

CONTRACTORS ARE NOT AFFECTED BY LAWS OF WELFARE COMMISSION

Attorney General Tells Hoff Wherein Workers Are Not Within Hour Ruling.

ONLY ACTUAL EMPLOYEES

Courts Might Possibly Recognize Flagrant Abuses of Ruling in Question.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., April 29.—Persons working under contract or business establishments affected by the rulings of the industrial welfare commission regulating the hours of employment of women are not subject to such rulings, according to an opinion of Attorney General Crawford given yesterday afternoon to State Labor Commissioner O. P. Hoff.

The question asked by Commissioner Hoff was if a telephone company enters into a contract with some individual to look after a certain department, or attend to certain work, would this be employment within the meaning of the order of the commission, limiting hours in certain employments to eight hours a day.

The attorney general, after pointing out that the question of whether a person is an employee or a contractor must be determined by the facts of each individual case, says:

"Only persons who are actually employed are within the rule of the commission, and if a person is a contracting party he is not within such rule. This theory of course is capable of abuse in the event of corporations or individuals desiring to work persons in excess of the limit prescribed by statute, by order of the commission, entering into contracts with them, in which event being contractors, they would not be subject to such statutes or orders. However, if it could be shown that this was purely for the purpose of avoiding the statutes, it is probable that the courts would hold that such a contract is void even though it was a technical compliance therewith.

"You are therefore advised that only employees are within the order of the industrial welfare commission, relating to persons working for corporations certain hours, the same not applying to contractors, and that a contractor is one who agrees to perform certain work who is independent in the performance of that work of any orders of his superior, while an employee is subject to such control as he does to his employer's control."

Marion County May Not Forfeit Taxes

Pointed Out That Case Is Same as One Recently Decided By Supreme Court on Appeal From Douglas Co.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., April 29.—George Parsons, deputy county tax collector, has expressed fear that Marion county will lose \$10,000 in taxes this year because of the suit brought by the government contesting the Southern Pacific Railroad company's title to 35,000 acres of timberland in the county. It was pointed out today that the situation in this county is exactly the same as the case recently decided by the supreme court on appeal from Douglas county, wherein the court, in an opinion written by Justice Charles L. McNary, held that the tax collector is "vested with extensive powers and impelled by statutory duties to such an extent as to be free from molestation by the courts so long as his official acts come within the approval of the statute. We think the law is fixed beyond cavil that courts of equity have no power by injunction to restrain a public officer from performing an official act that he is required by valid law to perform."

The land involved is part of the old Coos bay wagon road grant and suit has been brought by the government to annul the grant on the ground that its conditions were not complied with. But according to the opinion of the supreme court this case will relieve the Southern Pacific company from paying taxes on the land until the question of title is settled.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

After a Fatiguing Day

When the brain is tired and the strength exhausted, nothing is as invigorating as a cold bottle of

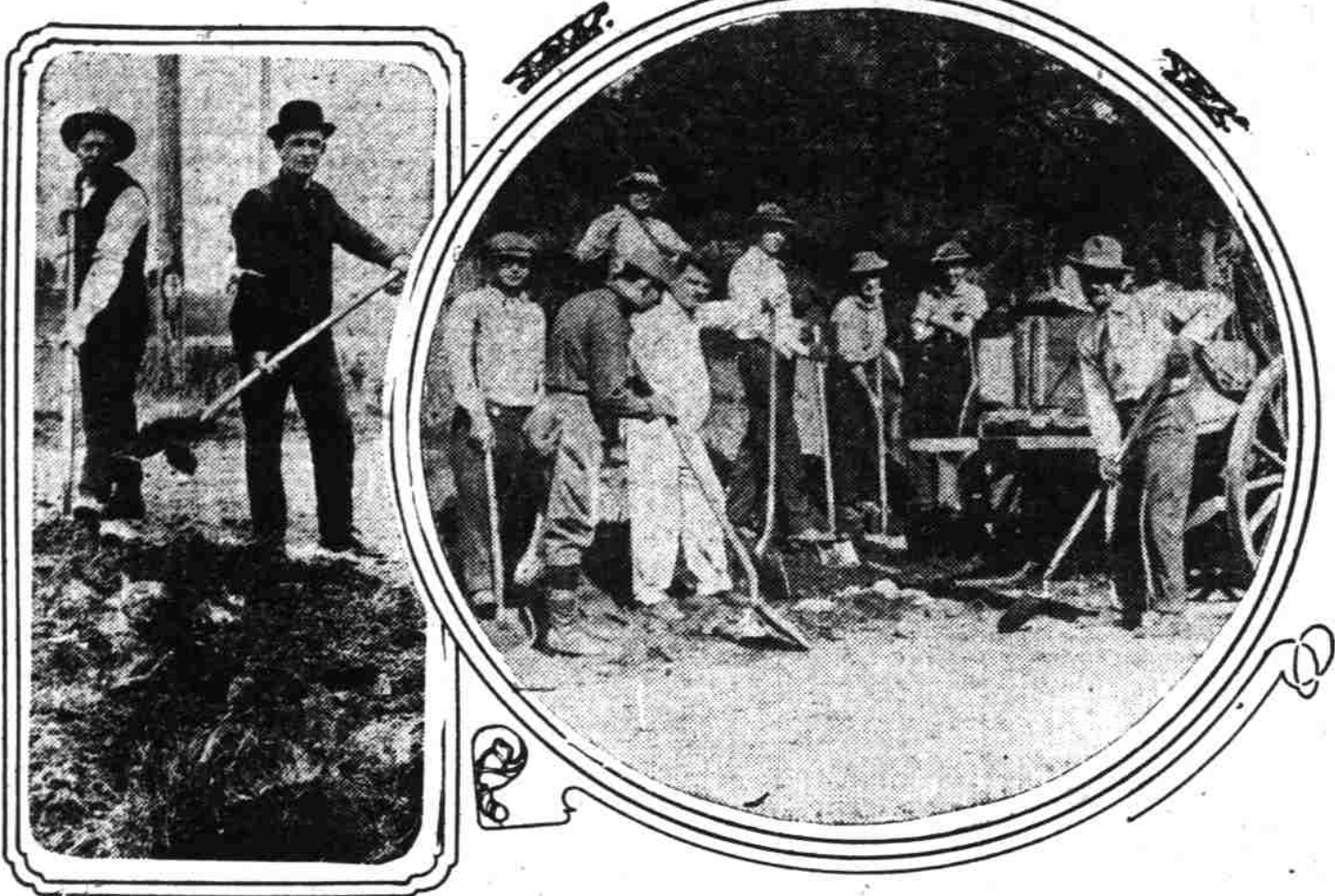


At luncheon, dinner or bedtime it is a drink par excellence. Made by master brewers, contains only the best selected, most nutritious ingredients.

PHONE YOUR ORDER

Portland Brewing Co.

EVERYBODY WORKED LIKE TROJANS ON GOOD ROADS DAY



At left—County Clerk Newton and Judge George W. Denman, Corvallis, on Benton county pike. On right—Hood River crew, on Columbia River Highway, under supervision of Frank Cram, at extreme right, pioneer merchant.

Salem, Or., April 29.—The "Better Roads" day proclaimed by Governor West was generally observed throughout the state as indicated in reports

received. In the outlying districts as well as in the larger cities municipal and county officials, business and professional men and citizens worked with

pick, shovel and scraper to improve the highways in their respective communities. Accompanying snapshots may be placed in the records as evidence.

Oregon Socialists Offer Amendment

Plan Is to Create a Department of Industry and Public Works, to Be Under Labor's Commission.

Salem, Or., April 29.—There is hereby created and established a department of industry and public works, which shall be under the supervision and control of the state labor commissioner. Such department shall establish industries, systems of transportation, distributing stations and public works, for the employment of the unemployed citizens of the state of Oregon and for the distribution and sale of their products.

This reads the first section of a proposed constitutional amendment submitted to the secretary of state yesterday by the socialist party of Oregon. The amendment is to be submitted to the voters at the next election by initiative petition.

The next section of the proposed amendment provides for raising funds for the new department by levying a tax of not less than 10 per cent upon the estates of decedent persons appraised at \$50,000 or more. Funds also may be appropriated by the legislature. The funds thus collected are to be immediately available for use by the department. All expenditures of the funds by the labor commissioner are to be subject to the approval of the state board of control.

Start Hill Terminals.
Port Stevens, Or., April 29.—The first work on the Hill terminals to be built between Hammond and Flavel on the lower Columbia started yesterday with the surveys for the dock approaches.

The holding on which the terminals and dockage is to be constructed extends for a distance of 3800 feet between Hammond and Flavel and has a depth of 1000 feet.

Two Widows Named By Wife in Lawsuit

Niece of Late Colonel Swope of Kansas City Says Denver Clerk She Eloped With Has Proved Fickle.

Los Angeles, April 29.—Mrs. W. B. Byrn, niece of the late Colonel Thomas Swope of Kansas City, and an important witness in the recent Hyde murder trials that resulted from Swope's death, is a divorcee case plainfiff here today. Byrn was a clerk of Denver. He eloped with his wife in 1911.

Two widows, both wealthy and elderly, are named by Mrs. Byrn as co-defendants. Byrn replied that his relations with the women were of a strict business character. He places the blame for his marital troubles on his mother-in-law, Mrs. Logan Swope of Kansas City.

No Courtship for Lum Sue of Astoria

Chinaman Married in Los Angeles to Girl Promised Him on the Day of Her Birth; Groom Is Forty.

Los Angeles, April 29.—Miss Wong Fong How, 20, of Riverside, was married to Lum Sue, 40, of Astoria, Or., whom she had never seen before the ceremony. Her parents promised her to Lum on the day of her birth.

Astoria, Or., April 29.—Lum Sue is well known here. He is proprietor of a Chinese store on Bond street, and has resided here for a number of years.

Success is attending experiments in Sweden with perforating the webs of streetcar rails to increase their resiliency and add to their life when laid on rigid foundations.

Peddlers Object To High License

Initiative Bill to Protect Itinerants Drawn Up in Eugene and Plans Are Made for State Wide Distribution.

Eugene, Or., April 29.—An initiative bill to protect the traveling peddler has been drawn up and printed in Eugene, and steps taken toward its circulation throughout the state. The bill is being initiated by the Retail Traveling Men's association of Oregon, of which J. W. Marksbury of Eugene is president and G. H. Sellers of Salem is secretary.

It is claimed by the members of the association that the combination of two laws now being enforced in Oregon will put them out of business. They declare that they are willing to pay a reasonable license of \$50 a year, and will agree to distribute only standard articles that are on sale at any drug store, and will agree to peddle exclusively in the country. One of the laws, which the peddlers object to was passed a number of years ago and the other is the pharmacy law, passed at the last session of the legislature. The old law imposes a license of \$200 and the pharmacy law imposes an additional license of \$200. The fees proposed by the peddlers in their bill range from \$10 to \$50, according to the population of the county and the kind of vehicle the peddler employs.

New Armory for Eugene.
Eugene, Or., April 29.—Eugene's new armory will be located at the northeast corner of Seventh avenue and Oak street, the general staff having decided upon that quarter of a block out of 40 sites offered. The price to be paid is \$19,000. This will leave \$56,000 for the erection of the building, the city, county and state having each furnished \$28,000. The site was owned by L. N. Roney and F. L. Chambers.

Etoile de France
La Vida
Smart Set
Nemo
W. B. Nuform
Nadia
Bien Jolie
Modart
Front Lace
C. B. a la Spirite

All Merchandise Purchased the Balance of the Month Charged on Your June 1st Bill

Lipman Wolfe & Co
Merchandise of Merit Only

New \$37.50, \$40.00 and \$42.50 Suits of Very Special Quality Silk Bengaline and Moire

Special at \$28.75

Exact Reproductions of Paris Models



Special at \$28.75

In Beautiful Colors of Unusual Shades

—Unusual things have been offered here before this season, but these suits tomorrow are extraordinary, for to get such suits at this time of the season is, as all women know, decidedly unusual.

—They are made of Silk Moire, Silk Bengaline and Silk Crepe Bengaline in all shades of tango, reseda, navy blue, Copenhagen, Rose and Tan.

—Exactly four individual styles, new in every line, full of the swing and gaiety of Paris fashions, as they are actual reproductions of French models, made by a manufacturer famous for the cleverness with which he adapts Paris styles.

—Third Floor

Pictorial Review Fashion Books and Patterns For June—On Sale Second Floor

1^c One Cent Has a Tremendous Purchasing Power

Our Second Annual Spring Drug Sale A ONE CENT SALE

First Introduced by This Store Last Spring Read the List—Note the Tremendous Savings

—When we first introduced this style of a sale last year it created nothing less than a furore, and the response was overwhelming. This year the inducements are far more interesting. It is a sale where the smallest coin made takes on a hundred fold in purchasing power.

—YOU PAY ONE CENT more than is the first price on any article, and you get two. No matter what the original price is, the second purchase costs JUST ONE CENT. This applies to every article herein advertised.

TOILET ARTICLES

25c Rose Powder, special 2 for 26c
25c Sanitol Tooth Powder, special 2 for 26c
25c Kolynos Tooth Paste, special 2 for 26c
25c Lyons' Tooth Powder, special 2 for 26c
25c Bathasweet, special 2 for 26c
25c Euthymol Tooth Paste, special 2 for 26c
25c Riveris Violet Talcum, special 2 for 26c
25c Eclipse Talcum Powder, special 2 for 26c
25c Williams' Talcum Powder, special 2 for 26c
25c Babcock's Corylopsis Talcum, special 2 for 26c
50c Stearns' Necessity, special 2 for 51c
45c Pinaud's Brilliance, special 2 for 46c
50c Ongaline, special 2 for 51c
50c La Vida Rose Rouge, special 2 for 51c
35c Daggett & Ramsdell Cream, special 2 for 36c
50c Theatrical Cold Cream, special 2 for 51c
25c Theatrical Cold Cream, special 2 for 26c
25c Eureka Peroxide Cream, special 2 for 26c
50c Malvina Cream, special 2 for 51c
50c Palmolive Cream, special 2 for 51c
50c Pompeian Massage, special 2 for 51c
25c Sanitol Face Cream, special 2 for 26c
35c Almond Lotion, special 2 for 36c
35c Witch Hazel Lotion, special 2 for 36c
25c Woodbury's Face Cream, special 2 for 26c

10c Hat Bleach, special 2 for 11c
25c Hat Dye, all shades, special 2 for 26c
25c Malt Nutrine, special 2 for 26c
25c Box Seidlitz Powder, special 2 for 26c
50c Murine Eye Remedy, special 2 for 51c
25c Liquid Corn Cure, special 2 for 26c
25c Witch Hazel, special 2 for 26c
25c Violet Ammonia, special 2 for 26c
10c Household Ammonia, special 2 for 11c
25c Hydrogen Peroxide, special 2 for 26c
10c Hydrogen Peroxide, special 2 for 11c
20c Bottle Denatured Alcohol, special 2 for 21c
10c Bicarbonate Soda, special 2 for 11c
10c Pkg. Epsom Salts, special 2 for 11c
10c Pkg. Boric Acid, special 2 for 11c
10c Pkg. Insect Powder, special 2 for 11c
10c Package Lavender Mothens, special 2 for 11c
10c Senna Leaves, special 2 for 11c

10c Palm-Olive Soap, special 2 for 11c
10c Turkish Bath Soap, special 2 for 11c
10c Cocoa Almond Soap, special 2 for 11c
10c Rose Glycerine Soap, special 2 for 11c
10c Vegetable Oil Soap, special 2 for 11c

10c Medicated Tar Soap, special 2 for 11c
10c Carbolic Soap, special 2 for 11c
10c Renaissance Soap, special 2 for 11c
15c Armour's Supertar, special 2 for 16c
25c Cuticura Soap, special 2 for 26c

25c Woodbury's Soap, special 2 for 26c
25c Eutaska Soap, special 2 for 26c
10c Elderflower Soap, special 2 for 11c
10c Oatmeal Soap, special 2 for 11c
10c Violet Glycerine Soap, special 2 for 11c

25c Euthymol Cold Cream, special 2 for 26c
25c Almond Meal, special 2 for 26c
25c Mennen's Shaving Cream, special 2 for 26c
25c Williams' Shaving Cream, special 2 for 26c
25c DeMiracle Cream, special 2 for 26c
50c Sempere Giovine, special 2 for 51c
25c Sanitol Hair Tonic, special 2 for 26c

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10c Bottle Spirits of Turpentine, special 2 for 11c
25c Bottle-Cascara Liquid, special 2 for 26c
25c Bottle Paregoric, special 2 for 26c
35c Bottle Vanilla Extract, special 2 for 36c
25c Bottle Rose Water, special 2 for 26c
25c Bottle Glycerine and Rose Water, special 2 for 26c
10c Bottle Spirits Camphor, special 2 for 11c
10c Bottle Castor Oil, special 2 for 11c
25c Sal Hepatica, special 2 for 26c
5c Sulphur Candles, special 2 for 6c
35c Wyeth's Lithia Tablets, special 2 for 36c
50c Kondon's Catarrh Jelly, special 2 for 51c
50c Pond's Extract, special 2 for 51c
50c Pinaud's Eau de Quinine, special 2 for 51c
10c Soda Mint Tablets, special 2 for 11c
10c Potash Tablets, special 2 for 11c
10c Sulphur and Cream Tartar Loz., special 2 for 11c
50c Effervescent Sodium Phosphate, special 2 for 51c

10c Face Chamomile, special 2 for 11c
10c Emery Boards, special 2 for 11c
10c Real Orange Wood Sticks, special 2 for 11c
20c Face Sponges, special 2 for 21c
35c Whisk Brooms, special 2 for 36c
5c Medicine Bottles, special 2 for 6c
5c Nursing Bottles, special 2 for 6c
5c Finger Cots, special 2 for 6c
35c Lamb's Wool Puffs, special 2 for 36c
5c Lamb's Wool Puffs, special 2 for 6c
15c Down Powder Puffs, special 2 for 16c
35c Celluloid Soap Boxes, special 2 for 36c
35c Celluloid Dressing Combs, special 2 for 36c
35c Tooth Brush Holders, special 2 for 36c
10c Sachets, fancy, special 2 for 11c

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CORSETS

A \$1.75 Nadia Corset Wednesday \$1.19

—This special corset is made of batiste, showing the new low bust, the long line over the hips and back, and has three pairs of hose supporters attached. Trimmed with lace and ribbon. This is a splendid model for medium, as well as heavy figures.

\$3 Model Corsets Nadia, W. B. Nuform Special \$1.95

—These are the most up-to-date models of the season, which will produce the perfect long shoulder and graceful lines. They are made of fancy broche, double batiste and coutil, with very low bust, extreme length over the hips, abdomen and back, three pairs of hose supporters attached. The models of double batiste are very lightly boned, thus being particularly suitable for the slender figure.

\$1.50 Brassieres Special 98c

—Numerous styles of brassieres in this offering, including the open front and cross-back styles. Made with round or square necks, some formed of all-over embroidery, others with embroidery insertion. Finished at the neck and sleeves with embroidery edging or Cluny lace and insertion.

1^c A Trifling Coin With a Powerful Purchasing Power