

# NEARLY ALL BILLS URGED BY OLCOTT FINALLY ADOPTED

Salem, Or., Feb. 25.—A majority of the recommendations made by Governor Olcott in his message to the legislature at the beginning of the recent session, as well as that contained in his special message, were enacted into law. Only two recommendations of the governor—involving consolidations of state departments and commissions—were rejected by the lawmakers.

Of perhaps the greatest importance of the numerous recommendations conveyed to the legislators in the executive message was that for a change in the budget system, centering responsibility for the preparation of budget estimates of all state departments, institutions and commissions in the hands of the board of control.

**BILL MEETS ISSUES**

This recommendation is carried out in the provisions of senate bill 65, by Patterson, which requires that all agencies receiving financial aid from the state must first submit their financial requests to the board of control for approval before the same are submitted to the legislature for final action.

Another recommendation of the executive was included in a special message in which the governor asked for a transfer of certain funds so as to permit the appropriation of money for the construction of a new boys' training school. The plan was almost unanimously adopted by both houses of the legislature and in the bill as framed in the executive office and introduced by Senator Patterson as senate bill No. 27.

Provision was worked out for an appropriation of \$250,000 for the boys' training school, \$50,000 for the state industrial school for girls, \$50,000 for the state feeble-minded school, and \$150,000 for a wing at the Eastern Oregon state hospital.

**PRISON INDUSTRIAL BILL**

Four constructive proposals in regard to the state penitentiary, as advanced in the governor's original message, were all adopted. One of these, incorporated in house bill 91 by Representative Gordon, allows \$20,000 to be expended under the direction of the governor for the installation of an industry at the prison and the governor has made it plain that before definite industry to be established is determined upon a most thorough and rigid investigation will be made to ascertain what is the most feasible and most productive plan to be carried out by the institution. As a companion bill, house bill No. 169, also introduced by Representative Gordon, was passed. This bill determines how money earned by convicts in connection with such industry shall be disposed of.

To keep as many men inside the penitentiary wall as possible employed, senate bill 168, introduced by Senator Hare, was framed, based upon a recommendation in the governor's message. This allows the warden of the penitentiary to employ paroled convicts at the prison wood camp at a reasonable wage, such wage to be in no case in excess of the amount paid free labor for similar work.

**TO SELL FLAX PLANT**

Still another bill passing both houses was house bill 81, introduced by Representative Davey and based upon a recommendation in the governor's message,

which permits the board of control to sell the prison flax plant at such time as private capital has developed outside of the institution a flax plant of sufficient size and financial soundness to insure the proper handling of all of Oregon's flax products. The board of control cannot dispose of the plant until it is satisfied that all of the provisions of the measure have been met by private outside capital.

Bills by Senator Moser in line with recommendations made in the governor's message provide for placing the new industrial school for the blind at Portland on an immediate operating basis. The people at a special election last May voted to establish such a school but the bill so passed prevented funds from coming into use until 1922. The governor in his message expressed a hearty sympathy for this school and the bills as passed will give an opportunity for an early functioning of that institution.

Another important recommendation was to the effect that the state should submit to the people of Oregon the proposition of whether the soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the World war should be recognized by the state with a substantial financial reward. Bills to this effect were passed and will be submitted to the people at a special election to be held in June.

**PUNISHMENT IS SEVERE**

Another bill of far reaching importance was house bill 211, introduced by Representative Woodson, which is known as the "habitual offenders" act. This measure was strongly urged by the governor in his message. It provides that after a man has served two terms in the penitentiary on felony charges and is convicted for a third time of a felony he may be sentenced to the state penitentiary for the rest of his natural life. House bill 73, introduced by Representative Woodson, makes it a criminal offense for anyone to aid any person to escape from the Boys' Training school, the Girls' Industrial school, either of the state hospitals for the insane or from the institution for the feeble minded.

Of wide importance to the future welfare of Oregon are two bills passed to assist in the campaign inaugurated by the governor to aid in the preservation of scenic beauties along state highways. One of these bills was introduced in the house by the joint roads and highways committee and gives the highway commission power to protect shrubbery and foliage along state highways. Another was introduced by Senator Dennis in the senate and allows the state highway commission to condemn strips of land 200 feet each side of certain highways for the purpose of preserving scenic beauties along such highways. These bills were largely copied after the California plan, where they worked with success.

Two other recommendations of the governor adopted by the legislature make provision for the care of tourists when they reach the state and for the continuing of the functioning of the Pacific Northwest Tourist association. The fund provided for caring for tourists will be expended under the direction of the committee of five to be appointed by the governor.

**OREGON FAIR BUILDING**

Still another recommendation which was adopted provides for the formal transfer of the old Oregon building at the Panama Pacific International exposition at San Francisco to the commander of the Western department of the United States army.

Other recommendations adopted include one giving more protection to the investment of state funds; another providing for repayment of fees paid in by those who took the examinations under the unconstitutional automobile mechanics examiners act. Another which was carried out gives an additional lease of life to the state lime plant to endeavor to assist farmers in the rejuvenation of their farms. Another provides for protection of bond investors of the state in the purchase of municipal and other bonds from bond houses.

Other recommendations receiving the endorsement of the legislature include enlarged powers of banking supervision giving greater protection to depositors. Still another recommendation responded to by the legislature was the giving of substantial material support to the national guard.

The suggestion contained in the governor's message that the legislature designate the names of Jason Lee and Dr. John McLoughlin as being representative citizens of Oregon whose busts should be placed in the niches provided in the national capitol for busts of the great men from the various states, was adopted.

## Lumbermen Create Advertising Fund

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Details of a \$300,000 national advertising campaign to exploit Oregon, were announced here Thursday by West Coast Lumbermen's association. A national conference will meet in Chicago next week at which representatives of the West Coast organization will be present and will explain the part the Western lumbermen will take in the campaign.

## Senate Passes Bill To Pay C. L. Reames

Washington, Feb. 25.—The bill to pay Clarence L. Reames \$2000 for special services performed while he was federal district attorney during the war was passed by the senate Thursday. Senator Chamberlain, who introduced it, explained that Reames was sent to Seattle

and San Francisco to prosecute cases and had an alibi of only \$1 a day. Senator King of Utah assailed the bill as setting a bad precedent. He was the only senator voting no. The bill has yet to go to the house.

## Minister Not Guilty Of Manslaughter

Sandwich, Ont., Feb. 25.—(U. P.)—Rev. J. O. L. Spracklin, Methodist minister charged with manslaughter in connection with the shooting of Beverly Trumble, roadhouse keeper, on November 6, was acquitted by a jury after 45 minutes' deliberation Thursday.

**Ellis Lost No Time**

E. W. Ellis did not make use of the 24-hour stay granted by Federal Judge Bean to pay his \$1000 fine imposed Wednesday, but paid it the same day. Ellis pleaded guilty to misbranding adulterated butter and selling it on the market as fresh creamery stock.

## Mrs. Emma C. Cline of Albany Is Not Missing

Albany, Or., Feb. 25.—Denying the report that his sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma C. Cline of Albany, is missing, H. B. Cady reported Thursday that she was to have left Seattle Wednesday night or Thursday for Honolulu on a pleasure trip. Mrs. Cline's whereabouts have been known to her relatives in Albany continuously, Cady said, and no foundation exists for the rumor that she had disappeared mysteriously.

## K. of P. of Bend Buy \$5000 Site For Lodge Home

Bend, Feb. 25.—Preparing for the early erection of a lodge home, Bend Knights of Pythias today purchased a \$5000 building site in the business section of the city. Plans under consideration are for the erection of a two-story stone or brick structure, 40 by 150 feet.

Bullet like beaten biscuit may cause to some extent to be a cause for domestic discord in Bend after young wives complete the night school course. Domestic science will find a place on the night school curriculum next term, City Superintendent Moore states.

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75c French Voiles, yard . . . . . 49c

75c Hydegrade Galatea, yard . . . . . 45c

65c 36-Inch Black Satine, yard . . . . . 39c

75c Beautiful Cretonnes, yard . . . . . 39c

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**\$8**

\$25 to \$30 Ladies' Cloth Coats . . . . . \$14.80

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**\$25 Ladies' Good Suits**

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\$22.50 Wool Heather Suits . . . . . \$11.80

\$25 Fine Jersey Suits, special . . . . . \$14.85

\$50 to \$60 Fine Suits, special . . . . . \$27.80

**\$20 New Jersey Dresses**

**\$8.80**

\$25 Ladies' New Jersey Dresses . . . . . \$11.80

\$35 Ladies' Tricotine Dresses . . . . . \$18.80

\$25 to \$35 Ladies' Silk Dresses . . . . . \$16.80

**\$30 Ladies' Fine Plush Coats**

**\$13.80**

\$65 Ladies' Plush Coats, special at . . . . . \$32.80

**\$1.50 Ladies' Bungalow Aprons**

**75c**

\$3.00 Ladies' Bungalow Aprons . . . . . \$1.48

75c Children's Rompers at . . . . . 29c

**\$4.00-\$4.50 Ladies' Comfort Shoes**

**\$2.40**

\$7.50 to \$12.50 Ladies' Dress Shoes . . . . . \$4.70

\$2.50 Ladies' Felt Slippers at . . . . . 80c

**\$35 Men's Suits**

**\$17.50**

\$40.00 Men's Suits . . . . . \$20.00

\$50.00 Men's Suits . . . . . \$28.00

\$60 All-Wool Serge Suits at . . . . . \$30.00

**\$30 Men's Overcoats**

**\$14**

\$40.00 Men's Overcoats . . . . . \$19.00

\$50 and \$55 Overcoats at . . . . . \$27.00

**\$6 Men's Dress Pants**

**\$3.60**

\$7.00 Men's Dress Pants . . . . . \$4.60

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\$10 Men's Dress Pants . . . . . \$6.30

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**\$6 Men's Dress Shoes**

**\$3.70**

\$10 Men's Dress Shoes . . . . . \$5.80

\$12 Men's Emerson Shoes . . . . . \$6.80

**\$10 Girls' Coats at**

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\$15.00 Girls' Coats . . . . . \$7.50

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**\$3.50 Men's Wool Mix Flannel Shirts at**

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**\$1.15**

\$5.00 Men's Fine Dress Shirts . . . . . \$2.40

\$10 to \$15 Pure and Silk Mixed Shirts . . . . . \$5.60

**20c Men's Tan Dress Sox, Pr.**

**8c**

25c Men's Fine Dress Socks, pair . . . . . 14c

50c Men's Fine Dress Socks, pair . . . . . 29c

75c Men's Fiber Silk Socks, pair . . . . . 38c

75c Men's Heavy Wool Mixed Socks, pair . . . . . 28c

**\$5.00 Men's Felt Hats at**

**\$2.70**

\$10 Men's Velour Hats . . . . . \$5.60

\$2.50 Men's Fine Caps . . . . . \$1.40

**\$2.50 Heavy Bib Union-Made Blue Overalls**

**\$1.40**

\$5 Carhartt Overall Work Suits, Blue Denim . . . . . \$2.90

\$4 Sampson Khaki Work Suits . . . . . \$1.98

\$1.50 Boys' One-Piece Play Suits . . . . . 79c

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**\$3.60**

\$12.50 Boys' Suits . . . . . \$5.60

\$15 Boys' Fine Suits . . . . . \$8.80

\$25 Boys' Wool Suits . . . . . \$12.80

\$10 Boys' Overcoats\* . . . . . \$4.00

\$15 Boys' Overcoats . . . . . \$7.80

\$10 Boys' Mackinaws . . . . . \$5.60

\$15 Boys' Corduroy Suits . . . . . \$7.80

**\$2.50 Boys' Knee Pants**

**\$1.30**

\$3.00 Boys' Knee Pants . . . . . \$1.70

\$3.50 Corduroy Knee Pants . . . . . \$1.70

**\$1.00 Men's Blue Work Shirts**

**48c**

\$1.50 Khaki Work Shirts . . . . . 79c

**50c Men's Leather-Faced Gloves at**

**30c**

\$1.00 Men's Leather Work Gloves . . . . . 48c

\$1.50 Men's Leather Work Gloves . . . . . 90c

\$2.50 Men's Leather Work Gloves . . . . . \$1.60

\$4.00 Men's Black Leather Driving Gloves . . . . . \$2.30

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