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Embezzlement Charges

are Ridiculous

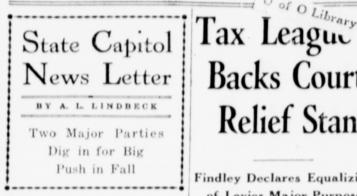
Group Reluctant to Dignify

Stories Through Denial

Refuting persistent rumors that have been rife in the county since

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SALEM-The primary election over the leaders of the two major parties in Oregon are devoting their time to digging in, strength ening their positions and prepar ing for the big push this fall.

The republican party, sadly de-moralized since its defeat by an independent "bull frog" candidate our years ago, experienced a rebirth at a gathering of the faith-ful in Portland this week and the leaders of the democratic hosts for the campaign.

e campaign. "inside" story of the coup in the light of the fact that little been 52. which started the eleventh hour can be done in the way of tax re-swing to Joe Dunne and landed duction in the county, members of him the republican nomination for the county league, which has been governor, as revealed in an interbudget director, this week has started tongues wagging as to just what olution upholding the action of part the present administration will county court and its stand regard-While it was generally known about lief by the Civil Emergency Fedthe state house, at least, that Han- eration of Oregon was adopted by zen was backing Dunne to win the the group. nomination during the last two Review of the tax reduction ac-

nomination during the last two Review of the tax reduction ac-weeks of the campaign there are those who feel that Hanzen should remain in the background in the support of the Meier administra-tion will be welcomed by Dunne the knowledge that the Meier-Hanzen machine was back of the republi-state, county, school and roud dis-tate, county, school and roud dis-tate. can nominee might be harmful to trict levies as a result of league his prospects in other quarters, activities and pointed out the econwhere the administration is not held in particularly high regard. omies exercised by the county cour-and engineer.

At any rate it can be said that the boys around the capitol who depend upon gubernatorial favor for their jobs are feeling a lot better now than they were before the done in the way of tax reduction in the county, Findley urged memprimary election when it looked as major objective of the group. He though State Treasurer Holman pointed out that the farmers are might be the republican standard now paying approximately 75 per arer. Especially is this true of cent of the taxes in the county and Hanzen and William Einzig, state purchasing agent, both of whom Oregon, principally real estate, was would walk the political plank if bearing 74 per cent of the taxes. Holman had anything to say about their fate, Dunne, however, is known amount of taxes to be borne by to be friendly to the present regime real estate and the Frazier-Lemke and would probably retain most, if not all of Meier's appointees in the event of his election. Of course there is a strong possibility of the of General Martin, the democratic candidate, in which event there would probably be a general house cleaning at the capitol, but at least the prospects are a lot brighter for the administration crowd than they would have been with Holman as the republican

Several Projects Farm Union _ sted This Week at SERA Office Group Ends Several additional proposals for

SERA projects were submitted this week to W. J. Mills, county maner, following his request last week for more work programs to assist in the attempt to take men off of relief rolls and place them on work projects. Three projects, the Bea-

Projects ready for submission to

the state committee include the \$3000 Hazeldale school job, con-

Findley Declares Equalizing verton school job, the Hillsbord irainage work and the Aloha-El of Levies Major Purpose monica road project, were approved by the state committee this week of Group Objective and work will start soon after June 1.

Adopt Council Plan **Chairman Cites Activities of**

Equalization Urged

Declaring that little could be

Proposed amendment to limit the

Backs Court

Relief Stand

tinuation of the CWA project for work at the Hillsboro city library for a "municipal inventory" Hillsboro. The Hazeldale work **Body Toward Reductions**

of O Library

includes an addition to the one room building, construction of have been called into conference in Portland for early in July, when the state committee will reorganize of the Washington County Tax

New projects to be submitted soon include three school jobs: Cornelius public schools, improvement of the Garden Home school and grounds, and continuation of the Tigard public school CWA project. the The three projects approved this namely: Beaverton school, Hillsboro drainage and Aloha-El-monica county road, will give work Holt of Scio returned as vice-presi-

to approximately 50 men at a time, according to Mills. On the rotation plan about 100 men will be ployed during each month.

Court Cites **Relief Facts**

Limited Resources Available in Budget Hamper Work

tive committee.

Answering alleged statements of dissatisfaction with the adminis-tration of Washington county relief

bill were favored by Findley. He scored the demands of the Civil "Upon several occasions within Emergency Federation of Oregon, the past six weeks it has been declaring that they asked things of brought to the attention of the the already burdened taxpayers county court that there is certain which the latter were unable to pro-vide for their own families. Findley tion of county relief funds. This declared that he anticipated a tax dissatisfaction is founded in allega-fight this winter in the state legis- tions that the court is unnecessarily mandatory. Renewing the stand of the state ham 1895.

Director Election Planned June 18 Election of a director for the non-State Meet th school district board for a e-year term to represent zone will be held June 18 during nual meetings in the 53 district comprising the non-high schoo Frank Bailey of Buxton has filed to succeed himself and to date no other candidate has sig-Conclave Re-elects Officers

Non-High District

nified his intention of seeking the post. The time for filing expires Monday Decisions on allowances for trans-

Re-electing the 1934 officer per-sonnel and designating Albany as the site for the next annual con-the time the thready by the appual the site for the next annual con-

crystallizing the program of the bere-organized at the meeting fol-organization for the coming year were presented by Peter Zimmer-tor June 18.

Error at Tillamook Makes Change Judge Set-up

ngton county as unofficially anounced last week remain un- as color bearers. changed with the completion of the official canvass of votes Thurs-day afternoon. Only slight dis-mander of the Grand Army of the mander of the Grand Army of the

Resolutions adopted port and the official tally, the only theatre, praised the patriotic virentian side the immediate organization matters out-side the immediate organization matters out-were as follows:

dissatisfaction with the administration of Washington county relief funds, the county court this week issued a statement explaining the existing situation over the signa-tures of County Judge Donald T. Templeton and Commissioners H. D. Kerkman and James Lewis. The Kerkman and James Lewis with communication deals solely with tablish plants for the manufacture error in compiling the Tillamook one's country and that the history of all implements of war for the county vote. Loyal M. Graham of and loyalty of the nation's defend-

to be 239. Botts received 1997 otes in the two counties and Gra-Army present on the stage. Other

People Pay Happy Day Event Program Plans Tributes to Loved Ones Patriotic Groups Join in

Observance Memorial Day Wednesday

State G. A. R. Head Praises Defenders of Nation

paid Wednesday by the people of this community, who in keeping with Americans in all sections of tasks for observance of Memorial Day. Hillsboro business houses were

closed for the entire day. Memorial Day arrangements were Memorial Day arrangements were in charge of Hillsboro post, Ameri-can Legion, in accordance with a request made by General Ransom post, Grand Army of the Republic, when their membership through death became too small to carry on. All patriotic organizations of post, Grand Army of the Republic, when their membership through death became too small to carry on. All patriotic organizations of the city participated in the ob-servance, which started with a are being offered. parade headed by the colors and the national guard from the Veter-

ans' hall to the Venetian theatre Roster of party nominees in Wash-lgton county as unofficially an-Weil and William Harris served

crepancies were found between the Republic, in the address at the unofficial report and the official re- patriotic exercises in the Venetian

of all implements of war for the purpose of taking the profit out of war. Demanding that all legislation which would place a mandatory tax on governmental units, such as counties and school districts, be re-jection before the laws became in the 239. Botts received 1997 votes in the two counties and Gra-



Days" queen were nominated and reported to the chamber of com-merce this week, bringing the total now entered in the contest to 12. Miss Minerva Fuller of Hillsboro was named as the second candidate from the local unit of the Daysh from the local unit of the Daugh-ters of Union Veterans, while Miss

ters of Union Veterans, while Miss Eva Oakes of Hillsboro was re-ported as the Pythian Sister nom-inee. The "F. L." club of Hillsboro has placed three local girls in the race, Miss Georgenia Brown, Miss Helena Mohr and Miss Josephine Stuart, Miss Thelma Mulloy of Laurel, reported as a candidate last week, is being sponsored by the last winter to the effect that the county relief committee had em-bezzled CWA and relief funds and surplus products furnished by the government, members of the comweek, is being sponsored by the Laurel Ladies' club. Miss Erma Vandehey has been nominated by the Farmers' Union local of Roy. mittee Tuesday issued a statement denying the rumors and branding the charges as "ridiculous." They

boro, is scheduled for the same by the committee and caused the

day. Total of \$125 in cash prizes group to make a formal denial. are being offered. Prior to this time the relief com-Amusements in the midway will mittee was relunctant to "dignify be well taken care of this year, a contract having been signed with an amusement company for their (Continued on page 10, column 5)

Defendant in Action

Trial Co-op

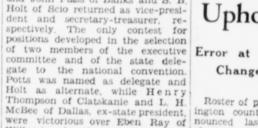
have circulated quite generally in this county to the effect that cer-tain members of the Washington county relief committee have been guilty of the embezzlement of sums Hilhi School, District Made of money from the CWA and/or re-lief funds, and of surplus commodities furnished by the federal government. The committee has never desired to dignify these ru-

"However, they have now become officials to whom we owe our ap-

the rumors by stooping to a denial. The statement is as follows: **Group Denies Rumors** "To the Editor, Hillsboro Argus, Hillsboro, Oregon. "Dear Sir: "For the past few months rumors **Case Slated**

Hearing of the suit brought by the Dairy Co-operative association mors by stooping to a denial. against the Blue Ribbon Jersey general, and those who were in-Milk company and several Wash-ington and Clackamas county prostrumental in instigating them have ducers of grade B milk has been started the time-worn cry that the set for June 11 in the local circuit court. Judge Arlie G. Walker of Yamhill will hear evidence in the friends of the committee and to take anthe state officers and the federal

case which is expected to take ap-proximately three weeks. <text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text> Complaint filed by the co-op pointment and upon whom disasks that the defendant distributor be enjoined during the balance of credit, is cast by these aspersions the committee desires to publicly its contract with the co-op, which runs until 1936, from purchasing ments The entire committee desires to publicly ments. The entire committee joins



Willamina for the executive board. McBee was also unanimously named as chairman of the state legisla-

Resolutions Adopted

During Closing Session

of Oregon Group

Planned in Portland

lature and urged league members niggardly in the dispensing of such funds, in other words the court is union in favor of a state owned

portation of non-high school dis-trict students during the 1934-1935 year were reached Tuesday night between the board and Banks, Hills-**Resolutions** Adopted Veterans in Parade boro and Forest Grove high schools Livestock Commission Mart Transportation allotments for Tigard, Tualatin and Beaverton sch will be considered next Tuesday evening. Adjustment of the tuition allow

vention, the twenty-fourth annual made to make the district conform conclave of the state Farmers' with the amount allowed other high Union came to a close Thursday afternoon at Hillsboro. Resolutions The non-high school board will the country paused in their daily takes for observance of Memorial

man of Yamhill and adopted by the

G. W. Potts of Jefferson was re-**Official Count** elected president of the state body

Upholds Report