

# MAY INDICT AGENTS FOR RURAL CREDITS LUMBER GOING UP

## ACTION AGAINST MAIL ORDER LIQUOR DEALERS.

Propose to Hold True Bills Against Writers, and Arrest Them When They Visit Oregon.

A new phase of the Oregon prohibition law is being dug up and may make things interesting for some former Coos county liquor dealers who went to California and are mailing literature and blank orders to people in Oregon. Some of them have their names stamped on the bottom of the advertising matter, evidently getting commissions from the dealers for orders coming from the names they turned in. Concerning it, the Portland Telegram says:

"Indictments will probably be returned by the grand jury against the various mail order liquor houses which are flooding Oregon with price lists, in violation of the prohibition law. The district attorney is gathering copies of these advertisements which are being received by Portland citizens from the mail order establishments and will present them to the grand jury for action. As the advertisements are in direct and flagrant violation of the law, indictments are expected. Although the offenders are located, chiefly, in California, the grand jury can indict them. No extradition is possible, but if any of the offenders ever place a foot within the boundaries of Oregon after the indictments have been returned they can be arrested and prosecuted. As a number of the offenders are former Portland residents, it is within the range of possibility that some of them may attempt to return some time."

## PORT ORFORD MEN TO START BIG FISHERY

Company Organized to Supply Coast Section and Will Get Big Power Boat.

(Special to The Times) PORT ORFORD, Ore., March 7.—Port Orford fish company has just been organized by M. Zumwalt, Geo. Sutton and D. Ferguson. A large boat is being put in shape and the company will start fishing the first of the week. Fish will be shipped to all parts of Coos and Curry, and as soon as the railroad is completed to Coos Bay the company will ship to the many towns in the Willamette Valley, the company having secured agents in all the towns on the Southern Pacific. The company will ship to Portland and compete with the Puget Sound fish companies. Halibut and cod are caught within half a mile of the shore, making it an easy matter to make big catches each day. The company is having a big power boat built at San Francisco to use in fishing off the Blanco reef and Rogue River reef.

## LETTER TAKES 14 DAYS TO REACH BROOKINGS

Marshfield Man Calls Attention to Slow Mail Service Between Coos Bay and Curry County.

Mial between Marshfield and some points in Curry county is rather slow. A letter to the C. and O. Lumber company at Brookings, in Curry county, was mailed in Marshfield on Feb. 8 and did not reach Brookings until Feb. 22. This is rather slow, in view of the fact that the distance over the roads from here to Brookings is 140 miles and the letter was 14 days making the trip. One could have walked from here to Brookings, and even under the present bad conditions of the roads, made ten miles a day easily and have gotten there as quickly as did the letter.

## Ladies' Shirtwaists

We are showing a nice line in the new spring and summer styles, at 75c, 85c, \$1.25, \$3.00 and \$4.00. Ladies' Bungalow Aprons . . . 50c Ladies' Muslim Underwear. Ladies' Skirts 65c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Ladies' Night Gowns . . . . . 65c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Chemise . . . . . 85c and \$1.25 Corset Covers . . . . . 25c and 50c Children's Black Sateen Bloomers . . . . . 25c Children's Rompers . . . . . 50c Don't Forget Free Fares to Bunker Hill.

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## CHARLES HALL TO AID IN FRAMING LEGISLATIVE BILL

To Attend Session in Salem on Thursday—Seeking Way to Loan Farmer Money at Low Interest

A system of state rural credits, in such a shape that farmers, when in need of money, can borrow on good security at the rate of six per cent will in all probability be placed before the new state legislature. There is a strong possibility that an initiative bill, containing this measure, will be placed before the voters at the next November election. Charles Hall, one of the five delegates of the Oregon Development League, will appear in Salem on Thursday at a session to be attended by representatives of many state interests and from all parts of Oregon.

One of the greatest drawbacks in any community, believes Mr. Hall, is the fact that the farmers can not get money enough, or when they need it the most, to harvest their crops and to develop their farms. German System Successful He points to the German system of rural credits under the wing of the government. In each village is a board that passes on the petitions of farmers for aid. If they are considered safe and legitimate the money is forthcoming and at a small rate of interest, extended a long period of time.

This is exactly what we need here says Mr. Hall, and at Salem he will work toward this end, that the Oregon farmers may have the wherewithal to build up their farms.

## Use School Money Now

The State Land Board now handles \$5,000,000 of the state school funds. Of this \$160,000 is loaned out in Coos county, most of it in the Coquille Valley. This very organization, says Mr. Hall, could handle the system of rural credits.

The money could be raised by the state on the sale of bonds or it could be borrowed on the state's security. Four per cent money could be loaned out for six per cent interest, the extra two per cent being enough to make a small profit for handling the money and also to pay any losses.

## Even Make Profit

In this latter connection a case is cited wherein the state land board loaned \$2,500 of the school money to a Curry county farmer, who failed to meet his obligation and his place was taken over by the state and sold at a clear profit of \$6,300 above expenses.

There are plenty of homesteaders and men with small uncleared tracts of land who, if they could get the money on reasonable terms, would find it possible to make their land produce something, thus increasing its value to them and to the community. Under present conditions these men have to give up their places and go to work to make their livings.

## May be "Ringers"

The session at Salem is a direct result of the late meeting of the Irrigation Congress in Portland. Mr. Hall says that rural credits are very popular and he is afraid the men who want the state to back up the interest and bonds on irrigation and drainage projects will attend to tack their bills onto the rural credits section in order to pull the last two through.

If they do this, he believes the measure is lost and so he expects to make a hard fight for a rural credits bill without any attachments.

## COUILLE FLOODS EAT AWAY BOTTOM LANDS

Ranchers in Valley Sustain Heavy Losses—Figure On Trying to Prevent Damage.

(Special to The Times) COQUILLE, Ore., March 7.—The actual loss of land on account of the flood on the Coquille river is great. It requires only the observation of the farms along the river banks on a trip from Coquille to Bandon to see how great the loss really is. The high water several times a year makes deep cuts into the bottom lands. Some of the barns which were formerly well back from the river are now almost ready to fall into the water.

To stop this loss, the farmers complain that the cost is too great. County Agriculturalist Smith suggested that the port commissions might do well to take the matter up and attempt to check the loss of the land by piling brush along the banks. The bottom land is valuable and each year more of it is being carried away, never to be regained. This loss amounts into big figures if the actual acreage carried away was counted up.

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## HENRY TURRISH, OF DULUTH, NOTES IMPROVEMENT.

Prominent Lumberman Says There Is a Great Revival in Business—Lauds Wood Paving Block.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 7.—In spite of the handicap of lack of ships and a closed Panama canal, Henry Turrish, who lives in Duluth, Minn., but has many interests in Oregon timber and Oregon saw-mills, foresees in 1916 a very fair year for the lumber industry on the Pacific coast.

Mr. Turrish has been away from Portland for 14 months. He is the president of the Nohalem Timber & Logging company and is the heaviest stockholder in other companies, including the Beaver Lumber company and Western Lumber company. He spent some time in Southern California before coming to Portland on his present trip.

"The yards in that part of California are short of lumber," he said today. "You should do business there this year. In the Middle West, conditions are all that could be asked. In Minnesota and Wisconsin four feet of snow limited the output this winter. In the south, where they can get the ships to fill foreign orders, business is plentiful."

## Wants Wood Block Used.

Mr. Turrish met John B. Yeon this morning. At once he pounced upon the county roadmaster because wood blocks have not been generally used.

"We have only one street of wood blocks in Duluth, as a matter of fact, but it is the only perfect street in town," he said emphatically.

"You people in this country have had to learn that whenever an industry like the lumber business, where 80 per cent of the money spent goes for labor, is knocked out the whole community suffers. That is why 40,000 able-bodied men have become tramps."

"It has been the timber band system and the fact that a lot of amateurs got into the lumber business that has been the most to blame. Many of the bonds cost 11 to 15 per cent by the time the issue was sold. I am not saying there are no good bonds which ought to be sold, but the men who jumped in and borrowed money to buy timber and issued bonds have found out that selling lumber at mere take steps to secure the fortification of Coos Bay.

with the bonds still not retired could have only one end.

"There's only one crop to the timber business, for it takes about 700 years for a new crop to grow. Now you've got your demand increasing, the crop in the whole country diminishing, and out here the country isn't scratched yet.

## Haps High Taxes.

"Four high taxes have kept a lot of eastern money from being invested right here. It's all right to have roads, roads, but not everybody is turning out rubber and gasoline to be burned up, and they are absolutely unproductive themselves with most of the people who own cars.

## EXPOSITION AVIATOR ASKS DIVORCE DECREE

Art Smith's Sensational Aerial Elopement in Indiana Is Recalled.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Papers were prepared in a suit for divorce by Art Smith, aviator at the Panama-Pacific exposition, against Mrs. Smith, who was Miss Almee Cour, of Fort Wayne, Ind., alleging cruelty. The aviator took passage on the steamer Chiyu Maru, sailing for Japan.

The couple was married in October, 1913, at Hillsdale, Ind., after an elopement in Smith's aeroplane which was wrecked in a fall. The marriage ceremony was performed while the bride was on a hospital cot and Smith in a wheel chair. Smith is 22 and his wife 21. She now is with her parents in Fort Wayne.

Smith gave his wife credit for suggesting illuminated flights which were features of the exposition last year.

## TEMPLETON MAN WOULD FORTIFY COOS BAY

J. E. Torbett Writes Letter Urging Movement For Plan Outlined in The Times Recently.

J. E. Torbett, writing to the Chamber of Commerce, from Templeton, emphasizes the importance of fortifications for Coos Bay, as was recently outlined in The Times. He said that for years he lived at Port Townsend, a city of about this size on Puget Sound, and that there the payroll of the soldiers meant to the city exactly what the payroll of the mills do to the cities of the Bay. He urges that by all means the local Chamber of Commerce take steps to secure the fortification of Coos Bay.

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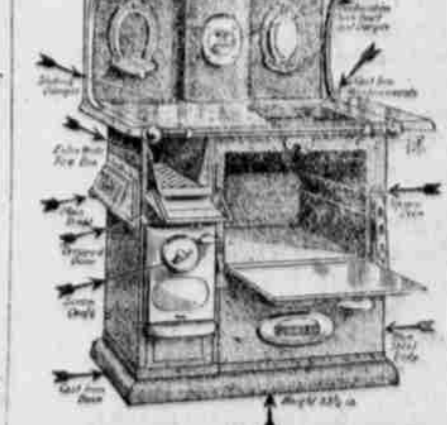
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11:30 a.m.	11:45 a.m.
12:00 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
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