

BALLOT TITLE IS COMPLETED

Voters in November Asked to Vote on Market Commission Measure

Attorney General Brown yesterday completed the ballot title for the state market commission bill, initiated by the State Taxpayers' league, and providing for a state market director with a salary of \$4500 a year and a secretary at \$3600 a year. The officers of the taxpayers league initiating the bill are Walter M. Pierce of LaGrande, president; C. L. Hawley of McCoy and J. A. Westerlund of Medford, vice presidents, and Robert E. Smith of Portland, secretary-treasurer.

The ballot title follows: "To create a state market commission, establishing the office of state market director, salary \$4500 per annum and secretary, salary \$3600 per annum, defining duties and powers of commission to be to assist in economical distribution of products at fair prices, disseminate information concerning market conditions, encourage co-operation among producers, distributors and consumers, mediate disputes when requested, supervise markets and cooperative associations, issue labels in certain cases, inspect products in storage, warehouses and common carriers, authorizing hiring attorney and other employees, providing for appropriation of \$50,000 to cover expenses through the year 1922, and providing penalties for violation of the act."

Principals in New York's First Overalls Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. W. Ramsey Frederick

The first "overalls" wedding on record was recently celebrated in New York City, the principals being Miss Gertrude Reinhardt of Brooklyn and W. Ramsey Frederick of New York. The bride's gown cost four dollars. The minister and the best man were also dressed in overalls. Mr. Frederick was in the Intelligence Department during the war.

Women in Fine Homes Refuse to Help Poor

A woman came to The Statesman office yesterday as mad as hops. She wanted a roast for some Salem women; not a beef roast or a pork roast, or anything of that kind, but a newspaper roast—and done brown and piping hot, with pimento and red pepper and tobacco dressing. And she named names and gave dates and locations. But this shall be nameless. If newspaper reporters gave all the names and facts they hear, the said reporters would not be good life insurance risks. Well, with the above few warm words of introduction, here is the story: W. G. Moses, who had been working for the Spaulding Logging company, died. It was unexpected. He had been ill for only a few days. He left a widow with \$2.10 in cash and three children and a few clothes and no food. The Spaulding company furnished and paid for a trained nurse, and the Spaulding and paper mill employees contributed food and clothes and money; as did a lot of good people in Salem. A window sweep gave \$2.50. Mrs. Alice H. Dodd of the Red

Cross became interested and helped. Some women sent flowers. But two women in fine homes, when appealed to for flowers, though they acknowledged that they had plenty of them, would give none; and they were anything but polite and considerate and complimentary to the poor in the language and manner of their refusals. That is what made the woman who called at The Statesman office so hopping mad. The deceased husband's people live in North Carolina. The widow's people live in New York. They were among strangers. They had a little home and a start in life. But the oldest child, a boy (the others being boy and girl), was sick, and they impoverished themselves in trying to get him cured. The husband got work in a Portland ship yard. That work being finished, he worked on the railroad; then they came to Salem, where the sick boy had been placed in a state institution with the hope of a cure. They wanted to be near their boy. Mr. Moses got work in the Spaulding mill. That is the story. Now, this mother with her boy and girl are still needy, though their temporary wants have been supplied by Salem's good people. They have a place in the world. It should be found for them. They are at the Leonard hotel on Front street. They are commended to the right man or woman or men or women among the thousands of readers of this article.

Winning Costume of Jungle Ball



Miss Florence Egan is inside, or mostly inside, this prize winning costume—taken at the annual Jungle Ball of the merry Greenwich Villagers recently given in New York.

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The letters will be in the lavender flowers while the entire background will be white. The second bed will hold the letters "B. P. O. E." in honor of the Elks convention which will be held in this city late in June. This too will be in lavender and white blossoms. There will also be a large Shrine emblem in the bed which will be planted in red and white flowers. J. W. Maruny will have charge of planting the beds, while the work is under the auspices of the Salem Floral society. Plans are being made by the society whereby many corners of the city will be beautified during the summer. Under the direction of Mrs. O. A. Chappell, school children of Salem will beautify the grounds about their various buildings, and several vacant lots may be planted to flowers and shrubs. The Floral society is just beginning to get under way and plan a summer campaign which will aid materially in making Salem a city beautiful.

\$170,000.00 ROAD BONDS OF MARION COUNTY, OREGON.

Sealed proposals will be received by the County Court of Marion County, Oregon, at the court house in Salem, in said county, until June 5, 1920, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon of said day, for the purchase of \$170,000.00 permanent road bonds of Marion county, part of an issue of \$550,000.00 authorized at an election held June 3, 1919. The bonds now offered for sale shall be dated June 1, 1920, and one-half thereof shall mature June 1, 1924, and the other half thereof shall mature June 1, 1925, and shall be in denominations of \$50.00 or multiples thereof up to the sum of \$1000.00, to suit the purchaser, and shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. All bidders are required to inclose with their bid a certified check payable to the order of Marion County, Oregon, and drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company to the amount of two per cent of the par value of the bonds bid for, and the check of the successful bidder will be applied by the county in part payment of the purchase price or to secure the county against loss resulting from the failure of the bidder to comply with the terms of the bid submitted. No bid will be received for a price of less than par and accrued interest and the bonds will be sold to the highest bidder, but preference will be given to the citizens of the county. The County Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The proposals should be addressed to U. G. Boyer, County Clerk, Salem, Marion County, Oregon, and marked "Proposals for Road Bonds." The successful bidders will be furnished with the opinion of Messrs. Storey, Thorndike, Palmer and Dodge, of Boston, Massachusetts, that the bonds are a valid obligation of Marion County, Oregon. By order of the County Court, U. G. BOYER, Clerk. Dated May 13, 1920.

Lodge Emblems Will Be Planted in Public Lawn

Work is to be started Monday on two large flower beds on the court house lawn, which will bid welcome to Shrine and Elk visitors this summer. The first bed will be set to lavender geraniums and sweet alyssum, and will bear the word "Wel-

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