

TREASURER REPORTS BUSINESS GROWING

State's Income and Disbursements Made Public.

CASH BALANCE GOOD ONE

Inheritance Tax Shown to Be Important Revenue Source During Year Just Ended.

SALFEM, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special)—Receipts of the state treasurer's office for the year 1919 totaled \$20,876,401.80, while the disbursements for the same period aggregated \$17,604,603.74, according to the annual report of O. P. Hoff, state treasurer, filed with Governor Olcott today.

On October 31, 1919, the cash balance on deposit with state depositories was \$3,415,986.77, for which the treasurer held securities amounting to \$4,813,782.18. Interest earnings on state funds in 1919 amounted to \$53,658.83, according to the report, as against \$47,857.77 in 1918.

Increased Earnings Explained. The average daily balance in the active depositories for the year 1919 was \$166,323.08 as against \$148,257.82 for the year 1918. The increase in the earnings, according to Mr. Hoff, was due to the policy of his department in carrying a smaller balance in the active accounts and by distributing the funds among the many banks of the state.

Interest Provided For. The payment of interest and the retirement of the highway bonds are provided for from licenses levied on motor vehicles, chauffeurs, gasoline and revenues by law diverted for the improvement of roads and highways, of the bonds issued for highway purposes \$1,200,000 over December 31, 1919, will be retired at the rate of \$100,000 per year until paid. The interest rate is 4 per cent.

Patrolman is Attacked. Officer Knocked Down While Trying to Arrest Two. When Patrolman Powell tried to arrest two fighters at Third and Burnside streets yesterday one of the two, Olat Nelson, a husky stevedore man, turned upon the patrolman and knocked him down and jumped upon his face.

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Realty Deal \$428,000. Acquire and Business Block Are Bought in Boise. BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 7.—(Special).—One of the biggest real estate deals recorded in Boise in the past 12 months was closed this week, when Scott Anderson, a prominent stock and sheep man and Crawford Moody, president of the First National bank of Boise, purchased what is known as the McCarty estate valued at \$428,000. The purchase includes 1200

MOVIE NEWS



Scene from Wallace Reid's 'Hawthorne of the U. S. A.' which, with 'Fatty' Arbuckle's 'The Garage,' will open Saturday at the Liberty theater.

TODAY'S FILM FEATURES. People's Victory—Maurice Tourneur's 'Love's Victory.' Strand—Clara Kimball Young, in 'Broken Commandments.' Majestic—Clara Kimball Young, in 'The Climbers.' Liberty—Hohart Bosworth, in 'The Climbers.' Columbia—Corine Griffith, in 'The Climbers.' Star—Special production, 'Vigilante.' Grand—Wallace Reid, 'You're Fired.' Circle—Fannie Ward, in 'The Narrow Path.'

WALLACE REID has a romantic comedy role in his new picture, 'Hawthorne of the U. S. A.' which is coming to the Liberty theater on Saturday. 'Back Stage,' the latest 'Fatty' Arbuckle comedy, will also open at the Liberty on Saturday. The story was adapted from James B. Fagan's play of the same name in which Douglas Fairbanks starred on the stage some years ago.

Screen Gossip. D. W. Griffith's first picture for the Big Four will be 'Romance,' the famous stage success of this country and England. Doris Keane, creator of the famous 'Maire Nostrum' (Our Sea), 'Blood and Sand' and 'La Boheme.' The Spanish author of the novel, who has made much of his theatrical and film people.

Support Pledged to Former Idaho Governor. Candidacy for Secretary of Interior Develops on Arrival of State Committeeman at Capital. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 7.—The candidacy of former Governor Hawley of Idaho for secretary of the interior is being supported by Senator K. Lane today.

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ARMIES OF KOLOCHAK WILL CARRY ON WAR

Illness of Leader Not Important, Says Cantacuzene.

PRINCIPAL NEED SUPPLIES

Prince Declares Allies Must Come to Rescue of All-Russian Forces to Stop Spread of Bolshevism.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Prince Cantacuzene, who married the daughter of President Grant, and who is in this country on a military mission for the Kolchak government of Russia, said today concerning the reports that Kolchak had given up the command: "Whether or not Kolchak has been forced to resign active command of the all-Russian armies because of illness, the military situation is not seriously altered thereby. There are other men in the Russian army who will carry on the fighting as long as there is a foot of ground left. There is vast territory between the Russian front and the Pacific ocean and even if Irkutsk has fallen into the hands of the bolsheviks, it is not self find hard to believe, the all-Russian army will carry on."

That producer has gone to Vitaphone, where he will direct, Corinne Griffith is his first star. When Taylor Holmes' picture, 'Two-Bit Seater,' was projected in the English cinema houses, the managers took care to explain in advance to their patrons the meaning of the slang term, "it is," they announced, "an Americanism; the entire picture is filled with American slang. To begin with, 'two-bit seater' means 'gallery accommodations.' The 'two-bit' is the equivalent of our shilling gallery at the theater."

William Hoffman has been chosen as chief of the new studio of the big Zukor interests in London. Mr. Hoffman is one of the most capable studio managers in the business. His duties on the coast fall to Charles F. Eytan, who becomes general studio representative in California for the company, and Fred Kley, who is the new studio manager. Mr. Eytan will divide his time between the Lasky and Zukor studios. Mr. Eytan is the husband of Kathryn Williams.

SINN FEIN POST RAIDED. Police and Soldiers Force Way Into Dublin Quarters. DUBLIN, Jan. 7.—Sinn Fein headquarters in this city was raided today by a large force of police and soldiers. The raid was conducted in the offices of the Irish parliament and those of the new Ireland Assurance society.

ASTORIA PROBLEM SOLVED. State Helps Maintain Employment Bureau for ex-Service Men. ASTORIA, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special).—Establishment of an employment bureau for ex-Service men by the state is being advanced by the Oregon Legion and the local post expects to proceed on whatever additional funds are needed.

PARDON DENIED SLAYER. Youth Who Killed Lewiston Merchant Must Stay in Prison. BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 7.—(Special).—The state pardon board, at its regular monthly session at the state house, denied the application for pardon of Jewel Frenz, who murdered a Lewiston merchant in 1917 and was sentenced to life imprisonment. Resisting the release of Frenz, who was 18 years of age when received at the penitentiary May 7, 1917.

BULGARIAN CABINET QUILTS. Socialists Now Are Trying to Organize Government. COPENHAGEN, Jan. 7.—The Bulgarian government has resigned and the socialists are trying to organize a cabinet under the leadership of Dr. S. Deneff, former premier and minister of foreign affairs, according to Sofia dispatch.

COLLEGES RESUME WORK. Willamette University Has About 450 in Student Body. WILAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Jan. 7.—(Special).—After the Christmas holidays of three weeks college work was resumed in all departments of the Willamette university. The entire student-body membership of 450 having returned. Three weeks remain before the examinations which mark the close of the first semester.

PHILOMATH, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special).—Philomath college has responded with nearly 1000 letters of appreciation. President Epley has gone to California for a month in the interest of the endowment fund. Rev. D. J. Ferguson, who is college pastor and also athletic instructor, presided at the Christmas party in the girls' gymnasium class. The girls enjoyed it much. Tomorrow Mr. Ferguson will preside in the boys' gymnasium class.

CONTRACTORS IN UNION. NORTHWEST BUILDERS FORM FEDERATION AND ELECT. Natl. McDougall, Portland, Is Chosen First President and Objects Are Announced. Associated General Contractors of the Pacific Northwest was organized at the Multnomah yesterday, with representatives in attendance from Oregon, Washington and British Columbia.

Officers elected yesterday were: President, Natl. McDougall; first vice-president, Roy E. Miller; second vice-president, Charles Swigert; secretary, I. N. Day; treasurer, G. W. Gauntlett; auditor, E. Simpson; and directors, Fred T. Shaw, I. N. Day, Charles Swigert, Natl. McDougall and K. B. Kumpo, all of Portland; A. J. Toole and D. J. Munro of Spokane; and E. Griffith of Vancouver, B. C.

OREGON DELEGATES HOME. Students Arrive from Convention at Des Moines. Campaign to Begin in Colleges and Universities for Propagation of Christian Religion. Oregon's delegates to the recent Des Moines student volunteer convention began arriving in Portland last night. Delegates from Reed college, the University of Oregon, McMinnville and Albany colleges were aboard the first returning "Oregon special" this evening. The Oregon Agricultural college, Willamette and Pacific universities contingents and convention attendants.

NEW COURT HELD NEEDED. PLEA MADE FOR DOMESTIC RELATIONS TRIBUNAL. The urgent need for the establishment and maintenance of a court of domestic relations to prevent complications regarding the status of adopted children is advanced by Miss Julia Spooner in favor of a bill that will be introduced at the coming session of legislature.

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Buy Clothes Now and Save \$15 to \$25 on the Suit or Overcoat You Will Need. The Clothes Merchants Have Bought for Spring Will Be 50 Per Cent Higher Than Now. We Have 200 Good All-Wool Suits Left to Sell at \$30. They are worth \$50 on today's market. We Have a Large Stock of Chesterfield Suits and Overcoats, Fine Materials and the Best of Tailoring at \$40. They will be worth at least \$60 for spring. Our Chesterfield Suits and Overcoats Equal in Value to Those We Must Sell for \$65 and \$75 This Spring \$50. Then we want you to compare our values with those at other stores and see for yourself that you really save from \$5 to \$10 on the garments you buy.

R. M. GRAY 366 Washington at West Park. WEAPONS FOUND IN JAIL. Search of Cells Results in Order for Extra Guard. MARYSVILLE, Cal., Jan. 7.—A razor and a case knife were found last night by Sheriff C. J. McCoy in a search made of prisoners' cells in the county jail. Desutes county deputy jailer was added to the sheriff's force today. Prisoners in the county jail include Chester Clark and Tom Halstead, charged with murder. Clark also is wanted in the northwest in connection with bank robberies there. Deschutes Sends Delegation. BEND, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special).—Two special sleepers for the accommodation of delegates to the central Oregon irrigation congress were added to the train which left Bend tonight for Portland. Desutes county delegates who will attend the session in Portland Thursday, Friday and Saturday are pledged to uphold resolutions urging immediate action for government aid for the Benham Falls irrigation project and for an accurate determination of the duty of water in the different sections of Oregon. ROAD CASE ADVANCEMENT ASKED. ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special).—J. M. Devers, attorney for the state highway commission, appeared in circuit court today and asked for the advancement of the Riddle road case on the docket. The case, in which S. H. Rockhill, representing the city of Riddle, has enjoined the commission from changing the route of the Pacific highway away from Riddle, was set for February 11. It has been requested that this date be changed to January 19 in order that a decision may be reached so work may be started early in the spring. Justice Shipworth of Eugene will hear the case. ROSEBURG JINETS TO RUN LATER. ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special).—Hereafter Roseburg will have a jinet service until 9 o'clock instead of 9 o'clock as formerly. Considerable complaint has been made during the past few months because of the practice of local jitneys of quitting their runs at 3 o'clock. In order to accommodate the later crowd, the city council has decided that all 1920 licenses granted by the city to operators of for-hire cars will contain a clause whereby the drivers will be required to keep their stands open until 10 o'clock. CARD OF THANKS. I wish to express my gratitude for the deep sympathy shown in the beautiful floral tributes given during the recent bereavement and loss of my beloved wife, to my many friends, neighbors and especially to the employees of the Southern Pacific. FRED OLSON, Adv. CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness, help and sympathy during the illness and death of our dear father; also for the beautiful floral offerings. MR. AND MRS. W. M. VALE, Adv. FRANK BURTON.

SWEET BREATH GOOD CHEER GOOD HEALTH. Are the result of keeping yourself inwardly clean with a good laxative. The girl who is most attractive, whose skin is clear with the delicate tint of rose petals, whose mouth is most kissable, is the one who occasionally takes castor oil—or a pleasant pellet, made up of Mayapple, leaves of aloe and root of jalap, and sold by all druggists in the land as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. The girl who suffers from chronic headache, dull, lifeless eyes, that utterly lack the clear brightness of health, muddied complexion, discolored, sometimes full of blemishes or pimples, very often bad teeth and fetid breath, is one who does not practise inside cleanliness. When the colon is stagnated she always suffers from the effects of the poisons which are absorbed and carried to all parts of the body by the blood. Heed the warning—improve your health and good cheer by asking your druggist for these tiny, sugar-coated pellets made by Dr. Pierce. URIC ACID POISONING. By Dr. N. C. COOK. A poison as dangerous as strychnin is manufactured within the body, called uric acid. When it accumulates and the kidneys fail to carry it off, we suffer from dull headache, sleeplessness, muscular pains, lumbago, or it may cause rheumatism or gout. Drink plenty of water between meals—a pint of hot water one-half hour before meals is the best—and take "Anuric." This was first discovered by Doctor Pierce, of the Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y., and is harmless to the system, but sure and effective in carrying off the uric acid. It stimulates the kidneys. "Anuric" (anti-uric-acid) can be obtained at almost any drug store, and helps to counteract the acidity of the system.