

Compensation Act Perfectly Satisfactory in California

Both Employers and Employees Feel Much Safer Under This New Bit of Progressive Legislation

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—The state compensation, insurance and safety act, effective since January 1, is working out satisfactorily. Both employers and employees are agreed that "it is one of the best legislative acts enacted by the Johnson administration."

Under its provisions all wage earners, except those engaged in agricultural or kindred pursuits and in household service, are entitled to a percentage of their wages if disabled while on duty. If an employee is killed his dependents are entitled to a death benefit. In addition the employer must supply unlimited medical attendance for ninety days after an accident and pay life pensions to those permanently and seriously hurt.

In discussing the new law here today, State Industrial Accident Commissioner Will J. French said:

"While its life has been short, the new situation is working out satisfactorily. Instead of uncertainty there is certainty. Employees, otherwise defenseless, are now protected during a critical period. Employers also are relieved from the dread of damage by the employer to meet the cost. In the majority of instances

the employer is adding this cost to the expense of doing business.

"A few employers have endeavored to subtract the cost of the accident insurance from the wages of their employees. This system has been generally resisted. When the employees are unorganized they have little or no redress. Where they are organized a different status was presented and the attempts at reductions have been few and far between. It is certain that this situation will right itself later and that no further efforts will be made to charge workingmen and workingwomen with their cost. The men and women of labor take all the risks of industry and when lives and limbs are contributed to production they should be paid for, exactly as all other items that enter into cost are included.

"One interesting feature of the first week's experience with the new law was the large number of voluntary acceptances of compensation from farmers and fruit growers. These employers, after ascertaining the possibilities of damage suits under the common law, elected compensation in order to be entirely relieved from suits, although exempted by the act. For a comparatively small amount each farmer and fruit

grower can procure insurance coverage, under compensation, that is exactly what it should be. A feature especially gratifying to employers that is incorporated in the new law is the section that nullifies proceedings against the employer if he carries a regular policy.

"One objection that has been raised to the new law is the cost of insurance. It is true the rates are high, but the opportunities for reduction are excellent. There is reliable data on hand on which to base rates. A year's experience will help materially. Some lines of business already have experienced reductions. Other alterations are in contemplation. But the one method that will meet with universal approval is the plan to lower the rates for each employer who lessens the hazards in his place of business. Each safety precaution will result in a credit on the premium and will thus pay for itself eventually, and, in the meantime, deaths and accidents to the workers will be prevented. The merit-rating plan, which soon will be installed by both the state and private insurance companies, will be the most pronounced factor in assisting the employer over what is conceded to be a difficult part of the compensation road."

Two Baseball Stars, Who Have Been Sought by Federal League



Sam Crawford, the heavy hitting outfielder of the Detroit, and Tris Speaker, the star of the Boston Americans, were the two baseball players with the round-the-world tour most sought for by the Federal League managers when they arrived on the Lusitania Friday. Neither, it was

said, had signed with his club for the season of 1914. Consequently, the Federal League men sought them out to make offers. Other stars with the world's tourists had already signed. Both signed on the day of arrival with their old clubs. Speaker, it is said, is to receive \$18,000 a year for two years.

HEN LAYS TWO EGGS IN A DAY

HOWEVER, ONE IS INSIDE OF THE OTHER, BUT AT THAT THE OUTSIDE EGG IS ELEVEN INCHES AROUND

There is a hen in Klamath Falls, belonging to Clyde Brandenburg, that deserves a medal. A few days ago this hen laid an egg that measures eleven inches in circumference.

Inside the outside shell was another egg, also larger than the ordinary one.

The white of the outer egg filled a teacup. The yolk filled a cup more than half full.

William Kfoate, a street car motor-man of Chicago, was late to work one day recently for the first time in twenty years. He drove a mule car six years before electricity was put into use.

Germany produces about 32 per cent of the world's potato crop, Russia, 20.2 and the United States, 5.9 per cent.

A hydraulic valve gate large enough for a large automobile to pass through was recently completed in Germany.

There are about 100,000 timber workers in the state of Washington alone.

There is today in storage in the United States 263,786,970 gallons of whiskey, an increase of nearly 50 per cent in ten years.

Theater Guide

HOUSTON'S OPERA HOUSE

"MISSOURI GIRL," Saturday and Sunday Nights March 21 and 22

STAR THEATER

THE FIVE KAICHI JAPS Acrobats, Contortionists and Hilarity Foot Jugglers
Special Picture Feature, "The Case of Cherry Purcell," Drama in Three Parts
"Some Nightmares," Comedy

Prices for Thursday, Friday and Saturday: Children 15c, Adults 25c
STAR THEATER ORCHESTRA

TEMPLE THEATER

"Hearts of Women," Vitagraph Two-Reel Special
"A Night at the Inn," Edison Drama
"The Real Miss Loveleigh," Essanay Comedy

MATINEE DAILY AT 2:30 ALL LICENSED PICTURES

The Herald, 50c a month To boost Klamath county and The Herald to your Eastern friends.

Mrs. Charles M. Walker has just been elected president of the Indianapolis German Literary Society for the twenty-sixth time.

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CRATER LAKE IS STEEL'S SUBJECT

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE PARK IS IN KLAMATH FALLS, AND WILL GIVE FREE LECTURE THIS EVENING

A free lecture on Crater Lake, illustrated with beautiful new stereoscopic views of the Klamath marvel, will be the program at Houston's opera house this evening. Superintendent Will G. Steel of the Crater Lake National Park will give the lecture, under the auspices of the Klamath Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Steel arrived last night from the north. While here he is the guest of Park Ranger H. E. Momyer.

Patricia, the new territory which has been added to the province of Ontario, is estimated to contain 147,000 square miles; it is one and one-fifth times as large as the British Isles.

Herald want ads bring results

WESTERN NIGHT LATE IN APRIL

ELKS NAME COMMITTEE TO TAKE CHARGE OF THE ANNUAL WILD AND WOOLY STUNT THE LODGE HAS INAUGURATED

The biggest affair of its kind is what is planned for the second annual Western Night, to be given by Klamath Falls Lodge 1347, B. P. O. Elks. The date has not been definitely decided, but it will probably be about April 24th or 25th.

On account of the large attendance expected, Houston's opera house has been secured for the entertainment. Each member of the lodge will be privileged to invite one friend, who is not an Elk.

These names are to be sent to the committee, who will issue the invitation cards.

The following committee will have charge of the affair: W. O. Smith, J. E. Bodge, Allan Sloan, F. R. Olds and J. V. Houston.

Town Topics

Back From Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald, who have been spending the winter at Long Beach, Calif., returned this week to their home on Walnut avenue

Going to Portland.

Indian Agent Edson Watson leaves for Portland tomorrow, to appear in the federal court during the trial of Frank Lynch. Lynch is accused of cattle rustling.

Here From Dorris.

Mrs. W. R. Evans is here from Dorris, the guest of her aunts, Mrs. A. L. Leavitt and Miss Rose Reed.

Ramsby in Race.

Carey M. Ramsby this morning filed with the county clerk his announcement of candidacy for the republican nomination as sheriff.

Lents-Hawkins.

At the home of the bride in Mills addition, Rev. A. F. Simmons, pastor of the Baptist church Thursday evening united in marriage Joseph R. Lents and Elida Hawkins. Only immediate friends and relatives were present at this ceremony. The groom is connected with the Klamath Tub and Pail company.

In From Worden.

R. W. Tower came in last night from his ranch and mill near Worden to spend a day or two in the county seat attending to matters of business.

Road Builder Here.

Jack Connelly, road builder from the Keno country, is registered at the Marshall house while attending to business in the city.

Cooked Food Sale.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold a cooked food sale at the Shasta tomorrow.

Sweden is on the verge of national prohibition of alcoholic beverages and tobacco.

Wet Wash Laundry

Wet Wash, per lb. 5c
Rough Dry, per lb. 5c

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WET WASH LAUNDRY
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Heard on the K.C.H.S. Campus

The class in home economics had a fine luncheon today noon. Miss Carpenter had demonstrated the preparation of a buffet luncheon, and to make the lesson complete, had her class stay and see how it should be served. About twenty-one young ladies enjoyed the spread.

Mr. Clapp of the Oregon Agricultural college called on Instructor E. V. Hawley this morning.

Miss Verda Cozad and Miss Ione Steinman are becoming very proficient in pitching and catching a baseball. They use a regulation, honest-to-goodness baseball, same as what the big leagues use.

Somebody lost a box of candy on that cooking contest. At that, Miss Nina was 84, while the winner made 84 1/2.

What do you think of this telegram?

"Mr. Faught—please facilitate debate arrangement. Two parties concerned. District isolated. Communication isolated. Conditions named by you seem dogmatic. Must leave here four days before debate. F. A. Tiedgen, Supt. City Schools, Marshfield."

"Stubby" Hales says: "I used to envy John McGraw and Connie Mack, but no more. This managing a baseball team ain't no cinch."

They got results—Herald Want Ads.

FOR SALE—Celebrated Rouen duck eggs. A. L. Leavitt, 166 Conger avenue. 20-3t

LOST—Kodak, on South Sixth street; reward for finder. F. M. Priest. 1*

COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IT

IT'S GRANDMOTHER'S RECIPE TO KEEP HER LOCKS DARK, GLOSSY, THICK

The old time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's treatment, and folks are again using it to keep their hair, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" for about 50 cents a bottle. It is very popular, because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive; besides, prevents dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair.

Mr. Val Howland

Who is Leading Man with

Claman Western Amusement Company

This company has played in every town in California outside the large cities the past year, and comes highly recommended.

They do not come as a \$1.50 show, but claim to have the best popular priced show on the Coast.

MONDAY NIGHT

Opening Bill

"The Thief"

Three-Act Society Drama

THE VERDICT

After using Crater Lake Flour exclusively during his week of demonstrating at the Baldwin Hardware store, Professor Joseph Becker, the world renowned chef, said: "Crater Lake Flour is the equal of any flour I have ever used."

In his lectures here the Professor called attention to the fact that altitude had much to do with the amount of shortening and baking powder one should use, and that the climatic conditions under which the wheat matured must be considered in obtaining the best results in baking.

We have arranged with Professor Becker for full instructions in the mixing and baking of flour from Klamath grown wheat. This information will appear from time to time in our advertisements in the Herald, making it possible for you to obtain the same splendid results obtained by the Professor.

Klamath Falls Flour Mills

CRATER LAKE ANCHOR BRAND

Cau Yon Beat These Prices?

Asparagus, per pound	10c
Rhubarb, 3 pounds for	25c
Radishes, 3 bunches for	10c
Lemons, per dozen	30c
Apple Trees, each	15c
Carolina Poplar Trees, each	25c
Pear Trees, Prune Trees, Peach Trees, Cherry Trees and Rosebushes, each	50c
Blackberry, Loganberry and Raspberry bushes, 5c each, or per dozen	50c

We pay 17 1/2c per dozen for eggs and sell them for 17 1/2c per dozen.

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40 ACRES POTATO LAND ONE MILE FROM MAIN STREET.

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80 ACRES GRAIN and POTATOES 2 1/2 MILES FROM MAIN STREET

8 ACRES FOR PASTURE ONE MILE FROM MAIN STREET

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