

# DECISION TO BE FILED SOON

## Proposed Law Requires Early Termination of Litigation.

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 3.—Judges of the circuit courts must hear and decide all cases within three months, with certain qualifications, under the provisions of House bill No. 174, presented by Collins of Multnomah, and adopted by the House.

Sickness, unavoidable casualty or stipulation by the counsel of the respective parties extending the time, are the only excuses which can be accepted under the provisions of the bill. Salaries of the judges stop unless they comply with the act.

Receivers of tips and those who offer tips will be violators of the law, if a bill now under course of preparation by Representative Bigelow passes the legislature, as it will make tipping a crime, meeting out punishment to both parties involved in such a deal.

Peterson's measure for the abolishment of capital punishment in this state met the fate of indefinite postponement.

If a bill introduced by Senator Carson becomes a law it will be illegal to shoot or kill any Chinese pheasants in the State of Oregon for the next five years. The bill also makes it unlawful to own a dog which is in the habit of running such pheasants. The bill was introduced by request, a number of sportsmen wanting speedy propagation of this kind of game bird.

Making the possibility of county libraries state-wide is the object of a bill introduced by Sinnott in the Senate. The bill amends the present section relating to county libraries so that it allows a special levy of one-fifth of a mill on property in all counties, instead of in counties of 50,000 or more.

All necessary now to create October 12 as Columbus day and a public holiday are signatures of President Selling, Speaker Rush and Governor West. The House bill to that effect passed the Senate. The bill does not create a legal holiday, merely a public holiday.

Senator McCulloch has introduced a bill providing for a surative act to validate all marriages contracted before the six months' statutory period following divorce. The last surative act of this kind was passed in 1901.

**Anti-Treating Law.**  
Representative Rackleff of Coos and Curry, has introduced a bill making it a crime to treat another person in saloons or any public place where liquor is sold in less than gallon quantities. For the first offense a fine of \$10 is to be imposed, for the second offense \$25, and for the third offense \$50 and jail imprisonment of from 30 to 60 days. The informant is to be paid half of the fine.

Dimmick's bill for a compulsory 8-hour labor law passed the Senate. Among the new bills introduced are the following:

S. B. 211, by Kellaher—Regulating telephone tolls for service at night.

H. B. 264, by Rackleff—Fixing the salary of the assessor of Coos county at \$1,350.

H. B. 273, by Abbott—Providing for the creation of teachers' retirement funds in districts containing more than 10,000 children of school age.

H. B. 275, by Miller of Columbia—Compelling railroads to pay damages in case of injury to stock when lawful fences and guards have not been maintained.

H. B. 276, by Gill—Prohibiting the use of roller towels and public drinking cups.

H. B. 278, by Collins—Providing a method for changing the location of the county seat.

H. B. 279, by Derby—Amending the code relative to the method of incorporating cities and towns.

H. B. 281, by Leinenweber and Belland—Fixing closed season for taking sturgeon and salmon in the Columbia river.

H. B. 284, by McKinney—Providing that the salaries of all county officials shall be fixed by a vote of the people in the counties affected. Bills indefinitely postponed in the House were:

H. B. 195, by Amme—Licensing mercantile agencies.

H. B. 235, by Miller (Columbia)—

Giving state jurisdiction over resorts where liquor is sold in quantities of not less than a gallon.  
H. B. 85, by Amme—Making telegraph and telephone companies responsible for errors and making press associations common carriers.

## North Bend News

Chas. Kaiser has been quite ill at his home for the last week.

Mrs. M. J. Pratt spent yesterday with relatives in Marshfield.

H. B. Fulton has succeeded Geo. Artis as caretaker of the Coos Bay Motor Boat Club's clubhouse.

Mrs. T. L. Carey, who has been at Mercy hospital, has recovered sufficiently to return to her home.

Warren Painter has bought two lots in Porter addition from T. W. Rennie and will erect a home there this spring.

J. A. Carter, W. S. Carter and Abner Ingersoll have leased the North Bend Coal company's mine from J. C. Wilcox and will operate it in the future.

Archie Whisnant, formerly one of the editors of the North Bend Harbor, is now assistant editor of The Timberman, a paper published at Portland for lumbermen.

Mrs. D. A. Jones, who has been spending the winter with her daughters, Misses Grace and Blanche Williams, will leave soon for Miami, Florida, to join her husband.

### PLAN NEW ROAD.

#### North Bend Commercial Club Wants Highway to Allegany.

The North Bend Commercial club has started a movement to secure a through road to Allegany. The plan is to have a public ferry installed connecting North Bend with Larson's, Haynes, Kentuck and Willanch Inlets and then open a road from Kentuck Inlet to near Allegany where it will connect up with the new Loon Lake road.

### NEWS OF BANDON.

#### Events at City-By-the-Sea As Told By The Eagle.

Mr. Neygren has the contract for the annex to the Methodist church building, in east Bandon, and has the foundation well under way. The annex is to be 32x55 feet.

Improving somewhat is the report from Myrtle Point where Mrs. J. F. Bane went a week ago with her sick boy to place him under the doctor's care. Mrs. Bane and family will make that place their home until the child has recovered.

Kill two birds with one stone is the method used by E. Dyer who is having a road cut out to the Industrial Addition by water power. The dirt thus removed is conveyed thru a flume nearly a quarter of a mile long, making a fine piece of road work at the other end. Mr. Dyer will grade down the hill on Coquille Avenue by the same method.

Charles Walker's tailor shop was broken into sometime between Saturday evening and Sunday morning. A pair of pants are missing belonging to a suit. A coat was thrown near the door which looks as if the intruder or intruders had been disturbed. Mr. Walker cannot tell just what has been stolen until he looks his stock over. The thief entered by the side door leading into the next building, which place has been torn down for repairing.

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## WRITES ABOUT WAGON ROUTE

### Mail Contractor Sets Forth Facts About Old Coos Bay Wagon Road.

As evidence that he does not desire to change the mail service from the Coos Bay wagon road to the Myrtle Point route, Contractor Barnard has made an offer to Judge Hall of the Coos county court to contribute \$100 towards each mile of planking done on the road this year. This is made public in a letter from Mr. Barnard to Hugh McLain of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce in which he expresses gratification at the stand the body has taken on the matter and which is as follows:

ROSEBURG, Ore., Jan. 26.—Dear Sir—"I note your article in The Times of January 23rd, and think you have the right idea, and that is a plank road especially between Sumner and Sitkum, and have written Judge Hall that I will give one hundred dollars per mile for every mile of plank road built between Sumner and Bill Hill creek, between March 1 and October 1, 1911, provided not less than three miles are built.

"I am putting in three hundred dollars in Douglas county between Sugar Pine and the county line, this will prove to you that I do not favor sending your mail by Myrtle Point, as I have never put a dollar on the Camas Valley road.

"I will just state here that Camas Valley district alone has voted a tax for her road amounting to over thirteen thousand dollars Brockway adjoining her ten mills, the same proportion, all of this on the main road to Myrtle Point, so you can see why the department favors that road, as Myrtle Point is making the same showing on the other end.

"Sugar Pine district has also voted a ten mill tax to be put on the old road, this is to finish the planking on Sugar Pine, say they will not vote a tax to fix the big mountain until they see what Coos county does on her side.

"If there was five miles of plank road built between Bill Hill creek and Sumner this summer, think there would be no more trouble about the mail service, as the mountain is not hard to handle, except when we have an unusual storm. In regard to wide tire wagons we all know they are not practical on slippery or deep muddy roads, we are using the ordinary Studebaker 21/2 wagon.

"The Inspector was here last Saturday, will be here again before long and will have to report conditions. It will be up to them then to send a man over the road to report conditions as they see them."

### A DAIRY RECORD.

From 15 cows, during the year 1910, W. R. Jephcott of western Lane county, delivered to the creamery at Acme 91,500 pounds of milk, an average of 6,100 pounds from each cow. The milk tested an average of 3.7 per cent, making 225 pounds of butter fat for each cow. The average price received for the butter fat was about 30 cents per pound, which brings the cash returns for each cow for the year up to \$67.50. This does not take into account the value of the skim milk nor the benefit to the land from keeping stock on the place. Besides, it was an unusually dry year and pasture was poor.

The Times would be pleased to hear from some Coos county dairy men who have kept records of their results.

Read the Times Want Ads

## POULTRY NET BIG PROFITS

### Mrs. J. H. Price Has Net Income of \$24.95 From 95 Birds In Month.

The big profit in the poultry business in Coos county is shown by the experience of Mrs. J. H. Price of Allegany during the past month. She kept an accurate account of the expenses and income from her flock and the result is a showing that ninety-five hens have netted her \$24.95 for the month.

Here is an itemized account that she kept of the record of the ninety-five hens she had January 1:

- Sold eggs laid during month \$16.25
- Eggs used on table. . . . . 7.70
- Hen killed for table use. . . . . 1.00
- Eggs used for incubator . . . . . 8.40
- Value of eggs on hand. . . . . 1.60

- Income. . . . . \$34.95
- Feed cost about. . . . . \$10.00

Net profit. . . . . \$24.95

The prices allowed are at market rates.

### SURPRISE DINNERS ARE A WINTER FAD IN PARIS

PARIS, France, Feb. 3.—Surprise dinners are all the rage in Paris this winter and are becoming something of a nuisance. A family sitting down quietly to dinner is surprised by an incoming rush of friends, bringing with them baskets of lobster, pate de foie gras, ices, champagne, extra leaves for the table and other accessories.

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