

HOUSE IS ABSORBED IN FIVE ROAD BILLS

Proposed Measures Would Provide Various Means to Obtain Funds.

BEAN WANTS GASOLINE TAX

Bean-Barrett Bill to Bond State for Highways Now in Senate.

Increase in Auto Tax Urged.

Lauraard Has Road Code.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Good and Curry counties are getting more favorable publicity at this session than any other sections of the state.

Every Representative and every Senator found a copy of the Coos Bay Harbor on his desk this morning, with a special story prominent on the front page, explaining the fishing industry of the Rogue River.

Mrs. Thompson, the only woman legislator, was absent from her desk this morning. She addressed the students of the State Normal School at Monmouth.

"Jim" Stewart, one of the prominent members of the "third house," is in a terrible predicament. As the publisher of a newspaper, he is obliged to support his fellow newspaper men in opposing the bill to discontinue publication of the delinquent tax list.

Likely little Robert Reed, of good little town, is the only member of Coos and Curry, hates to see men smoke and chew. The Senator dislikes tobacco in any form.

Bell yesterday when he directed a verdict for the defense in the assault and battery charge prosecuted against Mrs. Marbury.

J. A. Robertson, of 428 San Rafael street, employee of a local furniture company, testified that the woman "beat him." He said his face had been scratched and his buttocks torn out of his sweater.

Attorneys Olsen and Stewart, who represented Mrs. Marbury, also appeared at the close of the case for the state, for a directed verdict on the theory that it was not a replevin action and that the officers merely held in execution, with which process a home, a person's legal castle, had been invaded.

SOLDIER WILL LECTURE LIEUT. ZIMOVICH PEOFHOFF WORKING FOR AMERICAN AMBULANCE.

First Address Will Be at University Club Monday Night, Second in Private Home Tuesday.

Lieutenant Zimovich Pechoff, adopted son of Maximo Gorky, whose wound, incurred May 9, 1915, led to one of the most heartrending episodes of the war, is expected to arrive in Portland next Tuesday afternoon.

SIDELIGHTS ON LEGISLATURE

At any meetings. I forbid all and each of you from bringing cigars, cigarettes or pipes with you."

Oregon Agricultural College is certainly well represented on the floor of the Senate. No less than three Senators are members of the O. A. C. board of regents.

Ministers opening the sessions of the Senate with prayer each morning have beseeched divine blessing for about everybody, concerned except the Senate pages.

Senator Samuel L. Garland, Democratic leader in the Senate, is considered a very probable candidate for Governor.

Senator Dimick, in asking that the courtesies of the Senate be extended to George W. Joseph, of Portland, who was a Senator in 1912 and 1913, recalled to the Senators that Mr. Joseph had once voted for a legal holiday.

The "anti-stuff" bill that was introduced in the House the other day with the name of Representative Forbes attached to it appears now to be a hoax.

The first that Forbes knew that he had introduced such a bill was when he saw it printed in the calendar. Anyhow, the measure has been referred to the Judiciary committee, of which Forbes is chairman, so it is perfectly safe.

Country Press Says Price Lower Than Many Places Now and De-feat of Single-Tax Measure Is Thought Cause of Pique.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Publishers of the so-called "country press" today replied to the recent attacks of the Oregon Journal against the measures designed to fix a legal rate for public advertising.

Legislators Thought Friendly.

"In the lead of the story the Journal states that the rate asked by the country newspapers amounts to 32 cents per inch of 8-point type.

Members of the Legislature, inserted in the Journal in this case as if it were in any other case in which it is tried to break vengeance upon the country press for opposing the Journal's single tax propaganda.

LIQUOR LOBBY BUSY, GOVERNOR STATES

Duty of Carrying Out Voters' "Bone-Dry" Wishes Is Put Up to Legislature.

EMERGENCY IS ADVOCATED

Californians Are Trying to Defeat Such Clause, Executive Says.

Peck Sterilization Bill Also Is Indorsed.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—"Word is coming to me that a powerful lobby of the California liquor interests is here, busy in an effort to overthrow the effectiveness of whatever 'bone-dry' legislation is enacted today."

"I am satisfied that my information in this respect is correct. Unquestionably strong forces are at work and the constitutional amendment as expressive of the will of the people at the last general election should not be delayed in its operations through the efforts of these interests."

"If the emergency clause is omitted two grave possibilities might present themselves. One would be the application of the referendum, which might carry the legislation over for two years and in the interim leave the liquor situation as it now stands, or a special election to amend the constitution on an enormous expense to the state."

The executive, in his message to the Legislature, advocated the passage of a sterilization act to protect the state against further propagation of imbecile and degenerate, and he declares that time that "the prevalence and increase of feeble-mindedness is one of the greatest problems confronting modern society."

HOUSE BILLS JUMP NEAR 200 Douglas County Delegation Asks Regulation of Umpqua Fishing.

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GUARD PROBE IS SET

Legislature Wants to Know Cause of Deaths.

HOUSE SPLITS ON PARTY

Democratic Majority Attempts to Stifle Investigation on Theory That State Has No Control Over Troops Now.

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FIRE KILLS MRS. FIGARD, 90 Funeral Is Held by Grange After Husband Finds Body.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 22.—John Tigard, after whom the town was named, found his wife, 90 years old, burned to death when he returned to his home here Sunday. Her body, burned almost beyond recognition, was in a chair before the fireplace.

BRITISH CALL BOYS OF 18 Seven Months Deducted From Minimum Age of Service.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—The War Office announces that all youths from 18 years old up have been called to train for home defense until they reach the age of 18 years.

NAVY MILITIA PRAISED

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THE OWL DRUG CO. BUY YOUR DRUGS in Containers Like This. These drugs come to you direct from The Owl's laboratory in dust-proof containers, with tight-fitting tin tops—never exposed to dust, to handling or open to the air. The net contents is printed on the label and the price is plainly stamped. You receive these pure drugs in the best possible condition, in the most convenient manner. You know exactly how much you are getting and how much you are to pay. See the Pure Drugs 10c Will Buy at the Owl Drug Store. Powdered Sulphur 12 oz. 10c, Eucalyptus Oil 1 oz. 10c, Aqua Ammonia 16 oz. 10c, Coconut Oil 2 oz. 10c, Henna Leaves 1 oz. 10c, Spirit Camphor 2 oz. 10c, Gum Camphor 1 square 10c, Sweet Spirits Nitre 1 oz. 10c, Ess. Jamaica Ginger 1 oz. 10c, Tincture Arnica 2 oz. 10c, Senna Leaves 1 1/2 oz. 10c, Castor Oil 2 oz. 10c, Rochelle Salts 2 oz. 10c, Cedar Oil 1 oz. 10c, Powdered Alum 6 oz. 10c, Rose Water 2 oz. 10c, Aspirin Tablets 1/2 doz. 10c, Copperas 16 oz. 10c, Cocoa Butter 2 oz. 10c, Flaxseed 12 oz. 10c, P'dered Boric Acid 3 oz. 10c, Cream Tartar 2 oz. 10c, Camphora'd Chalk 2 oz. 10c, Epsom Salts 16 oz. 10c, Ess. Peppermint 1 oz. 10c, French Chalk 16 oz. 10c, Cascara Bark, Three Years Old, Camphorated Oil. The cascara bark you buy at The Owl is kept for three years in order to eliminate the bitterness and the disagreeable effects that follow the use of bark that is too green. 4 oz. 10c. The camphorated oil put up under The Owl Drug Co.'s orange label contains 20 per cent gum camphor and is manufactured by processes that insure you that the camphor will retain full strength. 2 oz. 10c. The Owl Drug Co. DEPENDABLE DRUGGISTS. STORES IN THE PRINCIPAL CITIES OF THE PACIFIC COAST.

ROAD FENCES OUT PUPILS Ardenwald Children Are Kept From School by Southern Pacific.

Funeral of Paul C. Boord Held. The funeral of Paul C. Boord was held yesterday afternoon at the chapel of J. P. Finley & Son, Rev. John H. Boyd officiating.

Why Do So Many Thousands Use Pebeco? Why has Pebeco's use become nation-wide in a few short years? There are two paramount reasons. Because its use is a pleasure and because it really helps keep teeth sound. This is how so many thousands save their teeth—they ward off "Acid-Mouth"—the most deadly enemy of teeth, by the daily use of PEBECO TOOTH PASTE.

PEBECO TOOTH PASTE. the scientific dentifrice designed to counteract "Acid-Mouth," before it has opened the way to permanent decay. To use Pebeco is delightful, as well, since it leaves such a fresh, keen, invigorating after-taste. Start with Pebeco in time. Pebeco is Sold by all Druggists. OUR SIGN IS OUR BOND. Lehn & Fink.

STOMACH GASES, SOURNESS AND INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" Ends All Stomach Distress in Five Minutes.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you must induce it with drastic drugs. Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief from heartburn, acidity, sourness, its certain, unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

INVASION NOT JUSTIFIED

Colored Woman Acquitted of Assault on Deputy Constables.

In forcing entrance to the home of Mrs. Carrie M. Marbury at East Ninth and Grant streets through a rear window, after doors had been barred, deputy constables exceeded their authority, and the colored woman was justified in resisting the entrance of the men who were there for the purpose of carrying away her furniture, held District Judge