Washington streets, Portland.

It is claimed that the \$1500 tax exemption for "every person" would allow whole families to take out \$1500 apiece and virtually establish the single land tax in Oregon.

Cottages Grove has lowered its school tax 5 1/2 mills.

By a vote of 12 to 1 Portland voters defeated free textbooks. The industry of state published textbooks is to be established next year.

The new quarter of a million feet a day electric sawmill of the Booth-Kelly Co. at Springfield was given a trial the past week.

Under the head of a state industrial survey the water power on the Rogue river is to be investigated with a view to putting the state into the business of generating electric power.

Astoria is to have the most powerful wireless telegraph station.

A franchise has been granted the Pacific Power & Light Co. to build 4 miles of street car lines in Clatsop county running from Astoria.

Porter Bros. expect to add 800 men to their force on the Tillamook lake section of the Willamette Pacific, south of Florence.

Portland municipal dock No. 1 will be enlarged to hold two large ships at the same time.

The Socialist party is initiating a bill to tax estates and create a fund

for the unemployed, to be administered by the State Labor Commissioner, authorized to build railroads and public parks of all kinds.

## ABUSE OF DIRECT LEGISLATIVE SYSTEM

The voters of Oregon will pass on 24 amendments to the constitution and 13 bills at the November election.

More are being incubated and there will probably be forty statewide propositions and perhaps twice as many local municipal measures.

Many of these bills if not all will impose new burdens on the people, invent new taxes, create new boards and offices. Here are some of them:

To grant to "every person" a \$1500 exemption on assessed valuation. Household goods are already exempt.

Two tax amendments to allow taxation of incomes, "proportional, graduated or progressive taxation," whatever that may be.

A sur-tax amendment of 50c per \$100 on all above \$25,000, and graduated to \$3 per \$100 on all above \$100,000.

A tax on all land not public property. This would tax churches, colleges not owned by the state, and is in line with single tax ideas.

To create the office of Lieutenant Governor to be president of the Senate and get \$10 a day when Legislature sits.

To abolish the senate.

To abolish the death penalty as a punishment for capital crimes.

To prohibit manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors except for medicinal purposes, or for scientific, sacramental or mechanical purpose.

To increase salary of members of the legislature to \$5 per day and mileage to 10 cents.

To authorize state bonds for construction of irrigation and water power projects by the state to amount of 2 per cent of state valuation.

To prohibit paid circulation of initiative and referendum petitions.

For non-partisan judiciary on petition of one per cent of the voters.

Proportional representation by Grange, Peoples Power League and Federation of Labor.

To authorize the Governor to remove from office county officials who fail to co-operate with him in enforcement of laws, and appoint others in their place.

To revoke franchises of Portland Gas & Coke Co., by Portland Central Labor Council.

To take over channels of rivers and authorize leasing same to cities, and construction of public docks.

For eight hour day and ventilation of room for women workers.

Stringent Sunday law against all places of amusement for gain, by Washington County Christian Endeavor Union.

Universal eight hour day in factory or farm.

Special tax for employment of unemployed laborers.

Change election law requiring only fifteen days residence in precinct and 30 days in the state.

Registration certificate to vote any where in the state.

## PETERSON-SMITH

At 6:30 o'clock on Wednesday, June 17th at the home of the brides parents Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Vernonia, occurred the marriage of Edlin O. Peterson, popular known up-to-date farmer of Mist and Gladys E. Smith.

Rev. C. Conklyn, pastor of the Evangelical Church of Vernonia, spoke the few words that make two hearts beat as one.

The bride was charmingly gowned in a blue traveling suit.

A delightful wedding breakfast was served, after which the happy couple departed on their honeymoon to seaside where they will stay until Saturday, then returning to their home near Mist.

The guests besides the family were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shoeley, Lester, Omar, Glenn and Weston.

Miss Smith has been a resident of Vernonia all her life and has won for herself many friends during that time, the last two years she has spent in teaching school.

Conratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life will be extended in which the Mist is glad to join.

## LEAGUE TO BACK OREGON INDUSTRIES

Portland, Ore., June 23 (Special)

A new organization, The Oregon Industry League, has recently been formed in Portland, the object of which is to conduct an educational campaign for the extension of the use of Oregon-made goods of all kinds, for the encouragement of all lines of industry in this state and for the

moral and financial backing of all Oregon institutions. L. Samuel, for many years prominent as a leader on the movement for the support of Oregon industries, has been elected president of the organization.

The campaign will be carried on through publications in the state, and the league may in time establish an official publication of its own. Meetings of all kinds, where the league can properly send its speakers will be covered and all large conventions in the state will be attended by its delegates. Twenty one leading civic and commercial organizations of the city and state sent delegates to assist in the establishment of the new league and it is to bring to its assistance practically every organization of importance in the state.

A prominent feature of the Panama-Pacific Exposition will be an extensive Oregon out-of-doors life display to cost approximately \$10,000. An area 60 x 350 feet between the Oregon building and the bay shore has been secured by the Oregon Commission and contracts have been let for the initial work. This feature will be unique at the Exposition, nothing of the sort being attempted by any other state. One of the most interesting features will be a miniature reproduction of 200 miles of the Columbia River, showing fisheries, night signals, rapids and waterfalls. This realistic bit of scenery will extend approximately 60 feet. In addition, it is announced that a reservation of 7000 square feet has been made for Oregon in the palaces of horticulture, agriculture and food products.

Wm. Tallman, of Baker, president of the Cattle and Horse Breeder's Association of Oregon, has advised O. M. Plummer, manager of the Pacific Northwest Livestock Association, that an important meeting of his society will be held in Portland during the livestock show at the Union Stockyards next fall. Stock raisers from all over the Northwest will be expected to attend this convention.

One of the prominent features of the Salem Cherry Fair, to be held June 25-26-27, will be an electrical parade the last night of the show. There will probably be ten floats in line, all gorgeously decorated and illuminated. Another interesting feature will be a street dance led by

King Bing and Queen Ann and which will be participated in by the Chinese and the Royal Roumarians of Portland.

The Secretary of the Interior has designated a tract of 284,000 acres of land in Oregon for entry under the enlarged homestead law. Most of these lands lie in the Deschutes and John Day river basins.

The first freight vessel to be towed through the Panama Canal was the Grace liner Santa Clara, carrying a cargo of Pacific Coast products, 30 per cent of which was loaded at Portland, nearly all of which will be discharged at New York. The vessel is comparatively new, this being her third trip to the Pacific Coast.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

R. and S. Kappler to John Kappler land in 1-4-2.

Columbia County Bank to P. W. and C. C. Masten, L. 4-19, 3. 4. in St. Helens.

Col. Co. Investment Co to Gertrude White, 5 acres in L. 5 Beaver River.

E. S. Collins to Portland Transportation Co. land in Rainier.

Col. Co. Investment Co. to S. J. Champurey, part of tract 17 in Beaver Homes.

J. P. Raymond to John Jossel land in 5-6-2.

Chas Bergerson to Emma Bergerson, lots in Vernonia.

E. G. R. E. McPherson to E. G. McPherson Co., land in Rainier.

E. and G. W. Vogel to W. H. Howard Block 12 Dobbins ad. to Rainier.

W. E. Girt to M. A. Hutchison, land in 5-6-2.

M. N. Hutchison to Jesse Raymond, R. of W.

G. F. and M. J. Moeck to M. B. Moeck land in Rainier.

G. F. and M. J. Moeck to Gretchen Moeck L. 4-9 B 34 Moecks addition.

G. F. and M. J. Moeck to E. M. Moeck L. 1-2 B 40 Moecks Addition.

E. M. and J. G. and R. E. Watts & Price to Hugh Nolan land in 34-4-2.

P. M. Daly to F. A. Daly land in 11-5-5.

W. S. Hutchison to M. A. Hutchison land in 5-6-2.

C. R. and F. C. McCormick to N. O. Larabee L. 17 B 6 in South St. Helens.

Wm. O'Connell to Grace O'Connell land in 6-4-5.

A. A. King to W. C. Repass, land in 26-6-57.

K. Zimmerman to J. Zimmerman, land in 7-7-2.

L. and P. Felton to G. A. and M. L. Mace L. 6 B 42 in St. Helens.

## J. W. McDonald IN CONNECTION WITH St. Helens Mist Will Give the Following:

- 1 Krantz Piano, mahogany or oak finish.
- 1 Certificate of Credit for one Krantz Piano, when accompanied with the sum of ninety dollars.
- 1 Certificate, as described above, when accompanied with the sum of ninety-five dollars.
- 1 Certificate, as described above, when accompanied with the sum of one hundred dollars.
- 1 Certificate, as described above, when accompanied with the sum of one hundred and five dollars.
- 1 Certificate, as described above, when accompanied with the sum of one hundred and fifteen dollars.
- 1 Certificate, as described above, when accompanied with the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

All certificates good for one year from date, f. o. b. factory, and are transferable.

The above mentioned are the seven Grand Awards.

The goods listed below are weekly awards to be given the leaders of the campaign, as follows:

- 1 26 Piece Set Silverware.....3rd week
- 1 Mission Electric Lamp.....4th week
- 1 Condiment Set, Nickel Tray.....5th week
- 1 Nickel Casserole.....6th week
- 1 Nickel Plated Percolator.....7th week
- 2 Dozen Teaspoons.....8th week
- 1 Large Berry Spoon.....9th week
- 1 Gravy Ladle.....10th week
- 1 Cold Meat Fork.....11th week
- 1 Sugar Shell and Butter Knife.....12th week
- 1/2 Dozen Teaspoons to be given the leader of the following six weeks of the campaign.

The above silverware to be Wm. Rogers & Sons, Princeton Pattern.

## How to Get Votes

- 300 votes on each dollar paid on account.
- 100 votes on each cash purchase of \$1.00.
- 2000 votes on each five dollars merchandise due bill sold.
- 2000 votes on each New Subscription to the St. Helens Mist.
- 1000 votes on each Old Subscription to the St. Helens Mist.

Write in name you want to nominate, clip out and deposit in Ballot Box

## Nomination Coupon GOOD FOR 2000 VOTES

When used to nominate a new candidate. I. VOTE FOR

## Great Trade Boosting Campaign

Seven Grand Awards \$1,805 Worth of Piano Awards To the Seven Highest at the Close of the Campaign

## IT WILL COST YOU NOTHING



Piano on Exhibition at J. W. McDonald's Store.

HAVE THIS PIANO PUT IN YOUR PARLOR

## J. W. McDonald and St. Helens Mist

## Rules and Regulations

### RULES AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO THE NATIONAL SALES CO., TRADE CAMPAIGN PLAN

RULE 1. The merchants shall issue votes as per following schedule, excepting as hereafter may be mentioned.

- 100 for \$1.00 on cash sales.
- 200 for \$1.00 in merchandise paid with due bills.
- 300 for \$1.00 on payments of old accounts.
- 200 for \$1.00 on due bills paid.
- 200 for \$1.00 on bargain or clearance sales.

And votes will be given at the time sales are made only.

In reference to issuing votes on old accounts, they may be issued for the payment of old accounts, that were incurred prior to this date. Votes will not be given on new charge accounts unless this particular account is paid within thirty days, when votes may be issued if the merchant is willing and so orders.

RULE 2. Votes will be issued with a time limit of one week, and must be cast in ballot box, provided for that purpose before the expiration of the time limit. Before casting votes, make a record for your own guidance.

In order to facilitate voting you are requested to place your votes in an envelope and seal it. Please write the number of votes the envelope contains and the name of the candidate you desire to vote for on the outside.

RULE 3. Employees, clerks and relatives of the merchant and newspaper cannot participate as candidates.

RULE 4. Merchants shall in no instance issue votes until such votes have been properly stamped with their firm name. Customers should refuse them otherwise.

RULE 5. The collecting of votes in the merchant's stores, in front of store or on premises is PROHIBITED.

RULE 6. A vote that is scratched or marked in any manner after it leaves the merchant's hands, shall be thrown out, providing this defacing should appear that a figure has been tampered with.

RULE 7. Six weeks from the opening date, candidates will no longer be entered, unless by special arrangement with the merchant.

RULE 8. Everybody is invited to nominate candidates. All that is necessary is to send in the name of any young lady in the community. This will entitle her to 2000 nominating votes and she will be entered as a candidate.

RULE 9. Votes are not transferable after being cast.

RULE 10. Votes that are not properly stamped with the merchant's signature, or votes with time limit expired will not be accepted.

RULE 11. A committee selected by the merchants in the campaign will count the votes each week, beginning with the third week and report the results to the newspaper.