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### GOOD ROADS ACTIVITY.

From the reports of the activity among the people of Oregon who believe in the development benefits to be derived from the construction of good roads it seems that after many years of talking a practical effort is about to bear practical results. No one has ever questioned the necessity for good roads. The development of every community where transportation has been made easy by means of solid roadways bespeaks their value as an investment. Oregon has now the opportunity to avoid the mistakes made in other states. The establishment of the unit system of road building, that is, permitting each county to organize and conduct its own plan of highway improvement aided by the state and organized agencies who contribute freely to the cause for the sake of the good to follow, will constitute the avoidance of one serious mistake that has harmed the work of other states and communities that have gone wild on the state road fad. Oregon needs local roads to serve local needs. The five good roads bills now before the legislature deserve support and adoption because they look toward this very end. If all counties build good roads systems in a permanent way the state will not lack for a general good roads system.

### WHY SHOULD THEY.

It is proposed to tax the farmers and producers of Oregon $100,000 a year to patrol the forests of the state to keep them from burning. These forests are mostly in the hands of a trust and some big interests. They are said to be worth eight hundred millions of dollars. They are capable of paying for their own protection, and a special tax should be levied upon them to patrol them. Suppose they were assessed for four hundred millions and a special tax of one quarter of a mill levied for their protection from fire. This would bring in the $100,000 wanted and not tax the farmer's cow or workingman's kit of tools a single mill. Why should they pay for the special protection of the Weyerhauser's timber?

### TAX LAW ENDORSED.

Organized labor in the State Federation at Salem endorsed with practical unanimity the county tax measure that exempts all industries, professions, personal property and improvements from taxation. It will be first put out for signatures in Multnomah county, and rapidly followed by petitions in several other counties. Last year when organized labor endorsed the tax measure that is now a part of the constitution of the state, very little attention was paid to it. Something is happening right along in this line that is going to come closer to interesting every citizen in Oregon within the next 18 months than anything short of a Japanese war.

Senator Carson has introduced a bill into the Senate providing, among other things, for the disfranchisement for a period of years of men who are proven guilty of election frauds and tampering with election prerogatives. This is a wise provision. In the past the punishment for election frauds has been too drastic; it has been so severe that it defeated the purpose for which it was instituted. Any man will willingly testify against a friend or neighbor guilty of petty election frauds if disfranchisement is to be the punishment. But when for a petty election fraud a man is to be sent to the penitentiary for two to five years, and his family punished more than the man, few will testify as to evidence unless it is beyond the shadow of a doubt there is guilt. Under disfranchisement sentence it will be easy to convict—and it should be—and in case of conviction on error the sentence will not be of a character that the man will be made to suffer great material damage.

The scandal in connection with the insane asylum and kindred institutions in this State brings to mind once again the fact that all men are human, and certain of them prone to be weaker than others. Many times poor management can be more destructive of healthy finances than even dishonesty. A dishonest official who is wise knows about how much to steal, and when to quit. But a wasteful manager who is not stealing, but just grossly negligent or careless, never can tell just how widespread is the disaster of which he is the father, and which he must some day face.

One of the promising signs of the times comes in the move of the legislature to curtail expenses where there has been the least show of extravagance. When the people wake up—and the awaking of the legislature is a good indication that the people are awake—reforms are always in order. It is folly to permit of extravagance, in any department of government. The people as a class are not inclined to haggle over any expense for the unfortunate that circumstances make necessary, but this does not under any circumstances make permissible peculation or waste.

The faculty of the State Agricultural College is asking for an appropriation of $70,000. We don't know as to the exact needs of the college, but can say this: The Agricultural College has vast possibilities and if that sum is necessary to do the work, and the faculty is so organized that it can make good use of the money, well and good. In this connection it seems wise to give that college whatever can be spent to good advantage—always supposing that the money is where it can be had for going after it.

Representative Collins has introduced a bill at Salem to require all labor disputes to be referred to a State Board of Arbitration. This will be a step in the right direction. It is a costly proposition for labor and capital to fight, and it is almost as costly for people who must sit by and watch the contention. A State Board should be able to put a stop to many of the disputes that are now permitted to come to a head, and through such a bureau the general tone in the labor world should be greatly improved.

The scare head news in the papers about the collapse of the butter and egg corner, with the consequent drop in prices, has shown very little form so far. A few local dealers, with a few extra dozens on hand, became rattled and let go, but outside of that little good came to the consumer. The newspapers are often used as tools by the big interests, and the big interests seldom allow the little fry to profit by their mistakes for they are strong enough to turn their mistakes into success in many instances.

During farmer's week at Corvallis there will be demonstrations of how to keep house. Not only is the State Agricultural College to teach us men how to be good farmers, but the women and girls are to have a show at learning. All of which goes to show that women suffragettes are partly wrong in their contention that woman is not given a square deal, for at the agricultural college, a state institution, she is to be taught as well as the men.

Senator Burgess has introduced a bill in the Senate providing that the County Commissioners may appropriate $200 for the establishment of farm libraries, where these libraries can be established in connection with some other library, and without cost for maintenance—the county in reality simply providing the books. If there is a proper choice of books much good might result from the plan, but much depends on what the library may contain.

The Oregon system of government may be the best in the world, but Senator Bourne is not likely to get much political good out of its exploitation as per his late fiasco in the State Senate. But Senator Bourne is not the first man who has found, by experience, that it is dangerous ground one treads when he goes out of his way to work up political buncomb.

It looks as if the Methodists of the world were to be united in one big denomination. Three members from each of the three wings have met and agreed to the union, and it now remains for the three main bodies to endorse the work of the committees.

A new bill before the legislature provides that a wife may collect damages from any one furnishing intoxicants to an habitual drunkard.

# MORTGAGE EXEMPTION PLANNED FOR STATE

WILL PUT A STOP TO COLLECTING TAXES FROM THE SAME VALUES TWICE.

Following is the text of a proposed bill by Senator McCullough, which is self-explanatory:

For an Act to amend Section 3554 of Lord's Oregon Laws and to exempt generally throughout the State from assessment and taxation mortgages, interests in real or personal property created by mortgage, notes, debts or credits given or created by mortgage or in connection with or incident to any transaction wherein a mortgage is executed or created.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Oregon:

Be it enacted by the legislative assembly of the State of Oregon:

Section 1. Section 3554 of Volume 2, Lord's Oregon Laws, shall be, and hereby is amended to read as follows:

The following property shall be exempt from taxation:

1. All property, real and personal, of the United States and this State, except land belonging to this State held under a contract for the purchase thereof.

2. All public or corporate property of the several counties, cities, villages, towns and school districts in this State used or intended for corporate purposes, except lands belonging to such public corporations held under a contract for the purchase thereof.

3. The personal property of all literary, benevolent, charitable and scientific institutions incorporated within this State, and such real estate belonging to such institutions as shall be actually occupied for the purpose for which they are incorporated.

4. All houses of public worship, and the lots on which they are situated, and the pews or slips and furniture therein, and all burial grounds, tombs, and rights of burial; all lands and the buildings thereon, not exceeding thirty acres, held by any crematory association incorporated under the laws of this State used for the sole purpose of a crematory and burial place for (to) incinerate remains; but any part of any buildings, being a house of public worship, which shall be kept or used as a store or shop, or for any other purpose, except for public worship or for schools, shall be taxed upon the cash valuation thereof, the same as personal property, to the owner or occupant, or to either, and the taxes shall be collected thereon in the same manner as taxes on personal property.

5. All public libraries and the personal property belonging thereto and connected therewith, and the real property belonging thereto and upon which such library is situated.

6. The property of all Indians residing upon Indian reservations who have not severed their tribal relations or taken lands in severalty, except lands held by them by purchase or inheritance, and situate on an Indian reservation; provided, however, that the lands owned or held by Indians in severalty upon any Indian reservation, and the personal property of such Indians upon such reservation, shall be exempt from taxation when so provided by any law of the United States, and not otherwise.

7. The personal property of all persons who, by reason of infirmity, age, or poverty, may, in the opinion of the assessor, be unable to contribute towards the public charges.

8. The personal property of every householder to the amount of $300, the articles to be selected by the householder.

9. Generally throughout the State mortgages, interests in real or personal property created by mortgage, notes, debts or credits given or created by mortgage, or in connection with or incident to any transaction wherein a mortgage is executed or created.

Section 2. This Act shall be submitted to the legal voters of this State for their approval or rejection at the next regular general election, in the same manner as provided for the submission of proposed laws to the people under the initiative, and shall become a law at such time if approved by the majority of the legal voters voting hereon.

### LUCHT FINED $75.

**Justice Samson Hears the Case, With Jury of Five.**

The case against Fred Lucht, charged with having and keeping his fence in the highway, was tried in Justice Samson's court Monday. The claim was made, and proved at the trial, that his fence was some ten feet over the road line.

In his own defense Lucht claimed that he tried to find out in the county records where the real line was, just how wide the road had been laid out, and that he could get no satisfaction and hence refused to move in the matter.

The case was tried to a jury and the verdict was against Lucht. Judge Samson then assessed a fine of $75, having in view to tax up to defense enough to cover cost of prosecuting the case. Defense gave notice of appeal.

### NOTABLE AUTHOR SHOT.

**Assailant Then Commits Suicide—No Known Cause for Deed.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—(Spl.)—David Graham Phillips, a notable editor and writer, was today shot by Fitzhugh Coyle Goldsborough, a Harvard man, who then shot himself. Phillips was shot six times but is still alive and his friends say he has a chance to survive.

The assailant is said to be insane. The worst wound is in the lungs. Phillips is said to feel that he may recover as he is in the best of health. The assailant had been bothering Phillips for several weeks with demands but the wounded man could never learn just what he wanted. No known cause for the crime.

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# MAKING POSSIBLE THE NEW BRIDGE

SENATE BILL THAT IS UP FOR CONSIDERATION BY PRESENT LEGISLATURE.

## THREE COUNTIES TO JOIN IN COST

Act Will Make Possible for Commission to Build—Commission to Choose Site and Conduct Erection.

Following is the text of proposed tri-county bridge act:

Section 1. That it shall be lawful for Marion county, Clackamas county, and Yamhill county, Oregon, and the said counties are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to construct, build, maintain and use, and cause to be constructed, built, maintained and used, a bridge across the Willamette River at Butteville, to be known and used as a wagon bridge for the genera public, the exact location of said bridge to be selected by a commission hereinafter created by this act, and the said County Courts of Marion county, Clackamas county and Yamhill county be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to make a levy upon the taxable property of their respective counties for said purpose, and the amount to be raised by said levy shall not exceed a total of one and one-half mills on the dollar, on all taxable property assessed in said counties, a one-half part thereof to be levied by said county courts in January, 1912, and the remaining half part thereof in the month of January, 1913.

Sec. 2. The duly elected, acting and qualified County Judges of Marion, Clackamas and Yamhill counties and their successors in office, be and they are hereby constituted a commission, without salary except necessary expenses, and said commission is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to procure the necessary lands for bridge site on either side of the Willamette River at Butteville, and to condemn said lands in the name of said commission, if necessary, and said commission is further authorized, empowered and directed to employ competent assistants in making the necessary surveys of said stream, and in preparing plans and specifications for the construction of said bridge, and to fully complete the construction of said bridge without unnecessary delay.

Sec. 3. That the ownership of said bridge and the necessary lands on either side of said stream used for bridge purposes, shall belong to said counties, and each of said counties shall pay their proportionate share in the construction of said bridge as provided for by this act, and for the future maintenance of the same according to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in each of said counties, and said bridge shall forever remain free and open to the public.

Sec. 4. All funds raised in said counties by said levies shall be kept by the County Treasurer of each of said counties in a separate fund, and shall pay out said funds only upon orders duly signed and audited by all of the members of said commission.

# BRIDGE CONTROVERSY BRINGS FORTH KICKS

THERE ARE THOSE WHO THROW COLD WATER ON THE SCHEME —CLUB STILL PUSHING.

Editor Enterprise: You will kindly, through your valuable paper, allow me to answer an article appearing in Monday morning's Oregonian with reference to people having joined the Push Club in Newberg. I do not wish to say anything harsh, nor to criticize the people of Newberg in any way, shape or manner, but would like to see everything with reference to the bridge at Butteville, or Newberg, to be on the square, and as there were misstatements in this article and no name signed to the same, I wish to state the plain facts, which are these:

All but six or seven of the members of the Tri-County Push Club in Newberg signed a card pledging themselves to support the bridge at Butteville not more than two months ago, and the sidewalk that they speak of in this article was built a year ago. They did not contribute in any way, shape or form to this sidewalk. All but two or three were taken into the club as honorary members, for the reasons that they were in a position to help the club in advocating and procuring the bridge at Butteville, and I wish to say farther that all of the members from Newberg are intelligent business men, and a club card was laid before them which they read and signed their names thereto, and the pledge each took was this: "We want the bridge at Butteville and I pledge my support to this enterprise."

Yours truly,
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# NEWS FROM THE COUNTRY

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM ALL PARTS OF CLACKAMAS COUNTY

(Continued From Page 3.)

### SAD DROWNING HERE.

**Small Blaze at the Kelsey Home—School Meeting Saturday.**

MARQUAM, Jan. 18.—(Spl.)—The sad news of the drowning of the little daughter of John Ferguson, while with her mother and small brother, has reached here. They were crossing the Marquam Branch, near Scott's Mills, on their way from their home which is located about 2½ miles from Scott's Mills. Grappling hooks are being used, but up to a late hour all efforts to find the body have failed.

It has also been reported that Mr. Kelsey's house at Scott's Mills was in danger of a fire, which had been started by a little boy while playing with matches. Not much damage was done only to some curtains and a few clothes were burned.

It has been raining almost continually for the past 48 hours and all the highways of travel are well flooded.

Grandma Harrington has been very ill for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bently are both much improved.

Everybody is requested to come out to the school meeting next Saturday, for the benefit of the school.

Our postmaster has added an incubator to his establishment.

Our new road boss, John Barth, will be required to re-locate a number of the roads in this section since the recent rains.

### MARQUAM.

The first snow of the season came the 9th of January, but the south wind came the 16th and the snow left us and now we are having "old web-foot" weather again. The snow was about four inches deep.

J. C. Nicholson and wife, of Mohawk, Lane county, have been visiting with relatives and friends for the past week.

Our new telephone operators, Mr. and Mrs. Buckley, and daughter, are doing fine for their practice.

The young people had a great time while the snow and ice lasted. They had no occasion to call a doctor, either, if they did have some narrow escapes.

There is a great deal of sickness in and around our town. With the weather getting warmer their health will soon improve.

Andrew Bentley, of Oak Grove, is staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bentley, who have been quite sick but at this writing are better.

Mrs. Harrington, an elderly woman of this place, is very low.

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### REDLAND.

Redlandites have had to stay at home lately. First there were 6 or 7 inches of snow, and then about as much rain, and then bridges went floating down stream, and plank roads floated into ditches. Trees, brush and mud slid into the balance of the road, so there was nothing else to do but stay at home.

The bridge across Clear Creek at Fisher's Mill went out during the high water.

Earl Allen, who had his arm broken on the 10th, and also has the rheumatism, is slowly improving.

Little Robert Stone and Mrs. Hinkle are quite ill.

The Firgrove school opened Monday after five weeks recess, on account of sickness.

Rev. Milligan, of Portland, held a short series of meetings at the Evergreen school house. All enjoyed his good sermons.

The I. O. O. F. will hold an open meeting January 28. There will be an old fashioned spelling match. Popcorn will be served, and a debate concerning the Indian. Cannot inform as to whether he is to be scalped or educated. But all are invited to come and see.

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### STAFFORD.

Stafford has been having an unusual spell of winter weather since January 9, snow having fallen to a depth of 10 inches, and on the night of the 14th the mercury went down to 13 degrees above. Sleighs, sleds and dry goods boxes have been in evidence daily.

On Monday the snow began to soften up a little and in the night the welcome web-foot mist began to fall and one and all rejoiced as we looked out in the morning of Tuesday upon the usual green fields of winter and farmers began to plan for work again.

Mrs. T. L. Turner lies critically ill at her home in Frog Pond. A trained nurse was obtained from Portland on Sunday night. Dr. Mount is in daily attendance, but there is small hopes of her recovery at the present time. She had been visiting relatives with her husband up in Washington since November and had just returned on Friday, the 6th, and on Monday, the 9th, was taken sick with what proved to be pneumonia.

Otto Peters is some better and hopes are entertained for his complete recovery.

Mrs. Ben Athey has been quite sick and under the care of a physician.

Mr. Delkar, who was hurt by his colt, is some better.

A husky looking Dutchman with one cross eye, nearly new tan hat, and comfortable clothing came to Mr. Gage's Monday after dark after work, (he said.) Mr. Gage wanted a hand and kept him over night, gave him a hot breakfast and he said he guessed he'd go on. Didn't seem to like the outlook of hauling manure and splitting wood, therefore farmers better look a little out for him.

Men went to Oregon City Tuesday to see what the Boundary Board would do about dividing the district, but the seceders apparently had thought better of it and concluded to stay with us, and we are glad to have the matter blow over quietly and peaceably.

Perhaps it would be of interest to some of your farmer readers to tell of Mr. Gage's cow. Her name is Polly Blue. She had been giving nearly 2 gallons of milk daily. Suddenly she shrunk down to half a pint. Mr. Gage's son, John, came about that time. He said perhaps she had weevil, a disease known to dairymen. The tail near the middle feels soft and flabby and he slit the tail lengthwise until he came to good red blood, as the flabby part has no blood in it, then he put in salt and black pepper, mixed half and half, tied the ends of the tail around the wound and in a couple of days her milk came back, not quite so much as before, but apparently all right.

It has rained almost constantly since it began until now. All the low places are miniature lakes.

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### WILSONVILLE.

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Miss Bliss is the accommodating new saleslady at the store of Henry Aden.

H. G. Hartshorne, who has engaged in the real estate business in Wilsonville, is wide-awake, and is doing a good business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Butson went to Portland Thursday where Mr. Butson had business.

Henry Aden attended the debate at the school house at Union district on Friday evening, and reports a good program and a fine time.

Mrs. Wm. Brobst has gone to Eastern Oregon with her daughter, Elizabeth, and will be away for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis have been enjoying a visit from some of their Eastern friends, who may settle in Oregon.

Marion Young was elected trustee of the village school, Mr. Lowry having resigned on account of moving to Portland. The choice of Mr. Young to fill the vacancy is a splendid one, as he is a citizen who always displays a keen interest in educational affairs.

Alison Baker has been serving as a juror for some time, at the county seat.

Antone Batalgia, who bought the Chas. Epler farm, finds Wilsonville, as a shipping point, quite an advantage over where he lived in Eastern Oregon where his nearest shipping point was 45 miles distant from his home.

Mr. Mallory, who was formerly our station agent here, was shaking hands with old friends in our village last week.

Mrs. Grimes, of San Francisco, is visiting her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Stallnecher.

That person with a fondness for jewelry and stray twenty dollar gold pieces, who displayed skill in robbing Aden's store and the railway depot last week, will probably not make his appearance soon again, for the guns are now only waiting for the drop of the hat.

Mrs. Fred Stallnecher entertained the Hood View Ladies' Aid society on Thursday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Grimes, who has many friends here.

A splendid cut of Jake Peter's new store is shown in the January edition of the Daily Oregon Statesman, which paper also contains a nice description of the growth of the towns along the Oregon Electric Railway, of which Wilsonville is quite a noted station, on account of being at the terminus of the mammoth bridge.


Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA


### WILLAMETTE.

Dan Colson and son-in-law, Lee Jones, nearly lost their lives Sunday in the swift running Tualatin river. They were out in a boat catching driftwood, near Willamette, when the craft capsized, throwing both men into the water. They frantically grasped at some willows along the banks, and hung there for two hours, occasionally sending out cries for help. Finally some hunters were attracted by their outcries and came to their rescue, but the steep sides of the river bank compelled the rescuers to recover the capsized boat, after which they dragged the exhausted men to safety. Mr. Colson says in future when going after wood, he will stick to the banks of the river.

G. E. Strong, who came here recently from Southern Oregon, has rented the Manley Manning place.

Mr. LeMay is building a new residence in the northeast end of Willamette. He has an attractive site.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waldron died at noon Sunday. The child's name was Lawrence Alfred and he was aged 2½ months. Death was caused by bowel complaint. The funeral took place at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Services were held in the Methodist church at Willamette and the interment was in Mountain View cemetery.

Verneitu Strong, daughter of G. E. Strong, gave a birthday party on Saturday, January 14, to a number of her young friends. The children of the Painter, Greaves, Ream and Britten families were present, and the time was pleasantly spent with games, and a lunch was served.


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### MARKS PRAIRIE.

The highest water seen here for years was last week.

A great amount of damage to the roads in this disttrict was done by the high water.

Our supervisor, Geo. E. Oglesby, has the roads open for travel again.

There will be a dramatic entertainment at Meridian school house on Friday evening, January 27. All are invited.

John Kopper is putting in a large amount of tiling on his farm here.

Meridian and Barlow are all torn up with Holy Rollers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oglesby were visitors at Canby Sunday.

Our school has been wrestling with their annual school examination and we await the result.

Right here we want to protest against Portland teachers grading their scholars up to the seventh grade when they should be in the fifth grade.

Oglesby brothers will play for the dance at Butteville on Valentine day.

Grip and colds are all the rage here.

Avon Jesse had a birthday party last week. A large number of his friends was present.

Frank Campan and George Oglesby were in Oregon City on business last week.

Hops all sold here and buyers are offering to contract next year's crop at 16 cents per pound. Growers are not contracting as they have lost money in the past by contracting.

**Ends Winter's Troubles.**

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### TELEGRAPHIC TAPS.

There was another riot in Chicago yesterday, and the garment strikers nearly wrecked two shops.

Buchanan's bill abolishing the whipping post was passed through the judiciary committee at Salem, Or., yesterday.

Eleven members of one Eugene, Or., family are ill with measles.

A bull dog saved a Pendleton girl from the clutches of a tramp last night.

Eugene voters are to say yes or no to project to spend $25,000 on municipal lighting plant.

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