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## New Oil Inquiry

tending $a$ helping hand to an excites cernatity Are republicans exhater, or are they hot on the scent of an oil scandal and want that subsidiaries of Standard Oil of California and Texas com pany owning onvrouucing properties in the middle east over Moffett himelif was once executive head of the subsidiary ployers or it roa ybe a case of his trying to get revenge on Wheeler probably is eager for
into an investigation of this kind.

Cuts in Public Welfare

tion by the legislature
biennium to $\$ 43,850,000$.

- substantial increase is allowed in the new budget for th
current biennium is $\$ 32,878,000$, so on the face in inct incease of
$\$ 10,000,000$ is approved. Actually the increase is less because
present biennium. But eight million dollars is a substantia
to take on will happen is that public welfare will not be able
It is doubtful if persons in real need will have their allowances
reduced-uniess there is a decrease in the cost of living. But
some who are abte to support themselves or
relatives able to do so may find their grants reduced or cut off
pebble from a nigger-shooter over Dick Neuberger's piece o
Portland. The OCE credits the Post article with being cleve
but also "bitter with few or none of the beauties of the city"
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historical perspetiver. We think the oC
it be the author's name excited some er
The Great White Father, ten years late, is getting ready to
furnish camp sites for mid-Columbia Indians replacing those
Inundated by Bonneville dam. One site proposed was at the
Inundated by Bonneville dam. One site proposed was at the
mouth of White Salmon river, which pleased Henry Charley who
doclaimed at the conference in The Dalles: "God made the bi
White Salmon river for the Indians." But how, we wonder, as
Into white society, can they indefinitely retain tribal rights to
fishing spots and camp sites? No one has aniswered that question

Louis E. Starr, Portland, national commander of the VFW,
doing. a better job of hitting headlines than his American Legion contemporary. He got publicity on his statement abou lestimony before a house committee urging return of atomic
energy control to the army. Somehow though the country pay little attention to these "kings for a day.
Tuberculosis is still an enemy. The January report of the
state beard of health shows 23 deaths from that disease. The number of cases of TB reported increased from 41 to 86 in the
year. One month's comparative figures are too narrow a base to the incessant nee
tubercular trouble.
A year ago The Statesman contended the appropriation o
$\$ 400,000,000$ for subsidies for broducers of building materials


 shifting.

## or $\$ 100,000$ claiming

$\qquad$ Who says evolution has ceased working? Before prohibition advertising art, he has become
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people only absorbed the truth of the former, the latter wouldn'

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by private philanthropy, which is
where the Oregon Chest comes in.
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conducts trough roeal organiza-
tions a single financial
 in their behalf.
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home. The father deserts the

 children permanenty. The au-
thorities then call some agency
like the Boys and Girrs Aid soci
ety, which gathers in ine children







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