

ONLY 4 MEASURES APPROVED IN VOTE

Income Tax Measure Defeated by 19,294 Votes; Official Count Shows

Complete official returns of the recent special election as canvassed by the secretary of state show that the state income tax measure was defeated by a majority of 19,294 of the votes cast.

A total of 48,745 votes were cast in favor of the measure while 67,039 votes were cast against the measure.

Only four of the various measures and constitutional amendments referred to the voters were approved. These included repeal of the negro, Chinaman and mulatto suffrage section of the constitution, Portland school district tax levy amendment, criminal information amendment and voters registration amendment.

Following is a summary of the vote cast at the special election, as canvassed by the state department:

| Measure | For | Against |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|
| Repeal suffrage section | 69,373 | 41,887 |
| Portland school levy | 46,784 | 55,817 |
| Criminal information | 64,956 | 38,774 |
| Legislators' pay | 28,380 | 81,215 |
| Voters' registration | 55,802 | 49,682 |
| Officers' salary | 46,999 | 61,838 |
| City-county consolidation | 41,309 | 57,413 |
| Veterans memorial | 25,180 | 80,476 |
| Tax limitation | 19,293 | 84,697 |
| Income tax | 48,745 | 67,039 |
| Property assessment | 31,957 | 70,871 |
| Nestucca closing | 53,684 | 47,552 |

OREGON LEADING COAST STATES IN GOOD ROADS

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miles of pavement, 2,500 miles of macadam or gravel, and 200 miles of graded unsurfaced roads, while 900 miles of the highway system is still without improvement, Mr. Klein reported.

Attracts Tourists
The greatest attractions for tourists include Crater lake first of all; Diamond lake, the Oregon caves, the McKenzie river, Lava River caves near Bend, Wallowa lake, the north and south Santiam roads, the Mount Hood loop, and one which is now being opened up,

of the Roosevelt highway between Tillamook and Newport.

Delay in construction of the Roosevelt highway south of Tillamook has been due to heavy construction cost and weather difficulties, the engineer explained.

Seek Beautification
Other activities of the highway department have included beautification efforts and the acquiring of parks. Mr. Klein mentioned, in central Oregon the timber companies have obligingly left strips of timber along the highways, but elsewhere the denuding of the scenery is a difficult problem.

Many Employed Here
As to the meaning of the highway program to Salem, Mr. Klein stated that 50 persons are employed in the office and 75 in the shops here, making this one of the city's biggest though little known industries.

Benefits for the state as a whole include the employment of 1000 persons direct and about 3000 at times, counting contract work, on the highways; the provision of facilities for marketing the farmers' produce, and the eliminating of many one-room school houses through consolidation.

CRUSHED UNDER TRUCK

Linnton Man Killed When Cab Tips Over Canyon Road

PORTLAND, July 13.—(AP)—Caught in the cab of his truck when it tipped over on the side of the canyon road near Sylvan, Ernest C. Coble, 33, of Linnton, was killed today. His skull was crushed when the metal cab collapsed beneath the weight of the heavy vehicle.

Coble was hauling dirt for a roadway and had backed the loaded truck too far into soft dirt on the graded side of the road. The truck tipped and then turned over.

ACTOR PUT IN JAIL

CULLEN LANDIS FAILS TO MEET ALIMONY PAYMENTS

LOS ANGELES, July 13.—(AP)—Cullen Landis, motion picture actor, this afternoon was locked behind county jail bars to serve a five day term, imposed this morning for failure to meet alimony payments due his divorced wife, Mignon Lebrun Landis.

The actor was sentenced by Superior Judge Robert H. Scott, who gave him until 2 p.m. to arrange his affairs and appear to begin serving his punitive term. Promptly on the hour Landis presented himself at the hall of justice building and was assigned and locked in a cell.

The movie actor was \$1000 behind in alimony payments. He testified he had made \$17,000 since November out of which he had paid his former wife \$2,700. His case had been the subject of legal argument of a period of several months.

The defendant apparently has not made good use of the money he has earned," Judge Scott commented in passing sentence. "I see no redeeming feature in this case."

gasoline corporation of New York, and P. H. Shell, special representative of the Ethyl corporation from Portland.

Sales representatives were present at the meeting from Silverton, Woodburn, Independence, Dallas, McMinville, Lebanon, Albany, Corvallis, Toledo, Tillamook, Newberg, and Salem.

Meetings of this group are held every month or two, Mr. Tostevin said last night.

"We'll bet that when he is out fishing, President Coolidge doesn't scare away the fish by any unnecessary talking."

BEET INDUSTRY LEADER WILL VISIT HERE SOON

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that the Willamette valley could support the industry successfully if it will come to irrigation and the farmers will see the light.

"Therefore, I shall be very much interested if I am able to visit the valley and see and learn what has been accomplished with reference to irrigation development. Yours very truly,

"Utah-Idaho Sugar Company, J. W. Timpson, District Manager."

This Is of Interest

The above letter is of great interest to the Salem district. Under the direction of Mr. Timpson, beet sugar experiments were made in the Salem district in 1924 and 1925, in the former year on 13 different farms and in the latter 17, representing all types of our soil, from hill land to the Labish beaverdam section, and they made good showings on the average, in sugar content and parity and per acre tonnage.

Last fall, an attempt, under the direction of the Portland and Salem chambers of commerce, was made to sign up 1000 acres or more of sugar beets, for a major experiment, the beets to be processed at the Bellingham factory

of this company, the farmers to stand part of the freight and the company part. This attempt did not meet with a sufficient degree of success to warrant the expense of loading stations, supervisors in planting and growing, etc.

Very Gratifying
It should be gratifying to all the people of the Salem district that Mr. Timpson has not forgotten this valley as a prospective location for the next factory of his company, preferring it over British Columbia.

Such a factory would cost a million and a half to two million dollars. It would bring a vast train of benefits. It would speed up dairying here on the way to the point of making this valley the greatest dairying district in the world, which it is bound in time to be.

The Utah-Idaho Sugar company is the largest of its kind in the United States, next to the Great Western company of Denver, operating largely in Colorado. The Utah company is able to build any factory unit it may see fit, without asking for local help—excepting the growing of the beets.

Ought to Be Ready
Every single interest we have here ought to be ready to attempt to "show" Mr. Timpson on his contemplated visit. Every banker. Every business man. Every farmer.

If he is ready to promise the construction of a factory here to

take care of the 1928-crop, and to send men with the contracts for the growers, every one should get behind the idea and help put it over. It can be done. No meetings need be held. Just go out and begin signing up the contracts, and keep at it till the necessary acreage is secured. The last factory built by the Utah-Idaho company, in South Dakota, had signed

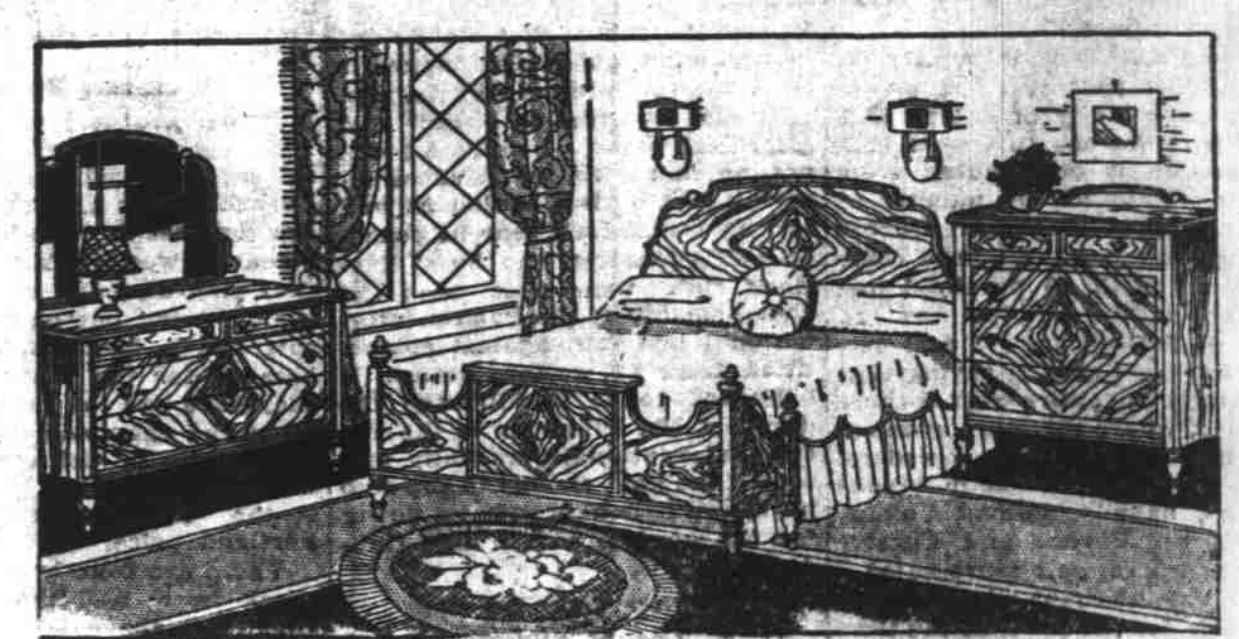
up for it, for this year's crop, 12,000 acres.

That the Bellingham factory, built several years ago, is appreciated by the growers is well attested by the fact that a large new acreage is being grown this year for the plant, outside of the British Columbia experimental acreage.

The best sugar districts of the

United States are among the most prosperous in this country. Our district has ever retrograded, no failed to keep on increasing its acreage in beets.

(The Statesman will take occasion to print an extended article on Sunday morning, giving a review of the whole sugar situation the world over.)



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