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#### TWO AMENDMENTS.

Attorney General A. M. Crawford has prepared two amendments to the constitution of Oregon which are to be voted upon at the next election. One is an "Item Veto Amendment" in which the governor may express disapproval of any single item in an appropriation bill.

The other amendment is intended to abolish the circulation of initiative petitions by filing them with the secretary of state and paying the sum of \$200, which is to be applied on the cost of printing and mailing of descriptive pamphlets. The same amendment would require a 5 per cent petition or the direction of the legislature to invoke the referendum.

It is the opinion of many persons that the first amendment is needed, as it sometimes happens that an objectionable appropriation should be eliminated, but under the present law to do so requires the governor's veto of the whole bill. However it is open to the objection that a vindictive executive might take revenge for some slight by killing a meritorious appropriation with a flimsy excuse for doing so.

On the whole, though, the amendment is needed. Chances would have to be taken on the temper of the governor and his sense of fairness to do the right thing.

To the other amendment there seem to be more serious objections. The principal one is that of the small per cent of voters required. Many persons are of the opinion that 5 per cent is too low and that a higher rate should prevail. Nearly all referendum petitions are of a revengeful nature or for spite. Very few of them are inspired by patriotic motives, as witness the two attempts at the state university appropriations. A higher per centage would make it proportionately harder and more costly to get the referendum before the people.

As to the other portion of the bill requiring no petition and a filing fee of \$200—that is altogether too easy. Many people and all corporations have that much money to invest on a gamble that a measure would become a law. There would be an easy and open way to overload the ballot with a flood of so-called laws, many of which would be vicious or unnecessary and some of them would be sure to carry.

Another clause of the proposed amendment prevents the veto of any law by the governor, which may be wise, but the way to repeal such a law is too easy as the legislature is not prevented from repealing it at the next session, in the amendment proposed by Mr. Crawford, yet it would become operative as soon as the vote was announced in its favor, without an emergency clause.

Both of the amendments are good subjects for study by the voters before election day if they succeed in getting on the ballot.

With public markets in Portland in successful operation there would be motor truck delivery of farm produce from all over this section, the same as the dairymen are now having. Small quantities of anything could be sent to market in that way for a small freight charge, which would otherwise never be sold.

The Beavers opened with the Oakland in Portland today for six games if the rain doesn't interfere. Portland went from the top down to fourth place in nine games, after winning the first two. The team may do some climbing on home grounds.

When lambs weighing 52 pounds bring \$8 at the stock yards there are very few of us who want to get back to our mutton.

Has anyone heard anything about that veal and pork ordinance lately?

The burning question this afternoon: "What's the score?"

The \$5000 has been raised for a cannery at Cottage Grove.

#### PROTESTS ANSWERED

There is considerable being said in protest of the action of the fair board last week, when the 20 points for woman's work in the grange contest division were subdivided into four sections of five points each.

In defense of the board's action it should be stated that the matter was arranged that way because it seemed to be justified by past experience. It was believed that a subdivision would be more equitable for the reason that a perfect display in any one line could not, under the new rule, carry with it the full 20 points, which might be the case if the other three lines were imperfect or even lacking altogether.

The subdivision will stimulate the display of many articles in all four of the sections, for to leave one out or to leave it weak would result in a low percentage. On the other hand a good general display, properly proportioned, will assist in raising the percentage to a higher level than the exhibit could hope to receive under a 20-point system.

The board realized that the change was a good one and acted accordingly.

April 25 has been set aside as "Good Roads Day" in Oregon and on that date it is expected that not less than 2,000 husky men from the Portland Ad. club and similar organizations will don overalls, arm themselves with pick and shovel, grab their trusty dinnerpail and go forth to do a more or less serious day's work on the roads. The O.-W. R. & N. Ry. will run a train of flat cars to various points on the Columbia River Highway and the gas company and various contracting firms will loan the necessary tools. Governor West and the county road officials will be present to see that the amateur laborers do no loafing on the job. All other parts of the state are expected to fall in line and the aggregate result should be many miles of well improved roads.

"Commercial clubs in Oregon are getting busy," said Tom Richardson after a visit to numerous points throughout the state. "Salem is a notable example of community union. There is no discord at the capital city, the entire citizenship is a chorus in its Commercial club work. Recently the club has almost doubled in membership and is planning many new undertakings for the benefit of the surrounding territory as well as for the welfare of the city. The Cherry fair, especially, is to be made bigger and better than ever." At Eugene, M. J. Duryea has been elected secretary for another year, for another year. He is devoted to his work and Eugene appreciates him. Judd Fish has retired from the secretaryship at The Dalles and his place will be filled by E. R. Hill, an experienced man.

At a recent meeting of the Manufacturer's association of Oregon, strong resolutions were adopted favoring common point rates for Astoria. The discrimination against Astoria and in favor of the Puget Sound and other Coast cities, has been a serious handicap not only to the development of Astoria but to the entire Columbia River Basin. It is believed that the granting of terminal rates to Astoria will be of great benefit to the entire state of Oregon.

Representative Lafferty suggested an increase in salary for all congressmen: Why not? But then such an agitation usually means the defeat of many who desire to be re-elected. Lafferty's attitude shows that he is not worried about his own re-election.

Some retired farmers and others who are "sidewalk" granagers, are opposing the agricultural expert idea. They fail to realize that many newcomers to Oregon need to be shown how to utilize Oregon.

Two important decisions of the supreme court during the past week hold that there is no limit to the amount of damages that can be collected by the family in case of death under the Employers' Liability act, and that the employer cannot escape liability by providing other ways of protecting employees.

Officials of the Rogue River Public service corporation have been visiting their plants at Grants Pass and are looking for a 5000 horse power site.

The International association of stonecutters are asking that Oregon granite be used on the new million dollar Portland postoffice.

Voters at Eugene authorize a municipal band, an armory, and the acquiring of Skinner's Butte by the city.

James J. Hill has given \$50,000 to the Christian church Bible school for a new building at Eugene.

#### Poultry Tuberculosis Prevalent In Oregon.

Avian tuberculosis, commonly called tuberculosis of poultry, is fast becoming prevalent in the Northwest. It was not noted in the United States until the beginning of the present century, but since that time has made serious inroads upon the profits of the poultry business in different sections.

"The disease is due to a germ," says T. D. Beckwith, bacteriologist of the Agricultural College, "and cannot affect a healthy fowl unless carried to it by some means. The action of the germ is similar to the action of germs of tuberculosis found in human beings. It is thought by many to be able to pass from cattle to man and from man to fowls.

"The disease is very difficult to detect and is often thoroughly established in the flock before the owner is aware of its presence. On cutting open the bird after it has been killed, the liver will be found to show numerous small yellowish and whitish spots, from a sixteenth to a fourth of an inch in diameter. These are the tubercles which have produced the bacteria, the very centers from which the germs work."

How best to treat the flock infected with avian tuberculosis is told in the College bulletin on Fowl Tuberculosis, Extension series 2, No. 7, copies of which may be had by writing for them to R. D. Hetzel, director of Extension, O. A. C., Corvallis, Farmers who fear their flocks are infected may remove the internal organs from a suspected bird, put them in denatured alcohol and send them to the College for diagnosis, free of cost.

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Mr. Kreuder believes in reforms that will help stop useless leaks and lighten the burden of taxpayers which is the crying need of all citizens.

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#### POULTRY.

**Eggs for Setting.**  
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**GOOD SECOND HAND RANGE** for sale, cheap. Phone 515. tf

**FOR SALE—Artichoke** tubers for feeding purposes, 40c a sack. Mammoth rhubarb roots, \$1 a dozen. W. F. Cummins, Troutdale. Phone 15x. tf

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**FOUND—On Friday, April 3,** a Harley-Davidson Motorcycle, on the hill half mile west of Auto club grounds. Owner can have same by proving property and paying costs. J. C. Duke, Troutdale, Oregon. 18

**SEED POTATOES** for sale—Pride of Multnomah. John Krantz, R. 4, Box 35, Gresham, 1/4 mile west of Anderson Station. \*13

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