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EDITORIAL

NATIONAL ASSET

There are two phases of the private electric utility industry in which the public is vitally interested. One is the rate structure. The other is the industry's payments to the people, in the form of taxes.

So far as rates are concerned, the record speaks for itself. Electricity is the only item in the government's cost-of-living index which costs less now than in 1914. It is one of the very few commodities or services whose cost has been steadily cut in the face of rising tax, labor, supply and other costs. Now, as always, electricity is one of the smallest items in the typical family budget, ranking, in cost, below such non-essentials as cigarettes, entertainment, etc.

So far as taxation is concerned, this private industry's record is a remarkable one. It pays a larger proportion of its total income to government than does any other large business. And its taxes have gone up much faster than have earnings. In New York City, for instance, the tax burden of the electric and gas utilities increased 138 per cent between 1925 and 1939, while annual revenues increased only 34 per cent. Taking the country as a whole, the industry's 1940 operating revenues were 5.5 per cent greater than in 1939. Yet, due largely to the increase in taxes, the industry's net operating income, before payment of interest, was practically unchanged.

In short, the people of the United States and government, not the owners of the electric industry, get the lion's share of the industry's earnings. The 1940 experience of a large system serving a midwestern state is a case in point. Government, through taxes, received 21.6 per cent of

the company's total revenues. The owners of the property received, in common and preferred dividends, slightly more than 14 per cent. The tax load incidentally, was somewhat higher than the percentage of revenues paid the company's workers.

The privately operated electric industry has given us the finest and most abundant service in the world at constantly dropping rates. It has contributed increasingly to government through constantly rising taxes. It is one of America's greatest assets.

LOW HUMIDITY CAUSES LOGGING TO SLOW DOWN

SALEM, OREGON—Effective May 10, the first day of the closed season, all woods operations in western Oregon that are subject to the provisions of the operators' permit law, with the exception of a small part of southern Douglas County and all of Josephine and Jackson counties, will be required to close down when the humidity reaches 50 per cent, according to notification sent out to operators today by State Forester N. S. Rogers. The notification also requires that during periods of high winds the operations must be discontinued when the humidity reaches 35 per cent.

"The logging of Oregon timber has doubled since the low of 1922," states Mr. Rogers. "and this means a tremendous increase in the hazard through additional men in the woods and the use of power driven equipment. Yet continued production to meet the demands of the defense program is highly essential and the department does not care to handicap the output through general closures of all logging operations for periods of several days duration during high hazard periods. It is hoped that through the cooperation of the industry in observing the regulation that it will not be necessary to invoke the general

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to even the smallest details is one thing in which we feel a great pride.

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DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE

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Real Pan-American Unity



President Arias of Panama is shown left center, with President Guardia of Costa Rica (arm about Arias) as they stood in the center of the new bridge opened between their two countries across the Elver sinola. Each was actually standing in his own country. Complete agreement has been reached in old boundary disputes between the nations.

closure law."

Mr. Rogers also stated that the inspection force of the state forestry department had been increased from thirteen to seventeen men, a move found necessary because of the immense increase in logging activities in the state. He indicated that the duties of these officials will be to check all logging operations at frequent intervals during the summer to see that fire precautionary measures are taken by the various operators. Attention is also called to the fact that burning permits will be required.

Opposes Bridges



On trial and facing deportation, Harry Bridges, West Coast C.I.O. leader, faced new troubles when Robert T. Baker (above), of Portland, Ore., came in opposition to him for president of the powerful seamen's and warehousemen's union.

The Bell Mill started operations Thursday to saw timber they need in the mill. They have about 30,000 feet of logs in their pond and will have a good supply as soon as the roads dry out in the timber. They hope to start commercial sawing the first of the week.

Church News

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of Sandy

The services of the Baptist church in Sandy will be held in the Grange Hall as usual next Sunday.

Sunday school at 10 A. M. 11 a. m., preaching by L. C. Des Voignes. Subject: "An All Sufficient Savior."

Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m., conducted by Robert Mundlin.

7:45 p. m., sermon by Robert Mundlin. Prayer meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Andersen, Thursday evening at 7:30.

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Mr. J. C. Haffey, Pastor
9:40 A. M. Sunday School. Mrs. Lewis Hall Superintendent.
11 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject: "Jacob at Penie," an inspiring service in sermon and song.
6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Miss Nellie Clapp, president.
8 p. m. Union Baccalaureate Service at High School auditorium. Sermon by Rev. C. P. Gates.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

A. W. Schelp, Pastor
English service every Sunday at 11 A. M.
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 A. M.
German service on 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month at 10 A. M.
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ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Mass at 9:30 a. m. on Sundays all summer.
Weiches-Mass every Sunday at 11:00 a. m.

The Sandy Christian Endeavor Society meets at the Sandy Community Church every Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Church services are at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. on Sundays and Sunday School is held at 10:00 a. m.

COMMUNITY SUNDAY School which formerly met at the Sandy Lumber Co., has moved to Weiches school. The time is from 10:30 a. m. to 12:00 noon.
Rev. Malmstrom.

SANDY SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Sabbath School services each Saturday at 10 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. Elder M. A. Belding.
Everyone cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Regular services are held every Sunday at 11 a. m. in The Woman's club house in Sandy.
All are cordially invited to attend.

LEGAL

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as the administratrix of the estate of Joseph E. Dear-

dorf, deceased has filed her final account in the office of the County Clerk of Clackamas County, Oregon, and that Monday the 16th day of June, 1941, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the Circuit Court Room of said Court, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof.
Dated May 8, 1941.
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EUNICE E. EKVAN
Administratrix of the estate of Joseph E. Deardorf, Deceased.
CLIFFORD G. SCHNEIDER
Attorney for Administratrix R. F. D. Clackamas, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Kate E. Seward, deceased, has filed her final account in the office of the County Clerk of Clackamas County, Oregon, and that Monday the 23rd day of June, 1941, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the Circuit Court Room of said Court, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof.
Dated May 12, 1941.
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ROSE LAMOUR
Administratrix of the estate of Kate E. Seward, Deceased.
BUTLER & JACK
Attorneys for Administratrix 200 Butler Building Oregon City, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Louise Feldman, deceased, has filed her final account in the office of the County Clerk of Clackamas County, Oregon, and that Monday the 16th day of June, 1941, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the Circuit Court Room of said Court, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof.
Dated May 8th, 1941.
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Date of last publication June 12, 1941.

LYDIA FELDMAN
Administratrix of the estate of Louise Feldman, Deceased.
BUTLER & JACK
Attorneys for Administratrix 200 Butler Building Oregon City, Oregon.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of E. L. Johnson, deceased, and any and all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present said claims, duly verified as by law required, at the office of my attorneys, Butler & Jack, 200 Butler Building, Oregon City, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.
Dated May 1st, 1941.
Date of first publication May 15, 1941.
Date of last publication June 12, 1941.

BERNICE MYERS
Administratrix of the estate of E. L. Johnson, Deceased.
BUTLER & JACK
Attorneys for Administratrix 200 Butler Building Oregon City, Oregon.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of W. I. Kennedy, deceased, and any and all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present said claims, duly verified as by law required, at the office of my attorneys, Butler & Jack, 200 Butler Building, Oregon City, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.
Dated April 21, 1941.
Date of first publication April 24, 1941.
Date of last publication May 22, 1941.

EVERETT KENNEDY
Administrator of the estate of W. I. Kennedy, Deceased.
BUTLER & JACK
Attorneys for Administrator. 200 Butler Building, Oregon City, Oregon.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
No. 32866
On the 7th day of June, 1941 at the hour of 10 A. M. at the front door of the Court House in Oregon City, Clackamas County, Oregon I will sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property located in Clackamas County, Oregon, to-wit:
Lot 1, Block 6, West Gladstone, Clackamas County, Oregon.
Said sale is made under Attachment execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas to me directed in the case of L. L. Bruning and A. F. Bierd, b. a. Oregon City Funeral Home, vs. Hazel Stalup Dompler.
Dated the 1st day of May, 1941.
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FRED REAKSECKER
Sheriff of Clackamas County, Oregon
By GEORGE O. JEWELL
Deputy.

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