

USE OF WOOD URGED

Realty Men Hold State Saves Nothing by Burning Oil.

LEGISLATURE MAY BE TOLD

Report Read at Board Meeting Advocates Aiding Home Industry. Mr. Bates Speaks on Plan to Make City Beautiful.

An appeal for the use of Oregon cordwood in place of oil as fuel in all state and public institutions was made at the luncheon meeting of the Portland Realty Board yesterday.

A report, read by H. P. Palmer, chairman of a special committee, censured state authorities for ordering the installation of oil burners in state buildings, and pointed out how the use of wood as fuel retards to the financial benefit of many classes of workmen in this state.

The saving made through the installation of oil burners is only imaginary, said the report. "For the purchase of oil secures nearly all the money out of Oregon, whereas we should be purchasing local products and help various classes of Oregonians by keeping our money at home in harvests with the general spirit of patronizing home industry."

Legislation May Be Remanded. The matter was referred to the executive committee with power to act. It is probable that the Legislature will be reminded of the points brought out in the committee report.

In place of Emerson, president of the Rose Festival Association, who was prevented from speaking on the 1915 Festival because of illness, Y. H. Bates, general manager of the festival, delivered a stirring address on "City Pride."

After outlining the preparations for entertainment that have been devised by the various cities of California and telling of the generous spirit of hospitality which greeted the Portland Rosearians on their recent trip south, Mr. Bates explained the plans for the festival, delivered a stirring address on "City Pride."

Painting Campaign Planned. "We are trying to make Portland the most beautiful city in the world by plastering rose bushes everywhere and cleaning up the city," said Mr. Bates. "Next week we shall engage in a great painting campaign which should give all buildings a freshness of appearance that will make things shine. Also, when the Rose Festival is on in earnest, we want to see window boxes of flowers along the front of every building on the main streets of the city."

Auto Show Plans Told. On behalf of the Portland Automobile Dealers' Association, George D. Lee told of the plans of the coming auto show and enlisted the co-operation of the Realty Board.

E. J. Condon, president of the Security Development Company, presided at a meeting of the board of directors, which was held at the club.

TAXES LEAGUE'S TOPIC. Measures Proposed to Be Talked Over at Meeting Today. Taxation measures proposed will be the subject of discussion at the luncheon of the Civic League at the Multnomah Hotel today. Mrs. G. L. Buland will speak on the community property bill, which has been passed by the legislature and which provides that the dowry right is retained in all property acquired before the passage of the act.

FRITZ PILGER BOUND OVER. Man Who Used Umbrella as Weapon Lectured by Court. Fritz Pilger, who thrust the tip of an umbrella through the nose of Joseph M. Quinn, was bound over to the grand jury by District Judge Dayton yesterday under \$3000 bonds.

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be examined today at Jefferson High School. The examination is in charge of Hopkin Jenkins, principal of the school, and includes history, English, arithmetic, geometry and geography. Each applicant will be informed that any physical defect will bar him from taking the examination.

SLOGANS EXCEED 4000

CONTEST ENDS AND CHOICE WILL BE MADE TUESDAY. Commend and Poetic Expressions Compete With Those in Prose—"Rose" and "Portland" Used in Every One. The Rose Festival slogan contest closed last night at 5 o'clock, with more than 4000 slogans piled up and next Tuesday afternoon the result will be made known.

Others were submitted "by my little girl" with the slogan written in father's bold hand and his name attached. Many of the would-be prizewinners submitted funny slogans, and it is from these that the campaign manager has had many a joyous laugh.

Union Suits 98c. Main Floor—Sale extraordinary of "Levis" and "Aeroplans" Union Suits at a decided cut in price. These are the widely-advertised closed-crotch style worn by particular men everywhere.

CIGAR STORE GIVES AID. Travelers' Body Establishes Benefit for Disabled Salesmen. A cigar store for the benefit of A. P. Bradbury, a traveling salesman who became paralyzed some time ago, and for the benefit of other traveling salesmen who by reason of disability need financial aid, has been established at 271 Washington street by the Bradbury Commercial Travelers' Association.

ABERDEEN BEYOND BUDGET. Building of Reservoir Not Counted on at Drafting of Estimates. ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 15.—(Special.)—Aberdeen exceeded its 1914 budget allowance by \$12,971, due to the spending of \$28,379 for the building of a city reservoir, an expense not anticipated when the budget was drafted.

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Special Sale of CANDY
At the Bargain Circle, on the Main Floor, delicious, wholesome Sweets in all popular varieties at low prices.

Olds, Wortman & King
Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods
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TEA ROOM
4th Floor
Portland's most popular place to take downtown luncheon. Service from 11:30 to 2:30. Meet your friends here.

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE
Portland's Greatest Money-Saving Event!

Clearance Sale Men's Clothing
Men's \$15 Suits and Balmacaans \$11.95
Men's \$35 Suits and Balmacaans \$26.25



Men's Store, Main Floor—Our entire stock of men's and young men's Suits, Overcoats, Balmacaans and Raincoats in the Clearance Sale at substantial reductions. Thrifty men will avail themselves of this opportunity to choose from the world's best makes at prices lower than you ordinarily have to pay for inferior garments.

Women's Coverall Aprons 47c
At the Center Circle On First Floor
Extra special offering for Saturday only. Women's Coverall Aprons in three styles. Open in front, side-front or back.

Men's \$1.25, \$1.50 Union Suits 98c
Main Floor—Sale extraordinary of "Levis" and "Aeroplans" Union Suits at a decided cut in price.

Boys' \$5 and \$6 Suits \$3.95
Main Floor—Thrifty parents will hasten to take advantage of this remarkable offering. Final Clearance of several lines in smart Norfolk models.

Great Annual Clearance Muslin Underwear

Second Floor—The Great White Event, which hundreds of women await each season. Immense assortments of snowy garments in the Clearance at prices unequalled elsewhere.

Women's \$1.25 Longcloth Skirts 69c
Women's \$1.25 Gowns at 79c
Second Floor—A special line of Women's Longcloth Skirts which have become slightly mussed from handling.

Women's \$16.50 COATS \$7.49
Second Floor—Very desirable Coats for general wear. Every one of them new and correctly styled.

Pompeian Night Cream
Main Floor—Let your eight hours of sleep build beauty. Pompeian Night Cream, with its soothing unguents, was expressly designed for nightly use.

Holland Bulbs 1/2 Price
Grocery Department, Fourth Floor—Our entire stock of Holland Bulbs on sale today at just one-half price.

Women's \$6 Shoes \$4.85
Main Floor—All well-known makes are included in this line. Absolutely none reserved.

STATE WINS STEP IN SUIT
Livestock Company's Demurrer Overruled in Harney Land Case.
BURNS, Or., Jan. 15.—(Special.)—Judge Dalton Biggs, of the Circuit Court of this district, has rendered a decision in the case wherein the State of Oregon brought suit against the Pacific Livestock Company to recover lands in Harney Valley.

PAIR IS TAKEN AT BAKER
F. F. Green, After Trailing Wife and L. C. Bennett, Files Complaint.
BAKER, Or., Jan. 15.—(Special.)—Trailing from town to town his wife, whom he alleges to have left him for another man, F. F. Green appeared today before District Attorney Godwin and swore out a complaint against Mrs. Leona Green and L. C. Bennett, declaring he will prosecute both and not rest until both have been sent to the Penitentiary.

FOR A BAD COLD
The surest way to stop a cold is to loosen the liver and cleanse the bowels, and the nicest cathartic to do this is a 10-cent box of Cascara. Take one or two Cascaras tonight and your cold may be gone by morning.—Adv.

SALE OF IRISH CROCHET NECKWEAR
\$8.25 Grades \$3.50—\$15 Grades \$4.95
Main Floor—Beautiful Irish Crochet and Cluny Lace Neckwear—Collars, Yokes and Sets in rich designs for wear with coats, suits or dresses.

TRIMMED HATS WORTH \$5 CLEARANCE \$1.48
Basement Underprice Store—We quote this extremely low price in order to effect a speedy clearance of this special line of Trimmed Hats.

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