

THOROUGHBRED BULL CAUSES RUCTION IN BOARD OF CONTROL

Governor Would Ignore Legislative Refusal to Aid the State School for the Deaf.

OTHER MEMBERS OPPOSED

Salaries of Several Employees Are Raised and Girls' School is Declared to be Overcrowded.

Salem, Or., April 5.—Should the state board of control use an institutional betterment fund to make purchases which were definitely turned down by the legislature?

This question came before the board Wednesday afternoon when Superintendent E. S. Tillinghast of the state school for the deaf asked the board to authorize the purchase of a thoroughbred bull and the building of a garage out of the institution's betterment fund.

Governor Withycombe favored disregarding the action taken by the legislature, while Secretary of State Olcott and State Treasurer Kay prevented this by voting against allowing the request.

Division Over Scrub Bull.—The question is whether we should allow a request which the legislature has definitely turned down," said Olcott.

"Keep that scrub bull at the head of the herd for two years because some narrow-minded legislator said so," roared the governor. "Not much. Regardless of what the legislature did I favor purchasing the animal."

The board voted to raise the salaries of five employees at the industrial school for girls as the payroll still will be within the budget. Salaries were increased as follows: Carpenter and plumber, from \$60 to \$80 a month; bookkeeper and commissary, from \$40 to \$50; domestic science teacher and cook, from \$25 to \$35; industrial teacher and laundry worker, from \$25 to \$35; woman gardener and nurse, from \$25 to \$30.

The salary of the cook at the state tuberculosis hospital was also raised from \$30 to \$30 a month.

New Domestic Science Teacher.—Mrs. Minnie Darst, superintendent of the girls' school, announced that the domestic science teacher had resigned and Miss Eva Miller, a graduate of the O. A. C., had been appointed to the position.

Mrs. Darst reported that County Judge Reasoner of Washington county had committed a girl of the institution, and sent her without notifying her. As the legislature made an appropriation for maintaining only 44 girls at the school, and 44 girls are there now, the board directed Mrs. Darst to send the girl back to Washington county and to refuse to receive any others until the number is reduced below 40.

The board authorized Superintendent Steiner of the Oregon State hospital to purchase a pedigree Holstein-Friesian yearling bull from the Colony Farm at Essendale, B. C., for \$500.

Accident Claims Allowed.—Salem, Or., April 5.—Two claims

Free Every 20th Suit Sold

This is Laff's method of advertising his new clothes shop. Laff has the goods, finest selection of \$15 and \$20 suits ever sold in Portland. Tailored by one of America's foremost good clothes makers.

You'll be glad to get one of these splendid suits, even if you have to pay for it.

Laff's CLOTHES SHOP 265 MORRISON ST. Bet. 3d and 4th Sts.

DARKER DEN'S AT THE HERKINS PHARMACY

VENUS 10¢ PENCIL

for fatal accidents were approved by the state industrial accident commission. One was for the widow and son of Carl Hendrickson, 426 Simpson street, Portland, who was killed at the Standifer-Clarkson shipyards. The widow, who is 73 years old, will receive \$30 a month during the remainder of her life, and the son, who is 14, will receive \$5 a month until he reaches 21.

Irrigation Bonds Suggested.—Salem, Or., April 5.—Attorney Claude McCulloch of Portland has taken up with State Engineer Lewis the question of having bonds of the Payette-Oregon Slope Irrigation district certified under the new law enacted by the last legislature. The project covers 6700 acres and is irrigated by pumping water from Snake river. It is about three-fourths settled, having 115 resident land owners. A new bond issue is being proposed to take up outstanding bonds and other indebtedness.

Public Utility Reports Profit.—Salem, Or., April 5.—The annual report of the Salem Light & Power company, filed Wednesday afternoon with the public service commission, shows total operating revenues for the last year to have been \$73,479, and operating expenses were \$41,986. Taxes paid amounted to \$8741. After interest charges and other deductions were made the net income for the year was \$8675.

Rate Discrimination Forbidden.—Salem, Or., April 5.—The state public service commission has received notice that the case involving the \$17.50 discrimination against Portland in round trip tourist rates from the east to San Francisco has been opened by the Interstate Commerce commission for further hearing. The commission had decided that the discrimination must be discontinued.

BIG CHICAGO PACKERS AGAIN TO DISTRIBUTE PROFITS TO EMPLOYEES

Armour & Co. Adopts Policy Which Other Companies Are Expected to Adopt.

Chicago, April 5.—(I. N. S.)—The big packing companies are to share their unprecedented prosperity further with their employees, according to announcement made Wednesday. The amount to be distributed in the way of bonuses and wage increases run into the millions annually and affect all classes of help.

Other packing houses are expected to announce bonuses in a few days. A general 10 per cent increase in the wages of packing house employees, amounting to more than \$1,000,000 a year, goes into effect this week. Twenty thousand workers will be affected by this advance.

Superintendent at Roseburg Reelected

Protest Is Made Hamlin Is Relative of Member of School Board, and Cannot Hold the Office.

Roseburg, Or., April 5.—City school Superintendent Hamlin has been reelected to the position for another year by the Roseburg school board, with one member, R. L. Stephens, voting no. Mr. Stephens also registered a protest against Hamlin's reelection at the meeting, and will later protest the election in writing, claiming that under the Oregon school law the superintendent is related to one member of the board and consequently is not eligible to serve unless the election be unanimous.

A petition to the school board to defer the election of a superintendent until after the annual school election was tabled by Professor D. O. Bennett, principal of the high school, was also reelected, as were all other teachers who made application for reelection.

Crook Officials May Join Army, Keep Pay

County Court Resolves to Allow Half Pay for Six Months to Officers or Employees Who Join Army or Navy.

Prineville, Or., April 5.—The county court of Crook county Wednesday passed the following order: "In view of the apparent state of war now existing between our country and Germany, it is hereby ordered that half pay be granted to any officer, deputy or regular employee of Crook county for a period of six months from the date of his enlistment in any department of the United States army or navy."

Cowlitz Recruiting For Army Is Active

Kelso, Wash., April 5.—Many recruits are being sent to Vancouver and Portland from Cowlitz county. During the past 10 days nearly 50 young men from this county have enlisted in various divisions of the United States army. Three men of this place have been fined for expressions of disloyal sentiments. Fred Smith, a shingle weaver, was fined \$10 and costs by Justice Knapp for tearing down a flag, and today two local men were fined \$2 each for expressing disloyal sentiments.

Sample picture frames 69c. To clean up. Sizes large, small and medium. All fitted with glass—and in many of them the glass alone is worth this sale price. Bring your pictures and let us fit them to the frames without charge. Gold, brown, black and many other finishings. Picture Galleries, Fifth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Lipman Wolfe & Co. "Merchandise of Merit Only"

New things in NECKWEAR. Priced at from 50c to \$5.00. Collar and cuff sets, Georgette collars in colors, and sports collars of linen and Khaki Kool. All sorts of new ideas—heavy colored floss embroideries, colored oriental designs, net and new laces all take part in this collection. First Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

My! but how men did come buying in our Annual Easter sale of SHIRTS!

If you know what a "milliner-made" hat means you will appreciate this sale of Trimmed hats at \$7.50. Some are blocked shapes, smartly tailored—but a great many of them are hand made and trimmed in our own milliner's shop. All have the grace and refinement of line that make for real charm. All sorts of colorings. Black and white. 3d Floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

—And it's no wonder that men did buy so enthusiastically for these shirts are all made of the same splendid quality of fabrics that were used in previous years (just compare them with this year's fabrics) and these prices would have caused a sensation even when selling prices were down to present cost prices! —You will find—



Shirts at \$1.39. High grade shirts of madras, oxfords, Russian cords, crepes and fancy novelties in a galaxy of patterns and colors!—Made with either stiff or soft French cuffs!—All sizes!

Shirts at \$1.69. These are of new self-figured shirtings with fancy colored stripes and of heavy Russian cords in attractive pink, green, blue and tan stripes! Made with soft French cuffs! All sizes!

Shirts at \$3.95. Beautiful tub silk shirts that compare with those you'll find about town at much higher prices! They're all in the attractive candy striped effects—ever so many colors!

Shirts at \$4.45. Rich, heavy, satin striped tub silks in the very colorings that men like the best! They were tailored by shirt makers who have a national reputation for making shirts that fit!

The boys' store is offering Easter clothes for little chaps 200 boys' wash suits at \$1.59. This is a chance for mothers to buy enough of these wonderful suits to last all summer. They have just come by express in time to be ready for Easter!

New materials and new ideas. Boys will like the novel collars, belts and pockets. Mothers will be pleased with their style, and with the splendid materials. There are linens, galateas, Palmer linens, repps and poplins. And they have the very best workmanship.

Suits—\$3.95 to \$12.50. That every boy will want to wear. Of blue serge, chevrot, shepherd checks and mixtures. Some with extra white collars and cuffs.

Reefers—\$3.95 to \$12.50. Of serge, chevrots and mixtures. Belted, pinback and pleated models that will find their way into a fellow's heart.

Boys' hats for spring—50c to \$6.00. All new. You can match almost any suit here, too. And there's a hat for every boy in town. Fourth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



Ribbons—wide and narrow at all sorts of prices

Brocades—Chinese and oriental things—grograins for hats and bags. Plain and fancy ribbons for hair bows and sashes. Narrower satin and brocaded ribbons for lingerie and incidentals. Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Wonderful new SILK SHIRTS \$5.85

These shirts have just been taken from their wrappings—they'll be shown for the first time Thursday. All of them have wide satin stripes in pink, cadet blue, red, gold, green, helio, purple and other new shades!

Silk shirts at \$8.95. Many men will vote these the star values of this sale! They're made of the popular Finko silk crepe!

Silk shirts at \$6.95. Shirts of unusual character in exclusive patterns and colorings of heavy Empire crepes. A full range of sizes! Main floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Economy Basement Store. WHERE YOU SPEND THE LEAST AND GET THE MOST FOR IT!

For Friday we have planned an extraordinary Easter sale SILK DRESSES at \$15.00

There'll be much talk about this Easter sale of HATS

This basement millinery store of ours has been growing in popularity every day. Hundreds of women who do not patronize basement stores ordinarily have been delighted with the styles found here—and mightily surprised at the lowness of the prices.

In this Easter sale there are hats at \$2.95— at \$3.95—and at \$4.45 and \$4.95!

A great many of the hats included are priced 'way, 'way less than they'd cost us ordinarily! But of even more importance to you than the fact that they're underpriced is the fact that they are fresh and crisp and new—the very styles that are in greatest demand right now! Then, too, there are untrimmed hat shapes and trimmings at extremely low prices. Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

185 boys' new Spring SUITS for Friday at \$3.95

Every one of these suits made with 2 pairs of pants! These suits ought to, every one, find a new owner by the time the store closes Friday! They're all made of smart new fabrics in gray, tan and brown mixtures! All sizes 6 to 18 years! Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Boys' Blouses 25c. Sturdy wash blouses with lots of wear to them.

Petticoats at 98c. New black and white stripes with flower designs. Black sateen and tafeteen with fancy figured ruffles. Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

This is some of the most exceptional news our economy basement garment store has printed in months and months.

Brand new SILK DRESSES at \$15!—Why, they're the very kind of dresses you've seen at much higher prices! These would have been marked more, too, but we want to make this pre-Easter sale an event that will set a new standard in value giving and in friend winning!

Three of the dresses are pictured—there are almost a dozen other styles!—Most of them are of taffeta—though quite a few pongees are included! There's a wide range of new spring colorings in all sizes! Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Pongee sport dresses \$12.95. They're in the popular jacket styles, many of them with trimmings in sport colorings and designs! At \$12.95 they should cause no end of a stir! Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Novelty silk skirts at \$5.45. Besides the unusualness of the values, these skirts have much in the way of new patterns and colorings that will appeal to you!

Other new skirts at \$3.50 and \$6.50. Those at \$3.50 are of black and white checks—those at \$6.50 are of black and navy taffeta made up in shirred effects. Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Some smart new SUITS specially priced \$18.50. It would be difficult for us to make statements too strong for these suits to back up! They're new—and more—they're very, very much underpriced at \$18.50! They're tailored in Spring's best models and of the most wanted suitings! All sizes are included! Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Black and white checked suits are to be featured at \$14.85. Here's an Easter sale that ought to arouse a good deal of interest!—New suits in the smart black and white checks that are so favored for wear this spring!—A number of pretty models in all sizes. Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Dress checks 98c. Black checks, pin checks and novelties for sports and dress-up.

Corset covers 29c. Attractive ones of extra quality longcloth with deep embroidery or lace. Economy Basement

Confirmation dresses Three special items At \$1.79. Lace and embroidery trimmed. Some with bolero waists. At \$2.49. Dainty and lacy new styles that every girl will adore. At \$2.95. With deep embroidery and lace—the fluffy soft kind. Economy Basement

1000 yards curtain SCRIMS Friday at 10c. This is just about the present wholesale cost! It's a pretty bordered scrim in white, cream and ecru! Full 36 inches wide! No phone orders—and we reserve the right to limit quantities! Economy Basement—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Sale of SPORTS SILKS 89c—\$1.19—\$1.29. More than one pair of eyes will pop wide open when these silks are put on sale Friday! Included are Tussahs, failles and pongees in smart sport designs! Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



Hundreds of COATS In this Easter sale

There are some for as little as \$5.00 that will surprise you—then there are others at \$6.75 and \$8.95 that will win all sorts of praise! New VELOUR COATS—\$17.85-\$19.85. New empire and other styles in ever so many attractive colorings! You're going to wonder where we got such coats to sell for so little! Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Specials in cooking utensils. No. 1—Ladd egg beaters special for Friday at 29c. Enameled ware at 59c. 4 qt. Berlin kettles. 6 qt. Preserve kettles. 6 qt. Sauce pans. 6 qt. Porridge pots. 6 qt. covered bakers.

Aluminum ware 79c. 4 and 5 quart saucepans—kettles and mixing bowls! Food choppers at \$1.19. No. 2 of the famous Universal brand. Wooden Chopping Bowls. The 11-in. size 9c. The 13-in. size 29c. The 15-in. size 49c. Of well-seasoned, first quality maple. No phone orders for these items and none sent C. O. D. Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.