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## ARMORY BILL LIKELY TO DIE BY GOVERNOR'S VETO

Measure for Building Here Passes Through Many Tribulations in Hands of Solons.

Cottage Grove is one of the latest victims of the state's whimsical chief executive, who probably will veto the armory bills that passed the recent session. One of these was for Cottage Grove, one was for the governor's home city of LaGrande and the other for Forest Grove. Lane county legislators had a heck of a time getting the bill for the Cottage Grove building through the two houses. It originated in the senate with Senator J. S. Maglady as its author and was once withdrawn at the request of the ways and means committee. Later, when it became apparent that the new revenue measures might produce sufficient funds to cover all appropriations and leave some for armory purposes, Maglady had the bill reintroduced. This was twice defeated, but upon being called up for the third time it secured the necessary constitutional majority. In the house, Representatives Howard and Potter had been busy and upon the third reading there under two suspensions of the rules two hours before final adjournment it received the largest vote of any of the armory bills.

The governor will give as his excuse for the veto the condition of the state's finances. The condition of the state treasury is due entirely to the governor's arbitrary action in December in refusing to allow the tax levying board to levy a sufficient property tax, his object being to force the legislature to pass the special revenue bills which he later suggested, including the cigarette tax and the gross earnings tax.

The governor could leave the entire blame for the armory appropriations upon the assembly by the simple method of filing the bills with the secretary of state without his signature. It would be consistent for him to take this action with the Cottage Grove bill for the reason that two years ago, when the bill for a Cottage Grove appropriation was withdrawn at his request, he gave his assurance that at this session he would do his best to get an appropriation through for Cottage Grove. He gave the same assurance to the members of the Cottage Grove military company when they were in camp last summer, and he practically made the promise during the present session that he would look with favor upon an appropriation for Cottage Grove. He will, however, be able to make the excuse that the bill did not have the approval of the ways and means committee, although members of that committee voted for it.

A committee consisting of Senator Maglady, Captain C. C. Cruson, Mayor G. O. Knowles and M. H. Anderson visited the chief executive Saturday. While not much encouragement was given the committee, the governor stated that if an expediting of the probable receipts of the coming two years indicated that there would be sufficient for the armory he probably would affix his signature. The committee did not feel greatly enthused over the possibility of such an expediting showing that there would be sufficient funds.

## BILL BOOSTER SAYS

**W**HATE TO SEE A FINE OLD SHADE TREE CUT DOWN BECAUSE SOMEBODY THINKS HE HAS TOO MUCH SHADE? THERE IS SUCH A THING, BUT A FELLOW OUGHT TO HESITATE BEFORE LAMING AN AXE TO A NOBLE TREE! YOU BET!

## State Chamber Coming to Sub Meeting Thursday

A speaker from the state chamber of commerce will be present at the first of the monthly luncheon meetings to be held by the chamber here at the Bartell hotel Thursday evening. While no definite word has been received by the members here as to who the speaker will be it is understood that local men have in mind a number of interesting talkers, any one of whom may come.

Inasmuch as the commercial club of Cottage Grove has only been affiliated with the state organization for a short time the visit of the representative of the state chamber will be something of a welcome of the local organization into the state chamber. Thursday evening's meeting will start at 7 o'clock.

The progress of the advertising booklet on Cottage Grove industries and recreational features was discussed at a meeting of the directors of the local chamber last Thursday. It is expected that page proofs of this booklet will be shown to the members at the meeting next Thursday and that the final o. k. on the booklet will be given then.

The decision to hold monthly luncheon meetings was reached at a meeting of the chamber held a few weeks ago because it was felt that the business men of the city would have a better chance to get together under that plan. The monthly meeting takes the place of the regular weekly meeting which would ordinarily come Thursday evening.

## Increased Production Made By Mills for Week

One hundred and eighteen mills reporting to West Coast Lumbermen's association for the week ending February 21, manufactured 99,834,457 feet of lumber; sold 90,388,459 feet; and shipped 96,733,680 feet.

New business was nine per cent below production. Shipments were seven per cent above new business.

Thirty-nine per cent of all new business taken during the week was for future water delivery. This amounted to 35,226,020 feet, of which 24,989,945 feet was for domestic cargo delivery; and 10,236,075 feet export. New business by rail amounted to 1,637 cars.

Forty-two per cent of the lumber shipments moved by water. This amounted to 40,551,241 feet, of which 27,998,174 feet moved coastwise and intercoastal; and 12,553,067 feet export. Rail shipments totaled 1,671 cars.

Local auto and team deliveries totaled 6,052,439 feet.

Unfilled domestic cargo orders totaled 128,736,635 feet. Unfilled export orders 109,316,509 feet. Unfilled rail trade orders 4,983 cars.

In the first eight weeks of the year, production reported to West Coast Lumbermen's association has been 755,062,883 feet; new business 700,193,856 feet; and shipments 759,610,249 feet.

## JERSEY JUBILEES PLANNED BY CATTLE CLUBS FOR MAY

Ivan H. Laughary, field man for the American Jersey Cattle club, has just completed arrangements for a series of Jersey jubilees to be held in several Willamette valley counties in May. The shows will be combination picnics and spring cattle shows. The shows will be used as a basis for picking the country show herd for the fall fair circuit. Mr. Laughary is leaving immediately for California where he will organize county and district Jersey cattle clubs.

## Water Supply Found Good by Test

The Cottage Grove water supply is rated as grade A by the state board of health in Portland in a tests of the city water recently sent in by the City Health Officer, C. E. Frost. Grade A is the designation used by the state board for water which is suitable for drinking purposes in all respects. The report on the condition of the water here was received Friday.

The city health officer is required to send in samples of the water at various times for testing. No regular time for these tests is specified but they are sent at the discretion of the officer. The results of the tests of the bacterial content of the water received Friday remove any question which may have existed as to the purity of the city supply.

## Mrs. Rachel Lockhart Taken By Death

The funeral of Mrs. Rachel Lockhart, whose death occurred February 28, was held from Mills chapel at 10:30 this forenoon. Interment was made in the A. F. & A. M. I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Rachel Jane Welch was born in Pennsylvania January 25, 1838 and moved to southern Ohio where, later, at the age of 20 years, she met and married Robert W. Lockhart, a young physician and minister of the Baptist church. To this union were born seven children four of whom are still living. Mrs. O. M. Kem, of Cottage Grove, Mrs. L. L. Crawford, of Paonia, Colorado, Mrs. J. G. Fountain, of Dunning, Nebraska and Robert Lockhart, of Erie, Colorado.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart were ardent prohibitionists at a time when it cost something to advocate that cause. Mrs. Lockhart was a "prohibition crusader" before the Women's Temperance union was organized. Her husband, in addition to his other duties, published a news paper in the interests of prohibition with the aid of Mrs. Lockhart, who, from the nature of her husband's other work, had to be the main stay of the business. The feeling with reference to prohibition was so intense at that time their main office was burned by the opposition, but inasmuch as they had an auxiliary shop, they did not miss an issue.

After the death of her husband, which occurred in middle life, she continued to publish the paper for a year or two and then sold it and moved to Tennessee where she lived for several years. From there she went to Nebraska, where she resided with her daughter, Mrs. O. M. Kem for some years, then migrated with them to Montross, Colorado, where she remained for a short time. She later lived with her son, Robert Lockhart, at Delta and Edgewater, Colorado, for several years. In 1921 she came to Cottage Grove where she resided with her daughter, Mrs. O. M. Kem, till her death.

## He's Sure Technical!

Irrite Motorist: "Say, this car won't climb a hill. You told me it was a good car."  
Dealer: "I said, 'On the level it's a good car!'"

## Solution of Puzzle No. 19

RABBIT CABALA  
C DELVE ELATE C  
OR NOON NONE LA  
MAR TRUSTED PAP  
BRIQ YOURS LOBE  
AESOPUNE VALOR  
TRELIS SLATERS  
ION ORE  
SCRATCH COURAGE  
FOOTS ORE BABER  
RASH PSALM LEAR  
ALE RATTLED TRA  
S HURL ITEM ST  
S GENRE SENSE A  
MARTYR TRYSTS

## FOOTPRINTS OF PIONEER DAYS

Interesting Events in the Lives of Those Who Laid Sturdy Foundation for the Present Generation.

## WEATHER GETS COLDER AS TRAIN COMES TO ROCKIES

(Continued from last Thursday.)  
In this installment of his diary Mr. Ducker tells of registering at Fort Larimer where 10,300 others had signed up on their way to California. Here the party saw Kit Carson and camped for a day to replenish supplies and give the horses and cattle a chance to rest. After continuing on the journey Mr. Ducker got lost from the train and the large number of emigrants on the road is shown by the fact that he called at 40 or 50 camps before finding the right one. The Platte river was crossed on flat boats the charge for the transportation being \$4 for a wagon and 25c for a mule.

The party reached higher altitudes in sight of snow while a half inch of ice was frozen on the water buckets at night. Feed was scarce and the horses beginning to give out to the desperation of Jeremiah Job, leader of the train and father of B. R. Job, of Cottage Grove.

June 1—We started rather late and traveled slowly but steadily; had very poor grass all day and a rainstorm just before night and with hail very large. J. Waple's wagon broke an axle and we camped.

June 2—Also started late, and traveled slowly and crossed Larimer river near Fort Larimer. We stopped at the fort and registered our names—there were 10,300 per-

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## University High Wins Close Contest

The high school basketball team lost to the University high school of Eugene Friday evening in a hard-fought game in the men's gymnasium on the University of Oregon campus. At the end of the first half the local team had the best of a 13 to 8 score but was unable to maintain its lead during the second half. The playing of the Cottage Grove boys during the first half was regarded as the best of the season by many who attended the game. Hempy, Ridings and Hays were high point men on the University high team, scoring seven points each. It was the work of Ridings in the second half that cost the Cottage Grove team the victory. McCargar was high point man for the local team scoring six of the 14 points. The final score was 23 to 14.

The summary: U. H. S. Alstott (4) F..... (7) Hempy Swanson..... F..... (1) Mariatt McCargar (6) C..... (1) Hall Miller (3) G..... (7) Hays Ballew (1) G..... Stearns Bartels..... S..... (7) Ridings Referee, Dave Evans. Coach Grannis substituted the entire second string in the third quarter to give the first team a rest in the hope that they would be able to rally. Only one score was made by Cottage Grove in the second half.

## Dental Equipment Installed

Cottage Grove professional men believe that Cottage Grove should have modern and metropolitan service. Dr. H. W. Titus recently installed an ultra-modern and beautifully finished cabinet in his dental office, thus completing his up-to-date equipment.

## Hearing on Boundary Is Postponed by Board

Because of the absence of County Judge Barnard and members of the county court the meeting of the district boundary board which was scheduled for last Friday was postponed until Tuesday. The question of annexing a portion of the Latham school district which was to occupy the attention of the board at the Friday meeting will be discussed Tuesday. A number of Cottage Grove and Latham people made the trip to Eugene to present the case before the board before they learned that the meeting would not be held.

Because the meeting of the state highway commission lasted longer than was expected the county court members were unable to get back to Eugene. Commissioner Hurd, who did not attend the Portland meeting, was ill. A number of interested persons from here are expected to attend the meeting Tuesday.

## Eugene Game Is Lost By Junior High

The junior high team of Cottage Grove lost for the second time this year when it played the Eugene junior high on the University high floor in Eugene Friday evening. At the end of the close and evenly played game the score stood 10 to 8 for the Eugene team.

The summary: E. J. H. Brockman (2) F..... (2) Fellers Ward (4) F..... (2) Jefferies Wilson (2) C..... (2) Schmitz Goff..... G..... (6) Baird Garoutte..... G..... Henderson White..... S..... Jenney Referee, Kuhn.

## New Warehouse Opened on Lane Street

The new warehouse, shop and store rooms of Godard and Randall were opened the latter part of last week and the stock and material of the company moved from the former location in the Godard building on Sixth street to the building on north Lane street. The Lane Auto company took over the building formerly occupied by Godard and Randall and opened a garage there last week.

The dimensions of the new warehouse are 60 by 90 feet and will provide more room and better facilities than the old building which was 50 by 70 feet. A stock of building material is now on hand in the warehouse. The work on the building probably will not be all completed for another month, although the structure is now inclosed and can be used without inconvenience.

Lumber racks in addition to the ones already available are being constructed. This company intends to build a spur from the Southern Pacific track which will enable it to load cars from one of the two front doors opening on the east end of the building. An office room is being fitted up in the front of the structure.

Most of the heavy material such as brick, lime and cement will be kept in the warehouse of the company east of the Southern Pacific station rather than in the building. A room will be fitted up in the basement for storing tools and other equipment. The new warehouse will be operated in connection with the construction work and other enterprises carried on by the concern as well as for retailing building material.

The fellow who rocked the boat last summer has just finished firing at everything that moved in the woods.—J. R. W. in Milwaukee Journal.

## SEWER CONSTRUCTION WORK IS NEAR COMPLETION

Interest in Lateral Districts Increasing in City; Several Before Council Tonight.

The construction of 3,000 feet of sewer in the city is expected to be completed within the next few weeks. The last of the tile on the main trunk line is now being laid on Second street and it is expected that this work will be completed some time this week. All that will remain to complete the project will be to fill up the ditches and haul away what dirt cannot be used in covering the pipes.

Considerable interest in the sewer is expected to develop at the council meeting this evening when a number of ordinances for the establishing of lateral districts will be presented. In addition to the districts petitioned for at the last council meeting a number of residents of other sections of the city have expressed a desire to form lateral districts.

There is considerable sentiment expressed favoring a division of the entire city into lateral sewer districts where sewer facilities are not already provided. It is contended that such action would prevent confusion and difficulty in the future when the population of the town has increased and there are more homes to be taken care of.

When the work on Second street, where the crew is now engaged, is finished there will remain 300 feet to be constructed on Chestnut street on the west side. Also a lateral sewer on Whittaker street in the north eastern part of the city will be constructed.

The main trunk line sewer was started on Eighth street, crossed the railroad track on Tenth, followed Tenth to Quincy and on Sixth to the end of the line. Another section started on Fifth near the school house followed Fifth to Third, along Third to Madison, from Madison to Second and on Second to the city limits. The trunk line on the west side started on the old Pacific highway following it to Chestnut street where 300 feet are yet to be constructed.

The work is being carried on under the supervision of John Keating.

## BILL FOR O. A. C. BUREAU PASSED BY LEGISLATURE

The bills by Senator Ed Miller, of Grants Pass, which provided for the discontinuance of the present inactive bureau of mines and for the establishment of a bureau of mines and geology in connection with the Oregon Agricultural college, passed both houses of the recent session and will become a law ninety days following the adjournment of the session. It is anticipated that the college will put out two field men to give much the same service to the mining industry that it now gives to several branches of the agricultural industry. Senator Miller consulted with mining men of this section in the drawing of his bills.

The plain people will continue in hard luck so long as the political machine is a mere auxiliary to the adding machine.—Columbia (S. C.) Record.

—the merchant who keeps his advertising on the move —the one who has a real story to tell

—and tells it well —the one who, when he has real bargains to offer, lets the people of his community know about them through the local newspaper —is the one who is outdistancing all competition.

## WHAT'S THE USE



## By L. F. Van Zelm



## AND SEND UP A DOCTOR AND A NURSE IN ABOUT HALF AN HOUR?



## Felix Believes in Preparedness

