

COLLEGE MERGER REFERENDUM HAS PLACE ON BALLOT

Proponents of Plan File Petitions in Time—13 Measures Will Be Voted On In November Election

SALEM, July 8. — (P) — Thirteen measures, of which five are constitutional amendments, three referendums and five initiatives, will be on the ballot for voters next November. The list includes the college consolidation measure which furnished the dramatics during the closing days of the filing. The statutory limits to complete petitions for the ballot ended at 5 o'clock last night.

The consolidation measure provides for the joining of the University of Oregon and State college at Corvallis, establishment of a teachers' training college at Eugene, abandonment of the Normal school plant at Monmouth and conversion of the Normal schools at LaGrande and Ashland into junior colleges. The University law school would be transferred to Salem.

Meier Program Up.
Governor Meier's tax and debt control program, also on the ballot, includes one proposed constitutional amendment and two initiative measures. The constitutional amendment is an enabling act giving authority to limit tax levies and bond issues under general law.

One of the initiative measures authorizes the creation of tax supervising and conservation boards in each county through appointment by the governor.

The measure empowers these boards to review budgets made by tax levying bodies and reduce and eliminate items by unanimous vote.

The other initiative measure provides for increasing the rate of the personal income tax from 5 to 8 per cent, affecting the higher brackets, and reducing certain exemptions.

Power Amendment In.
Completed petitions for the State Orange water power amendment were among the last to reach the state department. This amendment relates to the control and development of water power and water power sites, both by the state and the state in conjunction with the federal government.

Another initiative measure was sponsored by the Oregon Highway Protective association, of which Oswald West of Portland is president. The measure provides for the classification of buses and trucks, with relation to weight, and increases the fees.

Repeal of the state prohibition law is provided in an initiative measure sponsored by Harry B. Critchlow of Portland.

Voter Measure Completed.
Three of the proposed constitutional amendments were referred to the voters through resolutions adopted by the 1931 legislature. Probably the most important of these is known as the taxpayers' voting qualification amendment referred by the legislature that all persons voting on tax levies and bond issues shall be taxpayers.

Another proposed constitutional amendment referred by the legislature authorizes criminal trials without juries by consent of the accused person.

The third proposed amendment provides that the 6 per cent limitation provision may be applied to levies of any one of three previous years, instead of the preceding year.

Hogge Bill Included.
One of the three referendum bills is directed at the 1931 legislative act which prohibits commercial fishing on the Rogue river.

Another referendum measure attacks the 1931 legislative act providing a tax of 10 cents a pound on all oleomargarine manufactured and sold in the state of Oregon.

Seeks Clemency



Associated Press Photo
Scientists have asked authorities for clemency for John E. Mellish (above) on a charge of attacking a 15-year-old girl, because they say he is a leading specialist in the art of grinding lenses for giant telescopes.

FOUR SQUARE AIDS NEEDY FAMILIES; DONATIONS SOUGHT

Many needy people have been cared for through the Four Square commissary located at 401 East 5th street, yet numbers have been turned away on account of inadequate supplies. Many sad cases present themselves daily.

It is through kind hearted citizens as well as business firms who are making this work possible from day to day.

One large family has come to our attention where the children were compelled to wear wool dresses these hot summer days, because they did not have any thing else in the house to wear and barely anything to eat.

The report of the commissary from June 1st to June 30th:
Given to needy families, 102 ready-to-wear garments; 13 pairs shoes; 45 boxes of groceries.

The need of the commissary is great for your donations.

ARROWHEAD HOT SPRINGS, Cal., July 7.—(P)—From a wheel chair, cushioned with pillows, Almes McPherson Hutton, Los Angeles evangelist, denounced purveyors of rum that all was not well between herself and David Hutton, her husband.

"If people would only let us alone my marriage would be the happiest in the world," she exclaimed.

Two loads 16-in. green slabs, \$4.50. Med. Fuel Co. Tel. 631.

VETERAN OFFICER OF GOLDEN STATE PREDICTS REPEAL

"The people meant well on prohibition. But it didn't work. I've always been for temperance, and I've always been a wet." Frank C. Jordan, secretary of state in California and dean of state secretaries, turned to the "paramount issue of the day," during a short chat in Medford this morning, while en route to the Northwest Fur Trading ranch above Prospect, where he's going to surrender to the call of his favorite sport and catch some trout.

"The election's going to be a hot one in California this year. And the wet and dry question is going to play a big part." Secretary Jordan, a jovial man, nearly 73 years, whose alert brown eyes precede his lips in the act of smiling, continued. "The winner, I'm not predicting. But McAdoo is a power down there, and the people have seen enough of prohibition, and they're going to do something about it. I think their eyes have been opened."

Turning to state affairs he chuckled over the Meier-Hose automobile fuss. "We don't bother with auto licenses in my department any more," he explained. "They're a nuisance. We have a separate department for that and we're all friends in California. I used to fight with Hiram Johnson, but that's all over now. And I stood the gaff. I've been secretary of state for 23 years, the longest term for any man in the United States. I've found that team work pays. Governor James Rolph, Jr., is one of the kindest men in the world."

"Politics these days are cleaner than they were when I went into them in '04. A man to be a successful politician must have attributes. He must be as human in the political game as in any other if he wants to succeed."

"This is my first trip into southern Oregon and my third real vacation in 23 years," Secretary Jordan exclaimed, "and if I don't catch some fish, it's going to be tough for Ray Gilliland. I think the Rogue River valley is beautiful and I'm crazy about fishing. There's no better way of forgetting your troubles than whipping a mountain stream. No telephones, no wires, no ether. I'm going to have a grand time."

Mr. Jordan is interested with Ray C. Gilliland, manager of the Fur Trading ranch, in the establishment of a large trout hatchery at the hunting and fishing retreat, and will give some time to business relative to the venture before returning to his native state, California.

Rev. Beatty To Preach Sunday

Dr. Beatty, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Wenatchee, Wash., will preach in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Dr. and Mrs. Beatty are known by several Medford people and are being entertained in many homes while in the city.

JULY CLEARANCE

July Clearance of HOSIERY

The final clearance of this group of women's and misses' hose. In this lot are rayon and silk and cotton and silk mesh. The former values are up to \$1.00 pair. Your choice tomorrow at Mann's

3 Pair for \$1

Chair Pads

In the notion department tomorrow you can buy cretonne covered chair pads for 19c each. They are ideal for porch, cabin, boat or breakfast nook. Regular 25c each.

19c ea.
Six for \$1.00



July Clearance of Kuppenheimer Suits for Men

Men, your attention is called to this unusual sale of Kuppenheimer suits. In the showing are \$40.00 Crusaders, \$50.00 Famous Fifths and \$60.00 Trojan Weaves. All three genuine Kuppenheimer models. The finest money can buy. All sizes and good patterns.

\$40 to \$60 Values
\$24.50

Boys' Wash Suits

July Clearance of boys' 4 to 9 year size wash suits at 79c each. These are genuine Tom Sawyer and Fruit of the Loom suits made of broadcloth and poplin. All are fast color.

\$1.50 to \$2.50 Val. 79c

Men's Dress Pants

A new value in men's finest quality dress pants. These are tailored from all wool flannel in white, tan and light gray. Sizes are 30 to 40 waist.

\$5. pair

Men's Dress Sox

Men's super quality rayon and silk dress hose in assorted patterns and shades. These socks are regular 25c and 35c values and have a long wearing reinforced high heel. Sizes 10 to 12.

19c 2 Pair For 35c

Men's long wearing dress hose of rayon and cotton at 15c pair. These come in assorted patterns and shades and sell regularly for 19c. Sizes from 10 to 12.

15c 2 Pair For 25c

Don't miss our July Clearance Sale this year! Hundreds have taken advantage of the sensational values and hundreds will do so tomorrow!

COATS

All \$9.95 Spring Coats On Sale for \$4.98
All \$18.00 Spring Coats On Sale for \$9.00
All \$27.50 Spring Coats On Sale for \$13.75
White Swagger Summer Coats Special for \$6.95

DRESSES

Regular \$19.75 Silk Dresses Are Now \$9.88
Regular \$27.50 Silk Dresses Are Now \$13.75
Regular \$35.00 Silk Dresses Are Now \$17.50
Regular \$39.50 Silk Dresses Are Now \$19.75
Also Many Better Silk Frocks at One-Third Off!

Another Big Sale of Wash Frocks

Tomorrow in the wash dress section you will find 200 fast colored wash frocks for women and children at 50c each. These come in good styles and patterns and are up to \$1.98 in value. Come early and get your pick.

Your Choice 50c Tomorrow

Also in the wash dress section tomorrow you will find another group of women's wash frocks at \$1.00. A beautiful lot of this season's best styles in fast colored prints and sheers. All sizes to select from.

Your Choice \$1.00 Tomorrow

A new shipment of women's and misses' hot weather frocks of fast color tub fabrics suitable for street and afternoon wear. These cool summer dresses come in advanced styles and are a marvelous value.

Your Choice \$1.98 Tomorrow

Children's Wash Frocks at \$1.79 50c ea.

\$6.95 SILK DRESSES

Another big sale Saturday of those wonderful "Ohula" crepe silk frocks at \$3.95. These are in lovely prints over light and dark grounds. The styles are suitable for either miss or matron. Choice tomorrow

\$3.95

\$19.75 SILK DRESSES

A sensational dress value tomorrow at Mann's. Regular \$19.75 silk frocks for \$12.50. New chiffons for summer days. Cool prints and other charming dresses at this one low price. These all have silk slips.

\$12.50

MANN'S SECOND FLOOR

CHILDREN'S PAJAMAS and SLACKS

Special tomorrow in the kiddies' section on the main floor. Children's play and sleeping pajamas and slacks of fast colored broadcloth, suiting and pique. These are in prints and plain in one and two-piece styles. The sizes are 1 to 16, the 1 to 6 sizes have little jackets and hats to match. Regular values up to \$1.98. No refunds or exchanges.

Mann's July Clearance Sale 59c ea.

Children's Cool Summer Dresses

Special tomorrow in the kiddies' dept. on the main floor. Children's cool summer dresses of fine quality voiles, dimities, lawns, organdies and fast color prints. The sizes are 1 to 8 years. Regular values up to \$1.98. All sales final. No exchanges or refunds.

Mann's July Clearance Sale \$1.25

Mann's Department Store



July Sale of Summer Fabrics

36-inch Mesh
Think of it, 36-inch mesh fabrics for only 25c yard. This sensational special includes plain and fancy meshes up to 70c per yard for this low price. All the season's most popular shades and weaves

25c yd.

36-inch Swisses

Our regular stock of 36-inch dotted and figured swiss and fine chiffon voiles for 29c yard. These cool summer fabrics are regular up to 49c. A real clearance value

29c yd.

Lawns and Voiles

Another group of beautiful summer materials at 19c yard. This lot consists of 36-inch printed lawns, voiles, batiste and sheer dimity. Regular values up to 39c

19c yd.

\$1.95 Silk Crepes

A clearance of lovely quality crepe ondese and billow crepe for \$1.19 yard. These beautiful silk crepes are a supreme dress fabric and sell regular for \$1.95 yard.

\$1.19 yd.

STATIONERY

Mann's famous gramercy linen stationery consisting of 60 sheets of paper, Value 25c and 2 packages of matching envelopes, 20c value, total 45c. Your choice complete

A 45c Value 29c

Fabric Gloves

Women's and misses' single woven fabric gloves in plain slip-on and one-button styles. These are in either white or eggshell.

A 59c Value 29c pr.

Mello Glo Satin RIBBON

A July clearance of mello-glo satin ribbon at 10c per bolt. This handy lingerie ribbon comes in widths of 1 1/2, 2, 3, and 5. Colors are blue, gray, green, rose, and pink. Each bolt is full 10 yards.

10c per Bolt

\$1.00 Scarfs 29c

PAJAMAS

Women's and misses' print pajamas at \$1.49. These are in one- and two-piece styles and made from fine quality fast-colored prints. All sizes to select from.

\$2.98 Values \$1.49

Women's and misses' fast-color print pajamas at 89c a pair. These good-looking colorful summer garments come in either one- or two-piece styles.

\$1.98 Values 89c

Odd Table Cloths

A July clearance of 34x54-inch and 34x70-inch odd table cloths for 49c each. These are regular up to \$1.00. All have colorful borders.

49c ea.

FARES IN OREGON SLASHED BY S. P.

In keeping with the trend of the times for lower prices, Southern Pacific will make radical reductions in fares between S. P. points in Oregon, effective daily from now until September 30, according to A. S. Rosenbaum, district freight and passenger agent.

These reductions will apply on both one-way and round-trips, the latter carrying a return limit of 16 days. Tickets will be good for travel in coaches and reclining chair cars only and 50 pounds of baggage will be checked free on adult tickets, 25 pounds on half-fare tickets.

As an example of reductions to be made, Mr. Rosenbaum said the one-way fare between here and Portland would be cut to \$6.70 and the round-trip to \$10.75, with similar reductions to other Southern Pacific points.

ALMOST FLAT ON HER BACK

Aching back! Will it never stop? She's nearly desperate. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has relieved "feminine troubles" for over 30 years.



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