

# BREAD IS AVAILABLE IN SPITE OF STRIKE

### Both Master Bakers and Union Predict Victory.

### "OPEN SHOP" MAIN ISSUE

### Death of Rye, Whole Wheat and Graham Breads Is Noted at Corner Grocery Stores.

The daily loaf continued to be available yesterday, despite the city-wide strike of the union bakers. Members of the employers' organization, the Master Bakers' association, issued statements to the effect that the public would not feel the weight of a shortage, and that the new policy of the open shop will be maintained.

At the corner grocery, where the reactions of the strike are most readily observable to the householder, there was a dearth of rye, whole wheat and graham breads yesterday. The dealers explained that the big bakeries were no longer supplying these lines, nor would they resume baking the dark breads until the strike is over and conditions again are normal. It was a direct buffet to the health of the nation, and the force be content with white bread.

### Union Victory Predicted.

Diok Kroll, business agent of the bakery and confectionery workers' union, was optimistic last night over the prospective outcome of the strike. He declared that the union will win, and that the men have all left the larger bakeries, with the exception of a few individual cases. The union claims that 180 men have struck, of an employed total of 200, and that 12 smaller retail bakeries have accepted the agreement.

Neither the bakeries nor the strikers name the conditions which provoke a strike. The former say that the union has never advised them that its members are on strike, but that they are merely taking a vacation until the employers are willing to sign the recently submitted agreement. The union leaders assert that in its effort to establish the open shop, the Master Bakers' association practically established a lock-out against union men who were adverse to the open shop, and left the men no alternative but to quit work.

### Wage of \$2 Is Demanded.

The agreement submitted by the bakery workers for May 1, which employers declined to sign, asked for a day wage of \$2 and a night wage of \$4. The wage scale at the present time is \$3 and \$4, though specially skilled craftsmen, working overtime, have paychecks of \$15 to \$60.

The objection of the master bakers to the agreement, it was said, centers not so much upon the wage feature as upon the provisions which would, the bakers assert, deliver their workrooms over to the unions for operation. Employment credentials would be passed upon by the unions, and the right of the business agent to visit the premises is a cardinal point in the rejected agreement.

When the members of the Master Bakers' association determined upon the open shop policy last Saturday they did so with the intent that no discrimination will be shown, according to their explanatory statements. They have announced that they will not discriminate against a union man or his continued membership in the labor organization, but that they reserve the right to employ non-union workers as well.

### Strikers Deny Statement.

The master bakers also contended that the walkout is not representative of the real sentiment of the men concerned, and that most of these were content with working conditions and wages. A provision of the union ordinance, it was said, to the effect that any member shall be fined \$200 if he does not respond to strike orders caused many of the departures from the bakeries. The strikers deny this and assert that they are out as a protest against the open shop and for the purpose of forcing their agreement to signature.

"Everything is going satisfactorily," said Mr. Kroll, business agent of the union. "The master bakers are applying as many as three and four men to a task that is usually performed by one competent journeyman. The places are being filled with inexperienced help, and they cannot hold the pace."

### Real Test Declared Near.

"We know that the bakeries are claiming that they will keep the supply. But up to the present they have been supplying trade, to a large extent, with bread baked by other members on Friday and Saturday. Tonight and tomorrow this supply will be exhausted and the real test will arrive. We are going to win."

Bakers affected by the strike are co-operating to the fullest degree in an endeavor to smash it and maintain the open shop principle. One of the large bakeries is specializing on cookies and supplying the other. Another is to the rescue with pies for the relationship. A third is frying doughnuts for all. And each bakery is concentrating its individual effort upon white bread.

### Women's Activities

A COMMITTEE of representatives from all the parishes of the city will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Jeanne d'Arc hall at Fourteenth and Jefferson streets, to make further plans for the big entertainment, dance and card party to be given at the Auditorium Tuesday night, May 18. The entertainment will be for the benefit of the Jeanne d'Arc hall. Mrs. M. Baldwin is president of the

Ladies Aid society, under whose auspices the affair will be given, and A. B. Cain, general chairman of arrangements.

The Portland Woman's union, the Monday Musical club, the Mayflower club, the Over the Top auxiliary and the auxiliary to the American Legion at their meetings held Monday all passed resolutions in support of the 2-mill tax measure for the support and maintenance of the elementary schools of Oregon. The measure is being presented at today's meetings as follows: Portland Railroad Woman's club, Mrs. Sadie Orr-Dunbar; Housewives' council, Mrs. Alexander Thompson; Fernwood Parent-Teacher association, Mrs. L. P. Hewitt; St. Johns Community club, Mrs. Alex-

### ACTOR WHO TOOK ROLE OF LINCOLN RETURNS TO BAKER.



Just by way of showing Portland audiences that he can be funny as well as serious, Broderick O'Farrell, who played the part of Lincoln in "Abraham Lincoln" last February, has returned to the Baker theater, and this week made his bow again in a fun-making part in "What's Your Husband Doing?"

O'Farrell, who has lived in Portland much of his life, has not been on the legitimate stage here for some 17 years—when he started out on his career as a boy in early-day melodramas. Since then he has been with all sorts of road shows—some of them had and some of them good. He has played leads, character parts and all sorts of parts in stock companies and has had considerable success in the moving-picture field—which he has left temporarily to finish the present season with the Baker theater as "heavy," as theatrical folk call it, and as a "character-man lead" when the occasion demands.

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Women of Rotary will meet today in parlor A of the First Presbyterian church for an all-day session starting at 10:30 o'clock. The women will sew for the Albertina Kerr nursery.

Fernwood Parent-Teacher circle will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon to elect officers for the ensuing year.

Members of the literature department of the Portland Woman's club will meet Friday, May 7, at the home of the chairman, Mrs. G. Howard Peitinger at Oswego. The programme will be in charge of the chairman and members are to carry a box luncheon. The train will leave the Southern Pacific electric station at Fourth street, between Stark and Oak, at 10:25 A. M.

Tomorrow is mothers and children's day at the women's association all-day sewing from 10 to 4 o'clock. The regular business meeting will be held at 2 o'clock and Miss Johnston has prepared an interesting programme. All the women of the congregation and community are urged to attend.

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Mrs. W. F. Fuller, president of the Evergreen W. C. T. U., entertained the members of the union and friends Thursday evening. A large number were present and a delightful programme was given.

Marion county W. C. T. U. held its annual convention at Woodburn April 28 and 29.

Arlene W. C. T. U. will meet in the Arleta branch library this afternoon at 2 o'clock. "Men and Measures" will be the topic for discussion. Every one is welcome. Mrs. George Merry, president of the union, will preside.

The Women's Alliance of the Unitarian church will hold its annual meeting tomorrow at 2 o'clock. It will take the form of a tea, with music, refreshments and flowers. Reports of outgoing officers will be heard and new officers will be elected for the ensuing year. The social hour will follow. All members and friends are cordially invited.

### POLICE FIND 59 AUTOS

BUREAU IN APRIL RECOVERS \$100,689 IN PROPERTY.

Report Shows Six-Sevenths of Machines Stolen Located—18 Arrests Are Made.

Stolen automobiles, accessories and motorcycles of a total value of \$100,689 were recovered by the auto theft bureau of the Portland police department during April, according to the monthly report submitted yesterday to Chief of Police Jenkins by Police Lieutenant Thatcher, head of the bureau.

During the month 18 arrests were made for the theft of automobiles and automobile accessories, while eight arrests were made for the attempted theft of automobiles. Automobiles

stolen as far back as ten months ago were located by the bureau and returned to their owners during the month.

Of a total of 62 automobiles and two motorcycles reported stolen during the month 59 automobiles and one motorcycle were recovered. In addition to this number the police recovered nearly a dozen machines which were stolen from points outside the city.

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At the last meeting of the fish and game commission the animal inspector was made state biologist. He went to Washington, D. C. shortly after returning Sunday. Yesterday he turned in the resignation with the explanation that he had been offered such a desirable place he could not afford to give it up.

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