

PRUNE AND SLASH MUST BE SLOGAN OF LEGISLATURE

State's Solons Will Have to Figure How to Make \$7,870,580 Do Work of \$9,167,795.

GROSS REVENUE \$14,551,649

Of Total Income \$5,383,854 Represents Contributions Paid Into Industrial Accident Fund.

Salem, Or., Dec. 25.—When the legislature meets next month it will have more use for a pruning knife than any other instrument. Some very generous pruning will be required if the biennial appropriations are to be kept within the limits of the money available to meet them. But it is predicted that the legislature cannot provide for the needs of the state government and hold its appropriations within the funds in sight for the next two years.

The biennial budget, compiled by Secretary of State Olcott from estimates submitted to him by the heads of various departments and branches of the state government and state activities, shows a total of \$14,551,649.92, but \$5,383,854.11 can be eliminated without further consideration, as it represents contributions paid into the state industrial accident fund, fees to be applied to specific purposes, and receipts not paid into the state treasury.

Has Its Work Cut Out This leaves \$9,167,795.81 for the legislature to worry over. Included in this sum is \$901,100, representing continuing appropriations now in effect, and \$1,947,651.78, representing millage tax levies for the O. A. C. U. of O. Monmouth Normal, roads and county fairs, leaving \$6,319,044.03 to be met by direct appropriation. To take care of this \$9,167,795.81 the state has in sight revenues aggregating \$7,870,580.97, thus leaving a deficit of \$1,297,214.84.

Following is a list of the institutions, departments, boards and commissions and other interests which are asking for funds for the next biennium.

Amounts Asked	
Accountancy, State Board of	550.00
Agents for the apprehension of criminals	1,000.00
Agricultural Societies	24,000.00
County fairs	22,215.00
Oregon state fair	39,800.00
Banking department	6,000.00
Public relations, Board of	6,500.00
Blue Book (official directory)	18,000.00
Board of control, Oregon State	75,000.00
Board of corrections	70,950.00
Child labor, board of inspectors of	4,800.00
Child welfare commission	2,900.00
Chiropractic examiners, State Board of	1,300.00
Corporation	36,849.28
Dairy and food products	11,868.00
Defense, State Council of	24,520.00
Dental examiners, Oregon State Board of	8,950.00
Dues and board	9,140.00
Education, Department of	500.00
Superintendent of public instruction	17,500.00
Agricultural assistants	12,000.00
School record books and blanks	11,868.00
State board of examiners	20,000.00
Educational institutions	300.00
Board of higher curricula	40,815.00
Oregon state school for the blind	72,610.00
Oregon state school for the deaf	111,830.00
State Agricultural College	1,119,718.00
Resident instruction	200,480.00
Extension service	491,088.24
University of Oregon	1,023,400.00
Resident instruction and extension department, Portland	181,670.00
Memorandum institutions	101,700.00
Eastern Oregon state hospital	958,000.00
Oregon state hospital	100,996.00
Oregon state tuberculosis hospital	148,100.00
State institution for feeble minded	346,700.00
State Aided Institution for the Blind	10,871.00
Firemen's Association	40,000.00
McLaughlin Memorial association	50.00
Orphans and Foundlings	115,000.00
Elections, expenses of general and primary	45,000.00
Executive department	28,700.00
Emergency board	200.00
Exhibits of Oregon products	15,187.00
Fire Marshal department, State	22,500.00
Fish and game commission	69,400.00
Forestry, Oregon State Board of	70,000.00
Fire patrol service, provided by the state	40,000.00
Fire patrol service, on privately owned lands	15,000.00
Flagships from Justice, return of	500.00
Grand Army of the Republic, department of Oregon	95,225.00
Historical Society of Oregon	29,780.00
Horticultural, State Board of	12,000.00
Horticultural Society, Oregon State	1,000.00
Humane Society, Oregon State	10,820.00
Hygiene Society, Oregon State	40,000.00
Industrial accident commission, State	4,800,000.00
Industrial welfare commission	3,500.00
Insurance, Department of	35,700.00
Judicial Department—	
Attorney general	38,920.00
Circuit court judges	200,000.00
District attorneys	138,800.00
Supreme court of the state of Oregon	97,050.00
Supreme court library	16,800.00
Labor Commissioner and Factory Inspection—	
Bureau of labor	11,800.00
Factory inspection department	28,500.00
Land board office of Oregon	18,000.00
Legislative assembly, thirtieth regular session of	80,000.00
Library, Oregon State	50,000.00
Lime Board, Oregon State	37,900.00
Livestock-sanitary board, State	53,720.00
Medical Examiners, State Board of	1,000.00
Mines and Geology, Oregon Bureau of	50,000.00
Motor vehicle registration	80,000.00
National Guard of Oregon	298,205.12
Naval Militia of Oregon	30,710.00
Nurses, state board of examination of graduates	1,488.00
Optometry, Oregon state board of examiners in	1,734.28
Pacific Northwest Forest association	50,000.00
Pharmacy, Oregon Board of	3,455.00
Pilot Commission, Oregon State board of	2,880.00
Printing Department	185,871.83
Oregon State Training School	128,920.00
Oregon State Industrial School for Girls	82,830.00
Oregon state penitentiary	824,040.92
Parole Office, State	20,000.00
Wayward Girls, Reclamation of	10,000.00
Proclamations, etc., publication of	2,000.00
Public Service Commission of Oregon	97,100.00
Public Utilities Department	1,200.00
Track scales inspection	79,453.00
Grain inspection department	1,200.00
Bonds for arrest	480,000.00
Roads and highways, state highway commission	5,700.00
Sealer of weights and measures	59,300.00
State department	7,500.00
Stallion registration board	1,500.00
State Engineer's Department—	
State engineer's office, expenses of	16,610.00
Surveyors, in re water rights determinations	10,130.00
Tax commission, state	15,000.00
Text book commissioners, State Board of	750.00
Treasury department	33,000.00
Veterinary in official examining board, State	182.10
Water board, State	39,180.00
Miscellaneous claims	15,870.85
Deficiencies	652,588.00
Total	\$14,551,649.92

Keep Your W. S. S. Pledge Due in Full This Month

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Buy War Savings Stamps and save for the day when your soldier boy comes home.

Invest your money in a government security at 4% compound interest.

Encourage thrift by personal example, and prevent expansion of credit with consequent tendency to higher cost of living.

Give War Savings Stamps instead of cash for Christmas presents.

Buy W. S. S. to keep your pledge which falls due in full this month. Don't fall Uncle Sam—don't be a slacker!

C. S. JACKSON,
State Director.

SUPPORTERS OF RISH RESOLUTION IN HOUSE COUNTING ON PASSAGE

Favorable Report Is Expected From Committee Offering Instruction to Delegates.

Washington, Dec. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Action will be taken by the house foreign affairs committee soon after the Christmas holidays on the resolution which carries a request from congress to the United States peace commissioners to urge on the peace conference action that will insure for Ireland self-determination of its form of government.

The speeches and arguments in support of such action by congress made two weeks ago by the members of the delegation, numbering 200 American men and women of Irish birth or extraction, are being printed by order of the committee and 5000 copies of the pamphlet will soon be ready for distribution, it was stated today.

It was forecast by members of the house generally that the action of the committee on the resolution will be favorable, and that the resolution will go to the house with the recommendation that it be passed.

Many members of the house, not members of the committee, who accord heartily with the principle of the resolution declare they are working actively in its support and are asking the opportunity to advocate it on the floor of the house of the day after tomorrow.

They add that they desire to refer to recent reports of alleged conditions in Ireland, especially the request that the island was being inflamed by Bolshevik agitators from America. The rigidity of the passport regulations enforced by both the United States and the British government makes such a condition impossible, they assert, while information from reliable sources indicates that the political activities in Ireland are of a "healthy character and confined mainly to a contest for votes among the Sinn Fein and rival political parties."

Gas Shell Menace In Future Warfare Foreseen by Expert

With the American Army of Occupation in Germany, Dec. 25.—(By courier to Nancy)—(I. N. S.)—"It may sound fanciful, but the next naval battle will be fought with gas shells," said an American military expert today in discussing the future of warfare.

"A barrage will be directed in the path of the enemy similar to smoke screen. The deadly fumes will be drawn through the ventilators, overpowering or killing the crew. They might as well begin building naval units now with devices to protect the funnels and ventilators. The day of coal burning ships has passed. Ships in the future will be run entirely with oil and electricity.

"The war has demonstrated the necessity of radical innovations in artillery on land. In my opinion the famous 75 will be replaced by guns of bigger calibre with extended range."

Oregon City Marriage Licenses
Oregon City, Dec. 25.—Marriage licenses were issued Tuesday to Nettie J. Crabtree, aged 21, and Hugh M. Freese, aged 21, both of Oregon City, and to Inina May Williams, aged 25, 116 Mollala avenue, Oregon City, and Henry A. Stewart, aged 36, Condon, Oregon.

Irene Payette and Frank H. Anderson, both giving 111 East Tenth street, Portland, as their residence, were granted a marriage license in Oregon City Monday.

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Women who are aware of the extraordinary values offered at all of Liebes' Sale Events may come to this sale with full assurance that never before have the reductions been so great. To those of the public unfamiliar with our methods, these values will prove, indeed, most surprising.

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Because of our policy of never quoting comparative prices, we cannot tell you what these reductions mean in dollars and cents. The Prices and the Garments must Speak for themselves.

Values Greater Than Ever

Those who have admired special models in Liebes' stock will do well to come promptly at 9 o'clock Thursday morning to make their selections, as these extraordinary reductions will insure a rapid disposal of garments.

Suits at Special Clearance Prices

A wide selection of unusual styles of the standard LIEBES quality and smartness repriced at truly wonderful savings, Serge, Gabardine, Velour, Oxfords and many novelty fabrics, in the season's most favored shades, all splendidly tailored.

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Coats that have been again repriced for this Great event, until now the Reductions are Most Extraordinary. Every model is characterized by the Excellent Workmanship and Unusual Materials, which are always to be found in LIEBES Garments. Velour, Pom-Pom, Silvertone, Burella Cloth and Mixtures in all the Prevailing Shades.

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Remarkable Reductions on All Exclusive Coat Models

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Hundreds of Smart Frocks in Models of Every Type—All bearing the Characteristic Exclusiveness and Distinction which are the Hallmarks of LIEBES Garments. Frocks for street wear in Serge, Wool, Velour and Tricotine, cleverly tailored. Frocks for afternoon and evening wear of Georgette, Satin, Lace and Tulle, in Exquisite Beaded and Embroidered Effects.

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One-quarter Off on All Blouses Marked \$15 and Over

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By the assurance that every garment in this great sale, or, in fact, any sale we ever announce, is from our regular stocks. No Garments specially purchased for the occasion. Plainly speaking, you will no doubt see garments here tomorrow reduced for final selling that you admired only recently, but now priced much lower.

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Charge Purchases

Made tomorrow and balance of the month will be charged on January bills, payable February 1st.