

AROUND TOWN

What the Union Men of Portland Are Doing.

A GOOD SHOWING IN ALL TRADES

A Compendium of the Various Local Organizations in the City—All in a Healthy Condition and Growing.

FEDERATED TRADES COUNCIL.

Meeting called to order at 8 P. M., by President Mickle. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Credentials—Street Railway Employees, E. G. McAlpin; Bookbinders, G. W. Griffith, Arthur Lawson, R. J. Yeoman; Longshoremen, N. 264, A. Walsh, G. Graham, T. Carter; Cooks and Waiters, L. Jameson, — Jones, — Tilley; Stablemen, M. J. Norton; Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen, J. Kurath, T. C. Long, T. F. Bennett; Retail Clerks, J. D. Robinson, J. K. Stanton; Machinists, W. A. Alger, Ed Widmer.

Communications — From Algoma Packing Company, stating their position toward the United States Printing Company, filed. From Mineworkers, acknowledging receipt of \$167.40 from the Retail Clerks, filed. From San Francisco Labor Council, acknowledging receipt of \$10 from Printers and \$5 from Cigarmakers sent to Tanners, filed. From Rochester (N. Y.) Lodge, No. 63, I. A. M., stating that Hohmann & Maurer, makers of thermometers, are unfair to their union, referred to Steam Engineers.

Legislative committee reported progress. Committee on Marine Engineers reported progress and were continued, with power to act. Special committee on Painters' grievance reported progress, and presented letter from Riggers and Shipbuilders. Secretary instructed to write Riggers and Shipbuilders and request them to appoint a committee to confer with the Painters. Smoker committee reported probable expense of giving smoker and were continued with full power to act. Committee on resolutions to A. F. of L. reported and were instructed to proceed as per last week's motion.

Bills—A. W. Jones and Harry Gurr, committee work, \$3 each.

New business—The following was presented and unanimously indorsed:

Whereas, There are now pending before the Legislature several measures framed by and in the interest of the working people of our state; and

Whereas, It is of vital importance that some remedial and beneficial legislation be had to the end that labor receive proper protection; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Federated Trades Council of Portland, that we call upon and request our Representatives and Senators to lend their support and influence in promoting the passage of the following bills:

House Bills Nos. 10, 14, 13, 39, 40, 97, 150, 147, 148, 145, 74. Also Senate bills Nos. 52 and 26.

Be it further resolved, That the secretary be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to each of our Representatives and Senators; that the same be spread upon the minutes of our meeting, and the press be requested to publish same.

Machinists presented name of G. B. Thomas for indorsement for position on Port of Portland Commission. The indorsement was made and the name will be presented to the Multnomah delegation. Delivery Wagon Drivers presented grievance which was referred to the grievance committee. Secretary and treasurer presented their quarterly reports, which were referred to the executive committee.

Election of officers—Reed and Stanton were appointed treasurers. For president, Brothers Gram, Mickle, Jones, Goldrainer, Busby and Gurr were nominated. All declined except Gram and Mickle; ballot being taken Brother Gram received the highest number of votes, and was declared the choice of the Council for president. For vice-president, Brothers Jones, McCullough, Goldrainer and Reed were nominated. All declined except Brother Reed, who was elected by acclamation. Brothers Lawton, recording and corresponding secretary; Jorgensen, treasurer; Jameson, conductor; Hoffman, sergeant-at-arms, were re-elected by acclamation.

Receipts, dues, Leatherworkers, \$6; Butchers, \$3; Broommakers, \$1.50; Sheet Metal Workers, \$3; Beer Drivers and Bottlers, \$3; Bookbinders, \$3; Glassworkers, \$1.50; Riggers and Liners, \$3; Blacksmiths, \$6; Laundry Workers, \$3. Total, \$33.

An active effort is being made to secure the next meeting of the executive board of the American Federation of Labor at Portland, which will convene sometime during the coming Summer. Portland is especially fitted, both geographically and conditionally, for such a meeting, and inasmuch as the convention at New Orleans instructed that the next meeting be held somewhere on the Pacific Coast, at some suitable place, Portland is consequently entitled to first place.

Again, the officers of the board have visited Portland and were highly pleased with our prospects and progress—and, of course, of the latter we will promise to keep them well-filled, and will guarantee them a pleasant sojourn. As to our future, a meeting of

the board will help us as well as the American Federation of Labor.

The following resolution and invitation was passed at the meeting of the Federated Trades Council, January 23, and a request has been forwarded to the central bodies of Oregon and Washington to co-operate in the effort to secure the next meeting of the executive board of the American Federation of Labor for Portland. The Portland Labor Press heartily indorses the effort, not only for the good of the movement, but to renew the pleasant relations that were incubated during the visit of the members in this city last Summer:

"Whereas, A motion was passed at the recent convention of the American Federation of Labor held at New Orleans, instructing the executive council to hold a meeting next Summer at a suitable place in the West; and,

"Whereas, The council meeting last year was held in San Francisco; and,

"Whereas, Portland being in the center of the Northwest, easily accessible both from the north and south, as well as the Middle West; and,

"Whereas, The labor movement has shown such phenomenal increase and growth in the State of Oregon and in the neighboring State of Washington, we believe the holding of this executive council meeting in our city would be of untold benefit to the labor movement throughout the western part of the United States; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Federated Trades Council of the City of Portland, in regular meeting assembled, that we petition President Gompers and the other members of the executive council, and earnestly request that they hold their mid-Summer executive meeting in the City of Portland.

"Be it further Resolved, That the secretary be instructed to prepare and mail copies of these resolutions to each member of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor."

SAILORS' HEADQUARTERS.

John Pearson, special agent from the San Francisco Seamen's Union, reports that he has secured headquarters on North Front street, a few doors north from Burnside. Here the sailors will find a home or rather a place of rendezvous where they can affiliate with each other and secure employment. It is also Mr. Pearson's intention to provide ships with union sailors whenever they are in need of men, and if they are not to be had in this port they will be secured from other ports.

BRIDGEWORKERS AT ASTORIA.

Local 50, Bridge and Structural Ironworkers, of Astoria, sends the Labor Press a synopsis of its meeting and election of officers, January 7: A. L. Matson, president; Mr. Lacy, vice president; Mr. Wentzlar, financial secretary; E. J. Armstrong, corresponding secretary; William Henderson, conductor; William Bonepart, sergeant-at-arms; J. F. Welch, business agent.

Two candidates were initiated.

The meeting nights are the first and third Saturdays of each month, and all members of Local 50, of Portland, are cordially invited to attend any time they should visit Astoria. It was moved and carried that Local 50 exchange minutes with Local 29, of Portland.

MILL CITY ORGANIZED.

J. A. Madsen returned Monday night from his trip of organization at Mill City, on the Santiam River. He found a country entirely adapted to the lumbering interests, and more than 100 men ready to form themselves into a union. The principles of unionism were absolutely unknown amongst them, there being only one man in the community who had a slight idea of what it was. This camp is practically controlled by one company. The manager was at first opposed to his men forming a union, but when he learned that it was for mutual protection instead of to strike he encouraged his men to use their pleasure in the matter. The men, however, had resolved to organize. Mr. Madsen reports that conditions up there are fairly good for the toilers, and the men are a sturdy lot of fellows. They get fair wages and living is cheaper there than in Portland. Rents are low and board is reduced to almost actual cost. Men with families are of course expected to provide for themselves, and the greatest objection to this is that they are compelled to purchase their goods from the company store.

There are several logging camps several miles from Mill City, but Mr. Madsen did not visit them, as the stream was swollen by the floods and the roads difficult to travel. He expects, however, in time to have all the camps in this vicinity unionized. He is well pleased with his reception and predicts a strong union town of Mill City.

EQUITABLE SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION.

In compiling a list of the prominent establishments of this city, there is none which holds a more favorable position than the Equitable Savings & Loan Association, 240 Stark street. In its business dealings it has always been fair and upright, a friend to the laboring men and to their noble cause. Everywhere the name of this company is well known on account of its straightforward dealings. Their motto is, "Work for the dollar today; make it work for you tomorrow." They prove that a little less than 25 cents saved each day and invested with them means \$1000 in eight years.

They offer an investment for the man of means as well as a savings for the man that desires to have means. Their plan for easy payments in making real estate loans or paying off a mortgage by easy monthly installments meets with the approval of a great many. No better known or more financially

responsible men can be found in Portland than manage its affairs.

It has exhibited a most friendly attitude toward labor, and its methods of doing business are in direct lines of unionism, applying as it does the principles of unionism and co-operation in conducting its business and its business affairs.

TAUBENHEIMER & SCHMEER.

An enterprise which especially merits the support and encouragement of all citizens who have the welfare of labor and capital at heart is the Taubenheimer & Schmeer Carpet and Furniture Company, located at 166 and 168 First street.

The operation of this enterprise involves the investment of considerable capital and gives employment to a number of persons. The fair and considerate manner in which its employees are treated is deserving of honorable mention, and it is a well-understood fact among the members of our ranks that the attitude of the firm toward labor is neither antagonistic nor uncertain.

Taubenheimer & Schmeer have invariably treated labor in the most fair and considerate manner, and we gladly place the name of Taubenheimer & Schmeer foremost among the staunch friends of labor.

FLECKENSTEIN-MAYER CO.

One of the best establishments and one that is deserving of honorable mention for the quality of goods handled and the courteous treatment shown its customers is that of Fleckenstein-Mayer Company, a well-known firm in this city.

They have always manifested a friendly spirit toward the cause of labor and co-operated cheerfully to further the cause of labor. This company is deserving of the patronage of organized labor and the general public, from the fact that their attitude has been favorable, it is also a reliable and satisfactory concern with which to deal. Labor matters have always received fair consideration at their hands and honorable dealing with all is a motto strictly adhered to by the Fleckenstein-Mayer Company.

THE L. C. HENRICHSEN COMPANY.

The L. C. Henriksen Company, dealers in jewelry, have invariably treated labor in the most fair and considerate manner and we gladly place the name of the L. C. Henriksen Company, located at 284 Washington street, foremost among the staunch friends of labor.

This concern has an excellent reputation throughout the city and surroundings for the honorable way in which they conduct their business and also for the considerate manner in which it treats its employees.

The members of this concern are well known in both financial and social circles and everywhere are looked up to with the highest regard and esteem.

CLOSET & DEVERS.

In Portland there are a large number of concerns which add materially to its welfare, prosperity and prestige. Such a concern for example as Closet & Devers, 1-7 Front street, wholesale dealers in coffee, spices, baking powder and flavoring extracts, etc., is deserving of mention.

It has always been a friend of the union and should receive the hearty support and encouragement of the citizens of the entire state. The honest methods of business pursued by this firm and the considerate manner in which it treats its employees has been the source of its growing popularity.

FISHER MUSIC COMPANY.

The members of this firm are well known in both social and business circles as men of integrity and ability and are everywhere looked up to with the highest regard and esteem.

They have always been favorable to the rights of the union and our interests and views have received fair consideration at their hands.

Our readers should constantly endeavor to further the interests of this concern and in every way possible in making their business a continued and constantly increasing success.

The Fisher Music Company is located at 190 Third street.

EGBERT, YOUNG & CO.

In Portland there are a large number of worthy enterprises, and one of the most deserving of these is the Egbert-Young Company (Inc.), located at 129-131 Third street.

Everywhere the goods of this firm are known for their high-grade and wearing qualities, and the workmen of our city could do no better than to patronize this firm, who cheerfully co-operate with labor and the working people.

It is to be hoped that a proper feeling may always exist between this company and labor, in order that the two may work harmoniously together, so as to bring about the best results possible.

BISHOP & CO.

Bishop & Co., dealers in wholesale crackers, candies and preserved fruits, located at 30-32 Front street, are too well known to need comment.

An institution of this kind adds materially to the sum total of the city's happiness and to the welfare of the form the greater percentage of our city's population.

The honest methods of business pursued by this firm and the considerate manner in which it treats its employees have been the source of its growing success.

It is strictly in accordance with the broad underlying principles of unionism to foster and encourage institutions of this kind, and we take pleasure in giving Messrs. Bishop & Co. most honorable mention.

LAKE-DAVIS DRUG CO.

The above concern is a well-known and established one, located at 175 Third street.

They are well known and recognized friends of labor and the laboring man, and are deserving of our support and encouragement.

This concern has upon numerous occasions shown itself to be thoroughly in sympathy with the labor movement and always co-operated cheerfully to further the cause. Union men should always remember that it is to their interest to trade with a concern which is ready to exert influence in their behalf.

BELL & WILDMAN.

We take great pleasure in placing the firm of Bell & Wildman, located at No. 29 First street, on the list of dependable concerns that are friendly to the cause of the laboring man.

Owing to its kind and courteous manner of dealing with all with whom it has come in contact, this firm has built up for itself a popular and successful business.

We trust our readers will not be slow in showing reciprocity by giving their support in every way possible in increasing their already large volume of business.

JONES' CASH STORE.

Foremost among the prominent establishments of Portland which go to give it a metropolitan character we find to place the name of Jones' Cash Store, located at 108 and 110 Front street, wholesale dealers in groceries.

This concern is well known both on account of its superior grade of goods handled and also because of the uniformly fair and reasonable treatment it at all times accords to its employees. Everywhere the name of this company stands for excellence in quality and honorable business dealings.

A. & C. FELDENHEIMER.

A. & C. Feldenheimer, located at 117 Third street, is well known in this city as the leading jewelry, optical and jewelry manufacturing store. They also carry various articles pertaining to the artistic in every sense of the word.

They have shown a friendly attitude toward labor and the labor movement, and the thousands of workmen in this state should not overlook the fact that this company has been ever ready and anxious to co-operate with union men to further the cause of labor.

Upon careful investigation we find that the company's attitude toward its employees is most friendly and considerate, and that the company bears a most excellent reputation among the thousands of workmen of this city and throughout the state.

DR. B. E. WRIGHT DENTAL OFFICE.

A thoroughly reliable concern, as conducted by Dr. Wright, a dentist who is master of his art and deserving of honorable mention for the excellent manner of work done, is appreciated by all. Dr. Wright has ever been favorable in his attitude toward the laboring man, and co-operated cheerfully to aid the labor movement.

He is located at 342½ Washington corner Seventh, where he has the largest and best-equipped office on the Pacific Coast, and is deserving of the patronage of organized labor and the general public.

We predict for this concern a career of ever-increasing prosperity so long as its affairs are in charge of the present able and efficient management.

ADOLPH A. DEKUM.

Mr. Adolph A. Dekum, dealer in hardware, granite, aluminum, tinware, cutlery, mechanics' and molders' tools, etc., located at 131-133 First street, has always been a noted friend of the union, and it should be the duty of all interested in the cause to patronize the concern.

It is one of the broad underlying principles of unionism to foster deserving enterprises that are friendly to our cause, and we will be but acting in accordance with our belief by giving this concern our heartiest indorsement.

We would urge all who are in sympathy with our cause to favor this deserving concern with their support.

BOEHL & WELER.

This company has always exhibited a most friendly attitude toward labor, and labor should aid in every way possible toward making this deserving firm a great success even than it now is.

It is strictly in accordance with the broad principles of unionism to foster and encourage institutions of this kind, and we take pleasure in giving Messrs. Boehl & Weler, located at 249 Front street, most honorable mention.

PACIFIC PAPER COMPANY.

The Pacific Paper Company, corner of Front and Stark, is a leader in its line and by honorable and courteous methods has forced its way to the very top.

This company has always exhibited a most friendly attitude toward labor, and labor should aid in every way possible toward making this deserving concern a greater and even more splendid success.

We trust our readers will not be slow in showing reciprocity by giving their support to this deserving concern. This home enterprise is deserving the hearty support of all who have the best interests of the city at heart. We take pleasure in placing the Pacific Paper Company among our prominent and public-spirited enterprises which are a positive benefit to the community.

STAR BOX COMPANY.

We wish to urge the business men of our city and state to give their co-operation to this institution, as in so doing they will be granting a great favor to our workmen, who form so large a percentage of our population.

This firm is a well-established one and very popular among laboring men.

In Portland there are a large number of concerns which add materially to its welfare, prosperity and prestige. Such a concern as the Star Box Company, which is located at the foot of Lincoln street, should receive the hearty support of all who are interested in the righteous cause of labor.

WRIGHT'S MUSIC STORE.

Wright's Music Store, located at 349 Washington, is one of the most complete establishments in its line in the city.

We are pleased to note that the company has always been most fair and considerate in its attitude toward labor and the labor movement, and we take pleasure in placing the name of Wright's Music Store foremost among the leading concerns in the City of Portland who are worthy of being classed among the friends of labor.

Upon investigation we find that their employees are given fair treatment and receive good compensation for their labor.

Our union men throughout the city

should give this deserving firm their united support and co-operation so long as it is conducted in its present able manner.

OREGON FUEL COMPANY.

An enterprise which especially merits the support and encouragement of all citizens who have the welfare of labor and capital at heart is the Oregon Fuel Company, located at 344 Morrison street.

The operation of this enterprise involves the investment of considerable capital and gives employment to a number of persons.

The fair and considerate manner in which its employees are treated is deserving of honorable mention, and it is a well understood fact among the members of our ranks that the attitude of the firm toward labor is neither antagonistic nor uncertain.

The Oregon Fuel Company has treated labor in the most fair and considerate manner, and we gladly place its name among the staunch friends of labor.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah, vs. A. A. Meara, plaintiff, vs. John H. McAndrew and H. M. Hopper, defendants. Do John H. McAndrew and H. M. Hopper, partners, doing business under the name and style of McAndrew, Hopper & Co., and Bayou La Batre Packing Co., a corporation, defendants.

To John H. McAndrew and H. M. Hopper, partners, doing business under the name and style of McAndrew, Hopper & Co., and Bayou La Batre Packing Co., a corporation, defendants. You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action in the above entitled court on or before the time set out in the order for the publication of this summons, to wit: on or before six weeks after the first publication thereof, to-wit: on or before February 23, 1905, and if you fail so to appear or answer within said time, the plaintiff will for want thereof take judgment against you for the sum of \$250.00, and for the costs and disbursements of this action to be taxed, and for an order applying on such judgment the moneys attached and guaranteed in this action as moneys of the defendants.

The date of the first publication of this summons is January 8, 1905, and the last is February 19, 1905, and this summons is published pursuant to an order made and entered by Hon. Alfred F. Sears, Jr., Judge of the above entitled court, on the 24 day of January, 1905.

CHAMBERLAIN & THOMAS, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Multnomah County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of George J. Vance, deceased, late of said county. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified and required to present the same, properly verified, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned, at the office of Chamberlain & Thomas, room 40-46, Chamber of Commerce, City of Portland, Oregon, for settlement.

Dated December 2, 1904. FRANK H. CURTIS, Administrator.

CITATION.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah, vs. the matter of the estate of Nancy B. Atkinson, deceased.

To Anna S. Warren and Edward M. Atkinson and to all other heirs and devisees of Nancy B. Atkinson, deceased, if any such there be, greeting.

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah, at the courtroom thereof, at Portland, in the County of Multnomah, on the 5th day of February, 1905 (the same being the first day of the term of said court) at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any, why an order of sale should not be made of the real property belonging to the estate of Nancy B. Atkinson, deceased, as prayed in the petition filed by Frank M. Warren, administrator of said estate, in the said County Court, on the 31st day of December, 1904.

The following is a brief description of the real property described in the said petition and the said administrator asks leave to sell:

In Clackamas County—Block 8, Park Addition to Oregon City, Clackamas County, Oregon. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, block 8, Park Addition to Oregon City, Or.

Undivided one-third of lot 8, block 28, Oregon Iron & Steel Company's Park Addition to Oswego, Or.

A part of the Oregon City claim in township 2 south, range 2 east, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the west boundary of the Ezra Fisher donation land claim numbered 41, in township 2 south, range 2 east, south 28 min. west (the bearing south 1 deg. west given in the U. S. field notes not being the true bearing) 187.55 feet distant from the northwest corner of said claim, from which beginning point a cut stone monument 36 inches, marked on top, and set 25 inches in the ground, bears north 64 deg. 30 min. west 26.5 feet distant, and running thence north 54 deg. 30 min. west 122.45 feet to a cut stone monument 36 inches, marked on top and set 25 inches in the ground, thence running north 64 deg. 30 min. west 30 feet, thence running south 55 deg. 30 min. west 603 feet; thence running south 64 deg. 30 min. east 315.45 feet to the west end of a dory line of the said Ezra Fisher D. L. C.; thence running north 28 min. east along said west boundary line 512.54 feet to the place of beginning, containing 34.29 acres, save and except therefrom a strip of land 30 feet wide and 250 feet long lying southerly from block 17, in Park Addition to Oregon City, the said strip of land having been heretofore dedicated to the use of the public as a part of sixteenth street in said Park Addition to Oregon City; and excepting also therefrom a perpetual right of way and easement for the public, according to the deed of the parties hereto, and save and except over a strip of the above described land 60 feet wide lying along and on the west side of the west boundary line of the said Ezra Fisher D. L. C. throughout the whole length of the east boundary of the above described tract, containing 1.12 acres.

A part of the said Ezra Fisher D. L. C. in township 2 south, range 2 east, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a granite stone 18x12x10 inches, marked A, and set in the west boundary line of the said Ezra Fisher D. L. C. at a point north 38 min. east 23.15 chains distant from the southwest corner of the said Ezra Fisher D. L. C., and running thence south 51 deg. 15 min. east 51.25 chains to the division line between husband and wife's halves of the said Ezra Fisher D. L. C.; thence north along said division line 8.75 chains; thence north 51 deg. 30 min. west 51.25 chains to a point in the west boundary of the said Ezra Fisher D. L. C. 30 chains south 38 min. west from the northwest corner of the said Ezra Fisher D. L. C., where it is set on granite stone 12x28x8 inches marked G. H. A.; thence south 30 min. west along said west boundary line 10 chains to the place of beginning, containing 48.11 acres, more or less.

In Multnomah County—Lots 3 and 4, block 12, Caruthers' Addition to the City of Portland, in Portland, Or.

In Josephine County—Undivided one-third of lots 10, 11 and 12, block 14, in the town of Grant's Park, Or.

In Washington County—Undivided one-third of lots 2 and 3, block 28, in the town of Forest Grove, Or. Witness the Hon. L. R. Webster, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah, with the seal of said court, at the city of Portland, this 21st day of December, A. D. 1904. Attest: F. S. FIELDS, Clerk. By A. C. Bancroft, Deputy.



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