

PINE INDUSTRY PROSPERITY AID

OVER \$25,000,000 PAID IN SALARIES

Bend Mill Companies Produce Over 195,000,000 Feet of Lumber in Last Year, Shipping 2200 Cars of Box Shooks.

With the passing of the old year, one of unrivalled prosperity in the history of Bend, a review of this prosperity shows it to have been closely tied up with the pine lumber producing industry, for over \$2,500,000 was put into circulation in the salaries paid by the two big mill companies. Final figures from annual reports are not yet available, but the Brooks-Seanlon payroll for the year was in excess of \$1,000,000, while that of The Shevlin-Hixon Company approximated \$1,600,000. Some 1100 men and women found employment with the latter company, while 550 were on the rolls of the Brooks-Seanlon Lumber Co., including those working in the woods.

Estimates furnished by the mill officials show an output of 195,000,000 feet of lumber, 120,000,000 of this being produced by The Shevlin-Hixon Company. One thousand cars of box shooks were shipped by the Brooks-Seanlon factory, and 1200 cars from the factory of The Shevlin-Hixon Company.

In the camps, up-to-date sanitation rules were enforced, and in addition to bunk houses, kitchens, mess cars, and shops, reading rooms were provided for the workmen, and schools for the children of families making their homes in the woods.

The mill population is by no means a floating one, for statistics show that 209 families of mill workers own their own homes in Bend, and comparison with past years reveals the fact that the proportion is constantly increasing. The purchase of homes is encouraged and aided by the companies.

STORES OPEN AT 8 O'CLOCK

Although no merchants' organization has as yet been formed to effect an agreement with the clerks' union for an earlier opening hour, practically every store in the city was ready to receive customers at 8 o'clock last Friday, instead of at 9 o'clock, the hour in effect during the past year. According to the decision reached by the clerks in December, the working day for employes will continue to begin at 9 o'clock until an association of merchants has been formed which will allow more satisfactory negotiations between dealers and clerks.

WILL INCREASE TROUT OUTPUT

With 5,000,000 trout spawn at hand at Elk Lake, some 3,000,000 fry will be hatched at the Tumalo Fish Hatchery, and if additional troughs can be secured, 2,000,000 will be added to this amount. W. C. Birdsall, through whose efforts the building of the hatchery was due, is in communication with Master Fish Warden Clanton, and hopes that the needed equipment can be obtained. On authorization from Mr. Clanton, Mr. Birdsall has just ordered a service truck to be used in transfer of eggs, and distribution of fry.

ASK ADVANCE FOR TEACHERS' WAGES

If demands made by the teachers of Oregon in their convention this week in Portland are followed up by legislation, instructors in Bend will benefit from the advance in salary proposed. The theory on which the legislative committee of the convention will proceed is that no instructor should receive less than \$1080 a year. At present teachers in the grades in Bend are receiving \$945 on a nine months' basis, as the minimum, while the lowest paid high school instructors are drawing \$1125. In the opinion of City Superintendent Moore, should action be taken at the special session of the legislature, high school teachers here will also be affected by virtue of a sliding scale.

FEEDING FOR TWELVE DOZEN EGGS A YEAR



At Uncle Sam's experimental farm in Maryland, across the Potomac from Washington, D. C., the Department of Agriculture develops many helpful, progressive and profitable new methods for the producers of the nation. This photo shows the consumption and production in one year from one of the hens in a feeding test there.

ELKS' RESOLUTIONS SHOW PLATFORM OF PATRIOTISM

In response to resolutions adopted recently by Percy A. Stevens Post, American Legion, condemning the activities of the I. W. W. and advocating that all good Americans do everything in their power to stamp out the organization, the Bend lodge of Elks has passed resolutions showing that the lodge is founded on a groundwork of 100 per cent Americanism, and upholding in vigorous terms the stand taken by the ex-service men. The resolutions of the lodge are as follows:

Whereas the Percy A. Stevens Post No. 4, of the American Legion, has adopted the following resolution, to-wit:

Resolved: That the Percy A. Stevens Post No. 4 of the American Legion go on record as being firmly opposed to an existing organization known as the Industrial Workers of the World; That we believe the policy of that organization is un-American and dangerous, and that it is the duty of all patriotic Americans and American organizations to do all in their power to exterminate this contemptible organization and to stop its activities.

Whereas, said Percy A. Stevens Post No. 4, has requested that this Lodge of Elks, together with all other patriotic organizations assist in every lawful way to stamp out its influence and stop its unlawful practices, and

Whereas, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks is a patriotic organization of citizens of the United States and no others and believes only in a free Government by a free people under the Stars and Stripes of the United States of America, and

Whereas, the sentiments of this lodge, and every lodge of Elks; has been well expressed in the Orders of the Grand Lodge of Elks, which follow, to-wit:

The American Creed.

I believe in the United States of America as a Government of the people, by the people, for the people, whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic, a sovereign nation of many sovereign states; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which American patriots have sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it, to support its constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend it against all enemies.

The American Flag.

Now therefore be it resolved that the Grand Lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, in annual session assembled, does hereby pledge this order to use all lawful means to check and prevent the extension of the dangerous doctrines that threaten our free institutions and our flag, and that no person shall be permitted to join or remain in our order who openly or covertly, directly or indirectly, gives aid, comfort or support to the doctrines, practices or purposes of the Bolshevik, anarchists, the I. W. W., or kindred organizations, or who does not give undivided allegiance to our flag and the great principles of free Constitutional Government of which it is the emblem.

Whereas said Order of the Grand Lodge have been regularly adopted by this lodge, and are the sentiment of each member thereof, and now therefore be it Resolved;

That Percy A. Stevens Post No. 4, of the American Legion is an organization of Americans who are 100

per cent loyal in this; they have offered even their lives in the cause of humanity, and in the protection of the flag of our country.

That the members of the American Legion are entitled, not only to the active support of this lodge and its members, but also to the support of every organization, person, sect and institution inhabiting this fair land.

That we do now, as loyal brothers of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America, pledge to the American Legion, and to every one of our loyal countrymen, our best lawful effort and co-operation in the destruction of every institution, and especially the I. W. W., Bolshevik, and Anarchists, which has for its doctrine the destruction of governments among men, especially that Government of the first Republic on earth, bequeathed to us by our fore-fathers who freely and without stint offered upon the altar of freedom their lives their fortunes, and their sacred honor, to-wit: The Constitutional Government of the United States of America, which is founded upon the sole principle of freedom Equality and Justice.

That these resolutions be spread upon the records of this lodge; that a copy thereof be transmitted to the Percy A. Stevens Post No. 4, of the American Legion, and that a copy be directed to the newspapers of the county for publication.

And lastly resolved: that these resolutions be, and they are declared to be the promise of the Lodge, and the personal promise of each member thereof to the world, that we pledge to our country our undivided support for the destruction of its enemies.

S. E. ROBERTS,
NORMAN JACOBSON,
J. H. HANER,
Committee on resolutions.

Adopted, December 30, 1919 by Bend Lodge, No. 1371, B. P. O. Elks.

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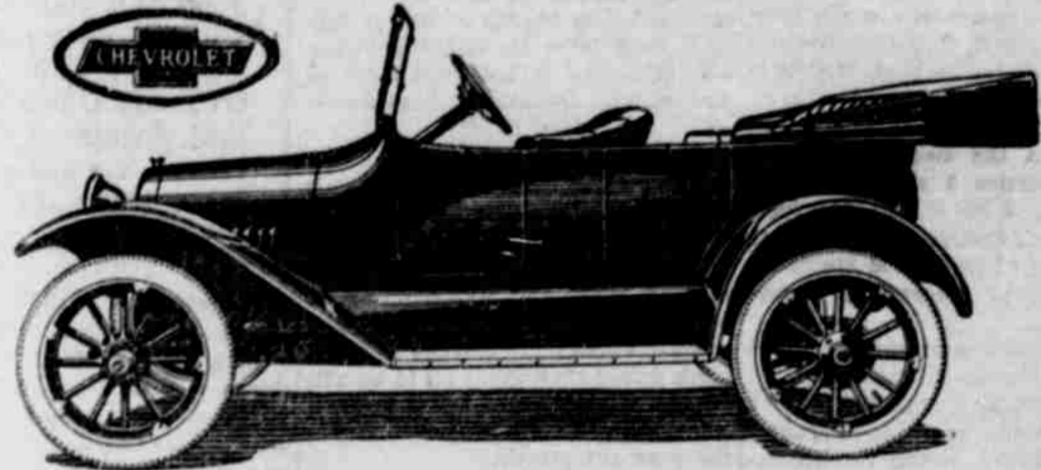
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BEND GARAGE.

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WIDE RANGE OF TEMPERATURE SEEN IN WEATHER FOR YEAR

The greatest range of temperature in the official weather history of Central Oregon, as well as the lowest temperature, are on the records of the government cooperative observer at this station for the year which has just ended. Ninety-nine degrees above zero, the maximum, was reached on July 15, and the minimum of 25 degrees below, still fresh in the memory of Bend, came on December 12, making 124 degrees the measure of the mercury's activity. The cold was not confined to the

winter months, however, for an unusually late frost was recorded on the night of July 7, just eight days before the year's maximum was reached.

An average of the daily maxima for the year gives a mean of 58.66 degrees, the mean obtained in the same way from the average of minimum temperatures shows 30.33 degrees, and the average from both is 44.5 degrees.

Central Oregon's reputation as the land of sunshine was well upheld.

for the records show 150 clear days, 148 partly cloudy, and 67 cloudy. In regard to the last division, it is noted that 58 days each produced more than .01 of an inch of rain.

The water precipitation, largely in the form of snow, was 11.31 inches, 2.2 inches more than the preceding year. December was the month having the high record, when snow equal to 3.33 inches of rain fell. Ninety-five inches was the year's snowfall.

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Insist on Genuine Ford Parts

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