

OREGON LAWMAKERS' WORK AS REVIEWED

Date of Final Adjournment Is Still Undecided

Governor Refuses to Accept Bills—McArthur Orders Members Arrested—House to Retaliate on Senate—Panama Fair Appropriation Passed—Women Not Compelled to Serve on Juries.

Salem.—At the close of what is usually the final week of the legislative session complications came up which makes it difficult to tell just when final adjournment will be taken.

The understanding that virtually had been reached for the legislature to adjourn for five days after it had cleaned up its work and to come back for the sole purpose of considering the vetoed bills is presumed to be responsible for the action of the governor and his private secretary in absenting themselves from the executive offices.

Governor West dropped out of sight Saturday and received no bills from the legislative assembly, and it was said will receive none and will not appear at the state capitol until after the legislature has finally cleaned up every bill that is on the desks of the respective houses. This much became known from an authoritative source.

Governor Is Criticized.
West was severely criticized Saturday by members of the senate and house, as well as by attaches and employees, whose salaries have been held up by his failure to sign the general appropriation bill.

The governor declared during the week that Saturday being a holiday, the senate and house had no right to remain in session, but lawyers in both branches of the legislature declare that it is a legislative day and that the legislature could work and be well within the law.

It was believed to be the plan of the governor, in order to circumvent the legislature in its determination to remain here until all vetoed bills are acted upon, to force receipt of all bills this week. This will make possible the holding of all bills in his office until Friday or Saturday of this week, as he has five days on each bill to veto or sign or send to the secretary of state without signature one way or the other.

Houses May be Swamped.

In event that the governor should hold in his office all of the bills yet to be passed by the legislature, together with those already passed, he could turn in such a bunch of bills late in the week that both houses would be literally swamped and in as bad a condition then as they have been at any time during the session. Should the governor do this, it is believed that the legislature will remain here and act upon all bills, no matter how long it takes. That is the sentiment of many members, who began to scent a scheme by the executive to "pet" them for their action in deciding to remain here another week.

Viewed from any standpoint, it is certain that a big fight is coming between the governor and the legislature.

Speaker Orders Arrest of Members.

Speaker McArthur Saturday threw the house into a fever of excitement by refusing permission to any member to leave for home, ordering the doors locked and instructing the sergeant-at-arms to go out and arrest every member who had left the session without permission.

The trouble started when it was discovered just before the 4 o'clock train pulled out for Portland that there was but a bare quorum present. Some of the members, who live too far away to be able to get home over Sunday, raised objections to remaining over unless there was to be a session of the house. The house adopted a resolution to the effect that any member who leaves the house without the permission of the speaker is to be fined \$5.

House Irritated by Senate.

Senate bills which have passed the house and in which senate members are particularly interested will be recalled by the house, taken into that body and laid upon the table until the senate agrees to stop snuffing out house bills, according to an agreement which is being formulated among a coterie of the house members.

Some of their pet bills have been put to sleep in the senate and they are incensed. In a spirit of retaliation for the wholesale slaughter of house bills in the senate, the house Saturday turned on the senate and began slaying bills from the upper house.

Novel Procedure in Bill Selection.

The senate indulged in a novel procedure when it agreed to allow each one of the 30 senators to select from the vast grist of house bills, which is before that body, one bill each, to be given preference and receive immediate action.

The procedure itself appeared to be no more novel than some of the selections made. Some of the bills, which seemed to be of first import to the

senators included such as those governing the running of stock at large or providing for expediting the payment of witness or juror fees.

1915 Fund is \$175,000.

Agreeing to the report of the conference committee and concurring in amendments made in the house, the senate passed the Panama-Pacific appropriation bill, and Oregon will appropriate for its share in the exposition \$175,000. The senate intended to stand pat on \$200,000 and the house on \$150,000, but from the very nature of the stubborn opposition from both sides it was apparent there could be no solution but a compromise.

Jury Duty Still Optional.

Women in Oregon do not have to do jury duty unless they wish to. The house refused to pass a bill amending the law so that women would be compelled to serve on a jury when summoned, the same as men.

A number of the members of the house expressed the belief that regular jury duty is not for a woman to perform and the measure therefore went down to defeat.

House Votes Home for Girls.

The bill for a state industrial home for girls and women went through the house and was passed by a vote of 39 to 2. The bill appropriates \$50,000 for the two-year term, which is to be used in establishing and maintaining the proposed home. Women and girls are to be sent there as a corrective. The bill was introduced in the senate and passed that branch without a dissenting vote.

Report Upholds Prison Policy.

Governor West was upheld as to his prison policy and the management of the state penitentiary was praised in a majority report filed with the house by Senators Hollis and Ragsdale and Representative Laughlin. No censure whatever was given, the nearest thing being that some prisoners were found who complained of having no underwear sufficient to their needs, and this condition, it was pointed out, was easily remedied.

Representatives Lewelling and Smith submitted a minority report, in which several severe charges were made as to the management of the prison, and Governor West was censured for his official actions in a number of instances. The house filed both reports.

General Appropriation Bill Passed.

Without making a single amendment, the senate passed the general appropriation bill for state offices and boards just as it went through the house.

Further expediting business, so far as appropriation bills are concerned, the senate passed all the University of Oregon and agricultural college bills, 11 in number, aggregating \$317,833 for the university and \$205,500 for the agricultural school, these sums being in addition to the annual continuing appropriations.

Scarcely had the bills been passed before it was announced that referendum petitions will be circulated to keep the schools from receiving the money the legislature has voted, except one bill for each institution carrying an additional maintenance fund of \$50,000 for each institution.

Eight Hour Bill Now Dead.

The minimum wage bill, which has now been signed by the governor, played an important part in the defeat of Lawrence's bill providing for an eight-hour working day for women, with a limit of 48 hours a week.

The committee returned three reports on this bill, one the majority report, being that it do not pass, signed by Kiddle, Fay and Wood. They reported back adversely on the ground that a minimum wage bill had already been signed by the governor and that this bill was unnecessary and uncalled for under the conditions.

Revised Assembly is Passed.

Under the provisions of a constitutional amendment which the legislature is asked to put on the ballot for the next general election in a resolution introduced in the house, the Oregon legislature, after 1916, would consist of 34 senators, one from each county, and 69 representatives.

The amendment proposed to change the whole system of legislative representation. It would place it on a proportional basis, with each county entitled to one senator and no more, and to at least one representative.

Irrigation Bill is Passed.

With only slight opposition, the senate passed the big \$450,000 appropriation bill for the Columbia Southern irrigation project in Crook county. This bill will enable the state to take hold of the work of reclaiming the lands under the original Carey project, where private capital has failed.

All of those who have tried the project and failed have made quit claims to the state. Under the bill the state will take over the entire burden of reclamation, and will get its money back from the settlers in 10 years by the installment plan after it has been made ready for productive farming.

Trust Companies to be Examined.

A senate bill by Kiddle was passed by the house regulating trust companies and giving the state bank examiner the authority to inspect them and to have the same jurisdiction over them as he does over state banks. There was scarcely any opposition.

Fish Bill Amendments Rejected.

Salem, Ore., Feb. 25.—The house refused on motion of Reames by a vote of 36 to 19 to concur in the senate bill opening a portion of the Rogue river in Jackson county to commercial fishing for three months each year. The bill has been referred to a conference committee composed of Reames, Upton and Hadley from the house. Reames refused to serve on account of his personal interest in the bill.

Senator Smith of Josephine recently sent Governor West the following message regarding the bill:

"Will you kindly tell me your reasons for being in favor of opening that part of Rogue river entirely under the control of the Cacleays, and opposing giving the people of Josephine county what is rightfully theirs? I want to know if you have decided against our people and on what grounds you have done so, in order that I may give some reason other than that George Putnam told you to do so."

Governor West sent the following reply to Senator Smith:

"I am in receipt of yours of the 20th instant, in reference to the Rogue river fish bill, and wish to say that, should a bill affecting fishing in the said river be passed at this session of the legislature, my views on the subject will be made known, either through my approval thereof, or by veto which will fully set out my reason for its disapproval."

Notice For Publication.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
February 11, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that William L. Chase, of Jacksonville, Oregon, who, on June 22, 1911, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 9229, for W 1/2 NE 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, and the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 39, Township 39 S., Range 2, West Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. H. Canon, United States Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on the 28th day of March 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Fred Smith, of Jacksonville, Oregon,
Anna Smith, of Jacksonville, Oregon,
Ansel Gibson, of Jacksonville, Oregon,
Joe A. Thomas, of Medford, Oregon.
B. F. JONES,
Register.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued by the clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, dated the 27th day of February, 1913, in a certain action in the Circuit Court for said County and State, wherein J. Frank Nichols is plaintiff receiver judgment against J. W. Hogsett and Mary C. Hogsett his wife, Samuel Kautz and Leslie Kautz his wife, and W. R. Criddle, for the sum of Eleven Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Five and 10/100 Dollars, and the further sum of \$115.00 taxes and expenses, with interest thereon from the 2nd day of December, 1912, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum and One Thousand (1000) Dollars attorney's fees, and the further sum of Twenty Five Dollars costs and disbursements taxed therein.

Notice is hereby given that I will on

APRIL 4TH, 1913

At the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville Oregon in said County at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

All the right, title, and interest of said defendant J. W. Hogsett, and Mary C. Hogsett his wife, Samuel Kautz and Leslie Kautz his wife, and W. R. Criddle, in and to the southeast quarter of Section Twenty Four (24) in Township Thirty Five (35) South of Range One (1) West of the Willamette Meridian.

Taken and levied upon as the property of the said J. W. Hogsett and Mary C. Hogsett his wife, Samuel Kautz and Leslie Kautz his wife, and W. R. Criddle, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and interest thereon.

Commencing Twenty (20) feet North and six hundred and sixty (660) feet West of the Southeast corner of Donation Land Claim No. 69, Township 37 South of Range Two (2) West of the Willamette Meridian and from said beginning point running thence North one thousand four hundred and ninety-five (1495) feet, thence East one thousand one hundred and eighty-eight (1188) feet, thence South one thousand, four hundred and ninety-five (1495) feet, thence West one thousand one hundred and eighty-eight (1188) feet to the place of beginning, containing 23.25 acres, reserve and excepting therefrom 23 acres heretofore sold to A. H. Miller of the Northern portion of said premises, as above described.

Taken and levied upon as the property of said Sarah J. Edman, Oscar Holmquist, Edna T. Lux, Minnie A. Townsend, Frank X. Goulet, Louise D. Goulet, W. J. Hills and Kate Hills, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment in favor of M. O. Carlson against the above named defendants, with interest thereon together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue.

Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, this 21st day of February, 1913.

AUG. D. SINGLER, Sheriff.

Notice of Sheriff Sale.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued by the clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, dated the 28th day of February, 1913, in a certain action in the Circuit Court for said County and State, wherein M. O. Carlson as plaintiff recovered judgment against Sarah J. Edman, Oscar Holmquist, Arvid Holmquist, Edna T. Lux, Minnie A. Townsend, Frank X. Goulet, Louise D. Goulet, W. J. Hills and Kate Hills, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment in favor of M. O. Carlson against the above named defendants, with interest thereon together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue.

Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, this 21st day of February, 1913.

AUG. D. SINGLER, Sheriff.

CITATION.

IN THE COUNTY COURT FOR JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of the Estate of Frank Ennis, Deceased. Citation to heirs and legatees to show cause why order for sale of real property should not be made.

To Frank E. Pockham, Chas. W. Ennis, Maud Ennis, Anna Tucker Champlin, Josephine Emelia Kanyon, Jennie Ennis, heirs at law and legatees of said above named decedent and all unknown heirs at law of said decedent and all others interested in said estate: Greeting—

In the Name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to be and appear before said County Court on Monday, the 10th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the Court room of said County Court at the Court House in the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, to then and there show cause why an order should not be granted to the Executors of said Estate to sell all the following described real property belonging to said Estate at private sale, to-wit:

All that portion of Lot 8 in Block 7 as laid down on the official plat of the Town (now City) of Jacksonville, Oregon, described as beginning at the South East corner of said Lot 8 and running thence North 100 feet more or less to the North East corner of said Lot 8; thence West along the North boundary of said Lot 8, 25 feet more or less to a post and board fence between the property of the said Ennis and Eleanor Jane Kubli; thence South with the said post and board fence to the west boundary of said Lot 100 feet more or less to the South boundary of said Lot 8; thence Easterly along the South line of said Lot 8, 50 feet more or less to the point of beginning, the above described property being the same property heretofore conveyed by deed to Frank Ennis by T. J. Kenney, Administrator of James Elliott Estate, Eleanor Jane Kubli, A. E. Reames and others—Excepting only therefrom the property heretofore conveyed by Frank Ennis to Eleanor Jane Kubli by deed dated Sept. 26th, 1912 recorded in Vol. 97 Page 273 Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon.

The foregoing Citation is ordered by the County Court aforesaid to be published in the Jacksonville Post for five successive weeks or for five publications prior to the 10th day of March, 1913. Witness the Hon. F. L. You Velle, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Jackson County, this 5th day of February, A. D. 1913.
F. L. YOU VELLE,
County Judge.
Attest: C. A. Gardner, Clerk.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale Under Execution.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued by the clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, dated the 18th day of February, 1913, in a certain action in the Circuit Court for said County and State wherein James W. Gillette and Eliza H. Gillette as Plaintiffs recovered judgment against Emory B. Waterman and Mabel B. Waterman his wife, for the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Three Dollars and Thirty Eight Cents, (\$2693.38) with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from the 18th day of February 1913. And the further sum of Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars attorney's fees also the costs and disbursements taxed therein.

Notice is hereby given that I will on

MARCH 29, 1913.

At the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville, in said County and State at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

All the right, title and interest of the said Emory B. Waterman and Mabel B. Waterman, his wife, in and to the North half of lot numbered 5 in Block numbered 4 Park addition to the City of Medford, Oregon.

Taken and levied upon as the property of the said Emory B. Waterman and Mabel B. Waterman his wife, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment in favor of said James W. Gillette and Eliza H. Gillette his wife, against the said Emory B. Waterman and Mabel B. Waterman his wife, with interest thereon together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue.

Dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, this 23rd day of February, A. D. 1913.

AUG. D. SINGLER,
Sheriff of Jackson County, Ore., on.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF OREGON, IN AND FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the matter of the estate of John Facklam, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, has appointed WILLIAM FACKLAM as executor of the estate of John Facklam, deceased and that the said William Facklam has duly qualified as executor of said estate. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same properly verified, to the undersigned executor at his residence near Central Point, Jackson County, Oregon, or at the office of D. W. Ragshaw, in Jacksonville, Oregon, on or before six months from and after the date of the first publication of this notice.

Date of first publication of this notice, is February 22, 1913.

EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN FACKLAM, DECEASED.

Notice of Final Settlement.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the matter of the administration of the estate of Pauline Kitto a deceased person.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Kitto, the Administrator de bonis non of the Estate of Pauline Kitto, deceased, has rendered, presented and filed for settlement the above entitled court and matter his first and final account and report of his administration of said estate; and that Tuesday the 4th day of March A. D. 1913 at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M. of said day at the court room of said court, at the Court House in Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, has been duly appointed and fixed by order of the judge of the above entitled court as the time and place for hearing of objections to said account and report and for the settlement thereof and of said estate.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that all objections to said final account or any item thereof must be filed on or before the date and time herein appointed for such hearing and settlement, or there at, on to-wit: the 4th day of March A. D. 1913 at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M. of said day.

Date of the first publication hereof is February 1st, A. D. 1913.

JOSEPH KITTO,
Administrator of the Estate of Pauline Kitto, deceased.

Final Notice.

IN THE COUNTY COURT FOR JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON.

In the Matter of the Estate of Urzila Garfield, Deceased.

Notice is hereby Given: That the undersigned, A. M. Wilson, administrator of the estate of Urzila Garfield, deceased, has filed in the County Court for Jackson County, State of Oregon, in the matter of said estate, his final report and account, showing all moneys received and disbursed, with vouchers for such disbursements.

That said court has set Saturday, the 1st day of March, 1913, the hour of ten o'clock A. M. and the court room of said court as the time and place for the making of any objections to the allowance of said final report and account. All persons having objections thereto are required to file the same in writing in said court, on or before said time, and to make such objections at said time, otherwise said final report and account will be allowed and said administrator will be discharged.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1913.
A. M. WILSON,
Administrator of the Estate of Urzila Garfield, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

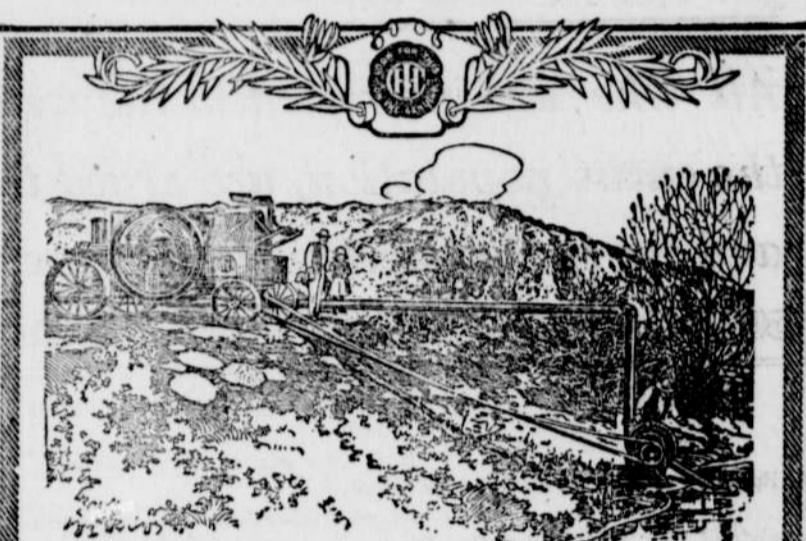
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON.

In the matter of the estate of Frank A. Douglas, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, by an order of the County Court of Jackson County, State of Oregon, duly entered on the 27th day of January, 1913, has been appointed and now is the duly qualified and acting Administrator of the estate of the above named decedent.

All creditors and persons having claims against said decedent or his estate are hereby notified and required to present the same duly verified with proper vouchers, to the undersigned at his office at No. 23 South Peach Street in the City of Medford, Jackson County, State of Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

The date of the first publication hereof is February 1st, 1913.
WALTER M. CLARK,
Administrator of the estate of Frank A. Douglas.
H. K. Hanna residing at Jacksonville, Oregon, Attorney for the estate.



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