

### OPEN SHOP EDICT ENDS IN WALKOUT

Every Plant on Harbor Stops Machinery After Order Is Given to Men.

### UNIONS NOT TOLERATED

Manufacturers Determine to Allow No Grievance Meetings or Any Officers of Locals in Mills Affected by Decision.

RAYMOND, Wash., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Every shingle mill on Willapa Harbor is shut down today as a result of an open shop ultimatum given the employees of the three Case shingle mills yesterday by President E. E. Case, and joined in by A. S. Coates, of the Coates Shingle Company; Alex McCaskill, of the Nema Improvement Company, and A. McGee, of the McGee Mill Company.

Mr. Case called his men together yesterday at 1 o'clock and announced his open shop conditions. He declared that the operation of the mills must be to the mutual advantage of both the employer and the employee. He asserted that the domination of the union had caused more men to "go on the tramp" than any other condition because a few hot-headed irresponsibles were permitted to dominate the policy of the union.

"From this day on our mills will be operated strictly on the open-shop plan. What I mean by that is that we will make no distinction between union and nonunion men.

"There will be no steward in the mills nor around the plants and there will be no officers of the union allowed to work in the mills from now on.

"No employee will be retained who attends any special or regular meeting for the purpose of agitating any changes of conditions in our plants. These must be taken up with the management directly.

"An employee will hold his position with the company by his efficiency only from now on. The mills will be operated as steadily as possible and at all times the highest standard of wages will be maintained that is consistent with conditions. There will be no cut in wages. We will not arbitrate with any union committee whatever."

These were the conditions and they were supplemented by Mr. Case with the expressed hope that the relations of the past might continue uninterupted, "but, gentlemen, from now on the domination of the union with us has ceased," he said.

A few questions were asked and answered, following which the men gathered up their belongings and departed quietly.

At noon today the Coates Shingle Company's mill, to which the men had gone to work this morning, was closed down and the men given their time. Similar action was taken by the Nema Improvement Company and the McGee Shingle Mills in South Bend. What the next move will be is not known.

### SOUTH BEND MILL SHUT DOWN

McCaskill Company Joins in Open-Shop Order and Men Quit.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Employees of McCaskill's

### WEALTHY FARM COUPLE TAKE FLYER INTO VAUDEVILLE EACH YEAR.



EDYTHE CHAPPELLE.

Tim McMahon and Edythe Chappelle, headliners at the Empress this week, take a flyer in vaudeville every year as a recreation. They are the owners of 56 acres of valuable land at Port Monmouth, opposite Sandy Hook, and are independently wealthy. Miss Chappelle in listing her property enumerated it as follows: Fifty-six acres, six pigs, 200 chickens, two horses, three rigs, three cows, four pheasants, a motor car, a yacht, four children and one husband.

Mr. McMahon is noted in the stage world as author and producer of girl acts. These include "The Telephone Girls," "The Watermelon Girls," "The Pullman Porter Maids," "The Southern Review" and "The Marathon Race."

### SHINGLE MILL WALKED OUT THIS MORNING

when told by Alexander McGaskill he would not recognize the union or allow union men to continue at work.

All shingle mills in Raymond closed down, and probably all will close here before the week ends. The McGee mill is running today, but may also have a walkout or lockout.

Lumber mill owners also declare they will run open shop, and union timberworkers declare they will insist on the new scale May 1.

### CLUBWOMEN AID SCHOOLS

Music Department Voluntarily Given to Monroe System.

MONROE, Or., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Among the local improvements and activities inaugurated by the Women's Progress Club of this place is the establishment of a musical instruction department in the public schools. The club proposes, at its own expense, to employ a competent instructor, and it is presumed that satisfactory arrangements can be made for procuring the necessary books.

The proposition has met with the hearty approval of the citizens.

### Lewiston Pioneer Passes.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—John Cook, a pioneer and prominent member of the G. A. R., died in this city yesterday, aged 87 years. He leaves a widow, two sons, J. A. and William Cook, of Lewiston, and one daughter, Mrs. Ella Conrads, of Laredo.

### "CURE" FOUND GOOD

Cigarette Habit Broken Among Training School Boys.

### NITRATE OF SILVER IS USED

Superintendent Hale Reports First Treatment Temporarily Cures and Several "Doses" End Craving Apparently.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—After giving it a thorough trial for six weeks on boys sent to the institution, W. F. Hale, superintendent of the State Training School for Boys, announced tonight that nitrate of silver was a positive cure for the cigarette habit. He said one treatment put an end to the smoking for the time being and treatment for several days ended the craving.

"Almost all boys sent here are cigarette smokers," declared the superintendent, "and of course it has been our practice to break them of the habit as soon as possible. In some instances the boys were so addicted to tobacco that it would have been unwise to take it away from them at once, so they were allowed to smoke in moderation for two or three days. However, when a smoker arrives now we give him the nitrate of silver treatment and that ends the habit. They just simply cannot smoke after their mouths and throats have been swabbed with the drug.

"One of our physicians heard of the treatment several months ago and we began its use about six weeks ago. We said nothing about it for a while, because we thought it best to await results, but now that we have found it efficacious we do not care who knows it. The boys who have finished the treatment say they have not the slightest desire for tobacco. I am certain the treatment would be as efficacious for adults as for boys and that the tobacco habit in all forms would yield to it."

### PHONE FRANCHISES ASKED

Bunker Creek and Crego Companies Apply in Lewis County.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The Bunker Creek Rural Telephone Company and Mary E. Coffman made application to the Lewis County Commissioners for a franchise to build a phone line along certain roads in the western part of the county; also the Crego Telephone Company has applied for a franchise, its territory being southwest of Chehalis. Both companies will have their exchange business through the office in this city, adding about 60 subscribers.

Hearings on the two franchise applications will be held by the Commissioners March 2.

### Kansas to Unite at Ashland.

ASHLAND, Or., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Former Kansas natives and residents, plan an association here in line with the organizations of other states. Ashland has had Okla., Ill., Iowa and Wisconsin associations, but the Buckeyes are the only ones who have thus far kept their organization intact. Their membership is confined to native sons and daughters. There are several hundred ex-Kansans either residing in this city or its vicinity.

### DEPUTY ALLOWANCES MADE.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Feb. 24.—(Spe-

## First Showing

of the World's Renowned

## Hart Schaffner & Marx Spring Clothes

Our windows reveal the newest, smart, snappy patterns of the season for men and young men. Priced From \$20 to \$35

### SMART HEADWEAR

We're showing a much larger assortment of new styles than ever this season. Every block that is becoming to man is here for your approval. Newest creations in Stetson, Trimble and "Multnomah" Hats, displayed for the first time this season. Priced at.....\$3 to \$5

## Sam'l Rosenblatt & Co.

The Men's Shop for Quality and Service

Northwest Corner Third and Morrison



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### G. T. EARLY IS PROMOTED

ECCLES' INTERESTS IN OREGON GET ASSISTANT MANAGER.

Announcement Made at Hood River Soon After President Eccles Leaves for Ogden.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Announcement was made here today of the promotion of Charles T. Early, who at the death of the late David Eccles, founder of the company, was made managing director of the firm of the Oregon Lumber Company in the state. The promotion of Mr. Early, who will now have supervision of the several pine mills of the company in Eastern Oregon, with the title of assistant general manager, came at the hands of David Eccles, who became president of the lumber company.

Mr. Early, who will now have charge of the Eccles interest in this state, since the greater portion of the young president's time, he having been made administrator, will be devoted to administering his father's large estate, began his career 26 years ago as a time-walker. His raise has been from foreman of logging operations, of mills, superintendent of the Mount Hood Railroad Company, an Eccles interest here, and local manager of the company. The Oregon Lumber Company employs an army of men in the state and its annual expenditures exceed \$1,000,000.

President Eccles has just left here on his return to Ogden after having passed a week looking over local properties of the company.

Deputy Allowances Made.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Feb. 24.—(Spe-

cial.)—Allowances for deputy hire have been made to the various Lewis County officials as follows: Auditor \$1500, Sealer of Weights and Measures \$1000, Clerk \$1500, Attorney \$1500, Superintendent \$900, Assessor \$2100, Engineer \$4500, Treasurer \$2700, Sheriff \$2100.

### BULLETIN

Demonstration "Everfresh" products open this morning at Morgan Bldg., 9 o'clock. Open evenings.

### PRODUCTS

- Apple Syrup.
- Blackberries.
- Corn on the cob.
- Corn cut off the cob.
- Loganberries.
- Pears.
- Peaches.
- Prunes, Italian.
- Prunes, Silver.
- Sweet Pie Pumpkin.
- Sweet Potatoes.



### "EVERFRESH" PRODUCTS

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Portland, Oregon.

DEMONSTRATIONS  
Thursday—Apple Syrup.  
Friday—Sweet Potatoes and Corn on the Cob.  
Saturday—Loganberries.

# SATURDAY ENDS IT!

Mr. D. Sondheim, the Merchandise Broker, has ordered to be sold the balance of his \$30,000 Brokerage stock of Men's Clothing, Furnishings, Hats and Shoes before Saturday night, regardless of the price it brings—Dispose of stock somehow—for I must vacate before March 1, as I have no place to move the stock to.

Auction Prices, Fire Sale Prices and Bankrupt Sale Prices Will Be Snowed Under in This One Mighty Effort to Sell Before Saturday--We'll Do It, So Here Goes

## 4 MORE DAYS

These Four Days—Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday—will be the liveliest and most sensational selling days of merchandise ever witnessed in Portland. Slash! Slash! And slash again into the prices! We mean business. Goods must be sold in compliance with orders and will be sold for what they'll bring!

### MEN'S SUITS

Broken lines of Stein Bloch, Schloss Bros. Co. and full lines of other well-known makes all go at these prices:

- \$30.00 SUITS— Take 'em away for.....\$12.65
- \$27.50 SUITS— Take 'em away for.....\$10.85
- \$25.00 SUITS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 9.45
- \$20.00 SUITS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 7.95
- \$15.00 SUITS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 5.95

### MEN'S OVERCOATS

Among these Overcoats are a few fine Alfred Benjamin makes, which go at these prices along with the others.

- \$30 OVERCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$10.50
- \$25 OVERCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 8.95
- \$20 OVERCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 7.85
- \$15 OVERCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 6.95
- \$10 OVERCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 4.95

### MEN'S RAINCOATS

Among these Raincoats are a few good Kenyon Slip-ons.

- \$25 RAINCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$11.50
- \$20 RAINCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 8.75
- \$15 RAINCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 6.65
- \$10 RAINCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 4.85
- \$7.50 RAINCOATS— Take 'em away for.....\$ 2.95

### MEN'S REGAL SHOES

and some Crossets, in all leathers and the very latest styles. Regals in quarter sizes.

\$4.00 MEN'S SHOES  
Take 'em away for  
**\$2.65**

\$4.50 MEN'S SHOES  
Take 'em away for  
**\$2.95**

### BOYS' CLOTHING

Knee Pant Suits—Ages 5 to 16 Years

- \$3.50 BOYS' SUITS— Take 'em away for....\$1.95
- \$5.00 BOYS' SUITS— Take 'em away for....\$2.65

### MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

Broken lines of Cooper's Underwear, Manhattan Shirts, Oregon City Mills Blue Flannels, Etc.  
\$1.50 Union Suits.....69¢ | \$1.00 Night Gowns.....49¢  
\$2.50 Wool Underwear.....\$1.15 | \$1.50 Dress Shirts.....75¢  
25c Sox.....11¢

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