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FINANCES OF CITY

Annual Exhibit Shows \$20,400 Warrants Outstanding

HAS \$682 IN CASH ON HAND

Bonds Under Bancroft Law N w Total \$179,000—Additional Issue of \$22,000 Coming

The city of Roseburg started the present year with \$682.12 in its general fund treasury and with \$20,400 in outstanding warrants against the same fund, according to the annual financial exhibit of City Recorder Carl E. Wimberly, submitted to the city council Monday night. Expenditures during the year 1912 exceeded receipts by \$944.82.

The total of outstanding warrants against the general fund is the accumulation of four successive years since 1908, the taxes and revenues of the city during that period having failed to fully meet the current indebtedness, which is now \$15,000 in excess of the \$20,000 limit allowed by the charter. The present year will probably show a net gain, made from the \$9000 to be invested in a combined auto fire engine and truck, as proposed. That, however, together with other fire apparatus and equipment, will probably be made the subject of a special bond issue to be submitted to the voters.

The annual deficit last year of \$944.82 is by far the smallest in any one year since 1908, thanks to the careful and economical business methods of Mayor Meehl and his councilmanic colleagues. Eliminating the armory fund, the city shows an actual net gain of over \$1200 during 1912. The year before Meehl assumed the mayoralty duties the city's deficit was over \$8000.

Receipts and Disbursements.

Receipts during the year 1912, as shown by the Recorder's report, totaled \$29,166, made up of the following items:

Fines	\$ 324.50
Taxes	22,201.10
Licenses	6,087.06
Dog license	241.50
Sandwiches	311.95

Disbursements for the corresponding period aggregated a total of \$29,656. This was made up of principal and interest on cancelled warrants amounting to \$27,300, a special appropriation of \$2166 for an armory and \$130 for a deficit in a special street improvement fund. To the receipts for the year were added \$1173, cash on hand at the beginning of the year.

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The warrants drawn on the general fund during 1912 totalled \$27,300 and were for the following purposes:

Salaries	\$1960.00
Fire and water	2045.73
Health and police	2271.85
City improvements	3860.28
Lights	4066.33
Printing and stationery	689.90
Elections	89.00
Street cleaning	3685.50
Bonded interest	7993.28
Miscellaneous	992.91

Transfer of the armory fund and special street fund referred to brought the total of the above items up to \$30,111. Deducting from this the \$29,166 in cash receipts during 1912 leaves the deficit of \$945 for that period.

City warrants outstanding on January 1, 1912, totalled \$19,188. During 1912 there were issued \$27,755 worth more, making a total of \$46,943. In the same period warrants were paid to the total amount of \$26,539, leaving outstanding on the first of this year \$20,404 worth.

Bonded Debt \$100,000.

Exclusive of its \$20,404 worth of outstanding warrants on accumulated deficits for current expenses, the city's bonded indebtedness is \$100,000. Of that sum, \$25,000 represents the city hall and sewer issue which ran originally for 20 years and had to be refunded in 1912 for 20 years more. The remaining \$75,000 represents the city's two paying bond issues, one for \$40,000 the other for \$35,000, both maturing in 20 years. The larger issue draws 4 1/2 per cent interest, the other 5 per cent, as does the \$25,000 flotation.

In addition to the bonds issued by the city in its own name, the city has floated for individuals \$194,420 under the Bancroft 10-year installment law to meet unpaid street paving and sewer assessments. There are eight distinct issues of this character. To date \$15,465 worth of such bonds have been paid, leaving \$178,955 still due.

Another Bond Issue Soon.

An ordinance introduced at the council meeting Monday night contemplates an enlargement of the list of Bancroft bonds to meet unpaid assessments for paving in the southern part of the city. The total cost of the pavement involved is \$29,158, of which only \$6823 has been paid. The remainder of \$22,335 is to be covered by Bancroft bonds as provided in the new ordinance, which will probably be passed next Monday night. The streets embraced in this proceeding, the cost of paving each and the amount of such cost to be covered by bonds are:

Stephens, from Brockway to Roberts, \$10,913; bonds, \$8568.
Pine, from Flood to Burke, \$9922; bonds, \$8251.
Jackson, from Mosher to Haynes, \$9154; bonds, \$7516.

Recorder Wimberly's exhibit shows that during the year 1912 he collected in police court fines the total sum of \$324.50, as against \$446.50 the year before. In 1912 he penalized 26 cases of drunkenness, a decrease of 73 from 1911. Other classes of cases during last year numbered

as follows: Disorderly conduct 15, vagrancy 8, dog license delinquents 7, using profane language 6, boys disregarding curfew 6, practicing palimony without license 6, conducting bawdy house 2, assault and battery 2, exceeding speed limit 2, wiring without permit 1.

In concluding his report in general, the recorder makes the following notations for the benefit of prospective bond buyers:

Assessed valuation of all taxable property in the city, exclusive of public service corporations, during the year 1912, \$2,454,125. Estimate for 1913 inclusive of public service corporations, \$2,533,000. Basing this as being 70 per cent of the actual value, the property now within the city is worth approximately \$3,600,000.

Population, 1910 census, 5837; estimate for 1913 is 6000. Property value per capita, \$600.

Another important factor in favor of the city's finances for the current year is brought out in the recorder's annual report. This shows that while \$7993.28 were paid out on account of bonded interest, during 1913 there will become due only \$4800 to be paid out of the general fund on this account, the remainder to be provided out of the special street improvement and sewer funds. This will show a gain of nearly \$3200 in favor of the general fund. Bonded interest heretofore paid from the general fund is also to be replaced therein as rapidly as the annual payments are made into the several Bancroft bonding funds so this can be done.

Miscellany.

An ordinance was introduced to increase the fire wards by the additions of blocks 18, 20, 50 and 51 and the northwest quarter of block No. 27. This is in accordance with the recommendation of the fire and water committee.

Penne & Dantley, proprietors of a local cigar store and billiard hall, asked for a refund of \$12.50 in overpaid license. They paid a six months rate of \$17.50 under the proposed new license law, but finding they stood alone in obedience to the new schedule demanded that they be placed back under the old rate of \$5. To be impartial in the matter, the council granted their request.

The continued failure of the water company to supply Second Avenue South, Kinney's Addition, with an adequate supply of water for domestic and fire-fighting purposes was the subject of sharp discussion, resulting in the committee on fire and water being instructed to make a final investigation and report at the next meeting of the council.

After that, the water company will be requested to lay the necessary mains or something will happen.

"Hadden't we better find out first just what we want?" queried Councilman Fullerton.

"No," replied Al Cresson. "Make up your mind what you're going to have and then have it."

TAKE STEPS TO IMPROVE THE MELOSE CEMETERY.

To those who have relatives or friends buried in the Melrose cemetery: As the cemetery is badly in lack of care and there is no fund provided for the same, the members of the Melrose Grange will on Saturday evening, Feb. 8, give a fiddlers' contest and box supper, the proceeds to go into a fund for the improvement of the cemetery. Many who have relatives or friends buried in the cemetery but cannot attend the social, but would like to assist in raising the necessary funds, we will gladly receive cash donations from them. A card addressed to Mrs. Henry Conn, at Roseburg, will receive immediate attention.

The contest will be conducted as follows: Music selection must be played on violin. Each contestant allowed to choose an accompanist of one instrument. All violin players of Douglas County are eligible to enter this contest. A first premium of three dollars cash and a second premium of two dollars cash will be awarded to best players. Everybody invited to attend. Ladies please bring boxes or pies, or both. Hot coffee will be served by the Grange.

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BUSY GOVERNOR TO MARCH 3

Family Will Take Part in Inaugural Reception, but Handshaking Will be Tabooed

(Special to the Evening Review).

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 21.—"If an inaugural reception is held, my wife and daughters will be there," this was Woodrow Wilson's answer today to reports that Mrs. Wilson and her three daughters would not take part in the public reception on the day of the inauguration. "I merely asked," added Wilson, "that Mrs. Wilson and our daughters be excused from handshaking. It would be hard on them to stand in line all afternoon and I see no reason why they should."

Wilson characterized as ridiculous reports that the proposed inaugural ball was abandoned because Mrs. Wilson feared the guests would dance the obnoxious "Turkey Trot," "Bunny Hug" and "Texas Tommy."

New Jersey affairs will occupy Wilson's attention to the time of the inauguration. He wants it understood that no fuss shall be made over his trip to Washington.

"I don't expect to go to Washington until March 3," he said. "Of course I don't expect to have a special car for the trip. I don't expect any friends or committees as an escort either. There will be no outsiders in our party, just Mrs. Wilson, myself and our daughters. I expect to continue as Governor of New Jersey until I start for Washington. On account of business demanding my presence in New Jersey, I want the time between the transfer from one office to another to be as brief as possible."

IT'S UP TO OTHER COMMITTEE

CRY IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The plan to substitute a public reception for the customary inauguration ball may be abandoned as the result of the mix-up as to which committee should plan the event. The citizens' committee has passed the matter up to the Congressional committee, but the members of that body say it's up to them. It is practically certain that the ball will not be held.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—President Taft has nominated William Lee as U. S. District Attorney for Idaho.

INJUNCTION ISSUED AGAINST

NEW YORK STRIKERS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Striking garment workers are disheartened at the report of Justice Greenbaum's injunction preventing picketing about factories and shops. Leaders of the union admit that a settlement is not in sight.

ITALY BRIGANDS HOLD WIFE OF

AMERICAN FOR RANSOM.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Prof. William Mansfield, head of the College of Pharmacy at Columbia University, is alarmed over reports that his wife has disappeared at Salo, Italy. He said he heard from his wife four days ago.

ROME, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Mansfield has completely disappeared. The police insist that brigands are holding her for ransom and that her husband will soon receive demands.

WHEN IT 48ST REVOLUTION IN

MEXICO, IT'S VOLCANIC.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—The volcano Colima is vomiting enormous quantities of lava, sand and poisonous gas, which has sent the inhabitants of several villages fleeing in terror. So far as known there were no fatalities. Hundreds of head of livestock are dead, and railroad tracks in the vicinity are covered with several feet of lava. It is feared that several towns will be destroyed.

FIRE THREATENS DESTRUCTION

OF FT. SASKATCHEWAN.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 21.—For 12 hours the business section of Fort Saskatchewan has been swept by fire, and it is feared the entire city will be consumed. The city is on the

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FLOOD RECEDING, BUT PEOPLE SUFFER FROM EXPOSURE.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 21.—The cold snap is increasing the suffering of flood victims. The general situation is improving, however. Rain has ceased and the Ohio River appears to have reached its crest.

DIVORCE SUIT SEQUEL TO FATHER'S ATTEMPT TO GO AWAY WITH DAUGHTER.

Following his act Monday in attempting, according to his threat, to flee to California with his six-year-old daughter, James H. Porter, of Olalla, is the defendant in a suit for divorce and under an injunction issued by Judge Hamilton in the Circuit Court Monday evening restraining him from removing the child from the jurisdiction of the court and depriving him from the custody of her at the present time.

Porter secured the child at Dixonville, where his wife was visiting, telling her he merely wanted to bring the child to Roseburg and take her to the shows. After seating himself in a buggy with the child, he told his wife he had bought two railroad tickets for California and that his wife was looking upon her daughter and himself for the last time. Before Porter reached Roseburg, however, Mrs. Porter got into communication with the Sheriff's office by telephone and this spoiled his plans. After taking the child away from Porter, Sheriff Quine relieved him of a revolver.

The suit for divorce filed by Mrs. Porter shows that she and her husband were married in Portland in 1895. He sent her from that city to her father's mining camp at Olalla, she says, while he remained in Portland consorting with other women and getting drunk habitually. After he ultimately joined her at Olalla, she further recites, she was compelled to leave him, coming to Roseburg and securing employment in a restaurant. He followed her here, she alleges, and threatened her life with a gun while half-crazed from an attack of delirium tremens. In addition to a decree of marital separation, Mrs. Porter asks for the custody of the little girl. Cardwell & Watson are her attorneys.

OREGON NEWS.

The prediction that the business of growing and marketing loganberries will in a short time mean \$10,000,000 annual revenue to Oregon, and particularly the Willamette Valley, was made some time ago by Professor C. L. Lewis, of the Oregon Agricultural College. As a delicious fruit with cream and sugar the big berries have obtained a Western Oregon fame. They make rich, toothsome pies. But other fruits also go well with cream and sugar and in pies. The prediction was based on the discovery that the pure juice of the loganberry is a beverage more sparkling and refreshing than grape juice, and that the production acre for acre of loganberries can be made more productive and profitable than grapes. The 1912 crop of loganberries in the Willamette Valley covered only about 200 acres. But they sold at \$8 a ton, and an acre produced an average of five tons. Four hundred dollars an acre—more than the first cost of the land.

Before the end of next summer the entire Southern Pacific main line between Portland and San Francisco will be protected by automatic block signal system. In order thus to increase the operating safety and efficiency of the road, it will be necessary to build more than 200 miles of signal service. Installation of this system will mean an outlay of fully \$100,000 for material and labor. At present the Southern Pacific is protected the entire distance between Ashland and San Francisco, and at leading stations and yards, as well as points where there is much curvature, the automatic block signals are already in use. Some places there are 10 to 15 miles of track under blocks, but the largest part of the distance from Portland to Ashland is not so taken care of.

The U. S. naval recruiting officer who has been visiting Roseburg at regular intervals for several months past made his last visit here this morning. A permanent recruiting office will be maintained all the year around at Eugene, Or., 518 Williamette street, room 1, where applications for enlistment should be made in person.

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JOHN E. GREENMAN IS KILLED IN SNOW SLIDE.

Body of Former Resident of Peel and Roseburg to Be Interred at Gunnison, Colorado.

Death under a snow slide near Gunnison, Colorado, last Sunday was the fate of John E. Greenman, a former resident of Roseburg, 30 years of age. News of the tragedy was received in a telegram today by J. A. Buchanan, clerk of Oak Camp, No. 125, Woodmen of the World, of which lodge Greenman was a member. The telegram was from the secretary of the Woodmen lodge at Gunnison. No details of the accident were given.

Later a second telegram concerning Greenman's death was received here by his only surviving brother, Charles C. Greenman, a clerk at the Southern Pacific freight depot. After brief correspondence by wire with his sisters in other cities, Mr. Greenman sent instruction to the Gunnison lodge to give the remains burial at that place. The dead man carried a life insurance policy of \$1000 in the lodge. He was married in Los Angeles in February, 1912, but soon became estranged from his wife, whose present whereabouts are unknown. Mr. Greenman's father, John W. Greenman, is a member of the Oregon Soldiers' Home in West Roseburg. The family formerly resided on a homestead at Peel.

Among the surviving relatives of the deceased are three sisters, Mrs. E. S. Blair, of Los Angeles; Mrs. G. D. Guyer, wife of a United States Army officer at Presidio, Cal., and Mrs. J. B. O'Reilly, of Portland.

Previous to locating in Colorado, for which state he left last September, John E. Greenman was employed in the railway freight depot in Roseburg as a warehouseman. Ten days ago he wrote to his brother Charles from Denver stating that he was going to Gunnison to work in a lumber camp. The telegrams bearing the news of his death is the final sequel.

WOODMEN AND CIRCLE ENJOY SOCIAL SESSION.

After degree work and the business session of the Woodmen of the World was over Monday evening, a joint social session was held with Lilae Circle, to which many of their friends were invited. An unusually large crowd attended. After some vocal and instrumental music, an "Acting Charade" in three acts was presented with the following cast of characters:

Mr. Carroll, Nellie's father—Neal Whitney.
Marston Hains, a stage struck poet—Shirley Agee.
Nellie, Mr. Carroll's daughter—Elma Lewellen.
Jerry, Mr. Hains' servant—Claude Grinnam.
Maggie, Nellie's maid—Mrs. Norman Agee.

The program was thoroughly enjoyed by those present. Afterwards a merry time was had playing games, cards, etc.

It was decided by Oak Camp that hereafter the first meeting of each month would be devoted to business matters, degree and drill work, while the second meeting of each month, in addition to the regular work, will also be "social night," with entertainments, lunch, etc. "Social night" with the Woodmen is getting more and more popular and each succeeding night brings out a larger attendance.

Mrs. J. W. Jones and daughter, Mrs. A. R. Moorehouse, of Elkton, passed through here this morning enroute to Southern California to join Mr. Jones, who recently fell heir to a legacy of \$300,000. The family will probably reside permanently in that section.

LANE NOW SENATOR

People's Will Obeyed by Oregon Legislature

ONLY THREE VOTES DISSENT

Nebraska, Rhode Island and Iowa Also Elect Senators—\$40,000 Asked For Soldiers Home

(Special to the Evening Review).

SALEM, Or., Jan. 21.—Dr. Harry Lane, Democrat, was elected United States Senator to succeed Jonathan Bourne at noon today in a separate session of the Legislature. He received 28 votes in the Senate and 59 votes in the House. The only members failing to vote for the people's choice were Senators Benn and Calkins, of Lane County, and Representative Meek, of Washington County. Tomorrow the two houses will meet in joint session to formally canvass the vote and at that time the election of Lane will be finally declared. In the Senate, Lane was nominated by Milton A. Miller, of Linn County, and in the House by C. L. Reames, of Jackson County, both Democrats.

Doctor Lane is the third man to be named United States Senator since statement No. 1 became part of the political procedure of Oregon.

Bourne was the first statement No. 1 Senator and George E. Chamberlain, then Governor, elected United States Senator four years ago, was the second.

THREE OTHER STATES ELECT U. S. SENATORS.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 21.—The Legislature of this state today elected Congressman George W. Norris United States Senator from Nebraska. He received all but a few of the votes, most of the members being pledged to abide by the vote cast at the election for Norris.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 21.—The State Legislature today elected Judge Le Baron Colt, of the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals, United States Senator to succeed Wetmore.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Jan. 21.—Senator William Kenyon was re-elected by the Legislature today.

HOWARD WINS ROUND ONE ON HIS SUPERVISORY BILL.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 20.—Spirited debate occurred in the House today on the question as to whether the supervisory system for rural schools should be retained. It came on the motion of Representative Howard, of Douglas, to adopt the minority report of the educational committee on his bill to repeal the law authorizing school supervisors. This report recommended that the bill be passed, which would mean the end of the system. It was adopted 33 to 27.

Mr. Howard said that the supervisory system is impractical and unpopular, and advocated more pay and better teachers for country schools in its stead. A lively fight is promised when the bill comes up for final passage.

In opening the fight against the present law Mr. Howard said in part: "I think we should put more

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