

15 NEW BILLS READ IN HOUSE

Numerous Proposed Measures Get Attention Despite Deadline

Although Monday at four was set as the deadline for bills to be introduced, some 15 came up for first reading in the house Tuesday. These had been turned to Monday, it was said, but did not get attention due to the long session. Hereafter all bills must pass the committee allotted for this purpose in order to get read.

H. B. 427—By Briggs—Providing that a laborer or material man should not be penalized with loss of fees for failure of county clerk to properly file or register same.

H. B. 428—By Chidgren—Providing for adoption of standards and grades for potatoes.

H. B. 429—By Anderson—Providing that any judge may grant a parole.

H. B. 440—By Anderson—Relating to formation of parole board and selection of parole officers.

H. B. 441—By Swope—Providing for method for discontinuing of county unit school system.

H. B. 442—By Anderson—Relating to the collection of hospital fees by employers and making them accountable for such funds.

H. B. 443—By McCready—Increasing the salary of superintendent of public instruction from \$4,000 to \$5,000.

H. B. 444—By Robison—Allowing to select right by trial before court for defendants in criminal cases or jury.

H. B. 445—By Robison—Providing terms and conditions under which life insurance companies and fraternal organizations may be licensed.

H. B. 446—By Angell and Collier and Sen. Kiddle—Providing charges for inspection of boilers and pressure vessels.

H. B. 447—By Hamilton—Providing for withdrawal of the waters of Tumalo creek for appropriation.

H. B. 448—By Lockwood—Prohibits catching of steelhead salmon at certain periods of the year.

H. B. 449—By Henderson—Relating to night fishing and night hunting.

H. B. 450—By Gouley—Limiting the caking of salmon from any river in the state to three per day. This does not apply to the Columbia river.

H. B. 451—By Carkin and Sen. Carner—Increasing the percentage of gross premiums to the state by insurance companies.

H. J. R. 14—By Carkin and Hazlett—No county shall create any debts or liabilities which shall singly or in the aggregate, exceed the sum of \$5,000, except to suppress insurrection or repeal invasion.

H. J. R. 15—By Carkin and Hazlett—The legislative assembly shall not lend the credit of the state nor in any manner create any debt or liabilities which shall singly or in the aggregate exceed the sum of \$50,000, except in case of war or to repeal invasion or suppress insurrection.

H. J. R. 16—By Carkin and Hazlett—Repealing article 11-a of the constitution of the state.

The following bills were introduced in the senate Tuesday:

S. B. 91, by Miller, by request—Relating to the consolidation of school districts.

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Legislative Resolutions Would Repeal Bond Right For Oregon and Counties

The state of Oregon is now well supplied with roads, or at least if it needs any more they can be constructed out of income. The same applies to counties, in the same way.

This is the gist of two measures, house joint resolutions 14 and 15, which were dropped in the house hopper Tuesday. Both provide for putting on the ballot for repeal at the next general election the amendments now in the state constitution granting the state and counties the right to bond themselves for roads and highways.

If the resolutions pass the legislature, and the measures are then approved by the people, counties will not be enabled to create any debts or liabilities which shall singly or in the aggregate exceed the sum of \$5,000, except to suppress insurrection or repeal invasion. The state will be limited to \$50,000 under the same conditions.

This restores the original statute on this matter, and it is the belief of many that the time has come for this restoration. What roads that may be needed in the future can be built out of income, which in the state is the gasoline tax and funds from auto licenses. Counties have ample revenue to provide for maintenance and for needed roads of the future, it is claimed.

The state bonded indebtedness at present is approximately \$2,000,000, while that of the counties aggregate some \$18,000, it is estimated. It is felt that this amount in both cases is large enough.

Opposition to the proposed measures is expected to develop from sections of the state where it is felt highways development is not yet complete.

A companion resolution, H. J. R. 16, would repeal article 11-a of the constitution of the state, known as the rural credits act.

The federal government system now in operation is held to be superior to the state act, and for this reason the state statute should be repealed, it is stated.

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 5.—(AP)—Pend O' Rellie county officers today were investigating the mysterious death of Clarence P. Roush, who died in the snow covered hills back of Ruby, Wash., yesterday after he had hiked five miles for a cup of coffee.

Roush who is a Spokane sheet metal worker, left here Friday night with Carl Johnson and Pete Headberg, and Saturday night they visited at the Fred Carlson Logging camp on Leclerc creek.

According to Johnson, Roush and Headberg left camp Saturday night to go to the homestead of "a man named Zimmerman" where they said they intended to visit and "get a cup of coffee."

Headberg arrived in camp and said he left Roush talking to Zimmerman.

Sunday morning a searching party found the body of Roush, two miles from camp, in a patch of snow beaten down with foot prints. There were no marks of violence.

Sheriff Ben Fox and a deputy went into the wild country today to try to learn something more definite about the death.

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Two Autos Upset**

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COLD WAVE GRIPS MOST OF EUROPE

LONDON, Feb. 5.—(AP)—All Europe shivered tonight from a cold wave of unusual severity from which no relief was in sight. The deaths of 44 persons already have been recorded while suffering is general from food shortages in towns blockaded by snow.

Denmark appeared likely to be entirely ice locked before the end of the week. Ice breakers were struggling to maintain a narrow pathway for shipping into Copenhagen, but communication with several Danish islands was maintained only by sledges and automobiles over the sea ice. Many ships are aground. Millions of wild fowl have been killed by the cold.

While Denmark is typical of north European countries, the frigid breath of winter has been felt along the Mediterranean where the inhabitants are less accustomed to protecting themselves from low extremes of temperature.

**MRS. CONE SERIOUSLY
ILL AT SILVERTON HOME**

SILVERTON, Feb. 5.—(Special)—Mrs. Cone, mother of Mrs. August Herr, is very ill at their home on Brown street. Mrs. Cone has been in ill health since last August when she came to Silvertown from eastern Washington.

JAIL INMATE KEEPS OFFICERS ON JUMP

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Feb. 5.—(AP)—Things happen when Ray Endicott goes to jail on a drunk charge. "Let her burn and I'll burn with her," he shouted Saturday night when officers investigated smoke issuing from his cell. Endicott had started a small fire on the floor and had piled his clothing on the flames. The fire was extinguished.

A half hour later another cloud of smoke whirled up from the cell, and officers found Endicott and another prisoner in the next cell had piled newspapers on another fire. Matches were taken from the pair.

The second fire had hardly been quenched when citizens heard screams of "I'm drowning—I'm drowning."

Investigation showed that Endicott had broken a water pipe in his cell.

SILVERTON, Feb. 5.—(Special)—The J. C. Larson home on the new Salem-Silvertown road, was the scene of a neighborhood party on Friday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Larson. Ten friends were present who enjoyed a social afternoon, followed by refreshments.

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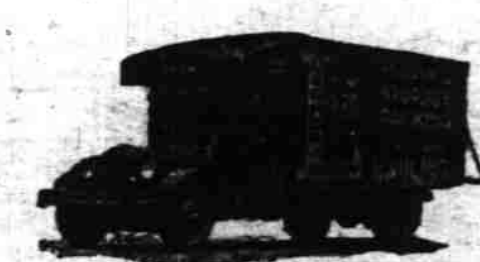
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