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# State Capitol News Letter

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Deadline Legislative Meet Saturday: Many Things Must be Decided

Salem—Coming down the home stretch in their 20-day legislative marathon Oregon lawmakers are driving hard in their effort to cross the finishing tape before the clock tolls the hour of midnight Satur-

Attorney General VanWinkle has advised the legislators that turning the clock back will avail them nothing so far as stretching out the ses-sion is concerned. Governor Meier has let it be known that he will not call another special session. But most impelling reason of all for this home stretch drive is the desire of the lawmakers to finish the task in hand and quit.

Indications at this stage are that the session will adjourn with at least a portion of its assigned task

The problem of liquor control is well on its way toward solution. The house has passed the Knox bill with a few minor changes after turning down the demand of hotels and druggists that sale of hard liquors be permitted in their establishments. The measure is now in the hands of the senate, where a substantial "dry" majority is expected to add the finishing touches and send the bill on to the governor for his sig-

Unemployment relief is also just session is concerned with the legis-lature seemingly agreed upon an Oregon set up in the liquor business and any profits coming in, sponsors of this plan are hopeful that Uncle
Sam will continue to put up the until the liquor profits do become

position to anything that savors of that inmates of suggestions have been put forth dur-inent, ing the session but most of them county have been found wanting when submitted to the acid test of workability. One of these was that state Star ho funds be used to take up school waravailable for this purpose. Another have been put forth that offer some prospect of relief. One is a three per cent tax on the gross earnings of utilities and financial institutions to be passed on to the ultimate con-sumer. The other is a one per cent tax on retail sales of all tangible property. Both plans have the supperi of Governor Meier. Both, how-ever, are sales taxes and therefore are opposed by the grange and la-bor. Of the two plans the one per cent tax on retail sales offers the larger revenue and seems to have larger following among the lawmakers. Indications now are that such a bill will be put through the house as the only possible source of relief available, although the senate which is opposed to the sales tax problems of poultry sanitation.

the group that has so bitterly op-posed the act passed by the regular Meeting is designed principa

The legislature refused to support Senator Upton in his proposal that provision be made whereby the counties could unload their road bonds onto the state. Senator Dunne, chairman of the roads and highways committee, who led the fight against Upton's proposal, declared that it would mean the end of the state highway program. Upton declared that it offered the only means of relieving property owners of the burden of redeeming some \$25,000,-000 of outstanding road bonds is-

general state expenses is made in dollars and cents and is not affected by variation in assessed val-

## Ireland Milk Control Plan Given Notice

Passage of Measure Before Both Houses Expected by Proponents

Truck Bill Changed

McAlear Bill Clarifies Law on Old Age Pensions

The senate late Wednesday by a vote of 16 to 11 approved the Ire-and bill providing for the milk conission and regulating the milk industry

Salem. Dec. 5. (Special)-Consid eration of Senator Ireland's milk control bill before the committee on agriculture this past week attracted almost as much interest as did the measure for the control of liquor which was rated as one of the four major problems before the

In spite of severe attacks against the measure, especially at the first few hearings, most of the objections are believed to have been iron ed out, according to Senator Ire land, who expects no trouble in passing the measure through both

Bill Amemended

The only major amendment to the measure as originally drafted is Unemployment relief is also just one which ties the hands of the as good as in the bag so far as this milk control board so that it will not be possible to unload any portion of the milk surplus onto the appropriation of \$3,000,000 out of liquor revenues for this purpose. While it is admitted that it will take some time to get Old Man most of whom are small dairymen, most of whom are small dairymen. most of whom are small dairymen,

vailable.
School relief threatens to be the old age pension act, has been stumbling block over which the legislators will trip up on their fourpoint program. With the grange and labor unyielding in their opposition to applying the applying to applying the student of the state of the regarded as residents of the county a sales tax the problem of finding a state fund for the public schools seems almost hopeless. Numerous ment McAlear said Washington ment, McAlear said, Washington county would be called upon to provide pensions for all of the inmates of the Masonic and Eastern

Would Divert Fund Representative Johnson's proposal to divert two-fifths of the gasoline, proposed that all revenues from in-come taxes be set aside in a special lief of the public schools has drawn taxes now stand as an off-set ceiving much support from educa-against property taxes. Two plans tors and from legislators who see in

which is opposed to the sales tax principle may refuse to stand for the measure even as a last resort in the emergency which faces the schools.

Problems of poultry sanitation and disease recognition and prevention will be discussed by Dr. Johnson, who is recognized as an action of the speaker. Truck and bus legislation is pretty well decided upon in amendments to the 1933 act which will make some the contract cars. concessions to the contract car-riers and the small truck operators, but which at the same time will fall concern and the same time will fall control of lower on poultry diseases has saved poultrymen of coregon and the United States thou-

Santa to Visit Here Two Days

Santa Claus will be here the afternoons of December 21 and 22 with a present for all the good little boys and girls of Hillsboro and surrounding communities, according to special arrangements made by schamber of commerce coma chamber of commerce com-mittee. The distinguished gen-tleman from the north will make his headquarters in the court yard following a brief ride through the business dis-trict

"I hope to see and visit with all the good boys and girls of your county," wrote St. Nicholas in accepting the ual invitation from Hills-

boro.
Plans are being made for a Plans are being made for a royal reception for Santa. A special Christmas scene is being prepared for the court yard by the manual training class of the high school. Boy Scouts of Hillsboro will assist in the decorating. A number of trees will be decorated. A series of Christmas carols will be given by local talent over the public broadcasting system both afternoons.

Members of the committee in charge of arrangements are Verne Curry, T. G. Bronleewe, Mrs. E. M. Barnes, Mrs. Eva Downs, C. T. Richardson, P. A. Anderson and F. G. Mitchell.

## **Bonds Finance CWA Projects**

Council Plans Issue to Meet Drainage Material Costs

tention of the council due to the fact that the need of funds for this purpose could not be foreseen and no provision was made for it in the city budget. Current tax delinquencies prevented carrying costs in the general fund and the nature of the work eliminated the possiity of assessing costs to property mills, he said.

of the council. Project to clean and paint the city library and rebind some of the books was proposed

during the session.

# 6-0 in Thanksgiving Day Battle

sued by the several counties.

The slump of \$79,000,000 in the state's assessed valuation will cost the higher educational institutions approximately \$160,000 in 1934 since approximately \$160,000 score on their lone concerted of- failed. fensive.

Turning their only scoring opportunity into a touchdown, Hilhi gridders defeated Forest Grove 6 to 0 long line pass. Grogan, covered by

Earlier in the same period, Hanna

County Share State Levies Little Higher

General Expense, School Tax Shows Increase of \$2.33 Over Total Last Year

Valuation Reduction Causes Rise in Millage Figures

Washington county property own-ers will be assessed \$153,116.13 for state general expenses and elemen-tary school fund on the 1933 tax rolls, according to figures received this week from the state tax commission. County levy for the road and school funds has been made, but the county court is holding up release of the general fund tax release of the general fund tax the outside and inside of parcels.

pending solution of the old age In case the outside address becomes

milis on the county valuation, are ward it at once. but \$2.33 higher than last year when the figure was \$153,113.80, with house number and name of the street, post office box or rural when the figure was \$153,113.80, levy for state general expenses is set at \$95,058.58, an increase of \$4,857.96 over the state tax of \$90,- if the address is attached to the 200.62 on the 1932 rolls, Increase is accounted for by the restoration of the one-half mill levy for the World War Veterans' State Aid commission which was omitted from the lost. sion which was omitted from the lost, last two state levies.

School Tax Lower

State elementary school tax is set vil works administration projects at \$58,057.55 this year as compared this winter by a small bond issue with \$62,913.18 last year. This re-was favored Tuesday night by the city council but no definite action crease in the general levy. Due to taken. Details of the CWA reductions in the county valuation drainage project in the eastern part this year, millage figures for the of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the of the city were discussed at length and then L. J. Merrill of Hillsboro gave a report on progress in re- levy is 3.9 mills this year as compared as the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the persons sending Christmas greeting cards are asked to avoid using red, green or other dark colored entering the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately at length two items are approximately the leaves of the city were discussed at length two items are approximately the length two items are approximately approximately approximately approximately approximately approximately approximately approxi onding city assessments.

Problem of financing CWA protes demanded the immediate atthis year as against 2.5 mills last elementary tax figures 2.4 mills and letters of this type tend to slow down distribution. Christmas

the work eliminated the possi- make the millage approximately 8 packages should make it a

bility of assessing costs to property the benefited. Bond issue, recognized as a means of unemployment relief, was selected as the only logical plan.

Hillshord's share of material costs. Total of \$1000 was closed when the benefited by the county court. Total of \$1000 was closed from the county court. Hillsboro's share of material costs Total of \$5000 was slashed from the for projects during the winter was budgeted item of \$5500 for care of estimated at approximately \$2000 by the insane and feeble-minded, leav-George McGee, city manager. He ing the reduced figure \$500. Esti-pointed out that it was necessary mated receipts from delinquent taxes for the city to co-operate in every for the current year were increased way in order to obtain the benefit \$5000 from \$70,000 to \$75,000, esticome taxes be set aside in a special school fund. That, however, would soon and the roads and highways merely have increased the state levy against property since the income against property since the income ate. The measure, however, is reasonable of the highway stands part of the material costs, taxes back of 1932 were increased the said.

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took orders in Hillsboro and deliv- five days next week, Sunday, Mon- notification of authorities when a Another resolution thanking spon-

Wilkes Abstract company was shown. Wilkes Abstract company was moved Saturday to its new quarters and sof dollars, according to Joseph Belanger, assistant county agent.

Meeting is designed principally for older club members, their parents and leaders, Belanger said. However, younger club members will learn much by attending, he declared. Any poultryman, whether connected with 4-H club work or not, is invited to attend.

Hilhi Gridders Down Grove Team

Wilkes Abstract Office

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theatre manager. Local schools are enthusiastic over the picture and (Continued on page 4, column 3)

## Tips on Mailing For Xmas Given By Postmaster

Proper addressing and wrapping County Budget Cut tination by December 22 to assure delivery before Christmas day was

Outside wrappers of Christmas parcels are requested to be of plain ight-colored paper rather than figired material. Packages should be s.ated. Nuts, loose candies and other loth sacks for mailing to prevent s. Cardboard boxes or paper conainers for such articles are liable o burst and spill the contents, he ointed out.

Addresses of the addressor and ad-dressee should be placed both on pension problem by the state leg-islature. State levies, amounting to 6.3 of the package, re-wrap it and for-

Addresses should be complete

Packages intended for insurin only, Holznagel declared, Insurance the package. Addresses on two or more sides of the parcel would allow chance for overlooking the insurance stamp and result in fail-

## Donaugh Asks Co-operation

solon and the roads and measures, however, is recommended to the commendation of the c

ered by truck without paying a local wholesaler's license was made (Continued on page 4, column 3)

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Katherine Hepburn, popular new local without paying a day. Tuesday, Wednesday and crime has been committed, and according to the bill was passed by the ceptance of jury service by those qualified to serve as competent jurors, Donaugh declared. Persons who seek to be excused from jury duty, leaving the responsibility to perhaps.

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Saturday morning at the Forest may be asked in some form. Grove central grade school for the (Continued on page 4, column 3)

Two Persons Held

On Drunk Charges

The picture and first local teachers' institute of the current school year. Dr. Levi T. Pennington, president of Pacific college; Josiah Wills, Polk county superintendent of schools; and Professor Belles, head of the Pacific university department of education

of Christmas parcels and early mail-ing of all classes of holiday mail aid postoffice employees in their fforts to handle the anticipated heavy Christmas mail without con gestion or delay, declared Fred Holznagel, local postmaster. Warning that holiday mail should be posted n sufficient time to reach its desasued this week by local officials.

ure to get a receipt signature.

TF you wrote to Santa you'd tell him what you want. If Santa wrote to you, he'd tell you where to get it AND how to save time and money getting it. Which, after all, is just what the ads in today's paper do!

Every AD is a

LETTER from

SANTA to

Filing Damage Suit

YOU....

### County Dairymen Dog License Approve Measure For Milk Control

Auto Accident Results in Resolution supporting the Dunne-Ireland bill which would place the milk business on the same basis as a public utility was unanimously dopted by approximately 250 entaxes in Washington county husiastic county dairymen who met under way again Tuesday with the Friday night at the Hilhi auditorium filing of complaints against six perto consider the measure, A. E. Clark, sons in the local justice of the peace Portland attorney; W. W. Henry, court for failure to obtain licenses dairy co-op manager; and W. G. for their dogs. Several additional Hare of Hillsboro spoke in favor complaints are anticipated.

this district, and Joe E. Dunne of Roles in a suit filed against Art dled at this office, as well as of-Multnomah county, was presented Joppel Thursday. Plaintiff alleges fices at other cities in the county,

be the council. Project to clean and control the city library and rebind one of the books was proposed furing the session.

Complaint that outside breweries ook orders in Hillsboro and delivered by truck without paying a discontinuous project to clean and costs and received a suspendence upon payment of the stated.

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# Floyd Monday when he plead guilty to an offense against the public de-

March contribute counterplots.

Today the story is rated a classic. The book is read and studied in schools throughout the nation. It is a sort of girls' lesson in life, because in its mysterious fashion and its genius, it makes of doing

ed by leaders with keen enough mentalities to organize and carry out extortion plots. Seriousness of the strong plots. Seriousness of the strong plots of crime, branded by Donaugh as "the most atrocious and terrible (Continued on page 10, column 2)

ed by leaders with keen enough mentalities to organize and carry out extortion plots. Seriousness of the strong plots. Seriousness of the situation has caused the government of the state in wages, freight charges of supplies of approximately \$100,000,000, according to estimates. Salvage work would be done over a five to seven-year period.

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A good attendance is expected.

## New Projects Increase Men **CWA Payrolls**

Approval Twelve Additional Jobs Tuesday Gives Work to 219 More Workers

## Headquarters Moved

First Payday Checks Total \$1051 for 144 Laborers

Approval of 12 more civil works administration projects last Tues-day morning will bring the total number of persons employed under the program close to the county quota of 546 men by the first of the week, according to R. W. Weil, county chairman. Anticipated ap-proval of additional school district projects in the near future is expected to place a full allotment of men on the payroll by December 15. Projects approved by the state committee last Tuesday include five county jobs and seven school dis-trict projects. These will give employment to approximately 219 men in addition to the 230 now working. New projects approved bring the total in the county at the present time to 19. Additional jobs will probably be approved from time to time in order to keep the full county quota of men at work during the winter.

Projects Approved

New county lobe are: Painting

New county jobs are: Painting and repairing the court house, four men; grubbing and clearing for the Midway south county road, 30 men; widening and resurfacing of the North Plains road from Starkey corner, 40 men, with 14 more men at the Jackson quarry preparing rock for the project; fill at Scotch church bridge, 30 men; and Whittle road surfacing, 14 men.

School district projects approved are: Hillsboro union high school, grading and improving athletic Drive Starts field, painting building, tennis courts and finishing floors, 30 men; David Hill school, painting, repairs and landscaping, 25 men; Beaverton high school and grade school, improving grounds and building, 12 men; Forest Grove high school, improvement Drive to enforce payment of dog on school building, four men; Garden Home school, footpath, eight men; Hillside school, digging well and clearing grounds, four men; and Aloha-Huber school, painting

building, six men. Offices Moved Headquarters for the federal program were moved from the court house Tuesday to 1156 Second the bill.

Damages of \$272.49 for repairs house Tuesday to 1156 Second necessary after her car was involved Street, Commercial National bank was framed by Arthur Ireland, rein an accident south of Forest annex Registrations for civil works
cently appointed state senator from Grove are sought by Mrs. R. C. administration projects will be han-

### paid costs and received a suspend-ed fine of \$10. (Continued on page 10, column 2) Frank Polandri entered a plea of guilty to a non-support charge Wednesday and received a postponed Former Grove Sentence of 12 months in the Mayor Suicide county jail was meted out to Harry

to an offense against the public decency.

Orders in the following cases were issued this week by the circuit court: M. H. Stevenson vs. Wilma Frances Hogate et al, default judgment, decree and order for sale of real property in tax foreclosure; M. H. Stevenson vs. L. Lee Mead et al, (Continued on page 4, column 3)

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Shooting himself through the heart with a shotgun, John George Boos, 81, one-time mayor of Forest Grove, committed suicide Friday morning at his home near that city. Despondency over ill health for the past several years was the cause of the act, according to Fred Sewell, country coroner, who investigated.

Mr. Boos had lived near Forest

Mr. Boos had lived near Forest Grove for 56 years and served as Grange County Council

Grove for 56 years and served as mayor of that city in the '90s. He The Washington County Grange was active in city affairs and was

# Plans for Control Production Corn and Hogs Gain Progress

Just how much of a part of Oregon will take in the forthcoming corn-hog reduction program now started by the agricultural adjustment administration will depend largely on the details of the plan, such as the number of sows necessary to make one eligible, and other factors, believes H. A. Lindgren, livestock fieldman of the Oregon State college extension service.

Such details had not been receivwing the concerted curvey and the concerted curv seried by variation in assessed value feeted by variation in pressed value over the presentation of the same period, Hanna level of the limit of its constitution of the pace with legislative appropriations and to overcome the general fund to overco