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KILLS BILLS ON LAST DAYS

Oregon Legislature Did Not Enact Much Important Legislation.

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 21.—The 26th Legislative Assembly will be remembered principally for its appropriation bill, the stiffest that any legislature has yet unleashed upon the pockets of the taxpayers; but, for consolation, think that two years hence the bill will be larger and four years hence it will be still larger, and so on and on.

Succinctly, here is the history of the legislature, this one and those which have preceded it:

- Game legislation. Salary grab bills. Creation of offices. Politics. Appropriations.

Summed up, the foregoing tells all of almost any session, and the current one is no exception.

Representative Clyde's free textbook bill died an ignoble death in the senate. Instead of voting upon it in the usual way and calling the roll for an orderly funeral, Senator Kellaher moved indefinite postponement and the motion prevailed with a whoop, only one voice being raised in its favor.

Members of the House went on record as opposed to requiring the incumbent of an elective office to resign that office when he becomes a candidate for another elective office, when they indefinitely postponed a bill by Peirce.

Wife-beaters may not be tied to whipping-posts in Oregon for two years at least, the senate voting down the veto of the governor to Buchanan's bill and the whipping-post law is repealed.

Petree's bill appropriating \$250,000 annually from the general fund of the state treasury for the all of county high schools was indefinitely postponed by the House.

WASH THOSE PIMPLES OFF

Use D. D. D., that mild, soothing wash, that recognized remedy for Eczema and all skin troubles. First drops take away that awful burning itch, cleanse the skin—wash away every pimple—every impurity. Nothing like D. D. D. for the complexion.

Coos Bay Steam Laundry PROMPT SERVICE SATISFACTORY WORK REASONABLE PRICES OUR WORK WILL PLEASE YOU. Phone Main 57-J and a wagon will call. Marshfield Oregon

Little Talks on Advertising

TALK No. 2

One of the commonest remarks a man will make in explanation of the fact that his firm is not advertising will be, "Oh, we believe in circular advertising, this is the kind of thing we go in for—producing a more or less elaborate affair ranging from a card folder to a catalog. One of these goes to every customer. Last month we sent out — of these." One pardons the firm's pride in its production, especially if it embodies some pet idea.

Circulars are a useful medium of advertising, and not to be ignored. But they are subordinate to newspaper advertising. If business men who use circulars extensively for the purpose of selling goods would sit down and do a little hard thinking, they would doubtless save themselves considerable money every year. But, unfortunately, they are too busy with other matters to devote much thought to the subject of advertising.

Some men have an idea that circulars are the best and cheapest mediums for reaching prospective customers, and that if they are well written and beautifully printed they will pull trade out of a stone.

How many of those who cherish this fond delusion have definite facts to support it? In some lines of business good results can be obtained from an intelligent use of circulars, but experience has shown that in approaching the people in general, circulars are almost worthless.

Most of these, if not all, are at once consigned to the waste paper basket or thrown into the street after the first glance without reading.

The busy man at the desk has not time to examine them. Other things demand his attention. The cost of advertising thus thrown away every year is enormous.

How, then, can the advertiser get to reach? Only through the newspapers. Those who buy papers are directly interested in them. Hence the attention of the people he desires to reach may be secured. The advertiser knows that when he puts his announcement—every copy of the paper reaches a possible customer.

There is no waste circulation. Every subscriber is a live, progressive person, who wants to be posted on the news.

In addition to the cost of printing the circulars, there is the postage and the time of the employes in despatching them. Circulars only reach people already known to the firm. The paper takes the advertisement to numbers who do not know the firm.

Just as soon as business men wake up to these facts a deeper appreciation of the true value of newspaper advertising will prevail.

Why Turkish Women Go Veiled. Turkish women do not wear veils because of their religion, as many suppose. It is merely the survival of an old custom. When the Turks still lived in Tartary, before the time of Mohammed, it was the habit of the men to steal such women for wives as attracted them. This led to so much fighting that about the second century after Christ the Turks came together and decided that henceforth the women should go veiled and should not meet men, but dwell in harems, as soon as they arrived at womanhood which was at about eleven years of age.—Mrs. Kenneth Brown in Metropolitan Magazine.

One Failure. "It's funny our minister never gets married," remarked the young husband who had just refused his wife a new dress in his endeavor to change the subject. "I think he'd make a good husband."

His Trick. A pearl belonging to her brooch had got fastened in the lace of her collar. He offered to disentangle it. "That's a great trick of mine," he said as he wrestled with it. "Separating pearls from"— "People?" she interrupted in a fright. "No," said he; "from lazes."—New York Press.

Knew What He Was Doing. Rooky (from whom old gent has just received 5 sovereigns at 4 to 1)—Now, then, Santa Claus, what are you biting 'em for? Do you think I'd give you wrong uns? Old Gent—Noa, laddy, it's no that; I'm just making sure that I haven't got that one back which I passed off on thee!—London Punch.

A Poultry Fable. The hen returned to her nest and found it empty. "Very funny," said she; "I can never find things where I lay them!"—Lippincott's.

For one who can stand prosperity there are a hundred that will stand adversity.—Cicero

Fine China Half Price

We have a few old pieces of beautiful hand-painted China, including some Genuine Haviland which we are offering at just half the original prices. They will make most acceptable gifts or Party Prizes. They include

- Large Haviland Fruit plate, was \$3.10, for only \$1.55
Nice Olive or Pickle Dish, was 30c, for only 15c
4 Handsome Dinner Plates, decorated with Coos Bay Roses, were \$1.00 each, now only 50c
75c Cups and Saucers, only 40c
Beautiful Dessert Plates, were 75c, now only 40c

SEE OUR WINDOW AND CALL AND GET SOME OF THESE CHINA BARGAINS.

COOS BAY CASH STORE

The Store That Saves You Money. GEO. N. BOLT, Manager. Front Street, Marshfield.

WEDS IN PORTLAND.

Will Bernitt, Formerly of Marshfield, Takes Bride.

Word has just been received here of the marriage of Will Bernitt, son of E. W. Bernitt and a former Marshfield boy who is now a well known Portland business man, at Portland. Concerning it, the Oregonian says: "A quiet wedding took charge Thursday evening, when William C. Bernitt and Miss Willa Levis were married by Rev. J. Bowersox. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mrs. W. W. Levis of 327 Clackamas street. Mr. Bernitt, formerly of Marshfield, Ore., is connected with S. Birkenwald & Co., of this city. The couple will live at Halsey Court, 300 Williams avenue."

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Millions of domestic kisses have to be taken for granted.

All delusions are delightful. The crime comes in waking up.

If you have broken all your New Year's resolutions, cheer up! Lent is coming.

Any man can lie, but it takes a genius to get up an old lie in 17 new forms.

It is better to break a woman's cherished dishes than to break her girlish heart.

Half the heroes we know would be out of business if their enemies were all dead.

The real original ideas about the management of men comes from confirmed old maids.

All lawyers' charges are reasonable in the eyes of the law, but the customer pays for the reason.

The whining schoolboy with or without shilsh morning face never needs to be told to "forget it."

Plenty of women cry their little eyes out when they find that a domestic row is so different from a love spat.

Try The Times' Want Ads



Many men best describe their choice in footwear by requesting a "Sensible Style."

It's a pat expression when applied to those well-chosen styles that we carry in the Nettleton Make. Good sense marks every line and seam of their construction; they are the easiest shoes in the world, and will not spread out with wear.

They are made of pliable kid skins, and soft, mellow calf skins, with flexible, long-wearing soles. Make your next pair a Nettleton Sensible Style Shoe, and we will guarantee you perfect footwear satisfaction. Will you call soon, while we have your size?

HUB CLOTHING & SHOE CO. MARSHFIELD - BAXTON

HOUSES FOR RENT 3 room house, \$9.00 5 room houses, \$11, \$12 and \$13.00 6 room Houses, \$14.00 and \$16.00 7 room Houses, \$20.00 AUG. FRIZEEN, 68, Central Ave., Marshfield.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF COOS BAY

Capital fully paid \$100,000.00 W. S. Chandler, President; M. C. Horton, Vice-President; Dorsey Kreitzer, Cashier. Ray T. Kaufman, Asst. Cashier

DIRECTORS: W. S. Chandler, John S. Coke, W. U. Douglas, John F. Hall, Wm. Gritas, F. S. Dow, S. C. Rogers, W. P. Murphy, M. C. Horton.

DOES A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS. Interest paid on time and savings deposits, safe deposit boxes for rent in our steel lined fire and burglar proof vaults.

Flanagan & Bennett Bank of Marshfield, Oregon

Oldest Bank in Coos County, Established in 1889. Paid up Capital, Surplus, and Undivided Profits over \$160,000. Assets Over Half Million Dollars. Does a general banking business and draws drafts on the Bank of California, San Francisco, Cal.; Hanover National Bank, N. Y.; First National Bank, Portland, Ore.; First National Bank, Rosburg, Ore.; The London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd., London, England. Also sells exchange on all of the principal cities of Europe. Individual and corporation accounts kept subject to check. Safe deposit lock boxes for rent. OFFICERS: J. H. FLANAGAN, V.-Pres. J. W. BENNETT, President. R. F. WILLIAMS, Cashier. GEO. E. WINCHESTER, Asst. Cash. INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS.

THE FAST AND COMMODIOUS

STEAMER REDONDO

Will make regular trips carrying passengers both ways and freight between Coos Bay and San Francisco. All reservations for passengers made at Alliance Dock, Marshfield and Inter-Ocean Transp. Co., Union Street Wharf No. 2, San Francisco. For information, phone 44-J or 285. Will sail from Marshfield for San Francisco Monday February 20th, 4 P. M. INTER-OCEAN TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.

OLD RELIABLE

STEAMER BREAKWATER

Sails from Ainsworth Dock, Portland, at 8 P. M., every Tuesday. Sails from Coos Bay every Saturday at service of tide. Reservations will not be held later than Friday noon, unless tickets are purchased. L. H. KEATING, AGENT PHONE MAIN 35-L

"THE FRIEND OF COOS BAY"

S. S. ALLIANCE

CONNECTING WITH THE NORTH BANK ROAD AT PORTLAND WILL SAIL FROM PORTLAND FOR COOS BAY AT 8 P. M. MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, LEAVING COOS BAY FOR EUREKA WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22. NORTH PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY. PHONE 44 C. F. MCGEORGE, Agent

Beaver Hill Coal

MOUNT DIABLO AND JOSSON CEMENT. The best Domestic and Imported brands. Plaster, Lime, Brick and all kinds of builders material. HUGH McLAIN GENERAL CONTRACTOR OFFICE, SOUTH BROADWAY. PHONE 201.

Coal Cheapest Fuel on Coos Bay

Lump coal \$4.50. Nut coal \$3.00. We do all kinds of hauling, and contracting. Horses and vehicles for sale. For quick delivery call on L. H. HEISNER or phone 120-J or 48-L.

LIBBY COAL

I have secured the last two months' run of the high grade coal from the old Libby mine and am able to sell and deliver it now for \$5 PER TON. Send in your orders at once. Orders promptly filled. Remember I am still giving the best livery service possible. W. L. CONDRON'S LIVERY AND FEED STABLES PHONE 273-J.

FOR GOOD WORK

Bring your clothes to us. Cleaning, pressing and repairing a specialty, by experienced men. Satisfaction guaranteed—BLANCHARD & DODSON, South Broadway.

Good Evening

HAVE YOU ANY LAUNDRY? If so, do not forget that this is THE laundry where you get the best work, and prices are in every one's reach. Call up and one of the drivers will call and explain all details to you. All telephone calls are quickly attended to, because we are running two wagons. OUR GUARANTEE IS YOUR SATISFACTION. MARSHFIELD HAND AND STEAM LAUNDRY. Mauzey Bros., Prop. Phone 220-J

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