

### News About Oregon Industries

Astoria, Ore.—With the close of the spring fishing season on the Lower Columbia river it was found that the pack had averaged well within that of former years and exceeds that of 1919 by from 10 to 15 per cent. The pack of first grade chitlocks was exceptionally large. Plants cured 27,549,599 pounds of raw fish having a total value of \$6,719,500, the bulk of this huge sum to be brought into Oregon from the east and foreign lands.

Marshfield, Ore.—Coco county cheese within a short time is to be standardized and in two years will probably be on the same basis as that of Tillamook county. Plans for spreading the fame of the product from this section are being made by the Oregon Dairymen's league which controls the milk output of the section.

Portland, Ore.—Two carloads of chocolate truffles, the product of the Chocolate Truffles company, were shipped to New York this week. Four thousand pounds of sweets are now turned out daily by the concern which recently has moved into larger quarters.

Eugene, Ore.—Nearly 2500 people from surrounding towns attended the opening of the new mill of the Alsea River Lumber company at Glenbrook. The plant, which has a capacity of 125,000 feet of lumber a day, is valued at \$250,000. It will be in operation in about two weeks.

Portland, Ore.—Demand for loggers' footwear turned out by the West Coast Shoe company has necessitated expansion of the plant. The company, which started two years ago as a repair shop, has recently moved to larger quarters down town.

Klamath Falls, Ore.—Seven thousand acres of Klamath Indian reservation land has been purchased by the Pelican Bay Lumber company from the Soper-Wheeler company of Portland. The tract adjoins acreage now being logged by the former concern.

Sheridan, Ore.—All is in readiness for handling the prune crop in this vicinity through the Oregon Growers' Co-operative Association dryer, just completed. The building cost \$20,000 and is of 40 tunnels capacity.

Portland, Ore.—Films are now being used to advertise Oregon industries in the residence districts of the city and 12 theatres are showing the pictures, which have been prepared by the Associated Industries of Oregon.

Salem, Ore.—The Oregon hop industry will employ 30,000 people in September to harvest the crop. An average yield of five bales per acre

is expected in Marion county.

Portland, Ore.—Over a million dollars was paid last week by Stanley Dollar of San Francisco for the Mowat mills of North Portland. The new owner will make efforts to have the harbor improved so that ships of the Robert Dollar line may touch at the mill to load lumber for the orient.

Hood River, Ore.—Shipments of apples for China have already been started by Kelly Brothers, a local apple buying concern, specializing in oriental exports.

Marshfield, Ore.—The salmon run in the Rogue river this year was the greatest in the history of that stream. Many of those fish released elsewhere swarmed into the mouth of the Rogue.

Klamath Falls, Ore.—Harvest of the first peppermint crop grown in this county will start within a few days. Owners estimate it will produce a minimum of 60 pounds of oil an acre.

Bend, Ore.—Roadways and bunk houses are now being erected in preparation for work to begin on the new unit of the Bend Water, Light and Power company plant on the Tumalo. This portion is to cost at least \$100,000 and will develop 2000 horsepower.

Salem, Ore.—That Marion county flax is superior to that produced in any other section of the United States is the statement of Lyster H. Dewey, botanist in charge of the fiber investigation work for the department of agriculture. He declares it compares favorably with that of Ireland and advises expansion of acreage and erection of a linen mill in Salem.

Portland, Ore.—A new portable butcher's saw which eliminates all hand work has been patented by J. D. Bobroff, a Portland boy, and arrangements are being made for its manufacture here. The saw is equipped with a knife for cutting through meat as well as bone.

Waldport, Ore.—Government spruce holdings, the big mill at Toledo and the Alsea-Southern railroad have been purchased for \$2,500,000 by eastern capitalists, who will immediately begin operations. The tract contains 12,000 acres having over three-quarters of a billion feet of lumber and its sales leaves but two government spruce developments to be disposed of in this state.

Marshfield, Ore.—The sawmill of the Oregon Exports company at Millington has reopened after having been closed for lack of logs. It is operating a new camp on the south

fork of the Coquille river.

Springbrook, Ore.—In preparation for a big run of prunes, the Springbrook Evaporating company has had a crew of men at work remodeling and repairing its plant. The crop outlook is extremely good.

Bandon, Ore.—One of the finest stands of white cedar on the coast is soon to be logged by G. M. Willoughby and Son, who have just procured machinery for operating a logging camp and sawmill in the Rock creek district. They have a tract containing 8,000,000 feet of timber.

Heppner, Ore.—White alkali earth found in a deposit at Morgan is being mined and shipped in carload lots to a big construction company operating in Western Oregon for use in road paving.

Heppner Herald Want Ads bring home the bacon.

#### PRUNES MAY BE 10 CENTS

In the absence of any buyers in Salem and vicinity local prune growers estimated today that they would receive a minimum of 10 cents a pound. Based on the anticipated crop of 16,000,000 pounds in Marion county, this figure would bring the growers \$1,600,000. At 16 cents a pound, the price paid by buyers last season, the growers would benefit to the extent of \$2,560,000.

Salem growers declare that this year's crop of prunes is far superior in quality to those produced last season.

#### Highway Helps Melon Growers

As a result of the opening of the new six-mile grade of the Columbia river highway between here and Mosier, watermelon growers of The Dalles district are marketing melons direct to local merchants by motor truck. The growers make daily deliveries. A number of motor truck loads of The Dalles melons have passed through Hood River en route to Portland over the highway.

#### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, September 4, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that HARVEY HARSHMAN of Hardman, Oregon, who, on June 26, 1917, made Homestead Entry, No. 016811, for SW 1/4 NW 1/4, N 1/2 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 28, W 1/2 NW 1/4, N 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 23, Twp. 4 South, R. 24 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. A. Waters, Clerk of Circuit Court, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 28th day of October, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: Evan Steneman, T. H. Williams, James Burnside, all of Hardman, Oregon. Joe Woods, of Eightmile, Oregon. H. Frank Woodcock, Register. First publication Sept. 14, 1920. Last publication October 26, 1920.

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#### DEMOCRATIC VICTORY IN INDIANA IS PREDICTED

Prospects of a Democratic victory in Indiana in November are growing daily, in the opinion of former Gov. S. M. Ralston, of that State, who recently stopped over in Washington, D. C., on his way to Europe.

"Cox is growing in strength in Indiana. Democrats of the Hoosier State like his punch and believe that he and Senator Taggart and the Democratic candidate for Governor Dr. Carl B. McColloch, will carry the State. The Republicans of Indiana, even those who intend to vote their ticket this fall, are very indignant over the course of the Senate cabal, both in its treatment of the covenant of the League of Nations in the Senate and its dominating influence in the Chicago convention.

"My judgment is that this combination of politicians will be greatly disappointed when the vote is counted in November."

Governor Baleston will return from Europe during the latter part of September and take an active part in the campaign during the last four or five weeks.

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#### SOIL EXPERT EXAMINING JOHN DAY PROJECT

Professor W. L. Powers of the Oregon Experiment Stations was present at the last Tuesday's meeting of the directors of the John Day Irrigation District and gave an interesting account of his work. He is making a soil and agricultural survey of the project at the request of John H. Lewis, engineer for the district, who was also present.

Mr. Powers is thoroughly covering every section of the project, testing and analyzing the soil and sub-soil and will prepare a report which will show the producing power of these soils under irrigation. He will be assisted by W. S. Brown, horticulturist, who will arrive Friday to consider the suitability of the section for grapes and other horticultural products. Also it is expected that James T. Jardine, director of the experiment stations in Oregon will be with him to review the work and consider the livestock end of the project. He is now on his way to attend the annual field day of the branch experiment station at Hermiston on Saturday.

In connection with the original report, Mr. Powers made a similar soil

survey. He is now covering the higher land not embraced in the smaller project.

#### CHIEF FORESTER PREDICTS PROSPERITY FOR ALASKA

That southeast Alaska is assured several large pulp plants within a few years is the statement of Chief Forester W. B. Greeley who has just returned from a several week's trip spent in look over the timber and other resources of the Tongass National Forest in southeast Alaska.

Col. Greeley's trip took him from Cape Chacon on the south to Haines on the north and up the Stikine river and Port Snettisham on the east to Sitka on the west, and was for the purpose of getting first-hand information about the pulp resources of southeast Alaska which the Forester is most anxious to see developed. He was not content to see the forests from the deck of the Government boat but got ashore at every opportunity and examined thoroughly logging operations, sawmills, canneries, marble quarries, a whaling station, power plants, mining operations, climbed mountains to inspect at close hand water power projects, and went out and cruised timber. He is most enthusiastic over Alaska's enormous timber and water resources and the part that the Forest Service has played, and will play in getting knowledge of these resources before interested capital, and in assisting in the businesslike development of Alaska.

The Forester states that the quality and quantity of the timber of southeast Alaska was a surprise to him and that it is his firm conviction that the pulp and paper industry is coming to Alaska very shortly. He pointed out that the well established policy of the Forest Service to develop Alaska's timber wealth is bringing results in that capitalists and engineers are already making definite plans to start pulp and paper plants. The timber resources of the Alaskan National Forests, the Chief Forester emphasized, have always been open to use and exploitation, but development on a large scale has had to wait upon economic conditions. The present high price and scarcity of newsprint are offering sound investments for capital to develop the spruce and hemlock forests of southeast Alaska.

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