

COMPENSATION LAW IS IN EFFECT TODAY THROUGHOUT STATE

Practically Eighty-five Per Cent of All Employers in Hazardous Lines Included.

WITHDRAW REJECTIONS

Seven Travelling Auditors and Twelve Office Men Are in the New Department.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., July 1.—The workmen's compensation law became operative today. Practically 4000 employers engaged in industries classed as hazardous have come under the act. This is estimated at about 85 per cent of all the employers in the state engaged in these industries.

Members of the industrial accident commission state that letters are still being received daily from employers who want to withdraw their rejection and become subject to the law. It now requires 30 days' notice to withdraw a rejection.

The law provides for the employer, the employee and the state contributing to the industrial accident fund, out of which compensation for injuries is to be paid to all injured employees or their families who come within the provisions of the law.

Yesterday was spent by members of the commission coaching the new employees of the department. There will be seven traveling auditors who will spend their time visiting the various employers and the scenes of their operations, explaining the provisions of the law and obtaining the information needed concerning the number of men employed, amount of payroll, etc. There will be 12 employees in the office.

Claims for compensation, which require special investigation, are to be given personal attention by members of the commission, who expect to take that opportunity to get into touch with the employers and employees over the state.

May Sign Petition if Not Registered

Attorney General Crawford Enforms County Clerk of Curry County What Voters Can Do on Recall.

Salem, Or., July 1.—It is not required that a voter be registered before being eligible to sign a recall petition, according to an opinion of Attorney General Crawford, given today to J. R. Stannard, county clerk of Curry county.

The attorney general advised State Labor Commissioner O. P. Hoff that the city of Grants Pass is subject to the eight hour law in connection with the men it employs in the construction of its municipal railroad, being built from the city to a point several miles out.

He advised H. E. Sprute, district school clerk at Joseph, that the fact that voters were escorted to the polls, and that ballots were distributed just outside of the voting places, does not invalidate the election. He said the corrupt practices act is likely violated, but it would have no effect on the legality of the election.

Cooperative Supply Stockholders Sue

Group Charges That if Bank of Gresham Had Not Backed Scheme Subscriptions Not Been Made.

Six suits to recover money paid on notes and for interest to the bank of Gresham as the result of purchases of Cooperative Supply House stock were filed against the bank, its officers and George J. Hodder, president of the supply company, this morning. F. O. Ekstrom asks for \$1000 and \$25.31 interest; O. W. Boring for \$1000 and \$41.75 interest; C. J. Unis for \$1000 and \$40 interest; H. G. Muller for \$1500 and \$54.85 interest; Ned Nelson for \$1000 and \$36.68 interest and C. H. Johnson for \$800 and \$38.27 interest. It is alleged that the bank gave backing to the supply company and that the notes were given because of this backing.

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CARD DEPICTS BITTER FEELING OF SERBS



Picture of two girls signifies that they are enchained by Austrian empire.

The postcard entitled "Bosnia and Herzegovina in Chains" is symbolic of the fact that these two provinces, formerly owned by Serbia, were acquired through conquest by the Austrians. The Serbians have never forgotten the disgrace, and the anti-Austrian sentiment, as represented by

this postcard, which has wide circulation, is very popular. Archduke Ferdinand and his wife were assassinated in the province of Bosnia at Sarajevo Sunday. Late reports indicate that the assassination, instead of being the plot of anarchists, is a scheme of patriotic Serbian nationalists.

Legislative Tax Committee Appoints

Senators McCulloch and Galkins and Representative Blanchard Will Assist Chairman Galloway.

Salem, Or., July 1.—Senator Claude McCulloch of Portland, Senator W. W. Galkins of Eugene and Representative E. E. Blanchard of Grants Pass were appointed on a committee to assist Chairman Charles V. Galloway, of the state tax commission, in the preparation of arguments in support of the two taxation constitutional amendments referred to the people by the last legislature. The committee was appointed by Senator George Neuner, chairman of the legislative tax committee, at the meeting of the committee yesterday afternoon.

After discussing the various measures regarding taxation being proposed under the initiative, the committee decided to confine its efforts to the support of the two proposed constitutional amendments referred to by the legislature. These authorize the classification of property for taxation purposes.

Late Pat Kenny Is to Have Tombstone

Court Permits \$150 To Be Spent For Monument; Allows Whatever Heirs Agree on for Masses.

"Perhaps a few masses for the repose of his soul might be of more use to him than a tombstone," suggested the sister-in-law of Patrick Kenny, late pioneer back driver of Portland, to Circuit Judge Cleeton yesterday. Attorney John F. Logan and Mrs. Kenny had appeared to ask the court to provide for a tombstone for Kenny's grave.

"I fear masses are out of my jurisdiction," said Judge Cleeton. "but perhaps a few might be added for good weight. You may spend \$150 for the stone, and as to the masses, what the heirs agree is satisfactory to the court." Kenny died last winter.

Poor People Will Be Given Outing

Salvation Army Preparing to Take Mothers and Children to Magone's Park for Day of Pleasure.

Arrangements are about completed for the Salvation army's free summer outing to poor mothers and children, to be given Thursday, July 9. The steamer Gramona, with a capacity of 413 persons, has been chartered for the day to take the party up the Willamette river to and from Magone's Park.

Several hours will be spent at the park enjoying nature's scenery, a substantial lunch will be provided each person, including ice cream, lemonade, fruit, candy, etc. Games and races will be the order of the afternoon.

Donations of cash or provisions for the outing will be gratefully received, addressed to the Salvation Army relief department, 243 Ash street. Tickets for the outing can be obtained at the following army branches: 243 Ash street, 247 Salmon street and 24 Union avenue. The army's kettles will be on the street corners for a few days to get money to help make the outing a success.

PIONEER WOMEN ELECT

Mrs. J. W. Minto was elected president of the Women's auxiliary to the Oregon Pioneers at the annual meeting held Monday in the Hotel Multnomah. Mrs. Benton Kullin, who has been president the past year, presided. Mrs. J. W. Cook was elected first vice president; Mrs. Kate Holman, second vice president; Mrs. Herbert Holman,

BAXTER CAPTURED BY FEDERAL AUTHORITIES ON CHARGE OF FRAUD

Joint Proprietor of Medical Company Fled From Indictment in Portland.

(United Press Local Wire.)
San Francisco, July 1.—A man said by the federal authorities to be W. L. Baxter, of Portland, was awaiting a hearing here today relative to his transfer to the Oregon city for trial on a charge of using the mails to defraud.

At the United States marshal's office it was said he was connected with a Portland medical dispensary, was indicted, immediately left town, came to San Francisco by steamship under the name of Johnson and soon afterward went to Ukiah, where he was arrested. Brought here, United States Commissioner Krull fixed his bail at \$2000.

W. L. Baxter and W. B. Braden, proprietors of the Dr. Green Medical company, occupying conspicuous offices at Fifth and Morrison streets, were indicted by the United States grand jury June 17, charged with using the mails to defraud.

The indictment alleges that the men carried on a correspondence business with patients and took from them money and gave them treatment for disorders and diseases that other physicians of the city had never been afflicted with. The men also issued a "health certificate" for which they are said to have secured as much money as the patient would pay, and on which the "patient" would receive treatment until he "recovered," or had expended the amount named on the document.

Braden was arrested a couple of days after the indictment was returned. Baxter, however, was up the stairs at the time and in the morning heard of the indictment. He started for Coos Bay with Deputy United States Marshal Van Armitage a day behind him. Armitage arrived at Marshfield only to learn that Baxter had left on a vessel for San Francisco the day before. Word was at once sent south asking that federal officers there be on the lookout.

Treble Damages Asked

Treble damages for alleged illegal cutting of timber are asked in a suit filed Monday by William Hoffman against Ross, Higgins & Co. of Astoria. Hoffman is a cabinet maker and alleged that he intended to use timber from 40 acres of land in Washington county, Washington, for his work, but that he discovered that the company had cut 114,000 feet of the timber valued at \$500. He asks for \$1500 damages.

Auto Goes Through Bridge

Gilroy, Cal., July 1.—News was received that Harry Schmel of Gilroy had been killed, and J. A. Phippin of San Jose and William South of Santa Clara badly injured when their automobile went through a bridge across the Pacheco river.

New Standards in Effect Here Today

Railroad Commission Behind Rules Affecting Standards for Gas and Other Utilities of the State.

A new set of rules and regulations relating to standards of quality, pressure, voltage and various service conditions of light, gas, heat, water and power utilities has been adopted by the state railroad commission and becomes effective today. These rules and regulations have been fixed by the state railroad commission after considerable study and various hearings and investigations and are aimed at securing the best possible service for the consumer without placing unnecessary burdens on the producers.

Provision for the testing of all meters on application of customers by each utility is made, such test to be free of charge provided no test has been made by the commission or the utility within a year preceding. Tests will be made by the commission on deposit of stipulated fees, which are returned to the customers provided the test shows the meters to be defective. Degrees of purity, standard amounts and other requirements for tests are set out. Application to the state railroad commission will secure copies of the rules and regulations for those interested.

The Dalles Citizen "Pans" Officials

Asks Secretary of State to Send Man to Investigate Speeding on Highways; Says County Officials Laugh.

Salem, Or., July 1.—Peter Godfrey, who lives near The Dalles, is very angry because of the manner in which he says automobiles and motorcycles go speeding over the county roads in that section, and has asked Secretary of State Olcott to send somebody over there "to see what is going on on the county roads here every day."

"We have the most worthless set of officers here that ever afflicted any county here at The Dalles," he says. "I came run away; my women and children are killed, and if we go to see them they laugh about it." He promises to furnish a man board and lodging and a horse and buggy to see what is going on.

To Protect "Jump-Off-Joe."

Salem, Or., July 1.—Acting upon reports that persons are disfiguring Jump-Off Joe, a prominent rock and landmark on the coast near Newport and which is said to be the property of the state, the state land board today directed J. F. Stewart, prosecuting attorney at Toledo, to make an investigation of the matter and take necessary steps to see that the property is protected. It is reported that huge advertisements are now displayed on the rock, which is known to all who visit the Lincoln county resort.

Where Is D. J. Toohey?

Salem, Or., July 1.—Miss Mary Murphy of Liverpool, England, has asked Secretary of State Olcott to assist in locating her uncle, D. J. Toohey, who has been in Klamath Falls and was

last heard from as leaving California for England.

Fremont Block at Salem Is Burned

Hotel Patrons Awakened in Time to Leave Building—Contents Destroyed, No Insurance—Automobiles Burn.

Salem, Or., July 1.—Fire destroyed the Fremont hotel block, corner High and Ferry streets, about midnight last night and caused a loss estimated at \$30,000. The building was owned by

George F. Rodgers, and besides the hotel, which occupied all of the second floor, housed seven small business establishments.

Mr. Rodgers had no insurance on the building, which he valued at \$15,000, or the hotel furniture, valued at \$3000. He had let the insurance lapse a short time ago, pending an adjustment of rates. Besides the hotel, the tenants in the building were the Standard Cleaners, Morse Ramson's motorcycle shop, Reese & Elgin garage, Hutcheon Paint company, Salem Vulcanizing Works, F. Bezemat laundry, and A. L. Fraser, plumbing.

It is reported that 10 automobiles were destroyed in the garage. Origin

of the fire is unknown, but it is thought it started in the rear of the Rees & Elgin garage. Mrs. H. W. Harding, who was running the Fremont hotel, discovered the smoke in time to arouse those sleeping in the hotel, and all were gotten out safely, but practically everything in the building was lost. The building was of frame construction and burned rapidly.

Beggar Sued for Divorce.
San Francisco, July 1.—His wife sued for divorce from O. E. Morse, blind, paralyzed beggar, charging cruelty and saying Morse collects \$8 to \$9 daily and has a \$1000 bank account.

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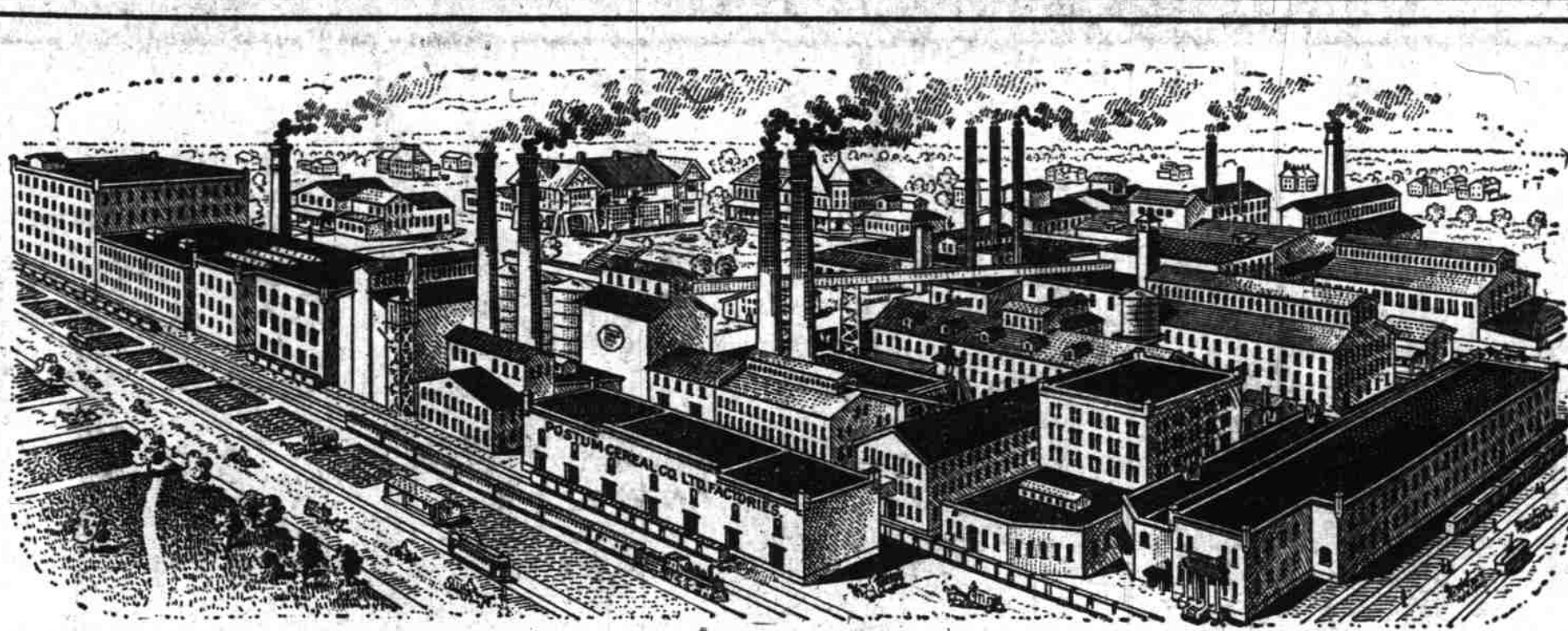
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