LAUNDY LOSES POINT; EVIDENCE ADMITTED

I. W. W. Testimony From Washington Upheld.

STATE WINS VICTORY

Judge Belt in Making Ruling Explains Aspects of Case to Be Considered.

The most important legal victory in the prosecution of Joe Laundy, I. W. W. organizer, under the criminal syndicalism act, was won by the state yesterday, when Circuit Judge Belt upheld the contention of District Attorney Evans that he had a right to bring into evidence testimony concerning activities of the Industrial Workers of the World in the state of Washington to aid in the proof of the general character of the organization in which Laundy was a member in Oregon.

"There are two aspects to be considered in this case," commented Judge Belt after listening for nearly two hours to arguments by Attorney George F. Vanderveer, District Attorney Evans and Deputy District Attorney Bernard.

Needed Proof Outlined.

"First, the state is required to show that Joseph Laundy became a member of, helped to organize or voluntarily assembled with the I. W. W. Second, the state must prove that the I. W. W. as an organization violates the criminal syndicalism act by advocating violence in effecting industrial or political ends. The acts of Joseph Laundy must have been in Multnomah county, state of Oregon, if he is to be prosecuted here. There is no question about that.

"The question of the character and nature of the organization is incidental to the trial of Laundy, but I do not believe that in determining these things the prosecution is bound to consider only such testimony concerning the I. W. W. as may be found within this state.

Illustration Is Given.

"To illustrate my position: If ten men combined to commit a crime, but half of them lived in Washington and the other half in Oregon and part of their acts were committed in each state, it is elemental that a conspirator could be charged in Oregon only for crimes committed within this state. But what took place in Washington in connection with this same conspiracy would be competent evidence.

"Therefore the motion of counsel for the defense to strike from the records all testimony and evidence concerning acts of the I. W. W. in the state of Washington will be denied and an exception allowed."

Though much literature was found in a raid on the local I. W. W. hall, the more inflammatory of the documents introduced in evidence were circulated by the organization in the state of Washington within the past year, according to the testimony of witnesses for the state. This refutes the contention of the defense that only mild, innocuous pamphlets have been distributed by the I. W. W. since 1917, none of which advocate sabotage or violence.

Police Sergeants Testify.

T. E. Mitchell and Alexander McDonald, police sergeants of Spokane, Wash., were witnesses called by the state yesterday to testify concerning recent I. W. W. activities in that city. John W. Greb, Spokane court reporter, told of a meeting of I. W. W. at which condemnation was expressed for members guilty of "jippoing," which he explained meant the speeding up of production and working long hours. William R. Bryon, special agent of the department of justice, told of the raid on the local hall and of taking an I. W. W. membership card from Laundy.

The prosecution expects to rest tomorrow morning. The trial opened last Tuesday, and is expected to continue another week.

APPEAL MADE TO LEGION

SUPPORT ASKED FOR HIGHER EDUCATION MILLAGE.

Service Men Declared Likely to Be Greatest Sufferers if Measure Is Not Adopted.

A strong plea for support from the rank and file of the American Legion in Oregon for the higher educational relief bill was made by William B. Follett, department commander, at a meeting of the state executive committee at the University club yesterday noon.

"Former service men will suffer inevitably next fall," said Mr. Follett, "if the University of Oregon and Oregon Agricultural college have to turn away 2000 or more students, as will be the case if the bill does not pass on May 21.

"There are now about 1500 former service men at the two institutions and next fall many more are expected. The number of full-time students at the two institutions is more than 5000 and in September will go up still higher.

"The university and agricultural college are equipped and financed, however, to train only a fraction of that number. Their attendance is two and one-half times as great as it was when the present millage support was passed in 1913, whereas their income from that millage has increased less than 4 per cent. Moreover, the rise in costs has reduced the buying power of their income to less than one-half what it was.

"I am hoping that the posts throughout the state will give a strong indorsement by formal resolution to this relief bill, which is known as the higher educational tax act and which provides 1.26 mills for the further support of the university, college and normal school. It means much to our comrades."

Rogers MacVeagh was named chairman of the Americanism committee of the Oregon department. He is to choose the committee members after consultation with Commander Follett. Mr. MacVeagh already is a member of the national committee on Americanism.

Commander Follett announced that he had written Representative Hawley, thanking him for his expression of support of the American Legion bill now before the ways and means committee, of which he is a member. This is the four-option adjustment of compensation bill.

Algeria has a river that literally is filled with ink, being formed by the union of streams, one of which is impregnated with gallic acid and the other with iron.

RAMESIS III, one of Egypt's great temple builders

MORE than 3000 years ago Ramesis III was laid to rest in his tomb at Deir-el-Bahri. It still stands.

But regal as it was, his mausoleum did not approach for beauty this modern home for those who sleep, that we have built above the river's shore. It, too, will defy centuries.

There are only two better ways—vault burial or cremation. Both are offered here.

Portland Crematorium
Incomparably the better way
East 14th & Byboe

VETERAN MANAGES CLUB

CANADIANS HAVE A. J. HALL, NEARLY 40 YEARS IN ARMY.

Mrs. Hall Assists Distinguished Soldier in Finding Places for Boys in Civilian Life.

With a record of nearly 40 years in the British service Alfred J. Hall, secretary-manager of the Canadian Veterans' association clubrooms in the Manchester building, has one of the most interesting military careers of any Portalnd resident. Hall, who first enlisted with "The Buffs" in 1882, has just taken charge of the Maple Leaf veterans' headquarters, where his wife, Mrs. Helen A. Hall, is also serving as matron.

In 1884 Hall went tto Malta with the 1st battalion of "The Buffs," to the Malay Peninsula at Singapore in 1885, Hongkong in 1886 and to India in 1887 for a long ten-year term. In the South African war Hall was wounded three times and wears the King and Queen's South African and long service ribbons.

During the late war he was a staff sergeant-major, Canadian army service corps, engaged as a drill master for three years. He had the unique experience of drilling 250 Japanese volunteers and also a company of Fiji Islanders. He has had a great deal of experience with veteran organizations and is a charter member of the Vancouver branch of the army and navy veterans.

Mr. Hall is anxious to get in touch with any Portland residents who are in sympathy with his work in again placing the soldiers in their civilian life positions and invites the co-operation of British or Americans who would like to assist in this work. Any man who has served under the British flag in any campaign is eligible to join the Portland association and others can join as associate members.

Mrs. Hall was one of the founders of the famous Kitchener league of Vancouver and is credited with knitting more than 300 pairs of socks for the boys at the front. She did steady work during the entire time of the war among the service boys and is doing her level best to make the Manchester building clubrooms attractive for the Canadians and their women friends. Regular weekly dances will be a feature of the social life of the club as soon as the Lenten season is over.

DIVIDED SESSION URGED

Topic Taken Up at Weekly Meeting of Oregon Civic League.

The question of a divided session of the state legislature, as was recently adopted in California and is being urged in some quarters for this state, was discussed at the regular weekly luncheon and meeting of the Oregon Civic league yesterday noon at the Benson hotel, a debate upon the subject being staged. David Morrison upheld the affirmative while D. C. Lewis took the negative.

Under the proposal the legislature would meet for a stipulated period for preparation and first passage of bills. Then a recess would take place, during which time, it is argued, the public would have an opportunity to study the measures. Then there would be a final short session in which bills would be voted upon, but no new matter could be taken up.

Following the debate, there was a general discussion. Milton A. Miller was also a speaker, his topic being, "By the Light of History, More Optimism Is Needed."

ESSAY PRIZES AWARDED

School Children Who Won in Army Contest Get Rewards.

Awards to winners in the army essay contest conducted among school children of the state were made yesterday by Mayor Baker in the council chambers at the city hall. The prizes consisted of trophies and medals.

Colonel G. W. S. Stevens, recruiting officer for the district, and Colonel William H. Brooks, who is on an inspection trip, spoke on the advantages and necessity for a standing army in the United States. Mayor Baker in a short talk congratulated the winners of the awards.

DISTINGUISHED SOLDIER AND WIFE WHO SUPERVISE CANADIAN VETERANS' CLUBHOUSE.

Alfred J. Hall — Mrs. Eva Hall
Bushnell Photos

It's Long Profits That Make High Prices

Take SHOES for Instance—

First there is the Leather Baron, who exacts his toll in liberal amounts. One leather concern alone, the Central Leather Company, earned (?) a profit exceeding $14,000,000 in 1919. Then comes the manufacturer and jobber with profits that were undreamed of a few years ago. And last, but not always least, the retailer comes in for his.

It's but a few years ago that Shoes sold on a margin of 75c to $2 a pair, the highest grades sold seldom showing a margin of over $2. But TODAY a margin of $3 to $8 is the rule. Of course, everybody realizes that on account of increased expenses it is necessary to charge higher prices than formerly. BUT — should they be so MUCH higher? We think NOT.

HERE'S THE TROUBLE

Owing to an almost never-changing basis of figuring profits in PERCENTAGE instead of DOLLARS, the margin increases in too great a ratio. For instance: Take a $5 Shoe in the old days selling at a profit of 40% showed a margin of $2. Today the same shoe selling at $15 on a 40% basis yields a profit of $6, to oil the way. The cost of doing business has not trebled, has it? NO!

WE'LL SHOW YOU THE WAY OUT

Tieburg Bros., operating a string of stores in California cities, will in a very short time open a large house in Portland. With an outlet for almost $1,500,000 worth of footwear annually, with an unsurpassed buying power, we can and DO sell shoes at very nearly the old-time margin of profit. We don't adhere to the 40% or 50% method of figuring. We'll tell you more about this method soon.

WE'LL SOON BE WITH YOU WE'RE GETTING READY

Watch for more. Watch the papers for our opening announcement.

WE'LL BE LOCATED AT COR. FOURTH AND ALDER

Tieburg's Shoe Service

San Francisco Oakland Portland

LUMBER DEMAND STRONG

ASSOCIATION REPORTS PRODUCTION STILL HEAVY.

Prospect for Better Car Service Encourages Millmen—Week's Output Near Normal.

Demand for lumber at the mills of western Oregon and western Washington continues strong and production remains at a high average, according to the weekly report of the West Coast Lumbermen's association. The certainty that the demand will continue, coupled with the prospect of better car service, has encouraged the mill men. The report continues:

"Production for the week ended March 20 reached the total of 89,702,784 feet at the 126 mills reporting to the association. This was only 1,490,216 feet or 1.63 per cent below normal.

"The comparative improvement in car supply also prompted the mills in accepting a greater proportion of the business offered them than has been their practice in the last few months, with the result that orders booked for the week at the 126 mills aggregated 77,736,393 feet.

"Total shipments for the week were 88,467,349 feet, of which 72,810,000 feet, or 2427 cars, moved by rail. The mills still have 11,217 cars of unfilled rail orders on their books.

"The mills accepted orders for 6,490,000 feet of export cargo business and shipped 6,003,500 feet. The export business is promising."

PORTLAND QUOTA RAISED

Campaign for Near East Relief Going Well in State.

Portland has raised its quota of $75,000 for near east relief, Samuel C. Lancaster, state chairman in the campaign of this cause, announced yesterday.

The campaign out in the state has been going well, said Mr. Lancaster, except that in some western and southern Oregon towns canvasses were hindered by epidemics. Strenuous work will be done now in such towns and communities to put them quickly over the top. Mr. Lancaster and Rev. J. J. Hansacker left last night for Coos county to help finish the campaign there.

Hood River holds highest honors among towns of the state, having raised $4600 when its quota was but $1600. Pendleton and Astoria are also making fine records with contributions.

ARLETA TO RAISE $30,000

Church Quota Set in Baptist New World Movement.

The Arleta Baptist church will raise $30,000 as its quota in the Baptist new world movement, according to a statement made yesterday by Rev. J. C. Austin, acting state promotion director, who made an address in Arleta Friday night before 250 people, outlining the campaign for $1,045,000 to be raised in Oregon.

C. C. Hessemer spoke on the financial responsibility of the church in this movement.

Mr. Austin outlined the work of the campaign, the intensive part of which opens April 25 and runs till May 2. Frank Whitman also spoke at Arleta on the objectives of the church in the work.

Paroled Offender Returns.

After being paroled from Fort Douglas, Utah, Andrew Arnold, who was interned February 2, 1918, yesterday reported at the United States district attorney's office. Hereafter he will be required to report regularly to the official. While working in a restaurant here in 1917 Arnold is alleged to have made disloyal remarks concerning the Red Cross.

STUDENTS ARE NUMEROUS

APPLICANTS FOR TRAINING MAY LACK ACCOMMODATIONS.

Classes Already Several Times Normal Size Because of Desire to Obtain Higher Education.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, March 27.—(Special.)—Many applications for entrance to the college next fall have already been received. Last fall more than 200 students could not find accommodations. Indications now point to the largest number of applicants for admission next September in the history of the institution. Whether or not they can be cared for is up to the people to decide at the election May 21.

Numerous applications have been received from new students for the spring term, beginning March 29. Practically no students have indicated that they would not return for the third term. Classes which were several times the normal size—200 or 300 in some instances—will be even larger this spring.

One person out of every 150 attends the State Agricultural college or the State university. In all, 3378 attend the college and 1745 attend the university, making a total of 5123.

Vichere Ordered Held.

For alleged violation of the national prohibition act Angelo Vichere was yesterday ordered held for the federal court by United States Commissioner Drake. He was arrested March 17.

Phone your want ads to The Oregonian. Main 7070, A 6095.

POSLAM WANTS TO HELP YOUR BROKEN-OUT SKIN

When any itching skin disease affects or when any slight eruptional spot begins to itch and burn, apply Poslam. You may be confident that the trouble is having the right treatment, for you have called to your aid a healing power highly concentrated, active and persistent. Itching stops and the skin feels immeasurably grateful. In the treatment of virulent eczema, acne, pimples and all surface affections, Poslam's results are quickly felt and seen.

Sold everywhere. For free sample write to Emergency Laboratories, 243 West Forty-seventh street, New York City.

Poslam Soap, medicated with Poslam, should be used if skin is tender and sensitive.—Adv.

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WEAK?

Thousands of Men and Women Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalency of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are among the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patients, **who usually content themselves with doctoring the effects,** while the **original disease** constantly undermines the system.

Weak kidneys may **cause** lumbago, rheumatism, catarrh of the bladder, pain or dull ache in the back, joints or muscles, at times have headache or indigestion, as time passes you may have a sallow complexion, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, sometimes feel as though you had heart trouble, may have plenty of ambition but no strength, get weak and lose flesh.

If such conditions are permitted to continue, serious **results** are sure to follow; Kidney Trouble in its very worst form may steal upon you.

If you feel that your kidneys are the cause of your sickness or run-down condition, begin taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the famous kidney, liver and bladder medicine, because as soon as your kidneys are well, they will help the other organs to health.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular medium and large size bottles at all drug stores. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., which you will find on every bottle.

SPECIAL NOTE—You may obtain a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. They will also send you a book of valuable information, containing many of the thousands of grateful letters received from men and women who say they found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample size bottle. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Be sure to say you read this offer in The Portland Sunday Oregonian.—Adv.