

POLITICAL WHIRL GAINS INCREASED OREGON INTEREST

Steady Growth in Registration Since 1930 Census—Jackson Population Up 10.8 Per Cent Since 1930

SALEM, May 5.—(AP)—Oregon's voters are taking a much larger part in politics this year, possibly because of interest in the gubernatorial primary. In fact, there has been a steady increase in the number of registered voters since the 1930 census, which might indicate that voters gradually are becoming conscious of the operation of their state government.

Since 1930 the number of registered voters has increased 33 percent, while the population, based on state planning board estimates, is only 10 percent larger.

Baker Gains Most. Baker county, with a gain of 100 percent, had the largest increase in registration, but its population increase during the eight years was only 7 percent.

The state planning board estimated that Oregon's population last year was 1,057,700, compared with 981,054 in 1930. The gain during the seven years was 10 percent, compared

with 21.8 percent between 1920 and 1930. But of the net gain of 96,646 during the seven years, 81,530 persons migrated from other states. This leaves a natural increase of only 15,116, leading the board to believe that it might not be long before there are more deaths than births in the state.

State Population Gains. The state, excluding Multnomah county, increased its population to 955,808 in the seven years, or 12.2 percent. The new population consisted of 57,587 migrants and 17,919 natural increase.

Multnomah county's population rose to 361,895 or 6.1 percent, an increase of 23,573 migrants and a natural decrease of 2,803.

Malheur county had the largest population increase, gaining 34.2 percent to 15,263. Klamath county, which gained 183.9 percent from 1920 to 1930, increased 14.1 percent, having a population last year of 37,044.

The estimated 1937 population for other counties last year and the percentage of gain between 1930 and 1937 follow:

Baker 18.067 and 7 percent, Clackamas 53.348 and 14.8, Clatsop 23.108 and 7.9, Coos 31.302 and 9.7, Deschutes 16.239 and 9.3, Douglas 25.266 and 13.8, Hood River 11.671 and 28.8, Jackson 36.963 and 10.3, Josephine 14.005 and 20.2, Lane 22.343 and 14.2, Linn 39.327 and 18.2, Marion 59.444 and 13.6, Polk 20.042 and 16.9, Tillamook 11.859 and 1.1, Umatilla 25.809 and 4.1, Union 18.334 and 3.6, Wasco 13.236 and 4.7, Washington 36.472 and 20.4, and Yamhill 25.033 and 10.5.

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