

3 COMPANIES BUY BIG INDUSTRIAL SITE

O.-W. R. & N. Sells 20 Acres in North Portland.

PRICE AROUND \$400,000

Willamette Iron & Steel Works, Vegetable Oil Mills and Portland Railway Purchasers.

Building operations totaling nearly a million dollars probably will result this year from purchase by the Portland Vegetable Oil Mills company, the Willamette Iron and Steel Works, and the Portland Railway, Light & Power company...

Under the agreement, the Willamette Iron & Steel Works will obtain the north half of the property, with a waterfront of 500 feet...

Big Plant to Be Built. The Portland Vegetable Oil Mills company will obtain 250 feet of waterfront in the center of the tract...

Work to Go Forward. It is expected to have the deed passed on, the filling completed, and everything ready so that the actual construction of the plant can be started within six weeks or two months, he said.

Plant to Be Modern. Mr. Ball said that the proposed plant of the Willamette Iron & Steel company would be of the same type as the present plant here, except that it would be as modern as present progress in machinery and other equipment could make it.

City Secured for Site. The purchase of the site by the Portland Vegetable Oil Mills company was made after a search of the city had been made with a view to obtaining a location for the proposed plant, according to Mr. Ward.

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MOVING PICTURE NEWS



DRAMATIC MOMENT FROM 'HALF A CHANCE,' WHICH OPENS TODAY AT THE PEOPLES.

TODAY'S FILM FEATURES. Liberty—William S. Hart. 'The Testing Block.' Majestic—Catherine Calvert, in 'Dead Men Tell No Tales.' Columbia—'Heliotrope Harry.' Rivoli—Justin Johnston, in 'Blackbirds.' Peoples—Mahlon Hamilton, in 'Half a Chance.'

Wray told John Steele, a famous criminal lawyer, and the red-blooded, two-fisted hero of 'Half a Chance,' that he had been told her that he had been a prizefighter, of whom drink had made a derelict.

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FIGHT TO PLACE GOVERNOR IN CABINET PLANNED.

Bartlett Sinclair of Boise Says Secretary of Interior Should Know Irrigation Problems.

That citizens of Idaho are prepared to drive for the appointment of Governor Davis of that state as secretary of the interior in President-elect Harding's cabinet, is the announcement of Bartlett Sinclair, an attorney of Boise and at one time state auditor of Idaho.

'Governor Davis,' said Sinclair, 'was elected governor of Idaho recently for a second term by a big majority. He is a banker of American Falls, a substantial and capable business man, and not a politician in the accepted sense of the word.'

Bank Officers Elected. W. L. Thompson is Head of Financial House in Pendleton.

Pendleton, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Members of the board of directors and officers of the American National bank of Pendleton were re-elected for the ensuing year at the annual meeting held here Wednesday night.

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Disarmament or Bankruptcy Which?

The entire sum needed to save the lives of three and a half millions of starving children in the war devastated areas of Europe is less than the cost of one modern battleship, according to Mr. Hoover. An English super-dreadnought of the latest type is said to cost more than \$32,000,000.

'Disarmament,' says Major-General Tasker H. Bliss, who was Military Representative of the United States on the Supreme War Council and Commissioner Plenipotentiary on the American Peace Commission, 'is the only means of preserving the world from bankruptcy and civilization from ruin.'

Other important news-features in this week's DIGEST are:

- 'Wild West' Bandits in Our Cities Criminal Records and the Steps That Are Being Taken to Check the So-Called 'National Crime Wave'
Huge Secret Armies in Germany? A Labor 'Dred Scott Decision' To Cure 'Cancelitis' Poetic Justice at Fiume Home Rule for Santo Domingo Central Europe's Blackest Winter Ireland's Reign of Terror A Cynical Close-up of China How the 'Tank' was Evolved Falling Prices and Rising Fires

The Literary Digest. 'Tis a Mark of Distinction to Be a Reader of The Literary Digest. FUNK & WAGNALLS COMPANY (Publishers of the Famous NEW Standard Dictionary), NEW YORK.

ESTACADA, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The local Hebrew lodge has inducted the following officers: Jennie Kreiger, noble grand; Val Cary, vice-grand; Mary Eschelman, secretary; Audrey Linn, treasurer; Mae Kitching, chaplain; Dora Herrington, warden; Myrtle McWilliam, conductor; Ailie McKinlay, inner guard; Clara Hieinbotham, outer guard; Dorris Lovell, R. S. N. G.; Agatha Gibbens, L. S. N. G.; Mary Posson, R. S. V. G.; Mary Smith, L. S. V. G. District Deputy Dorris Lovell was the installing officer.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Officers of the Women's auxiliary of the American Legion here have been elected for the ensuing year as follows: Mrs. Harold Hersh, president; Mrs. F. H. Dutton, secretary; Mrs. Glenn B. Shoemaker, treasurer; and Mrs. Van W. Gladden, warden. The auxiliary reports net returns from the bazaar and other activities the past year \$411, which has been turned over to the legion building fund.

MURDER MYSTERY FAILS. Police Find No Trace of Crime Reported by Woman. ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Work on a murder mystery has been abandoned by the police force here. It involved the alleged disappearance of a young soldier and his murder on an abandoned logging road on the Wishkah river.

FOSSIL, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The Women's Welfare club of Fossil held their annual election of officers yesterday at the home of Mrs. W. H. Watson. The following officers were elected: Miss A. Edwards, president; Mrs. Cos Bernard, vice-president; Mrs. R. J. Roper, secretary; Mrs. D. Don, treasurer.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The Aberdeen quota of the national anti-tuberculosis fund was completed last night, amounting to \$170. The fund was raised by the sale of a day's income of the city, and the day's income will be given at the Lafayette hotel, January 21.

MEDFORD, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Miss Rena Schott of Salem, domestic science teacher in the Medford high school, who taught at Elgin, Or., two years before coming here, has resigned because of her marriage in the near future. Her place will be taken by Miss Bertha Hendrick of the Garyville, La., schools, who is a graduate of the O. A. C.

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\$52,000 SUIT IS BEGUN. Plaintiffs Allege Sum Is Due for Moving Power Plant. CHEHALIS, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Trial of the \$52,000 suit brought by D. G. Lebb and J. Harris against the Washington-Idaho Water, Light & Power Co. is in the superior court before Judge Reynolds. The total sum involved is \$52,759.94, with 6 per cent interest from October 1, 1920.

MEDFORD PLANS OPPOSED. Scheme to Include Crater Lake in Diamond Lake Ranges Bend. BEND, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Bend Commercial club will not lend its assistance to the campaign started in Medford to include the Crater Lake National park in Diamond Lake.

Vancouver Books Audited. VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—A. H. Hoefler, state examiner, today completed his annual auditing of the books kept by the city clerk. He will go to Camas tomorrow to begin checking that city's books.

Wings of the morning! Begin right now and start your day right with a cup of good coffee. Enjoy the rich, smooth taste, and the invigoration and set-up for the day's work that really good coffee gives you.

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Sis says I eat POST TOASTIES like a snow-storm—cause I make the flakes fly—says Bobby

Best Corn Flakes Made

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SOCIETY NEWS

ONE of the charming events of today will be the tea to be given at the home of Miss Laura Northup. Miss Gertrude James will be assistant hostess. The tea is under the special auspices of the Oregon Wellesley Alumnae club.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The engagement of Beatrice Wetherbee, Eugene, and Hal Donnelly, secretary of the campus Y. M. C. A., was announced today. Miss Wetherbee is a member of Kapapa High School and will be graduated in June. Mr. Donnelly is a graduate of Princeton university.

The marriage of Newton J. Estes of the class of 1920 and Hazel Phillips of Springfield has been made public. The couple are now in Lewiston, Mont., where Mr. Estes is doing geological work in the oil fields. Estes is a well-known track man who was in college and is a member of the order of the 'Q.'

Mrs. Creteone O'Gorman was hostess yesterday for a few friends of Mrs. Warren Keeler, who met at a charming tea to bid farewell to Mrs. Keeler, who will leave on Monday for Texas.

Portland alumnae of Gamma Phi Beta will meet at 3:30 P. M. today with Miss Helen Houghton, 709 Siskiyou street. All Gamma Phi are invited.

The Canteen club will give a dance February 11 at Cotillon hall. The club is made up of former members of the American Red Cross canteen.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will celebrate the birthday of General Robert E. Lee, by holding a meeting Wednesday, January 13, at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. U. D. Maxson, 1240 Royal court. Confederate veterans are to be guests.

The Masons of Mead held a banquet for members and their families at the new community clubhouse Wednesday evening. In the rally H. A. Cosc had the distinction of being the oldest Mason present, having been a member of the order for 37 years.

A wedding of interest for next Tuesday will be that of Miss Elizabeth Stansfield and Owen Davis of Chicago. Dr. Joshua Stansfield will officiate. Yesterday the fair young bride-elect was honored at a smart luncheon given by Miss Edna Stewart at the Benson hotel.

Many of the friends of Mrs. Diana McDonnell assembled Thursday to celebrate the 88th birthday of the hostess. Among the guests were several members of the original auxiliary to company H. O. N. G., with which Mrs. McDonnell was prominently identified.

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