

BIG SUM ASKED FOR SCHOOLS OF CAPITAL

Washington—That the nation's capital should be the center of the educational life of the nation, as well as its governmental center, is demanded in a resolution passed at the annual convention of the National Education association in Boston, and backed by the bold request of the Washington board of education for six and a half millions to bring the capital schools up to date.

One hundred and sixteen thousand teachers sent their representatives to Boston for the convention, where they passed a resolution which reads: "In a special sense the schools of the capital city belong to the nation. In behalf of the nation we ask congress to create a board of education for the city of Washington which shall be entirely free from party control, to have direct control of its own financial budget, and with a secure financial income sufficient to make these schools worthy of the capital city of the nation."

Washington schools are neglected, run down, out of date, have poorly paid teachers; suffer from overcrowding, the two platoon system and a policy of temporizing on the part of congress, the appropriating power for Washington's schools. That the children of the national capital should have at least as good a chance for an education as is given in a thousand small but intensely American and wholly enlightened towns and cities, is the thought behind the resolution passed by the N. E. A., and the moral force behind the demand of the present board of education for money enough to replace old buildings with new, buy sufficient books, and pay teachers enough to keep good ones on the job of instructing the youth of the nation's city.

NATIONAL ADVERTISING FOR OREGON PRODUCTS

Those who have studied the question of state development and better advertising for Oregon, point to the great need of more national advertising for Oregon products. Many of our readers probably saw in last week's issue of the Saturday Evening Post a double page center spread advertisement in colors for the Oregon City Woolen Mills. In two different issues of the Saturday Evening Post this year the Oregon City Woolen Mills have taken this great advertisement, which is the largest and most expensive advertisement in the world. Its cost is \$17,000 per issue, but the

You're the Goodest Old Santa



Oregon City Woolen Mills have found as have many other advertisers, that by putting the merits of their products squarely before the nation, they have enlarged their business and thus absorbed the cost of advertising in the economies of operation.

This advertising for the Oregon City Woolen Mills is handled by Botsford-Constantine company, the leading national advertising agency of the northwest, with offices at Portland and Seattle. Botsford-Constantine company is also conducting large advertising campaigns in all parts of the country for such products as Tillamook cheese, Hood River apples, Snowflake crackers, Albers cereals, Mapleine, Jantzen swimming suits, Goodyear rubber footwear, and others.

Oregon is rapidly approaching the point where we should have many other nationally advertised products,

particularly our fruits, salmon, lumber, etc. It is estimated that California cooperative associations and such products as the Del Monte canned goods are spending around six million dollars a year for national advertising. This has helped to build the wonderful reputation for California products which exists in all parts of the world.

If you sit down and think you will realize these lower skirts are merely for higher education.

Women powder their noses in public, so why can't men shave on the street cars as they ride to work?

Have you heard about the Scotchman hunting a reasonable postoffice?

Our idea of a good time is sitting around wondering how tired we would get if we were not too lazy.

BERRY INTERESTS TO MEET AT SALEM WEDNESDAY

Salem—The loganberry industry of this part of the Willamette valley which is again facing a very uncertain future, due to low prices, will be fully discussed at a meeting called of all berry growers of Oregon, to be held in the offices of the Oregon Growers' Cooperative association, Wednesday, December 20.

The associations especially interested in the future of the loganberry and which will send delegates to the meeting include the Woodburn Cooperative Berry Growers, Springbrook Packing company, Producers Canning company of Salem, Willamette Valley Prune association of Salem, Oregon Growers Cooperative association of Salem and the Eugene Fruit Growers association of Eugene.

During the season of 1922, there was canned in Oregon, 243,639 cases of loganberries. Figured on a basis of 30 pounds to a case, this means that 7,309,170 pounds of fresh berries were used in the 1922 pack of canned goods.

In addition to loganberries canned, King's Products company evaporated 4,000,000 pounds. It is also estimated that in Oregon there was barreled 3000 barrels of 385 pounds each, amounting to 1,115,000 pounds. It is estimated there was made into juice 200,000 pounds of loganberries.

Among those deeply interested in this great Oregon industry, it is felt that all will depend upon increasing the consumption of loganberry products. In other words, following the example of California growers in advancing the sale of raisins when the market was so low that the industry was about to collapse, something must be done to bring the merits of the berry before a larger consuming public.

Figures are not available as to the acreage of fruits for 1922 as assessors are obliged to make a report only every other year. Hence the 1921 reports on acreages in the state are the latest.

Based on the 1921 horticultural report of acreages in each county, the total loganberry acreage of the state for the year was 6253. In the central Willamette valley the county acreage in 1921 was as follows: Benton, 100; Clackamas, 204; Linn, 167; Marion, 2888; Polk, 268; Washington, 319, and Yamhill, 423, a total of 5349 acres for this immediate section of the valley.

Comparing the year 1920 and 1921 report, it is estimated that there was

an increase of several hundred acres throughout the state. In the Willamette valley counties, there was a slight decrease.

Many growers claim that the industry cannot survive on a price of four cents a pound. Many are asking for six cents the coming season, but those who are familiar with the industry at both the growing and selling end, are of the opinion that if loganberry growing is to continue profitable, there must be a great increase in markets and a much greater consuming public.

OREGON BREVITIES

William H. Klepper, president of the Portland club of the Pacific Coast league, was forever barred from further participation in the affairs of the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues, in a resolution adopted by the board of arbitration of the organization. Klepper was charged with making and filling an alleged false statement relative to the capital stock of the Tacoma (Wash.) club, which he organized.

Real and personal property of the Portland Flour Mills company in Multnomah county was bid in for an aggregate of \$1,172,670 at sheriff's sales held in Portland. Wallace McCamant, on behalf of a committee holding \$3,000,000 of the company's outstanding 8 per cent mortgage bonds, acquired title at the foreclosure sale, this being the first step in the plan for turning the properties over to the Sperry Flouring company of San Francisco.

The Northwest Association of Sheriffs and Police, which convenes in Portland January 18, 19 and 20 for its second annual convention, will pay particular attention to the problem of enforcing the prohibition laws, according to word received by Chief of Police Jenkins of Portland, vice president of the association, from L. S. May, president, a noted criminologist. The organization, starting out with 100 members, has increased its membership to 400. A clear-cut resolution in favor of strict enforcement of the dry laws is expected at the session.

Five state senators met in Pendleton and agreed to continue to support Senator Jay H. Upton of Prineville for president of the state senate. The senators present were Ritner, Robertson, Dennis, Taylor and Ellis. Senators Upton and Strayer were not present. The senators comprise the Eastern Oregon delegation who had met in caucus before and agreed to support Upton. Senator Strayer of Baker, was in communication with the "sagebrush" group by long distance telephone, and is said to favor the agreement to support Upton.

Incendiarism was responsible for the conflagration which destroyed the business section of Astoria, according to both Mayor Bremmer and Chief of Police Carlson, and local radicals are under suspicion. Investigation proved that the fire at the outset began in two separate places, simultaneously, according to Chief Carlson. At least a dozen citizens who were in the vicinity of the Bee Hive department store when the conflagration started said they were certain that two restaurants—one at either side of the department store—were raising furnaces, while the store showed no sign of fire.

The value of taxable property in each county in Oregon, including that equalized by county boards and that equalized and apportioned by the state tax commission, is \$1,009,499,160.38, according to a report prepared by the state tax commission. The value of taxable property in each county as assessed and equalized by the state tax commission and apportioned according to the respective county ratios aggregated \$123,707,064.54, while the value of taxable property assessed by the county assessors and equalized by the county boards of equalization totaled \$885,792,095.84. The report shows a total of 10,508,027.02 acres of tillable lands in Oregon, with an aggregate assessed value of \$250,827,512. Timber lands aggregate 3,379,073.32 acres, the assessed value being fixed at \$64,436,895. The assessed value of 12,492,445.50 acres of non-tillable lands in the state is \$90,812,562.

Advertising pays. Try it and see.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Oscar Hayter, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Rebecca Dornsife, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, and has duly qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are required to present them, with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice to the said administrator at his law office in the Dallas City Bank Building, in the City of Dallas in said County.

Dated and first published November 24, 1922.

OSCAR HAYTER, Administrator of the Estate of Rebecca Dornsife, deceased.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS

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Cooper Building
Attorney
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Efficient Service Courteous Treatment

A. L. KEENEY
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Independence, Oregon

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the duly appointed qualified and acting Administrator c.t.a. of the estate of LAUCIOUS RICE, deceased, has filed his final account in said estate in the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, and said Court has fixed Saturday the 20 day of January, 1923, at the County Court Room in Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections if any there be to said account.

C. A. McLAUGHLIN
Administrator Aforesaid
John R. Sibley,
Attorney for Administrator.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, to whom it may concern, that the undersigned, W. B. Cuthbert, has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Joseph Bezanson, deceased, by the Honorable County Court of Polk County, State of Oregon, and has qualified.

All persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned duly verified, on or before six months from the date hereof, at Independence, Oregon, and all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate settlement of the same, with the undersigned executor.

Date of first publication December 8th, 1922.

W. B. CUTHBERT
Executor of the Estate of Joseph Bezanson, deceased, Independence, Oregon.
Fletcher & Ellis, Attorneys for the Estate.

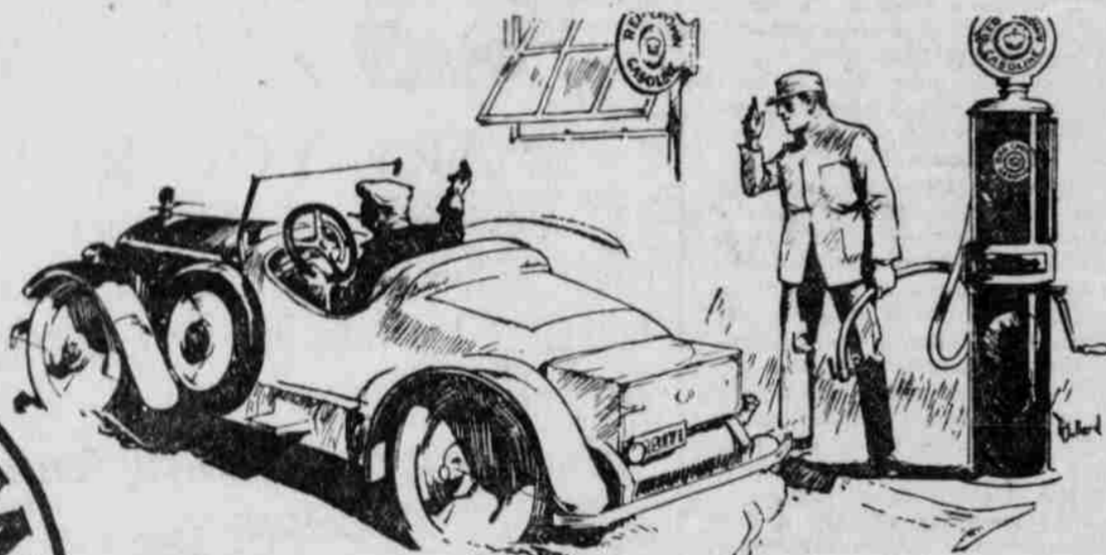
ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Independence National Bank will be held on the second Tuesday in January (Tuesday, January 11, 1923), between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. at the bank, for the purpose of selecting a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

IRA MIX, Cashier.
Dated this 8th day of December, 1922.



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