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OREGON BANKS SHOW \$8,000,000 INCREASE FOR THE PAST YEAR

CREDIT WITH FEDERAL RESERVE IN STOCK AND CASH, \$3,000,000—DEBIT BELOW \$100,000.

Demand for Money is Heavy and Portland Banks Show Falling Off in Reserves Because Large Sums Are Diverted to Country Banks to Handle Crops.

SALEM, Ore., July 25.—Resources of Oregon banks, comprising 84 National and 177 state institutions, show an increase of \$8,192,930.73 in the past year, according to the combined report of all these institutions compiled today by S. G. Sargent, state superintendent of banks.

Since the May statement National banks of the state have increased their reserve balances with the Federal Reserve Bank more than half a million dollars and now have with that institution more than \$3,000,000 in stock investment and reserve balances. Rediscouts with the Federal Reserve Bank from Oregon, the statement shows, are less than \$100,000, and other rediscouts and borrowed money have been materially reduced during the last 60 days.

Although the total resources of Oregon banks show a big gain for the year ended June 30, they have decreased \$2,626,865.44 since May 1 of this year. The loss in resources is confined almost wholly to Portland banks, which show a falling off of \$2,355,865.16 in the last 60 days. The country banks show practically no change in this item since the May call.

Deposits Show Recent Loss. Deposits of all banks in the state have decreased \$3,521,007.01 since May 1, but show an increase of \$9,242,877.19 since June 23, 1915. This item Superintendent Sargent said accounted for the loss in total resources, the entire amount being sustained by Portland banks.

"The loss in deposits," declared Superintendent Sargent, "is accounted for by Portland bankers by the fact that large sums have been diverted from city banks to country banks for seasonal loans to finance the harvesting of the grain and fruit crops. The statement this time would indicate that this is true, as balances due other banks have decreased more than \$2,000,000. Other reasons bankers give for the shrinkage in deposits are that depositors of current funds have been materially reduced through current payments, and large deposits kept in Portland for purchase and export of foodstuffs to Europe were expended since last May and the funds transferred to other cities until buying is resumed."

Postal Savings Increase. Superintendent Sargent said another reason assigned for the loss in deposits is the withdrawal of savings deposits for investment purposes on account of the reduction in interest rates effective July 1.

"The figures, however, do not confirm the contention," continued Mr. Sargent. "Savings deposits in Portland alone have increased \$442,000 since May 1. The only change in the statement that would indicate that the reduced rate of interest is going to effect the savings deposits in the Portland banks is the fact that postal savings deposits in Portland have gained \$58,629.91 during the last 60 days, the largest increase in this period yet noted."

NEW JERSEY MOOSE BOLT.

Committee Votes 7 to 5 to Repeal Hughes' Indorsement. NEWARK, N. J., July 25.—A resolution was adopted by the New Jersey state progressive committee, in session here, declaring that the committee will not be bound by any action of the national progressive committee in indorsing Charles E. Hughes. The resolution was carried by a vote of 7 to 5.

Another resolution, protesting against any attempt to deliver the progressive vote to any other party and declaring in favor of maintaining the progressive organization, was carried by the same vote.

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HELIX FARMERS BEGIN BARLEY HARVEST; BIG CROPS IN PROSPECT

WITH FAVORABLE WEATHER CONDITIONS YIELD WILL BE BETTER THAN LAST YEAR.

(East Oregonian Special.) HELIX, Ore., July 26.—Quite a number of farmers began harvesting barley Monday.

While harvest is a little late there is prospect for a fairly good crop. Carl Kupers and others who farm extensively, state with favorable weather conditions the yield will be equal or a little better than that of last year.

The Ladies of the Maccabees gave a lawn social at the home of Mrs. Len D. Smith Saturday evening which was well attended. Their program was instrumental music, recitation by Wayne Wyrick, vocal duet, Mildred Eplin and Lillian Cramer; song, Clifford Kendall; recitation, Irma Testa; song, Mrs. Harry Hicks; recitation, Eta Dale; song, Mrs. Fred Oswald; selected reading, Rev. G. Schmidt; duet, vocal, Mrs. Len D. Smith and Erna Rutter. About \$12 was cleared from the sale of cake and ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hill attended the Speed 'em Up race at La Grande Saturday and Sunday.

Dare Dale motored to Spokane Thursday.

E. Winans of Lane Rock, Ore., was a Friday visitor.

Fred Collins and family have moved to Reith. Mr. Collins will put in a pool room.

W. H. Dale went to Walla Walla Thursday to purchase fixtures for harvest work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Newman of Albany, Ore., moved here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass of Arlington, are visiting their daughter Mrs. W. H. Morrison this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Montgomery of Pendleton, were here Friday on business and pleasure. They visited Mr. Montgomery's mother, and made a trip to his wheat ranch north of town.

W. H. Albee was a Pendleton visitor Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. McKinney were Weston visitors Friday.

J. T. Griswold was a business visitor to Pendleton Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Shupe returned to her home in Passo Saturday from a weeks visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. Zeuske came out from Pendleton to attend the Maccabees' social Saturday. She is a member here.

Everett King is quite sick with mumps, but is improving.

Mrs. John Wyrick went to Pendleton Sunday to bring Mrs. Manuel Friedly out for a week's visit.

Several couples of Helix young people attended the dance at German Hall near Myrick Station Saturday night.

A dance was given in honor of Hazel McCulley's 13th birthday in the new barn just completed at Wallace Carroll's Saturday night. E. E. Eberle of Helix and Mrs. Wilcox and Effie Laing of Cold Springs furnished the music. There was a good crowd and a splendid time reported. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Will Rutherford made a trip to La Grande Saturday. Mrs. Rutherford accompanied him as far as Adams and visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Carlstrom, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McGranahan have moved into the Rehn residence. Mr. McGranahan is in business here.

Miss Elva Engdahl of Portland visited her brothers Carl and Frank a few days last week. She has returned home.

Mrs. D. E. Carall of Pendleton is spending the summer at the home of her son, Wallace, in Cold Springs.

Mrs. N. Curtis visited relatives in Walla Walla Sunday.

Rev. McComb of Athena was a Sunday visitor at the Bryan home.



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INSURANCE AGENTS ARE CALLED OUT ON STRIKE

Union Recently Organized Among Prudential Men Demands More Pay, Shorter Hours.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Agents and collectors employed by the Prudential Insurance Company were called out on strike today by a union recently organized among them and known as the International Insurance Agents' Protective Association, with a membership of 6000. Although assertions of the company and the union were conflicting, it appeared that at least 500 men in the district have responded to the strike call thus far.

The men demand more pay, recognition of the union and "more reasonable" working hours. Telegrams from branches of the union in different states in the territory east of Chicago, leaders here declared, indicate that unless the demands of the men are met all the 6000 will follow the lead of those already out. About 13,000 agents and collectors are employed by the company.

COMMERCE OF NEW YORK SHOWS ENORMOUS GAIN

NEW YORK, July 24.—Combined exports and imports of the port of New York for the year ending June 30 amounted to \$2,149,000,000. During the last 50 years more than 60 per cent of the country's imports have come to New York. Exports for the first time reached the \$500,000,000 mark in 1910. Last year they were \$1,193,571,000.

Doctor Says Nuxtrated Iron Will Increase Strength of Delicate People 200% in Ten Days

In many instances—Persons have suffered untold agony for years doctoring for nervous weakness, stomach, liver or kidney disease or some other ailment when their real trouble was lack of iron in the blood—How to tell.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—In a recent discourse Dr. E. Sauer, a well known Specialist who has studied widely, both in this country and Europe, said: If you were to make an actual blood test on all people who are ill you would probably be greatly astonished at the exceedingly large number who lack iron and who are ill for no other reason than the lack of iron. The medicine iron is supplied all their multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear. Without iron the blood at once loses the power to change food into living tissue and therefore nothing you eat does you any good; you don't get the strength out of it. Your food merely passed through your system like corn through a mill with the rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind. As a result of this continuous blood and nerve starvation, people become generally weakened, nervous and all run down and frequently develop all sorts of conditions. One is too thin; another is burdened with unhealthy fat; some are so weak they can hardly walk; some think they have dyspepsia, kidney or liver trouble; some can't sleep at night, others are sleepy and tired all day, some fussy and irritable; some skinny and bloodless, but all lack physical power and endurance. In such cases, it is worse than foolishness to take stimulating medicines or narcotic drugs, which only whip-up your fading vital powers for the moment, maybe at the expense of your life later on. No matter what any one tells you, if you are not strong and well you owe it to yourself to make the following test. See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary nuxtrated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous run down people who were ailing all the time double, and even triple their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of their symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form, and this, after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. You can talk as you please about all the wonders wrought by new remedies, but when you come down to hard facts there is nothing like good old iron to put color in your cheeks and good, sound, healthy flesh on your bones. It is also a great nerve and stomach strengthener and the best blood builder in the world. The only trouble was that the old forms of inorganic iron like tincture of iron, iron acetate, etc., often ruined people's teeth, upset their stomachs and were not assimilated and for these reasons they frequently did more harm than good. But with the discovery of the newer forms of organic iron all this has been overcome. Nuxtrated iron for example, is pleasant to take, does not injure the teeth and is almost immediately beneficial.

NOTE—The manufacturers of Nuxtrated Iron have such unbounded confidence in its potency that they authorize the announcement that they will forfeit \$100.00 to any Charitable Institution if they cannot take any man or woman under sixty who lacks iron and increase their strength 200 per cent or over in four weeks' time provided they have no serious organic trouble. Also they will refund your money in any case in which Nuxtrated iron does not at least double your strength in ten days' time. It is dispensed in this city by A. C. Koepfen & Bros., and all other druggists.

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DATES OF THE STATE AND COUNTY FAIRS IN THE NORTHWEST

Baker county fair, Baker City, September 11.
Cass and Curry county fair, Myrtle Point, September 4-9.
Josephine county fair, Grants Pass, September 19-21.
Lane county fair, Seila, September 6-8.
Lane county fair, Eugene, September 20-22.
Morrow county fair, Heppner, September 14-16.
Polk county fair, Dallas, September 19-21.
Sherman county fair, Moro, October 4-7.
Tillamook county fair, Tillamook, August 22-25.
Wasco county fair, The Dalles, September 18-21.
Pendleton Round-Up, Pendleton, September 21-23.
Oregon state fair, Salem, September 25-30.
Pacific International Livestock exposition, North Portland, December 4-9.

Washington.
Southwest Washington fair, Chehalis, August 28-September 2.
Interstate fair, Spokane, September 4-9.
Grays Harbor fair, Elma, September 4-10.
Thurston county fair, Olympia, September 11-13.
Hay Palace fair, Mabton, September 12-15.
Western Washington fair, Puyallup, September 12-17.
Washington state fair, North Yakima, September 18-23.
Mason county fair, Shelton, September 19-23.
Northwest and Products exposition, Seattle, October 4-14.
Idaho.
Idaho state fair, Caldwell, October 2-9.

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The government of India will extend its wireless system until every army post has a station in the charge of a trained officer.

To Investigate Campaigns. LONDON, July 25.—Asquith introduced a bill calling for an investigation of the Dardanelles and Mesopotamian campaigns. It is intended to answer the criticisms of the Gallipoli defeat and the Kut El-Amara surrender.

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