

HIGHWAY ON NORTH BANK ASKS \$50,000

Olympia Budget Provides for \$80,000 for Improvements on Road to Columbia.

REVISION PASSES HOUSE

Heads of Higher State Schools Are to Be Called to Hearing Over Educational Survey—Cold Storage Bill Offered.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—To Skamania County is apportioned \$50,000 in state road money for this biennium by the budget the state highway department has submitted to the legislative road committee.

Road No. 8, which the county has been struggling to complete several years, the highway to be benefited. The improvement is one to which E. E. Shields, Representative from Skamania, is devoting special attention.

Lewis to Get \$20,000. To Lewis County is given a total of \$20,000 in state road money, equally divided between state and Federal funds.

The department asks an appropriation of \$80,000 on the Central Washington highway from Council Bluffs to Ellettsville, \$35,000 between Riverville and Sprague and \$80,000 for the north central highway between Krupp and the Columbia River.

A total of \$100,000 is assigned to the three state roads in Okanogan County. On Sunset highway work the department proposes to expend \$140,000 from North Bend to Vantage.

Differential Fund Cut Down. The Senate appropriations committee today passed a bill from an appropriation asked by the Public Service Commission for emergency use in joining with the Federal Government in railroad traffic via Northwestern routes.

Land Board is Defended. State Treasurer Declares Percentage of Delinquencies in Notes Held on Sales to Farmers is Remarkably Low.

Revision Measure Passes. With only 10 votes recorded in dissent, the House today adopted Westfall's resolution submitting to popular vote in 1918 the proposition of calling a constitutional convention.

Educators Are Summoned. Pressure of the approaching struggle between the Washington State College and the State University over the educational survey report resulted today in a Senate decision to summon the heads of both institutions to the normal, W. J. Sutton, chairman of the survey commission, and P. H. Timblin, a member of the commission.

Senate Goes to Movies. Governor Lester today is understood to have offered the vacant position of State Commissioner of Agriculture to E. F. Benson, resident of Tacoma and an extensive farmer and stock raiser in the vicinity of Prosser.

Friends of a Seattle. Friends of a Seattle, are urging his appointment as regent of the Washington State College, to fill the vacancy caused by the tragic death of David Troy Johnson last summer.

An automatically-operated camera that a Frenchman has invented enables an aviator to take a continuous picture of 138 miles of the earth's surface as he flies above it.

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First Dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" Relieves All Grippe Misery.

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WOMAN MEMBER OF LOWER HOUSE OF WASHINGTON LEGISLATURE.



MRS. INA P. WILLIAMS, OF YAKIMA COUNTY.

MR. KAY HITS BACK

Revenge Declared Reason for Senator Shanks' Bill.

LAND BOARD IS DEFENDED

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SALEM, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—State Treasurer Kay assailed the Shanks' rural credit bill before the State Land Board today and charged that pique was one inspiration for its introduction.

"When I went on the State Land Board six years ago, Jay Bowerman, then law partner of Senator Shanks, was attorney for the State Land Board in Gilliam County," said Mr. Kay.

"Records in my office show that on January 1, this year, notes amounting to \$6,084,321.43 were outstanding, which would represent interest to the amount of \$362,629.28 at a rate of 6 per cent.

"We have outstanding more than 6000 notes, 228 of which are delinquent, 22 now being in the process of foreclosure, representing a face value of \$483,500.

"Senator Shanks, in his published statement, laid stress upon the fact that interest on the notes is known on the assumption that delinquencies occur after the expiration of a six month period.

"I have talked to a number of bankers in the Legislature and they all agree that very few banks, if any, in the state of Oregon have their loans cleaned up as closely as the State Land Board. The effort to discredit the board has revenge for at least one of its reasons."

SCHOOLS LOSE FUNDS

HOUSE REFUSES TO GIVE MONEY TO SECTARIAN INSTITUTIONS.

Representative Stott Points Out That State May Have to Support Some of Those Now Cared For.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—The long-expected fight over state appropriations to sectarian institutions broke unceremoniously in the House this morning, and the House went decisively on record against such appropriations.

money will have to be provided to care for dependent children in some state institution. For that reason, he argued, the ways and means committee should be advised. Crandall and others spoke in support of the bill.

"Did they know that you were a member of the Legislature?" asked Representative Lungler.

"Yes, I had my credentials with me," she answered.

HOUSE BILLS NOW TOTAL 150

SALEM, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—The following bills were introduced in the House this morning:

H. B. 151, by Callan—Making unlawful purchase or receipt of railroad iron and equipment a misdemeanor.

H. B. 152, by Callan—Making stealing or removal of locomotives and other railroad equipment punishable by imprisonment.

H. B. 153, by McKee—Fixing standards for condensed milk.

H. B. 154, by McKee—Providing for temporary government of Deschutes County.

H. B. 155, by McKee—Providing for transfer of Crane Creek water rights for Tumalo irrigation project in state of Oregon.

H. B. 156, by W. A. Jones—To permit action to run a large in eastern part of Marion County.

H. B. 157, by W. A. Jones—Repealing mothers' pension law.

PRISON HELD UNFIT

Governor Also Says Training School Conditions Bad.

SURVEY REPORT DISCUSSED

Tuberculosis Sanatorium Main Buildings Called Antiquated, as Well as Others—Mr. Hale's Fitness is Questioned.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—The Penitentiary, State Training School and Tuberculosis Sanatorium main buildings are antiquated, unfit, and have outlived their usefulness; the building at the Training School is like a prison, with narrow windows, dingy rooms, no cheerfulness—a relic of poor methods in reformatory plans for children.

"Unquestionably, conditions are bad at the Training School," stated the Governor, "but they are largely due to the antiquated main building. The boys have rooms that are like cells more than rooms. The light is poor, the rooms are dingy and the interior of the building seems to bear the atmosphere of a prison."

"As for Mr. Hale, the superintendent, I have been much dissatisfied with some phases of his work. I believe he lacks the executive ability to teach the habits of industry and thrift which are largely essential in the conduct of such an institution."

"On the other hand, as a sort of fairer to the boys, to inculcate in them principles of morality, decency and such phases of human life, he is a most excellent superintendent."

"My criticism of him is directed at his handling of the boys in the training of their industrial habits, but on the other hand, as far as the boys are concerned, I could find a better man for the place at the same money. No official action has been taken by the board to support my doubts, especially if the board has had no discussion on the subject."

REPEAL OF KATZ ACT SOUGHT

Deschutes Representative Would Abrogate 1915 Law.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—A bill was introduced in the House today by Representative Forbes, of Deschutes County, to repeal the act passed by the 1915 Legislature authorizing the Desert Land Board to pay Alma D. Katz, of Portland, \$20,000 from the returns of land sales on the Tumalo project on account of work done by Mr. Katz in connection with the old Columbia Southern project before the turn of the project back to the state of Oregon.

RECALL OF BOARDS PROPOSED

Senate Bill Would Punish Those Who Fail to Support Families.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—The following bills were introduced in the Senate today:

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GOVERNOR IS CONFIDENT

Practical Consolidation to Economize is Expected.

Petty Differences of Opinion Are Not to Prevent Merger Programme Long Discussed, He Says.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—Governor Withycombe expressed himself as satisfied this morning, that regardless of any little conflicts which may appear on the surface, that the present session of the Legislature will get together on a satisfactory consolidation programme and put it through.

"If there are petty political differences on the question of consolidation I am certain, from the talks that I have had with members of the Legislature, that these will all be swept aside in the move for economy and that this session will produce a programme for consolidation that will mean a combination of greater efficiency and more economy," he said.

"The members realize the fact that they have come to Salem as servants of the people, to act for the people, and that the people are desirous of economy in administration and that one way to get such economy is by solving the problem of useless boards and commissions, which long has been under discussion."

"I have every assurance from members of the Legislature that any small differences which might appear to be in the air, will be overridden as the session advances and definite action will be taken to carry out a satisfactory programme."

CODE CHANGE DESIRED

INSURANCE MEN ASSAIL FEATURE REQUIRING ANNUAL DIVIDEND.

Argument Made That Policy With Accrued Payments Would Be of Aid to Home Companies.

One feature of the proposed Oregon insurance code that is receiving considerable attention is the provision for annual dividends. Some insurance men contend that the state would be benefited by a large measure if the code be amended so as to provide for deferred dividend insurance.

"The general public, the citizens of Oregon as a whole, should be allowed to decide for themselves what form of insurance they want, whether non-participating, annual dividend or deferred dividend," said H. E. Witham, Portland representative of the Bankers' Life Insurance Company, yesterday.

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—Petitions asking one of the members of the Douglas County delegation at the State Legislature to introduce a bill making the recall of school directors possible were sent to Salem from Roseburg yesterday. The proposed bill has been drawn, according to local people, and probably will be introduced in the Senate by Senator E. L. Eddy, of Roseburg. The petitions were circulated by the Roseburg Ministerial Association.

ROAD BONDING ACT EXPLAINED

Senator Barrett Declares Appeal of Wasco County Unsound.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—Senator Barrett, who introduced the present highway county bonding act, declares that the appeal from the \$250,000 bond issue vote in Wasco County Circuit Court is not founded on sound principles. He declares that the intent of the bill was to provide that a majority voting on the subject of the bonds would decide the issue, and even if the vote came up in conjunction with another election the bond issue question still should be considered as a special election in itself.

The Wasco County appeal is based on the ground that a majority of those voting for the bonds was not a majority of all votes cast at the election.

BAR ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE AT WORK

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 18.—(Special.)—A committee of the Multnomah County Bar Association, Charles H. Carey, W. D. Fenton and George N. Davis, met with the Joint House and Senate Judiciary committees tonight to consider a number of bills recommended by the association. One bill of public interest provides for the retirement of Supreme Court Justices on half pay at the age of 70 years.

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