Radio

This is a radio campaign. The election will be carried by the "listeners in" of this country. Along the streets of the main cities every radio shop has its ground. Everybody and his brother is speculating on current of the political situation. Every broadcast station has its speakers, assigned by the bureaus of the various parties. Orations as all shout and to the point, "fireside" speeches are most popular. Tom Lonergan addresses are the rule. Secretary of War Weeks told his story in seventeen minutes and it was a most remarkable one. Lenroot, junior Senator Reed of Missouri and others addressed the hour of the nation in seven minutes. Short addresses rule the radio waves.

The old order is changing, and if any one doubts this fact should consider the case of Jerry Sullivan of West Thirtieth St., New York City. Now Jerry is a radio fan. He has made with his own hands, every kind of a "gizmo" or "flex" that the radio bug could conjure up and put this diverse form for newspaper consumption. Jerry came home the other night and found his wife, Anna, playing the old family phonograph — and there was over 80 many good things "on the air" at that very minute. The old phonograph was singing its swan song. It was the dying gurgle of the scared cootie boy. It was the unannounced abolish of the will were done. Jerry told his "missus" that he could not stand for anything as out of date as a phonograph in his home and straightway he threw the machine and a large stock of wild records out of the window, where they dropped six stories to the paved street. Magistrate McAndrew, of the night court, also a radio fan, listened to the thrilling narrative. "You should have carried the phonograph down stairs," said the judge, "and put it in the ash can." Jerry cleared his throat and began telling the judge how easy his new machine brought in "KFP" and other distant points and the judge said: "Jerry, you go near home and tune in on the coast and if it is clear reception there will be no fine—I'll be over as soon as court adjourns." Radio makes kin brothers under the skin.

Broadcasting station W. A. H. G., operated by A. H. Grebe and Company, Inc., at Richmond Hill, Long Island, is stepping out. A remote control from this station covers the Claremont Rink, Brooklyn, where General Dawes and other eminent Republicans are holding rallies. Another extension of W. A. H. G. is located in the Brooklyn Eagle building and here H. R. Kaltenborn gives his weekly review of current events with a musical program fore and aft. The third remote control is located at 2 West 45th street, New York City, where the National Republican headquarters, where the partisans of Coolidge and Dawes "take the air" daily from 12 to 1:30, and from 5 to 6 and every week day night save Tuesday, the Brooklyn Eagle's night. Ethel Barrymore, John Drew, Amelia Bingham, Al Jolson, Elsie Ferguson, Mary Mellitech and many other stars of the stage appear before the "mike" daily. Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, Secretary of War Weeks, United States Senator George Wharton Pepper of Pennsylvania; Theodore Roosevelt and others equally prominent in the political world have spoken from the newly extension of the Grebe broadcaster. All speakers know they are limited to ten minutes and Mr. Grebe gets some of the political stars to get their message over in less time. One memorable instance was Senator David Reed of Pennsylvania. The Keystone Senator gave a talk to fame. His polka dress rippled and had ruffles in it and yet it lasted but seven minutes. Needless to say that short address pulled hearts to it—applause cards and letters.

P. Gregory Hartwick, author of several cross-word puzzle books and conducting a radio contest at W. A. H. G., Mr. Gregory says this is the first cross word puzzle contest in the air ever held. There are fourteen prizes, the first a silver loving cup and ranging to the eighth prize which gives the eighth prize. The definitions are read over W. A. H. G. at 10:30 p. m. The prizes will be awarded on November 9. The prizes will be awarded on November 15. Since then many thousands of puzzle patterns have been sent to Long Islands only radio broadcasting station.

Umatilla Bridges Bonded.

PENDLETON, Oct. 31.—The bonds for Umatilla county's bridges completed in 1925 now there will be $215,417.75 for county purposes only. An item was added to provide for county bridges. Appointive members of committee were S. E. Thompson of Pendleton and J. P. Boyer of Pilot Rock. They are served with the county court.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Sheriff of Union County, Oregon, by virtue of a Writ of Execution, Judgment and Decree and Order of Sale, duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Union, bearing date of October 4th, A. D. 1924, and to me directed and delivered upon a Judgment, Decree and Order of Sale duly entered in said Court in the suit wherein Western Loan & Building Co., a corporation, was plaintiff, and Mary T. Norris and Edward Norris, her husband, were defendants, in which Judgment, Decree and Order of Sale it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said Western Loan & Building Co., a corporation, plaintiff, recover of and from the said Mary T. Norris and Edward Norris, her husband, both jointly and severally, the sum of $1,000.00, together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from and after May 16, 1923, and for the further sum of $125.00 as a reasonable attorney's fee herein, and for plaintiff's costs and disbursements incurred in this suit and taxed at $37.00, and for accruing costs, and in which said decree I am commanded to make sale of the hereinafter described real property, heretofore mortgaged, to satisfy said Judgment, decree, interest, attorney's fees, costs and disbursements, including accruing costs.

Now therefore, by virtue of said Writ and in obedience to its commands, I will on Tuesday, the 15th day of November, 1924, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day at the front door of the County Court House, in the City of La Grande, in Union County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, subject to the statutory rights of redemption, all the right, title and interest of said above named defendants or either of them in and to Lots Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), and Six (6) of Block Seven (7) in Arnold's Addition to the town of La Grande, Union County, Oregon.

Dated at La Grande, Union County, Oregon, this the 15th day of October, 1924.

Date of first publication 10-18-24.
Date of last publication 11-15-24.

LEE WARNICK,
Sheriff of Union County, Oregon.
Oct. 18-25-Nov 1-8-15

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County.

Mary E. Fraker, Plaintiff.
vs.
Edward W. Birchfield and Bertha Birchfield, his wife; T. A. Rinehart, administrator of the estate of H. J. Rinehart, deceased; Frank L. Baker, and Julius Hesch, Defendants.

To Edward W. Birchfield, defendant in the above suit.

In the Name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the Complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before six full weeks after the first publication of this notice against you and if you fail so to answer and appear, for want thereof the plaintiff will pray the Court for judgment against you and the other defendants as follows:

For judgment and decree of the Court against the defendants Edward W. Birchfield and Bertha Birchfield, his wife, and each of them both jointly and severally, for the sum of $500.00, together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from and after the 10th day of December, 1923; for the further sum of $40.00, together with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from and after the 10th day of December, 1923; and for the further sum of $75.00 as a reasonable attorney's fee herein, and for plaintiff's costs and disbursements incurred in this suit.

That the sums of money above set forth be decreed to be a good, valid and subsisting lien upon the premises described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered Five (5) and Twelve (12) in Section Fifteen (15) in Township Two (2) North of Range Forty (40) East of Willamette Meridian.

That the said mortgage be decreed to be prior in time and superior in right to any right, title or interest, claim or lien, which the said defendants or any of them, may have or claim to have in, to or upon the said premises or any part thereof.

That the said mortgage be foreclosed and that the said defendants and each and all of them, be barred of all right, title, interest, claim or lien, in and to the said property or any part thereof, and of all equity of redemption, save only the statutory right of redemption.

That the said premises hereinbefore described, together with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging, or appertaining, be sold under such foreclosure, under order of this Court in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon and the practice of this court in such cases; that the sheriff at the time of such sale put the purchaser into possession thereof; that the sheriff be directed to execute and deliver to said purchaser at the time of such sale, a certificate of sale to said property so sold and a sheriff's deed to same at the expiration of the time allowed by law, for the redemption of real property, if no redemption be had.

That the money arising from such sale, be applied to the payment of the judgment of the plaintiff herein, attorney's fees and sums found due said plaintiff, and the remainder, if any there be, paid over as by law directed.

That the plaintiff have judgment and decree against the defendants Edward W. Birchfield and Bertha Birchfield, his wife, and each of them both jointly and severally, for any deficiency that may arise on account of the selling of said property under this foreclosure, under the judgment herein; that the plaintiff have such other and further relief as to the Court may seem meet and equitable in the premises.

This Summons is published against you by virtue of an order made and entered by the Hon. J. W. Knowles, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County, on the 1st day of October, 1924, which order directed the service of this summons upon you by publication thereof in the La Grande Evening Observer to be published therein for six consecutive weeks and for seven publications thereof, and requiring you to so appear and answer herein within six full weeks after the date of the first publication thereof against you.

Date of first publication Saturday, October 4th, 1924.

Date of last publication, Saturday, Nov. 15th, 1924.

H. E. DIXON,
Attorney for Plaintiff
Residing at La Grande, Ore.
Oct. 4-11-18-25-Nov. 1-8-15

WOULD we stand for a law that kept 3000 families out of Oregon?

Of course we wouldn't! So it's up to us to vote the antagonistic Income Tax Law out of existence! *For it has already lost for Oregon payrolls amounting to more than six million dollars* ($6,000,000) *a year!* And six million dollars means at least 3000 families who are lost to Oregon's population in just one year under this dangerous law.

Oregon needs *Jobs* and *Markets*

The Income Tax kills both!
Vote 312X YES and kill the Income Tax!

If there are two things Oregon needs above all others it is (1) jobs for her workers, and (2) markets for her products. Every new enterprise or industry brought into Oregon means more jobs. Jobs support population. Every increase in population means a better market for farm and factory products.

Yet the income tax law antagonizes industries and enterprises. Many authentic cases are on file where industries MOVED OUT OF OREGON OR DECIDED NOT TO COME TO OREGON because of the income tax law. Counting loss of capital invested, purchases and payroll, this loss is already conservatively estimated at more than $40,000,000. The payroll loss alone is already over $6,000,000 a year!

59 Industries lost to Oregon in a single year—*others threatened*

These figures show the appalling effect of this unwise tax law which antagonizes industries on which a large part of our growth and prosperity depend.

Recorded Damage Due to State Income Tax

8	Timber purchases cancelled or suspended	$18,000,000	
11	Construction of lumber mills, towns, logging camps and logging railways abandoned or suspended	7,875,000	
32	Other industrial investments cancelled or suspended	4,578,000	
	One year's operating payroll on foregoing items	5,680,000	
5	Disincorporations, $4,606,500 capital. Damage listed 1/10 only	460,500	
19	Actual removals from the state, including loss of only one year's payroll	2,440,210	
22	Threatened removals, including loss of only one year's payroll	2,218,500	
31	Cases as to which definite amounts are not available, but which would amount to many millions; damage listed as	0	
34	Cases still under investigation; would amount to many millions; damage listed as	0	
21	Cases in which reported removal or investment elsewhere was stated to have been caused by the income tax but which cannot be verified in writing; damage listed as	0	
	Total Recorded Damage	**$41,252,350**	

These figures certified conservative and correct by: FRANK E. ANDREWS, CHARLES H. STEWART, BEN SELLING, CHRISS A. BELL, J. K. GILL.

The customer who quits and says nothing—

The insidious thing about this law is that industries do not complain—they simply pack up and move to another state! They are like the customer who quits and says nothing—you never know he is dissatisfied nor why—hence have no chance to make matters right with him. Many large concerns who left or stayed out of Oregon on account of the income tax refused to allow us to use their names because they did not want to be made to appear as tax dodgers—and yet they could not afford to carry a tax burden in Oregon which they did not need to pay in California or Washington! There is an old adage which says, "Business is sensitive. It goes only where it is invited and stays only where it is well treated." We cannot afford to ANTAGONIZE enterprises which other states are INVITING!

This insidious law *must go*— It is hurting Oregon!

Read these extracts from letters. The originals and hundreds more like them are on file. Then go to the polls November 4th and rid Oregon of this objectionable law which is keeping millions of dollars and thousands of people away from our state.

* * * we had planned to establish our Northwest headquarters in Portland. We changed our plans, and are locating in Seattle because of the adverse Oregon Tax Law.
THE BOYLE-DAYTON CO., Los Angeles.

Had we known the Oregon Income Tax Law would have existed, we certainly would have bought timber in Washington or British Columbia, rather than in Oregon.
CENTRAL COAL & COKE CO., Kansas City.
Owners of Vernonia, Ore., development.

We had planned on erecting a sawmill at a cost of approximately $100,000 and four miles of logging railroad. This would increase our logging facilities which would amount to an expenditure of about $150,000 additional.
THE GLENDALE LUMBER CO.,
Glendale, Oregon.

On receipt of a draft of the state income tax law at our New York headquarters, instructions were sent to close the Pacific Coast branch at Portland, February 1, 1924.
LEWIS-MEARS CO., New York.

We would not consider any further expansion as long as there is a state income tax in Oregon.
EARLES-LINDSLEY MFG. CO., Portland, Ore.

We had completed plans and specifications for a building to be used as a warehouse and offices for a large corporation with headquarters in California, but these plans fell through when they learned of the state income tax measure. Will do nothing further in this matter until the income tax measure is settled.
HOLMAN TRANSFER CO., Portland, Oregon.

Will reduce our operations in Oregon and possibly go to Vancouver, Washington.
COAST CULVERT & FLUME CO., Portland, Ore.

When the State of Oregon passed the state income tax law, then we believed it best to reincorporate the company in California, which was done.
BENSON LUMBER CO., San Diego, Cal.

* * * we cannot permit ourselves to be burdened with any taxes that our competitors, the majority of whom are in Washington, do not have to pay. For that reason we figure that if the income tax is to be permanent, we, in self preservation, must withdraw our headquarters to another state.
M & M WOODWORKING CO., Portland, Oregon.

Coming from Wisconsin, where we have had a state income tax for several years, we are familiar with that deterrent to business development, and we, ourselves, as well as many others whom we know, left Wisconsin for the same reason for which we hesitate to go into business in Oregon.
WM. M. BRAY, Secy.-Treas., Ochoco Land & Timber Co., Ochoco, Wise Pres. Klamath Logging Co., Klamath Falls, Ore.; Pres. Sprague River Co., Chiloquin, Ore.; Voted largest owners in Klamath County.

We had acquired property for the erection of a warehouse when we learned of this law.
I have heretofore advised on similar requests that we cannot maintain our business in Oregon if the statute is upheld.
TRUSCON STEEL COMPANY,
Youngstown, Ohio, W. F. Guthrie, V. P.

Will limit expansion to most absolute necessities to complete present functions, a reduction of 65% in program. On account of the severity and injustice of the Oregon income tax law we have decided to cut down our proposed building and equipment project from $35,000 to $12,000, and had we realized that this tax would become effective, we would not have budgeted any additional improvement at Oregon.
WESTERN LUMBER MFG. CO., San Francisco.

Unless the law is repealed we are seriously considering incorporating our Seattle house separately and diverting also to them all Oregon business that it is possible for them to handle.
CLYDE EQUIPMENT CO., Portland, Oregon.

Our company will not expand in Portland so long as there is a State Income Tax Law. The principal reason our head office was not located in Portland was on this account.
BUNGE WESTERN GRAIN CORPORATION,
Portland, Oregon.

* * * had we not already opened our office there, and established ourselves, we certainly would not do it now, and furthermore, we have been considering the advisability of discontinuing our branch there.
THE B. F. STURTEVANT CO., San Francisco.

Mr. Herbert Armstrong, Western Manager for the Menasha Woodenware company, stated that they were figuring on moving the Western Woodenware Company from Tacoma to Coos Bay, and had already purchased site on our waterfront. Later stated they would not do anything at all toward a change until they had seen the effect of the Oregon State Income Tax Law.
H. G. KERN, President, First National Bank,
North Bend, Oregon.

Our original plans of operations in Oregon called for an annual production of 200 million feet of lumber, whereas our present plans call for only 20% of that amount. Furthermore, we had planned on constructing and operating a large Door and Sash Factory in connection with our lumbering plant, but with this threatening legislation there is no encouragement for us to invest the necessary capital for carrying out our original plans.
We hope that the majority of the people in Oregon will ultimately change their present attitude towards capital and industry, to the end that it will be a welcome visitor to every section of the state.
MOUNT EMILY TIMBER CO., La Grande, Ore.

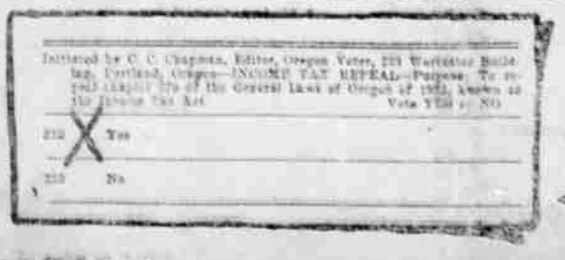
* * * we contemplated putting in an electric steel furnace, but will not do this until the law has been changed.
BEND IRON WORKS.

This tax law has already lost for Oregon more than 40 million dollars just for the purpose of soaking our enterprises 2 or 3 millions a year. Is that good business or good sense? The situation is critical. It must be met by intelligent voting. If we want Oregon to grow we must vote to

KILL THE STATE INCOME TAX

Initiated by C. C. Chapman, Editor, Oregon Voter, 220 Worcester Building, Portland, Oregon—INCOME TAX REPEAL—Purpose: To repeal chapter 316 of the General Laws of Oregon of 1923, known as the Income Tax Act. Vote YES or NO.

312 X Yes
313 No



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Vote 312X Yes

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