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for wives and children of soldiers, is
soon to be opened at Casner, Cahu,
Hawarian Islands, to care for the over-
flow of women and children from the
first house, which opened some months
ago in answer to a call from the com-
manding officer of the camp.
During 15 days in November 2,152
visitors were entertained at the house,
including women and children, of the
following nationalities: Philippine, Ha-
wallian, Portuguese, Spanish, Russian,
Porto Rican, Korean, Japanese and
American.

IN PORTO RICO
Porto Rico has a cafeteria. It is the
first one established on the island, and
when it was opened in the Y. W. C. A.
Hostess House at Camp Las Casas the
natives crowded around, much amused
at the innovation. They insisted upon
having American dishes.
The house became very well known
in a short time, and a group of women
from San Juan volunteered to go out
every week to mend socks and sew on
buttons for the soldiers.

**RESUME OF WORK OF
OREGON LEGISLATURE**

**Prompt Organization of Both
Houses Augury of Suc-
cessful Session.**

**Prohibition Amendment Ratified—Sol-
diers' and Sailors' Commission
Formed—No Conflict Over Consoli-
dation—Would Suppress Criminal
Syndicalism—State Police De-
partment Proposed—Compulsory Em-
ployment of Soldiers.**

Salem.—If the prompt manner in
which the legislature organized and
started to work is an indication of
the manner in which the law-making
business is going to be conducted it
augurs well for a successful session.

There was no blocking in either
house over organization. Both the
president of the senate, W. T. Vinton
of Yamhill county, and the speaker of
the house, Seymour Jones of Marion
county, were elected without opposi-
tion.

The legislative mill began to grind
promptly after organization was com-
pleted, with less useless debate than
during the first week of any session
for many years. While fewer bills
were introduced than usually appear
during the first week of a session,
seldom does the initial week see so
many important measures brought
forward. All told, 59 bills have been
introduced in the house and 21 in the
senate.

The first important action of the
legislature after organization was the
ratification of the national prohibition
amendment. The prohibition resolu-
tion passed the house with only three
negative votes, cast by Kubli, Lewis
and McFarland, all from Multnomah
county. In the senate the resolution
was passed by an unanimous vote.

Bill Passed to Relieve Soldiers.
The first bill passed provided for
the creation of a soldiers' and sailors'
commission for the relief of returning
soldiers, appropriating \$100,000 for
that purpose. The bill passed both
houses with only one dissenting vote,
cast by Senator Wood of Washington
county.

Governor Withycombe promptly
signed the bill and announced the ap-
pointment of W. B. Ayer, chairman;
John H. Burgard, A. H. Cranston and
John H. Stevenson, all of Portland, as
the personnel of the new commission.
A technical error was discovered in
the soldiers' relief bill by the adding
department of the secretary of state,
which is held to render it unconstitu-
tional, and will necessitate sending
the bill back to the legislature for
amendment.

Consolidation Plans Harmonious.
For a time there were indications
of a clash between the house and
senate over the consolidation pro-
gram, but the differences were
smoothed over. A practical plan is
being worked out under which the
joint committee will put into form all
proposals for consolidation, elimina-
tion or merger of duties of various
departments and commissions.

Members who have been here for
several sessions declare that never
before have they seen the legislature
as a whole in such a seeming state of
harmony on the consolidation question
as now, and it is believed the conflict
which blocked all efforts at consoli-
dation two years ago will be avoided.

Radicals to Be Curbed.
A bill was introduced in the senate
by Senator Dimick and a somewhat
similar bill in the house by Mr. Kubli
directed at criminal syndicalism and
designed to suppress Bolsheviki and
I. W. W. activities. The measures de-
fine criminal syndicalism and sabo-
tage, and would curb lawlessness seek-
ing industrial revolution. They would
punish by fine and imprisonment not
only actual destruction of property,
but also the distribution of literature
or the teaching of such propaganda.
The bills are expected to meet the
desire of Governor Withycombe as
expressed in his message that a law
providing for the punishment of treas-
on be enacted.

State Police is Created By Bill.
Creation of the department of state
police is proposed in a bill introduced
by Senator Orton, of Multnomah.
The bill provides for an appropria-
tion of \$60,000 for the support of the
department for a two-year period.

A superintendent of state police, to
be appointed by the governor at a
salary of \$3000 a year, and the selec-
tion of 12 police officers by the super-
intendent at salaries of \$1500 annually
each, are the main provisions of the
bill.

Provides for Employment of Soldiers.
First of the reconstruction bills to
be introduced in the senate was that
of Senator Huston, making employ-
ment of war veterans, either soldiers
or sailors, compulsory by the state,
counties and municipal corporations.
The measure applies to veterans of the
Civil, Spanish-American and of the
recent war who have achieved honor-
able discharges. The bill provides

that soldiers who have been maimed
in action shall be given employment
suitable to their physical condition,
and, in case any working force of men
is cut down, would be the last to be
removed from the payrolls.

Tax Limitation Request Proposed.
The repeal of the 6 per cent tax
limitation amendment adopted by the
people at the general election of 1916,
is provided for in a joint resolution
introduced in the house just before
adjournment by Brownell of Umatilla
county.

The resolution provides for the ap-
pointment of a committee of five mem-
bers of the house to prepare a measure
for adoption by the legislature, and
submission by it to the people at the
next general election, of a constitu-
tional provision repealing the present
4 per cent limitation amendment.

Want Road Work Started.
A joint resolution introduced in the
house by Mr. Bean, calling upon the
state highway commission to imme-
diately start work on one or more
units of highway work to provide em-
ployment for at least 1000 men was
passed in both houses. This resolu-
tion provides that preference shall be
given to returning soldiers and sailors.

Mr. Bean also introduced a joint
resolution calling upon congress to
enact legislation which will remedy
bad conditions surrounding the re-
turning men, because of governmental
inaction. This resolution calls atten-
tion to the fact that the Oregon leg-
islature has been compelled to appro-
priate \$100,000 to grapple with a situa-
tion which should have been cared for
by congressional action.

Prevent Teaching Foreign Languages.
Representative Dodd of Umatilla in-
troduced a bill in the house, making it
unlawful for any board of school di-
rectors to permit the teaching of any
subject, other than foreign languages,
in any of the public or private schools
of the state except in the English lan-
guage. Any director permitting such
a thing to be done, or any teacher vi-
olating the terms of the act is to be
punished by a fine of not less than
\$100 nor more than \$500 for the first
offense, and not less than \$250 nor
more than \$1000 for the second off-
ense, with the alternate punishment of
imprisonment for not less than 30
days nor more than one year in the
county jail.

Market Commission is Proposed.
Standardization of the sale of all
farm and manufacturing products and
furthering the market for Oregon
goods is proposed in a bill introduced
by Senator Huston, of Multnomah
county, providing for the creation of a
state market commission. The bill
provides that a market director, ap-
pointed by the governor, shall have
supervisory control over the sale and
marketing of all such commodities, to
the end that Oregon products might
find a wider market throughout the
country.

Land Settlement Act Introduced.
The soldiers land settlement bill
recommended to the various states by
Secretary of the Interior Lane was
introduced in the senate by Senator
Eddy. It provides for the appoint-
ment of a soldiers' settlement board
of three members and carries an ap-
propriation of \$500,000 to meet the
state's share of the expense of co-
operation with the United States.

Briefly, the bill provides a plan
whereby the state is to furnish the
land and the United States is to fur-
nish the money for the development
of homes for soldiers. The soldiers
will be given 40 years in which to pay
for the land and 20 years in which to
pay for the improvements.

**Provision is made that the governor
shall appoint the chairman of the sol-
diers' settlement board, who shall be
designated as the soldiers' settlement
commissioner and shall receive a sal-
ary of \$4000 a year.**

Legislative Brevities.
Governor Withycombe's veto of sen-
ate bill No. 242, of the 1917 session,
proposing an increase in the salaries
of certain officials in Hood River
county, was sustained by the senate.

A bill to license real estate brokers
was introduced in the house by Rep-
resentative Gordon.
**Amendment to the inheritance tax
laws so that they shall apply to es-
tates which pass by dower and cour-
tesy, or because of any deed, grant or
gift as an advancement or division of
the decedent's estate, along with
greatly increased rates, are included
in the provisions of a bill introduced
in the house by Representative
Schuebel.**

Having procured Oregon's ratifica-
tion of the national prohibition amend-
ment by a total vote of 87 to 3 in the
combined branches of the legislature,
the prohibition forces of the state now
are to train their "dry" guns on the
patent medicines and so-called tonics
containing a generous portion of al-
cohol. President Baker, of the Oregon
Anti-Saloon league, is authority for
the statement that bills touching on
these patent medicines will be intro-
duced.

Representative Cross of Clackamas
county would have the school certifi-
cate law of 1911 so amended that
graduates of universities and colleges
could teach in grade schools of the
state.

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9:00 " " Cottage Farm " 12:10 " "
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