

STATE UNIVERSITY CUTS ITS BUDGET

Sum Granted by Last Legislature Cut From \$503,000 to \$205,000.

BARE NECESSITIES IS PLEA

Badly-Needed Library Must Wait, Say Regents in Slicing More Than Half in Appropriation Asked of Lawmakers.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Dec. 7.—(Special).—To hold down to the bare necessities and to join wholeheartedly in the state-wide movement for economies in public expenditures was the decision of the board of regents of the State University today when it put the knife into the budget passed by the last Legislature and cut the total from \$503,000 to \$205,000.

The university's requests at Salem are to be confined to the following items: \$100,000 for a new classroom building; \$75,000 for repairs and minor additions; \$50,000 a year for two years for additional maintenance and \$15,000 a year for two years for correspondence and extension work, a total of \$225,000 for the biennium.

The procedure favored by the regents was the submission of these items to Governor West with the request that he should lay the university's needs before the ways and means committee.

Library Must Wait. The badly-needed library building will have to wait for some future time. In its place it is proposed to spend only \$30,000 which is to be used to attain two ends with the same money. A fireproof shell of brick is planned as a wing to the present library building which will house a valuable collection of 50,000 volumes belonging to the state and at the same time will leave more of the old part of the building for the students who now frequently have to stand in line for places to study.

After luncheon he is back in the president's ante-room again. His desk is in still another building, McClure Hall, where he has a corner of the basement. The other items that go to make up the amount asked for equipment are needed for general repairs and for improving and extending the heating system that is supposed to warm all the rooms on the campus.

The board estimates \$50,000 per annum for general maintenance and \$100,000 for summer school extension work to complete the requests to be laid before the Legislature. The continuing support granted by the electorate six years ago is \$125,000 a year, but because of the number of students was 701 as against 1174 now in actual residence. Money is needed to meet a call for educational assistance that has come from all parts of the state and which has become especially insistent since women have been granted the franchise. The summer school, too, is making a considerable drain on the university's funds.

Professor Young, the head of the department of sociology, believes that the demand for such proportions that the state cannot advise to ignore it, and that the proper policy is to establish centers of municipal government in various places, under the plan by which the University of Wisconsin has made itself the servant of the smallest communities in the state as well as the largest and of stay-at-home as well as the student in residence.

There are already 315 students scattered all over Oregon who are doing university work by mail. Communications are received daily, and the extension means prevents the rapid extension of the work.

For six years the university has thrived and educated in ever-increasing numbers the sons and daughters of Oregon, without a single new building or a single increase in the amount allotted for maintenance. It is now an institution of twice the educational value it had when the people passed the continuing appropriation, but its material equipment is the same, and is declared by President Campbell to be entirely inadequate.

High Standard Necessary. "Even in a year of the utmost economy, such as was enjoined by the people upon all the departments of the State of Oregon," said the president, "it is extremely desirable that the state should spend enough on its institutions to safeguard its previous investments. The regents limited the budget to those which are imperatively demanded in order to maintain under the pressure of new conditions the high standard of efficiency in the university."

In addition to the amounts recommended for the departments of the university at Eugene, the regents also recommended an annual appropriation of \$20,000 for the medical department located in Portland. The medical school was given \$15,000 per year by the last Legislature.

It has materially raised its requirements for admission, and is now ranked in "Class A" by the American Medical Association. The increase in appropriation is needed in order to enable the medical school to maintain its standard in the face of the rapidly increasing demands that are being made upon it.

FIVE GENERATIONS ARE REPRESENTED IN OREGON FAMILY



MRS. ALMIRA CUMMINS, HER DAUGHTER, MRS. SARAH NELSON; GRANDDAUGHTER, MRS. H. J. LITTLEFIELD; GREAT-GRANDDAUGHTER, MRS. C. A. ELDRIDGE, AND GREAT-GRAND-GRANDSON, HORACE ELDRIDGE. NEWBERG, Or., Dec. 7.—(Special).—Members of five generations are represented in an Oregon family, of which Mrs. Almira Cummins, of Woodstock (Portland), aged 51, is the oldest member. The others, residents of Newburg, are: Mrs. Sarah Nelson, her daughter; Mrs. H. J. Littlefield, granddaughter; Mrs. C. A. Eldridge, great-granddaughter; Master Horace Eldridge, great-grand-son.

Mrs. Almira Cummins was born in Ohio, January, 1821. She and William Cummins were married in Steuben County, Indiana, June, 1837, when the Indians had not then been removed from that part of the country. They emigrated to Oregon in 1853, arriving in the Willamette Valley near Eugene, October 26, after a journey of six months with oxteams. She is the mother of 13 children, of whom seven are living. She has 43 grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren, making 99, of whom 22 are dead, making the number of her descendants 103.

She is a member of the Pioneer Society; enjoys excellent health, and is able to walk several blocks without becoming seriously fatigued. She is a constant reader, her eyes are good, rarely using glasses except when reading, writing or sewing. She has not had a day's serious illness in many years past.

FOWL SHOW STAGED

Roseburg Poultry Exhibition to Be Opened This Week. PRIZE CHICKENS ENTERED

Second Annual Event of Douglas County Promises to Bring Out a Fine Aggregation of Cocks and Hens of Oregon.

ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 7.—(Special).—With an exceptionally large number of exhibits promised and representing a quality of birds far superior to the "barnyard" product heretofore displayed in this county, the second annual exhibition of the Douglas County Poultry and Pet Stock Association will open here next week under the most flattering conditions. Chickens of all colors and kinds will be exhibited, and included in the exhibits already entered are Plymouth Rocks, white-barred, buff, silver penciled, brown, black, buff, brown and buff; Cochins, partridge and buff; Orpingtons, white, black and buff; Rhode Island Reds; Bantams, white and buff; Cuckoo; and others. There will be turkeys, including the white and bronze varieties. Ducks will also be in evidence, and present entries include the Pekin, Indian Runner and Buff Orpington strains. Guinea fowls and Toulouse geese will also add to the attraction. Secretary Elmer Wilson said that everything is in readiness for the big show and that the number of exhibitors will far exceed last year.

Judges of long experience have been engaged. They will arrive here by Tuesday. The show will be held in the Armory, which is adapted for exhibition purposes. A nominal admittance fee will be charged. Other than posting a number of substantial cash prizes, the local poultry association will award a dozen silver trophies. Although the poultry industry has been followed in Douglas County for years, not until two years ago did the owners realize the benefits to be derived through co-operation. Although the weather was disagreeable for the first annual show last year, the attendance was large and the prizes pronounced the event first-class. There were many out-of-town people who brought their birds, many from as far north as Portland, while some came from as far south as Ashland. With experience in handling and preparing their birds for exhibition, the out-of-town exhibitors took most of the prizes awarded last year.

This year, however, local poultry raisers believe that they stand an excellent chance of successful competition. The most especially is this true of those who made a study of caring for birds at the first show and under the tutelage of men who have entered long experience in exhibiting fowls at the various annual exhibitions. The officers of the Douglas County Poultry Association include nearly all the well-known poultry fanciers of the county.

ALBANY Y. M. C. A. STARTS

Permanent Organization Effected and Plans for Home Made.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 7.—(Special).—Permanent organization of a Young Men's Christian Association in Albany was effected at a meeting held in the Albany Commercial Club rooms last night. The association adopted a constitution and bylaws, arranged for incorporation of the organization and elected a board of directors. This board will choose the officers of the association at a meeting to be held later.

The following directors were chosen: for a term of three years—A. C. Schmitt, Joseph H. Raiston, Hiram W. Torbet, J. L. Tomlinson and C. C. Bryant. For a term of two years—C. E. Sox, J. A. Howard, J. C. Holbrook, P. A. Young and C. H. Cusick. For a term of one year—William Fortmiller, C. V. Litter, W. A. Eastburn, Herbert Babb and Ralph W. Knotts.

R. B. Rhoades, of Portland, secretary of the State Young Men's Christian Association, was present at the meeting last evening and discussed plans for the work of the association with the members. The new association expects to have arrangements completed to take over the property of the Alca Club the first of the year. Additions will be made to the club's equipment, but the present clubhouse and gymnasium will be used for the present without change. It is a plan for the future to raise the present clubhouse and erect a modern structure, three or four stories in height. The present gymnasium is large enough to meet the needs of the association for several years, and it is probable it will be retained without change.

FARMERS TO STUDY

Special Week's Course Opens at Agricultural College.

POULTRY SHOW IS FEATURE

Livestock Received for Demonstration in Meat Cutting and Raw Material of Familiar "Rubber" Steak Will Be Seen.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Dec. 7.—(Special).—Everything at the college is now in readiness for the opening of the special lectures and demonstrations of Farmers' week on Monday. The most striking visible sign of the preparations which have been going on for the past six weeks are the appearance of a big circus tent set up back of the new dairy building, and the night of a strangely assorted shipment of livestock consigned to the department of animal husbandry.

The shipment of stock consists of three steers, three sheep and three hogs, the animals to be used in connection with the meat demonstrations next Wednesday and Friday. One of the steers is a first-class beef animal. Another which will not grade as high is typical of many which are sold to Oregonians as "prime beef" and a third hardly marketable creature, is the unfamiliar source of the entirely familiar "rubber steak" and "hog mutton." The sheep and hogs represent the same class of meat animals as are represented by the steers and will be the subjects of lectures by J. C. Forstall, of Portland, manager of the Union Meat Company's retail market.

On Friday the dressed carcasses of these three animals will serve as the material for demonstrations by W. M. Constantine, proprietor of the Alder Meat Market at Portland. By the erection of a circus tent 40x100 feet in size the department of poultry husbandry has completed arrangements for the most extensive demonstrations ever offered by the department in connection with the work of Farmers' week. At last year's short course the "Big Show" was for one day only and a prominent poultry editor from the East who was in attendance reported it as one of the best exhibitions of the kind which he had ever seen. This year the poultry industry, will be open during the entire week and no effort has been spared that will tend to uphold the standard set by last year's "egg show."

BRUNK PROMISES SUPPORT

Polk County Democrat Says He's for McArthur for Speaker.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 7.—(Special).—That Thomas W. Brunk, Democrat and prominent stockman of Polk County, will support C. N. McArthur for Speaker of the House in the next Oregon Legislature was the declaration while in Salem. "Yes, I shall support Mr. McArthur for the office of Speaker at the coming session of the Legislature notwithstanding the difference between our political affiliations," said Mr. Brunk. "I have known Clifton McArthur since his childhood and it is my high esteem for him as a man and my confidence in his ability as a speaker that induces me to support him for the position to which he aspires. The people of Polk and Lincoln counties elected me to attend to their business in the Legislature and not to fool away my time in rattle caucuses."

When asked if his colleague, Representative Hill, of Polk County, would support Mr. Brunk, Mr. Brunk said: "I have not discussed this matter with Mr. Hill, but assume that he is friendly to Mr. McArthur, who is very popular in Polk County, and I am sure he will support the Polk County regardless of political affiliation."

DR. SUN MAY VISIT BAKER

Churches and Chinese Expect to Entertain Patriot.

BAKER, Or., Dec. 7.—(Special).—It is probable that all the churches of this city, under the initiative of the First Baptist, will extend an invitation to Dr. Sun Yat Sen, of China, to come to Baker along with the local Chinese who are endeavoring to bring him here when he makes the trip to the United States with three members of the cabinet. The reason for the action on the part of the First Baptist lies in the fact that Dr. Sen is reported to be a Baptist. The action was taken by the members at a business meeting of the

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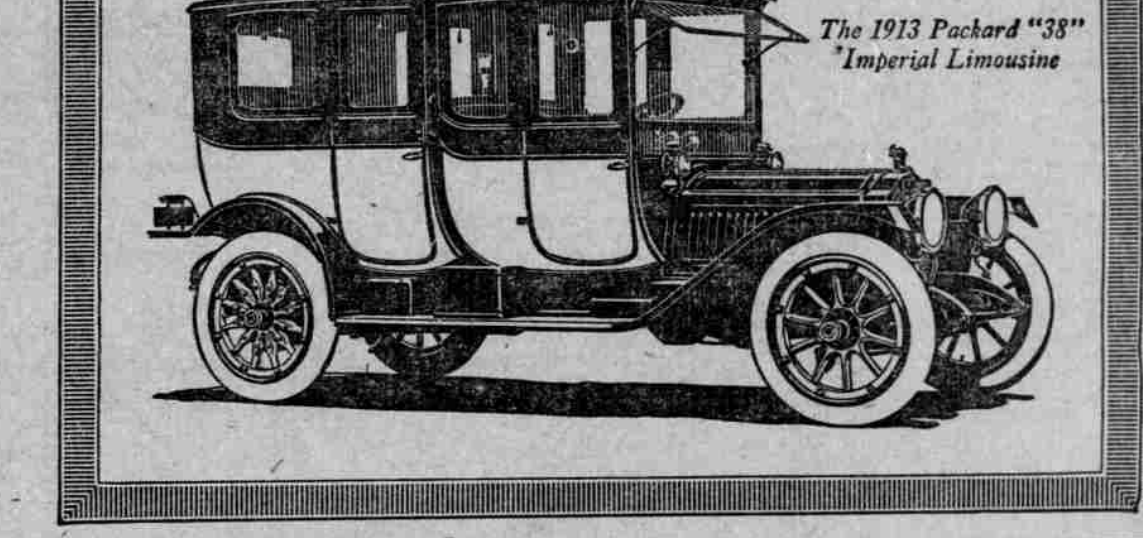
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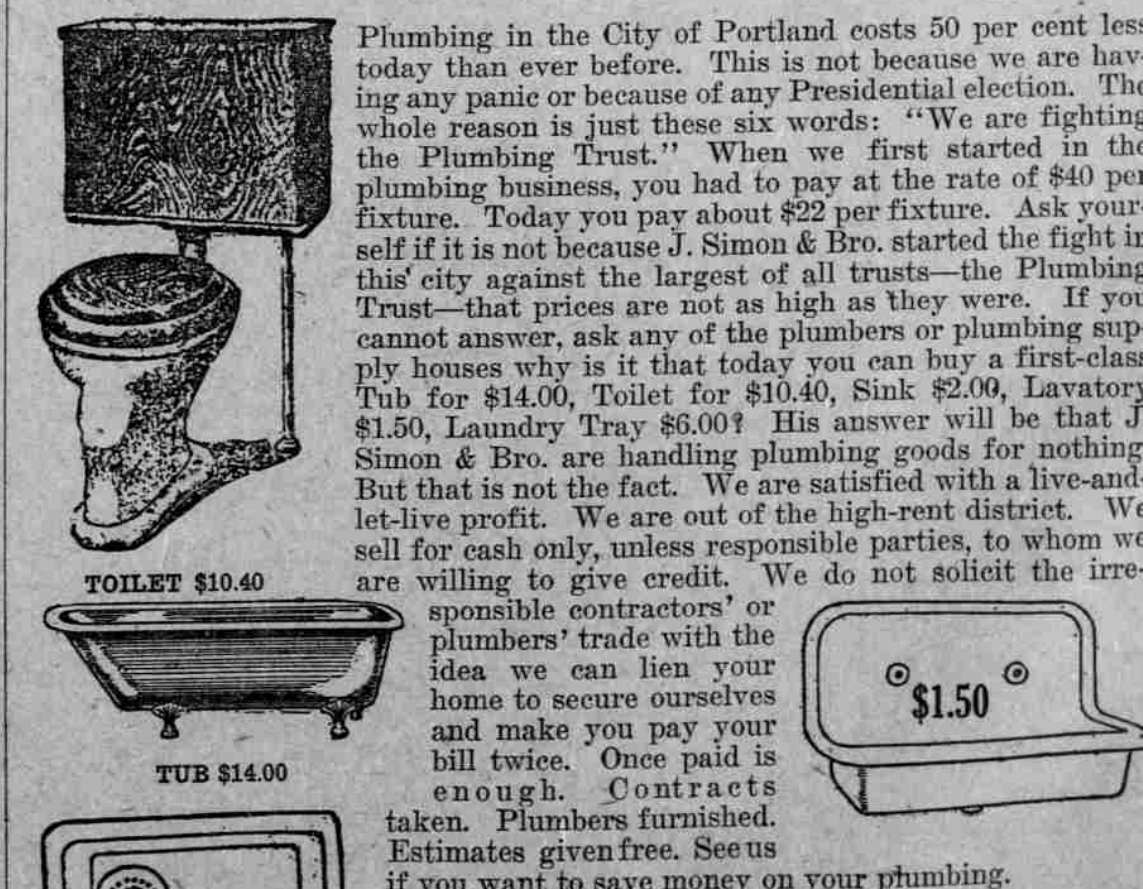
church Thursday night. An invitation was extended to all other churches to join in welcoming this distinguished man and if they will co-operate a public meeting will be arranged.
Light Companies May Combine. RAYMOND, Wash., Dec. 7.—(Special). The Twin City Electric Company of
Logging Road Not Responsible. MARSHFIELD, Or., Dec. 7.—(Special).
—Coroner Wilson has finished his investigation of the train wreck on the Seelye-Anderson logging railroad on the Couville River, where six men were killed. A large number of witnesses were examined. The jury returned a verdict finding that the company was not responsible for the accident or deaths resulting.

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