

IRRIGATION LAW IS RADICALLY REVISED BY PROPOSED DRAFT

Committee Appointed to the
Task by Irrigation Con-
gress Completes Task.

WATER MUST BE READY

Proposition Will Probably Be Present-
ed Monday, in Due Form, to Mem-
bers of the State Legislature.

Salem, Or., Jan. 13.—A bill revising the district irrigation law has been drafted by a committee appointed for that purpose by the Oregon Irrigation Congress, and is in shape to be presented to the legislature.

One of the most striking changes in the irrigation law was incorporated into the bill at the suggestion of Jay H. Upton, a member of the revising committee. It provides that all irrigation bonds, in order to become a legal investment, must have the certification of the secretary of state. This certification is to be given only when the bonds and the district upon which they are issued satisfy certain exacting conditions.

Must Assure Water.
The supply of water for the project must be sufficient to assure the district must be entitled to a sufficient amount of water.

The soil of the district must be fertile and susceptible to irrigation.

The irrigation system must be feasible.

The market value of the water and all irrigation works must be reasonably high.

The aggregate amount of bonds issued upon any project must not exceed 60 per cent of the value of the land, water rights, etc.

Sixty per cent of the irrigable land in the district must be under cultivation and raising crops, and 25 per cent of the land to be irrigable under the proposed system must be at the time of the bond issue irrigated and producing crops.

Commission Will Investigate.
Not more than 10 per cent of the land in the district may be unappropriated government land open to entry.

The commission to investigate these conditions will consist of the state engineer, the attorney general and the superintendent of banks.

Another innovation of the new bill is that when a district is signed by a majority of the land owners either within or without the limits of an incorporated city or town, that city or town may be included within the district.

Holders of bonds, says the bill, shall have a lien on the irrigation works and other property of the irrigation district in addition to the lien on the lands within the district.

This bill is the joint product of Percy A. Cupper, chairman of the committee; O. Laugaard, Jay H. Upton and Albert E. Elder. It will probably be presented in the legislature Monday.

Woman, Burned, Is Dead at Hospital

Mrs. E. J. Jones, wife of the janitor of the Buckman school, who was fatally burned Friday afternoon while trying to light a lamp in her home at 18 East Twelfth street, North, died at the Good Samaritan hospital Friday night.

The body was removed to the Lerch undertaking establishment, and funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Mrs. Jones was 62 years of age, and is survived by her husband and one daughter. Friday afternoon she drew the lounge near to the stove and lay down to take a nap. Her clothing caught fire when the heater became red hot, and neighbors and motorcycle policeman Ervin dragged her from the house just as the flames were reaching her face. She was shockingly burned about the body and arms, and when taken to the hospital but little hope was held out for her recovery.

Carries Babes From Her Burning Home

Mrs. F. Secorska, of 763 Tacoma avenue, Sellwood, rushed back into her blazing house early Saturday morning to rescue and carry to safety her three children, aged 7, 4 and 2 years. Just as the mother completed her heroic act, Mrs. Caroline Glevinska, a neighbor, broke open the bedroom window in a futile effort to rescue the little tot.

The fire started from an overheated stove and caused a loss of about \$900, covered by insurance. The house is owned by Elsie Helms, an 8-year-old girl, who lives with her guardian at 763 Sherrett street, and had been rented to the Secorskas.

Malt extracts have been found valuable for laundries in removing starch from clothing.

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"Keep out of crowds as much as possible."

"Sleep in a room with the windows wide open."

"See that your office or shop is well ventilated."

"Walk a mile in the open air twice a day."

"Cover up each cough and sneeze with your pocket handkerchief for the protection of others."

"Don't spit on the sidewalk, and help enforce the ordinance against it."

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ONE OF HOOD RIVER'S VERY BEST CROPS



Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Carson and family.

Hood River, Or., Jan. 13.—J. K. Carson, chief of police of Hood River, and Mrs. Carson, who hold the undisputed honor of having the largest and one of the finest families in Hood River county and the state of Oregon, Mrs. Carson was married in Kentucky nearly 34 years ago, Mr.

Carson then being 26, and Mrs. Carson, whose maiden name was Ballie Johnson, being 22 years of age. Mr. and Mrs. Carson have resided in Hood River for the past 14 years, where Mr. Carson has been identified with various business interests.

The 13 children, from left to right, back row, are: John, Mrs. Charles Carson and husband, Charles; second row: Helen, J. K. Jr., Elizabeth, Florence, Lucius; front row: James and Jennie, who are twins; Alice, Mayhew and Alberta. The twins are 7 years of age and J. K. Jr. is 25 years of age and a law student in Portland.

Petrified Eye Is Held as Memento

Story Is That Optic Came From Skeleton Found on Hillside in New Mexico Where Petrifications Abound.

Crane, Or., Jan. 13.—What is declared to be a petrified human eye is in the possession of Mrs. W. C. Brady of this city. While a resident near the old walled city of Socorro, New Mexico, in the year 1898 the eye was presented to Mrs. Brady by an old friend, John Burns, who had found the specimen some 25 years before.

On the side of the Magdalena mountains near Socorro many petrifications of wild animals and other interesting subjects have been found. John Burns had in his possession the petrified foot of a badger, and also two ears of Indian corn which had turned to stone.

On the side of this mountain he found the petrification of the greater part of a human head and shoulders.

The story is that he removed the eyes and cut the head and shoulders in pieces. He gave one of the eyes to a friend and kept the other for 25 years before presenting it to Mrs. Brady.

Hood River Butter War Is No More

Hood River, Or., Jan. 13.—The Hood River butter war between local merchants and the local creamery, that has been in progress for the last month, after an all-day meeting yesterday, came to a peaceful close.

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John D. Mickle, state dairy and food inspector, was present. The fight started because the local creamery was charging the business men a higher rate for butter than the Portland creameries were selling for. The merchants boycotted the local creamery, which in turn sold butter at wholesale prices to the consumers at a saving to the buyers of 15 cents per roll.

Play Well Received.
Hood River, Or., Jan. 13.—"Jayville Junction," a comedy playlet, staged by a company of 35 people from The Dalles at the Hillbrowner hall last night, under the direction of Mrs. C. A. Schrum and S. M. Lulin, was greeted by a large Hood River audience. Dancing followed.

**Freewater Welcomes
New Minister to City**

Freewater, Or., Jan. 13.—Wednesday evening the members and friends of the Freewater Federated church gave a reception in the L. O. O. F. hall to the new pastor, Rev. H. Attenborough, and family. The following addresses of welcome were given by the different institutions of the church and city: On behalf of the church, R. C. Brennan; Sunday school, J. C. Crimmins; Christian Endeavor society, Dewey Crimmins; Baptist church, Rev. Dr. Stockton; business men's association, W. E. Davis, who spoke in the absence of the mayor; Attorney G. H. Bishop and Miss Anna Compton of Columbia college, Milton; Keyes and F. K. Nordhoff gave the musical program and Miss Blondell Ritchie of Milton gave a reading. A banquet was served at the close of the program. Rev. Mr. Attenborough responded.

Bend Commercial Club Has Election

Bend, Or., Jan. 13.—H. J. Overturf, former county commissioner of Crook county, was elected manager of the Bend Commercial club at the regular annual meeting of the club.

The following committees were appointed to direct various activities of the club for the coming year: Entertainment, C. Rhodes, Carl A. Jones, H. W. Skuse and H. E. Allen; public affairs and industries, J. P. Keyes, C. S. Hudson, D. E. Hunter, U. C. Guma, R. H. H. Peckham, H. H. V. A. Forbes, John Steidl and H. C. Ellis; traffic—A. J. Kroenert, S. L. Wiergin, H. A. Miller and H. T. McKee; membership, H. J. Overturf, E. H. Keane, J. A. Eastes, R. B. Gould and A. Whisnant; roads and highways, P. C. Garrison, R. M. Smith, W. D. Barnes and C. M. McKay.

Name Is the Same; He Isn't the Racer

Pendleton, Or., Jan. 13.—Barney Oldfield and Claud A. Hampton, who filed articles of incorporation at Salem today, are to handle an automobile agency, having taken over the agency and garage of E. F. Tulloch. However, Oldfield is not the racing demon of the same name. Hampton has been in the employ of Tulloch for some time. Hampton is a son of the late S. A. Hampton, wealthy farmer.

BAKER COUNTY FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION IS NOW FULLY FORMED

Representative Farmers Are
Made Members of Permanent Board of Directors.

Baker, Or., Jan. 13.—Permanent organization of the Baker County Farm Loan association was perfected this afternoon with M. S. Bond president, J. F. James vice president, J. W. Higgins secretary-treasurer.

By the time loans are possible under the rural credits law, the local association will be ready with applications for loans in excess of \$150,000, subscribers for stock already asking over \$100,000.

W. W. Lovelace, F. C. Heard, Archie J. Murray, C. L. Deardorff, J. F. James, Byron Vandecar, Hugh Dougherty, W. W. Willoughby, M. S. Bond, directors of the temporary organization effected some time ago, were made a permanent board. All are substantial representative farmers of various parts of the county.

Hood River in Line.
Hood River, Or., Jan. 13.—Twenty-five farmers of the Hood River valley met at the Commercial club rooms Friday afternoon and organized the Farmers' Loan Association of Hood River county. Sixteen members signed up for loans approximating \$38,000. The following members were elected as a board of directors: August Guignard, H. L. Hasbrouck, G. B. Marsh, E. G. Osbornow and M. J. Foley. Application will be made at once to the Farm Loan bank to cover applications on file. It is expected that several other local associations must have a minimum of 10 members and \$20,000 in applications, will be organized. This is the first organization under the loan law in the county.

**Teachers Selected
For Wasco Schools**

Monmouth, Or., Jan. 13.—County Superintendent Clyde T. Bonney of Wasco county, was the first of the county or city superintendents to visit the Oregon normal school for the purpose of selecting teachers for the schools for next year. He chose 20 members of the June class, who have been placed on the reserve list to be used as the need demands for the rural schools of the county. Mr. Bonney was the speaker at chapel exercises on Tuesday.

The glee clubs and the orchestra, under the direction of Miss Mary Hoham, head of the music department, will present its annual concert on January 15. The cantata, "The Rose Maiden," by Cowan, will be rendered. The glee clubs and orchestra will be assisted by a quartet of leading Oregon musicians.

The first semester of the current school year closes on January 23. The second semester begins January 29. An increased attendance of about 50 is expected for the beginning of next semester.

**F. A. GALLOWAY IS
NEW MAYOR OF COVE**

Cove, Or., Jan. 13.—The new council for the city of Cove was installed last night.

The council consists of F. A. Galloway, mayor; Charles H. Powell, George Corp, Carl Peterson, Royce J. Allen, Emil Blevins and M. J. Duffy, councilmen; William Breshires, marshal and Harry Wetman, recorder.

**Changes Are Made in
The Bank at Bend**

Bend, Or., Jan. 13.—U. C. Guma, president of the Central Oregon State bank, formally severed his connection with that institution yesterday afternoon at the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the bank, when he transferred his controlling interest to W. L. Cobb and D. E. Hunter. The change involves the raising of Mr. Cobb to the presidency of the bank.

The exact amount of the transaction was not given out. Other officers chosen by the stockholders are: Vice president, D. E. Hunter, and cashier, H. M. Stephens.

More Prosperity; Taxed.
Pendleton, Or., Jan. 13.—High prices for grain, wool and other commodities of Umatilla county received last year will considerably increase the amount which farmers and stockmen will have to pay in income tax this year, according to Thad Sweet, deputy collector. Sweet estimates that there will be 50 per cent more men in this county subject to the income tax this year than last year.

**Journal Gets Some
Action for Klamath**

Commercial Club Takes Up Matter of
Disposing of Jackrabbit Hides for
Satisfactory Answer Is Received.

Klamath Falls, Or., Jan. 13.—An account published in The Oregon Journal recently, telling of the efforts of Representative N. J. Sinnott to secure a revenue from jackrabbit hides for the benefit of the farmers of Oregon, naming a furrier's house in St. Louis, where these pelts might be disposed of, was noted by officials of the Klamath Commercial club.

As this section is teeming with jackrabbits, which work a hardship each year on the farmers of the county, it was decided to investigate the matter and a letter was forwarded to St. Louis. A reply received today states that 15 to 18 cents per pound will be paid for hides delivered there. The freight from this point would amount to six and a half cents a pound, so that 10 or 11 cents a pound would be made.

As the rabbits here have been unusually destructive this last year, a petition by the farmers and Klamath Sportsmen's association was recently filed with the county court for a bounty of 10 cents on each hide brought in. Should the county court see fit to place this bounty, it, with the money available for the hide, would make the animals well worth hunting and soon rid the country of a pest.

Wanted to Die; Took Poison.
Klamath Falls, Or., Jan. 13.—"I have taken poison. I want to die," were the last words of Elmer Boom, homesteader on Stukel mountain, who committed suicide at Riverside hotel in Merrill Monday night. An empty bottle which had contained poison was found in his pocket. Boom was a native of Illinois and was 55 years of age.

**Pioneer Leaves Cash
To Worthy Causes**

Milton, Or., Jan. 13.—The will of the late Mrs. R. J. Cockburn, pioneer of the Walla Walla valley, who died here last week was read Wednesday and it was found that her estate, valued at \$22,000, was disposed of as follows: To benevolent purposes, \$1500; to the Eugene Bible university at Eugene, \$1000; to the First Christian church for the new building fund, \$500; \$100 each to her 12 grandchildren, the rest of the estate to be divided equally between her five children, County Commissioner H. M. Cockburn, Frank Cockburn, Charles Cockburn, George Cockburn and Mrs. William Harder, all of Milton.

**Attorney General to
Remain at Salem**

Salem, Or., Jan. 13.—Attorney General Brown announced today that he will not be obliged to go to Washington, D. C., to argue in the United States supreme court, but will remain here in an advisory capacity to legislators. Mr. Brown received a telegram yesterday requiring him to be in Washington next Tuesday, but has arranged with Felix Frankfurter, an instructor in the Harvard University Law school, to appear for him.

The cases to be argued before the United States supreme court are those of Stettler and O'Hara, Simpson and O'Hara, and the Bunting case, all involving the constitutionality of the minimum wage law.

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Social Insurance Is Whitman Plan

Students Would Pay an Annual Fee
and Be Assured of Medical Attention
Up to Certain Limit.

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 13.—Social insurance for Whitman college students against sickness has been proposed at the college. According to statistics recently compiled by the economics department the average expenditures of the college students for medical attention during the last year was \$7, or a total of \$1800.

It is proposed to establish an insurance system whereby each student pay two or three dollars per year and be insured for medical services up to a reasonable limit. The system has been in practice in some eastern colleges, according to reports, and has met with considerable success.

Military Training Looms.
Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 13.—Military training was turned down by the men of the freshmen class this week at the regular meeting of the Freshman Discussion club. The members listened to a debate upon the subject, "Resolved, That two years military training for all physically able men students should be adopted at Whitman college," and at the close handed the decision to the negative. Wallace Scott of Reuben, Idaho, upheld the affirmative and Lloyd Long of Spokane, the negative. Members of the club joined in an informal discussion of the subject.

"Sophs" Will Play.
Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 13.—Thursday evening, January 25, has been set as the date for the annual sophomore class play, this year to be the comedy, "The Road to Yesterday." The cast is working hard under the direction of Miss Lucile Leyda, coach.

Wedding at Haines.
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Driven by a 25 horsepower gasoline motor, a new ice cutting machine will do as much work in a day as 15 men with eight two horse teams.

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