### NFW LAWS WILL GO IN EFFECT APRIL 17

Most Important Changes Are in Criminal Code.

ABOLISHED

Persons Convicted of Felony and Put in Penitentlary Will Get Indeterminate Sentence.

SALEM. Or., April 10.—(Special.)—
Practically all the laws passed at the special session of the legislature last January, with the exception of those vetoed by Governor Olcott and others contingent upon approval of the voters at the election to be held on May 21, will become operative April 17, according to announcement made today by Sam A. Kozer, assistant secretary of state.

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"Except for the crimes of homicide in any degree, treason, rape where violence is an element of the crime, robbery of any kind, burglary when armed with a dangerous weapon, reads the new law, "the minimum period of imprisonment in the penitentiary heretofore provided by law for the punishment of felonies be and each such minimum period of imprisonment for felonies is hereby abolished.

Time Limit Abolished.

"Whenever any person is convicted of having committed a felony, except those specified above in this section, committed after this amendatory act takes effect, the court shall, unless it impose other sentence than a sentence to serve a term in the penitentiary without limitation of time, stating and fixing in such judgment and sentence a maximum penitenfiary term for such crime which shall not exceed the maximum term of imprisonment provided by law therefor, and judgment and sentence shall be given accordingly, and such sentence shall be known as an indeterminate sentence."

"The extraction of the crimes of homicide against Giadys May Lantis by her numerous to mention" are charged against Giadys May Lantis by her husband, Ralph L. Lantis, in an answer and cross-complaint filed in the divorce action of Mrs. Lantis posses, Lantis concludes by asserting that "not-withstanding all the above, remembering her youth and inexperience, and knowing that he loves her and his children, the defendant will forgive and forget, take her back into his home and try to make a good, kind husband and father."

"Gross indiscretions" are said by Lantis to have been due chiefly to his wife's relatives. Shortly after marriage, he avers, his wife fell violently fn love with one Harvey Osborn and tried to induce Osborn to run away with her, get a divorce find marry her. But, declares the husband, "Osborn was a gentle-man" and told him all about the plan and left the country to get rid of the atte

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"Persons sentenced to serve such definite terms shall be entitled to the good time deduction for good behavior and general reformation provided divorce from Willis McFarlane yesterday, alleging desertion. in this act. Provided, however, that the enactment of this amendatory act shall not effect the indictment, prosecution, trial, verdict, judgment or punishment of any of said crimes herein specified and heretofore committed, but all laws now and hitherto in effect relation thereto are considered to the control of the con in effect relating thereto are con-tinued in full force and effect as to such crimes heretofore committed.

Parole Is Permitted. "Any person sentenced to serve an indeterminate sentence in the penitentiary may be paroled by the governor upon his own motion, or upon the recommendation of the parole board in accordance with the provi-

board in accordance with the provisions of this section, towit:

"Any person under the age of 20 years at the time of conviction and sentence, who has not previously been convicted of a crime, may be paroled by the governor upon his own motion or upon the recommendation of the parole board at any time after said person is committed to the penitentiary.

"Any persons over the age of 20 years at the time of conviction and sentence who has not been previously convicted of a crime, may be paroled by the governor upon his own motion. or upon recommendation of the parole board, at any time after such person has served one-half of the maximum term for which such person has been sentenced; provided, however, that a record of good conduct, industry and evidence of general reformation certified to by the warden of the peni-tentiary shall entitle such person to a deduction of five days for each month of said one-balf of the max-

Good Time Deducted.

The effect of this good time deduction is intended to be as follows:
"When the one-half period of the maximum sentence is six months, a parole may be granted when fixe months have been served; when the one-half period is 12 months, a parole one-half period is 12 months, a parole may be granted when ten months have been served; when the one-half period is 18 months, a parole may be granted when 15 months have been served; when the one-half period is two years, a parole may be granted when 20 months have been served, and so on proportionately for any term."

Other new laws which will become offective on April 17 follow:

Chapter 9-To provide incommity money for the payment of indomnities for certain cattle slaughtered during the years of 1917 and 1918 that had reacted to the tuberculin test, and certain horses that had been destroyed on account of reacting to the mailein test for glanders, and for which insufficient moneys were appropriated.

Chapter 10—Granting to municipal cor-porations known as "ports" existing or cre-sted under any special naw of the legisla-tive assembly of the state of Oregon all powers now held by municipal corporations known as "ports" and existing or created under the general laws of the state of Ore-

Chapter 14—Providing for the proportionment of moneys for the construction and maintenance of market roads.

Chapter 15—Providing for the recording of discharge papers of discharged soldiers, sailors and marines free of charge.

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Chapter 16—Providing tor and empowering county courts to expend a limited amount of money in erecting proper and suitable arches or monuments to the memory of the soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the world war.

Chapter 17—Making it unlawful to print, publish, circulate, display, sell or offer for sale any, newspaper or periodical in any language other than the English, unless the same shall contain a literal transiction thereof in the English language of the mame type and as conspicuously displayed, and providing a penalty therefor. The provide for the investigation of salaries of county and state of licials throughout the state of Oregon. Chapter 25—Providing for an amendment to the present law relating to the collection of all fees due the state by reason of inspection of factories, mills and workshops; by and under the direction of the lasof commissioner, and providing a penalty for the non-payment.

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Chapter 27—Relating to the admission of Dersons under five years of age to the state home for the feeble-minded.

Chapter 28—Providing for and extending the authority of county courts.

Chapter 33—Defining a dance hall and make a providing for the licensing thereof,

mountain goat, antelope, elk, moose or caribou.

Chapter 46—To appropriate \$1500, or as much thereof as is necessary, to pay hotelibils and traveling expenses of circuit judges when assigned to duty in counties or districts outside of the judical district or county in which they are elected.

Chapter 47—Appropriate money for the payment of saiaries of supreme judges. Chapter 50—Appropriation of \$600 for the purchase of an oil portrait of the late Governor Withycombe.

Chapter 51—Appropriation of \$50,000 to the Oregon public service commission.

Chapter 52—Appropriation of \$50,000 to be applied toward the erection and furnishing of the woman's building at the University of Oregon.

Chapter 53—Appropriation of \$4000 to cover repairs on the armory at Dallas.

LEGE, Corvallis, Or., April 10.—(Special.)—Final plans for the annual military ball Saturday, April 17, have been completed. This function is planned by the cadet officers of the one of the most elaborate affairs of the year in college society. Governor

large enough to accommodate the en-tire student body it has been neces-sary to restrict the attendance of stu-dents to 400 couples.

Lebanon Man's Body Found.

LEBANON, Or., April 10 .- (Special.) The body of Kenneth Coppock, who was drowned last Wednesday while running a flat boat over the dam at the headgate of the Lebanon and Santiam canal, two miles above Leb-anon, was found at 4 o'clock today on an island near this city, nearly two and a half miles from the scene of the drowning.

June Graduates Get Positions.

MONMOUTH, Or., April 18 .- (Special.) - Eugene has drafted the fol-



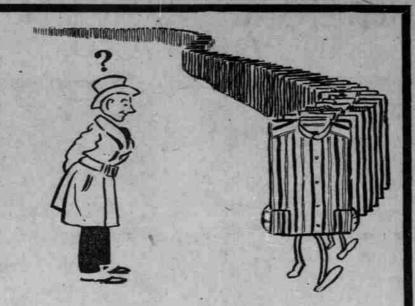
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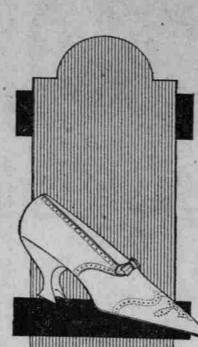
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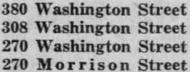


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