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NEW LAWS OF THE STATE.

At the end of ninety days from adjournment of the Legislature of 1905, when the laws enacted at that session are going into effect, nothing has developed to indicate that there has been placed upon the statute-books any law which will be harmful to the material or moral advancement of the commonwealth, says the Oregonian.

One mistake the Legislature has certainly made and this the people have undertaken to correct by the filing of a referendum petition at Salem yesterday. In defiance of protests and warnings, the Legislature passed an appropriation bill containing items that could not stand upon their merits and the people may set that act aside by their votes in June, 1906, thereby saying to this and future Legislatures that the representatives of the people must not misrepresent the wishes of their constituents.

Among those acts of the Legislature which will tend to aid the material development of the state are: The law requiring one railroad company to transport the cars of another company whose lines connect with the lines of the first, and at rates which shall be reasonable; the law granting Government the power to lower the waters of Klamath and adjacent lakes; the law creating the office of State Engineer, appropriating money for hydrographic and topographic surveys, and authorizing the condemnation of water rights where needed for Government reclamation projects; the pure food law, discouraging the sale of any but first-class dairy products; the law appropriating money to defray the expenses of farmers' institutes; the establishment of timber and stone testing at the State University.

Among the laws which promise to improve public morals are these: The law making it a misdemeanor to sell liquor to minor females and permit them to be in any place where such liquors are sold or served; the laws creating juvenile courts, providing for parole of convicted persons, authorizing Judges to impose indeterminate sentence and making corporal punishment the penalty for wifebeating; the law appropriating money for the aid of institutions caring for wayward girls; the law which practically raises the age of consent to 18 years; the law making it a felony for a man to live in or to solicit for a house of ill-fame. Other acts, which directly affect neither the material nor moral welfare of the state, but which seem worthy of commendation, are the law placing stringent regulations upon the operation of automobiles, the hunter's license law, the tax commission law, the ticket-scalping law, and several laws relating to proceedings in Circuit and Probate Courts.

Hon H. W. Goode, president of the Lewis & Clark Exposition, tells the country that it will be ready at the appointed time. "I have pleasure in giving official assurance that the Lewis and Clark centennial exposition," he

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DANGER IN DELAY. Prompt Action Must Be Taken to Preserve Health. Kidney troubles are dangerous because they creep on so stealthily that they get a firm grip on the victim before he is aware of it. They manifest themselves in such varied forms that they are easily mistaken for other diseases. Make no mistake. Do not delay. Treat the kidney now. The kidneys are sick and will not get well unless you use a kidney medicine. Doan's Kidney Pills is the certain, safe and prompt remedy for the kidneys only. It cures. G. S. Cooper, farmer, living three miles northeast of Salem, Oregon, says: "I very often lifted heavy weights but have since regretted having done so, as the result was that I strained my back and ever after had more or less trouble from that dull aching pain across my loins and other symptoms of kidney complaint. In some way Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my notice and the first time I went to town I dropped into a drug store and inquired about them. I was told they were highly recommended and advised to give them a trial. I did so. And while I did not follow the treatment as regularly as I should have done, being a poor hand to take any kind of medicine, the benefit derived from their use stamps them as a remedy which acts fully up to the representations made for it."

The Lewis and Clark centennial merited a celebration in some conspicuous way, and it has seemed to the persons who were in charge of the plan of observance that the exposition idea would be the best way of commemorating it. As President Goode takes pains to point out, this "exposition is intended primarily to acquaint the American people with the resources and potentialities of the vast extent of country constituting the Pacific West." Oregon, Washington and Idaho, are communities which have vast possibilities in the way of development. To a larger degree than the states of the Atlantic seaboard they will be benefitted by the Asiatic trade, which is still in its preliminary stage. Everybody should take a trip to Portland, should visit the Lewis & Clark exposition, and should get acquainted with a region which will have a powerful influence in the country's political and social affairs in the coming time.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

BE IN THE COUNT.

The people of Oregon City and Clackamas County are urged to see to it that their names go on the enumerator's books for the state census. In an editorial the Oregonian says: "Here is something that all parties in Oregon, republicans, democrats, populists, prohibitionists, open-town, closed-town people—every one—can join in, and will be very foolish not to join in. This numbering of the people is not ordered to support any one man's pride or vainglory. No risk is attached to it. Just a good, commonsense proposition for all. If law is needed for it, there it is to justify it, and every good citizen, young or old, is bound to take interest enough to see that his or her name goes down in the enumerator's book. Estimates of the result are wide enough apart to make it interesting for any who may be speculatively inclined.

"There are no knowing ones to get ahead of their fellows. Some think Oregon's rate of increase is better than Washington's. Our neighbor's on Puget Sound scoff at the notion. The farmer will get a longer price the better settled is his district. Town and country alike refuses to accept the idea of race suicide in Oregon, place and people are too healthy in body and mind for that. Figures will test that, among many other things. Each city and town wants to show that its pretensions to growth are better founded than its neighbor's. As THREE emfwyp emfw for Portland much is at stake. On population, and especially on rate of increase, depends whether many of this year's visitors, seeking new homes, new business, will decide to stay, or pass on from us to pastures new. On such action hangs the verdict whether the fair is to be blessing or injury to us.

"Stuffing and padding returns has been heard of before—of course not in Oregon. What we want is the truth, but the whole truth. Ready response on the part of the people will make the census-taker's work easy and rapid. Let us all help. "One more point: Many believe that Oregon is entitled to another congressman. Let us put ourselves in the way to secure one. Much may hang on that. This is one of the times when just numbers count, not character, or acquirements, or possessions. Therefore, again, let us all see to it that every one is counted."

Dr. A. E. Sommer, Mayor of Oregon City, has said openly and, according to his own statement, has twice sent word to District Attorney Schuebel, of Clackamas County, that if gambling is allowed to go on at Milwaukie, he will throw Oregon City wide open and advertise it as such. What's sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander, in Mayor Sommer's opinion, and, though elected on a platform of closed town, he will take radical measures to force a closed county all around.—Tillamook Headlight.

Because of the removal of the Land

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