Higher Salaries for Public Servants Recommended by Commit

Advances In Pay Favored Report Says

District Attorneys and County Clerks Underpaid; Sheriffs Get Too Much

\$4000 per year, the corporation annually commissioner from \$5000 to \$3600 S. B. 95.—By Ryan.—Amending per year, and the clerk of the state land board from \$2500 to \$5000 per to closed senson in Willamette river year, are recommended in the report of the special legislative committee on salar

ents of schools. Although making Lodge, No. 11 A. F. & A. M. no direct recommendations for in- S. B. 98.—By Jones.— Providing sors and county commission- any civil action or suit. ers, who, the report states, were found in most cases to be capable for release from lien or judgment, men serving at imadequate pay, a of real property of appellant.

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S. B. 100, by Hume, Strayer and Oregon products in Portlant ing the next two years not successful to the committee members while not committee members while not committee members county experiment station. Some Sheriffs Overpaid,

Although the salaries of district attorneys were found to be too low, nor ecommendation is made for an "for the reason that any moderate increase in salary would not attenct the abler class of law-

cases are adequate, the report states. In a few instances county treasurers are underpaid while on the other sheriffs of two or three counties are found to be overpaid.

The report is signed by Senators

The report is signed by Senators Bell and Strayer and Representa-tives Dodd, Wheeler and Haines. "Our investigations have been made with a view to maintaining

efficiency in public office," the re-port reads. "We have sought to protect the taxpayer from higher taxes but also from inefficient serv-Inexperienced Crowd In.

"We found many high grademen underpaid. We also found men without espacity for the effice they filled who were oversaid. Very few good men are seeking office and public spirited citizens in many tostages have desired mon for ininstances have drafted men for important official places who are

portant official places who are serving their counties patriotically but at a personal financial loss. "Our investigations early in the year 1926 showed many instances of county officials resigning for better positions in private work better positions in private work, while less experienced men took their places, but with the change in their places, but with the change in conditions during the latter part of the year this loss of efficient ment is being reduced. The business of the counties in nearly all cases is increasing and it is important that the good citizens of the state look well into the conduct and management of public affairs if they desire to protect themselves from waste and inefficiency and consequent higher taxes."

Repeal of Laws Favored.

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The report recommends that att fees payable to and collected by county officials, particularly the sheriff, clerk or recorder, should be accounted for and all laws in conflict therewith should be respections 4845 and 4846 relating to abnoxious weeds.

founty surveyors should be made appointive and thes alary fixed by the county court, according to the committee, which also states that committee, which also states that much dissatisfaction was found with the method now in use in the employment of water masters, recommending that the county courts be given jurisdiction in this matter, because the county courts be given jurisdiction in this matter.

BILL TO GATHER STRAY

Hume, Strayer and Jones, and introduced into the senate, provides that county assessors "shall place upon the assessment roll any personnel and real property subject to taxation upon demand in writing of any taxpayer of the state." Any assessor who shall willfully fail or refuse to comply with such demand, the bill provides, shall be deemed guilty of malfeasance in office. troduced into the senate, provides

TRANSFER OF WEIGHTS

DEPARTMENT SOUGHT Based upon a recommendation in Governor Olcati's message, Senator Patterson, Wednesday intro duced a bill transferring the demeasures from the supervision of the state treasurer to the supervi-sion of the dairy and food com-

PROPOSED PROBE

IS AIM OF MEASURE Declaring that "there is an or-ganized attempt being made to spread the teachings and doctrines of revolution for the purpose of overthrowing the existing form of government, through the medium of teachers and instructors in the achool: and relieges, a resolution introduced by Senator Hall calls for the appointment of a committwo senators be appointed to in-vestigate any such conditions existing in the schools of this state. The resolution provides for a re-port of the findings of the com-mittee to be made to the governor presentation to the legislature

New Airline Proposed It is reported in Tokio that a proposed Shanghai, China-Tokio, Japan, airline is being considered by capitalists in the two cities. The Chinese promoters are hoping to make the trip to Tekin from the Chinese city in nine hours,

The site for the White House was selected by President Washington and Major Peter C. L'Enfant when they laid set Washing-

Senate Bills

S. B. 91.-By Jones.-Amending

S B 92.-By Hume .- To pro hibit picketing or staking out of animals upon public highways in Soundies having a population of 10,000 or more.
S. B. 95.—By Edwards.—Amend-

ing section 5121, Oregon Laws, re-lating to books and accounts of dis-

salaries of state and printing plant at state university to do printing except for university General increases are also rec. S. B. 97.—By Bell.— Amending ommended for county superintend. act incorporating Eugene City

creases in salaries of county judges for examination of adverse party to

nust appropriation for Harney posstion on the requested appro-county experiment station. Driation at least indicated that 8. B. 102, by Dennis - Relating to \$29.900 appropriations are not go circulation of false statements re-

or underwriting securities of satisfied and loan associations.

delegation—Providing funds

S. B. 119, by Eberhard. Amend-ng sections 202 and 321, Oregon aws, relating to garnishments

S. B. 111, by Byan-Making it a nisdemeanor to make false state ments in writing to secure delivery of personal property, cash, etc. S. H. 112, by Bell-Inc

salary of attorney general from S. B. 113, by Gill—Amending ection 8608, Oregon laws, relating to Reensing of chiropractors.

8. B. 115. by Ryan and Vinton—
Making bonds of other states and

S. B. 114, by Moser—Amending ection 8445, Oregon laws, relating o state aid for institutions carin

S. R. 116, by Eddy and Vinton-Authorizing authority to cities and towns to appropriate real estate

and water courses for power pur

GAME RESERVATION IN

UMATILLA COUNTY ASKED A state game and bird reserva-tion in township five, north, range

hunting, killing or otherwise injur TAXES IS PROPOSED

A bill, fathered by Senators and insection of the senators and insection of the senators of

Many Bills To **Have Hard Time** In Committee

hard sledding in getting by the the rights, powers and disabilities Increases in the salaries of the state superintendent of schools from \$3000 to \$4000 per year, the attorney general from \$3600 to 95.—By Ryan.—Amending finding committee of the legislatnued and any effort to increas the former appropriation will be looked at not only with grave concern but with even a tinge of sus

day night. Following the presen-tation of the request for an appropriation of \$20,000 for maintenance of the exhibit Oregon products in Portland dur S. B. 191, by Ellis-Providing an while not committing them to an garding savings and loans associa- without first knowing that some tions. without first knowing that some thing like \$20,000 in benefit would S. B. 103, by Donnis-Providing be accruing to the state therefrom or underwriting securities of One of the members wanted to know if it was customary for states S. B. 194, by Ellis Relating to to maintain such exhibits and na-brands on livestock. S. R. 105, by Washington county the exhibit was a matter for main-elegation—crowlding funds for behavior by the railroads through payment of claim for injuries.

S. B. 106, by Patterson—Making state food and dairy commission sealers of weights and measures.

S. B. 107, by Fell, chairman of special committee on salaries—Increasing salaries of state superincendent of public instruction from 13000 to \$4000 a year.

from under the load entirely, placling it entirely on the state, and
again through increases in expenses incident to the maintenance
of the exhibit and especially in the
matter of rents which represent almost one-half of the entire expense
of the exhibit.

Simmons and others, who urged
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The child welfare commission sprang a surprise on the committee last night when it appeared to present a pilea for an appropriation of 323,000 for the biennium, this sering just twice the sum aer out in its budget estimate for the two year period. The increase in its estimate, it was explained, was due to pending legislation which it due to pending legislation which it all of the child labor and welfare secretary of war. He continued her heart attacks is increasing sowers of the commission and executed the scope of its duties, neces. It is two other departments if they sassination of President Lincoln.

Committee Takes Recess. Included in this legislation it was explained by W. D. Wheel-sright, chairman of the commision, is a measure centralizing the hild placing functions of the nu-uerous child earling agencies in the date in some central organization inder expert supervision. Other egislation will throw additionat safeguards around the foster crimi

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ANTI-SYNDICALISM BILL NEARLY SLIPS A COG.

Submission of all proposals at bond issues to a vote of the people by non corporations is browled in a bill introduced in the house by Representative Charles C. Mindman of Multicomah county. The bill provides that when the porter corporation provided with such at the count of the arrival of Representative Charles C. Mindman of Multicomah county. The bill provides that when the porter corporation provided with such at the proposes to borrow money who arke the necessity of the wiself and thereafter submit the proposed to a vote of the people of the district for their authorization or rejective. The anti-syndicalism bill with existing in Portland.

House Bills

H. B. 99, by Eheldon-Requiring ounty treasurers of the several ounties of Oregon to file certain

H. B. 102, by Leonard, Korell, Hammond, North, Pierce, Johnessociations and coronrations with

H. B. 103, by Leonard-Regulatng and defining morine insurance and the writing thereof, and amenug and re-enacting sections 6498 H. B. 164, by Korell—Regulating de and cold storage of fresh food

r the regulation and licensing of

nurseries.

B 106, by Hyart—Amending The board is to be compo

thing and furnishing the corps of the United States.

Consolidation Of Bureaus Is Yet Undecided

The house committee on labor and industry gave considerable time Wednesday night to hearings on the proposed consolidation of the child labor bureau and industrial welfare bureau with the state labor bureau, as provided for in house bills twenty-two and twenty-three, introduced by Representative Thomas Kay of Marion county. The matter was continued un-

creasing adartes of same tendent of public instruction from \$3000 to \$4000 a year.

The request for the exhibit this year so much as was galary of state fand board from its accounted for in part through the fact that the Portland chains the fact that the Portland chains the fact that the Portland chains accounted for in part through the fact that the Portland chains accounted for Decided opposition to the conf an exhibit of the kind at all.

Sum Is Doubled.

The request for the exhibit this ear is just twice as much as was proportiated two years are. This

stating a larger organization and are to be continued, or that all he onsequently increased expense. placed under the one head of the guard of Secretary of War Stanton Sabor bureau,

Further Industry at Pen Is Urged

appropriation of thirty dollars which the govercetile minded children.

Representative Lee appeared before the committee in behalf of fies house bill No. I creating a commissioner of publicity and appropriating \$10,000 for state publicity purposes.

No other meetinus of the committee will be held until Monday might when, it was stated the respiration of such plants.

This is in conformity with the recommissional to be proposed the establishment in the mean-time sub-committees will visit all in the proposed the establishment.

militer of three is to be named to-day to visit the eastern Oregon shipment of raw materials from state hospital at Pendleton, abroad & from another states.

Coffin In Morgue

rom the following:
Three military officers visited
Today, surrounded by his wife
and family in his comfortable
home informed that the body of a
home on P street, the major is being kept busy receiving and readthat increase of holding a military ing the telegroups addressed to home

On raising the lid they found the coffin empty,

Licenses for Airplanes Are Latest Tax Fad

Issuance of franchises for all plane companies carrying passen gers or freight, thus creating a ers, are contemplated in legiclation

wind 1986. Oregon laws, relat- five aviators, residents of Occidents to assignment of widow's dow- for at least a year poor to the pass-

The board will have power to ex-mine applicants and issue certificales to aviators, and a shall at backle for any person to open salares, but will receive co-

Was President's Doorkeeper 40 Years; Now 84

bureau, declared that with the use him, and in 1898 he enlisted as a some of a woman field deputy he would private in Troop H of the Second ken was appointed the personal body-He afterward performed this serv-ice for General U. S. Grant.

When Grant was elected president he had Loeffler assigned to duty at the White House, and when his callette. duty at the White House, and when his enlistment expired in 1872 he was officially appointed doorkeep.

Was been in Rome, September 14, 1848, and was created a cardinal disconfiber 15, 1919. notes in the executive offices. Loefcontinuous discontinuous in the continuous discontinuous disco istration in 1909, when he retired from activ assistant, the present doorkeeper, er, Patrick E. McKenna. service in favor of his

Commissioned a Captain."

On July 11, 1898, President Me-Kinley commosioned Logitier captain in the regular army, but continued him in the same capaci-ty at the White House in which he was serving. In 1901 Captain Loef-fler reached the statutory age for retirement from the arms, and two As Major Loeffler he continued to receive "Teddy's" official visitors until the end of his second adminintration.

As doorkeeper for President Rossevelt, who practically kept "open house" at the executive of-fices, Major Loeffler probably has Is Found Empty and low, than any other individual Cork. Jan. 20.— Some idea of the way that the military and the way that the military are community and the following.

the oursesse of haiding a military inguisey. In the contract of the flavors obtained the keys of the mortnary the officers entered and approached the coffin in a reversal manner.

JOURNAL WANT ADS PAY

Committee Balks at Proposed Cost of Memorials

While the house committee on esolutions is in thorough accord with the plan to designate Dr ohn McLaughlin and the Rev. fason Lee as the two men to repsent Oregon in the hall of fame at Washington-in accordance with resolution introduced in the house several days ago and refer-

\$20,000 at this time for the purposnen for this purpose. ouse Wednesday, and in order ed so as to designate men for the proposed honor, but

lay, the mutter was sent back to In the discussion on the floor of Danvey of Marion, who introduced received intimutions that if the lex-

Ministry of War Choice Hang-Out

The great size of the building. hich contains over a thousand oms, evidently attracts attentioned although the military and pohave taken an possible steps, have been unable to end the sait state of affairs, and not so, but some officials have a killed on the premises. pewriters, ornaments, picture rors, door handles and bruss fit

Should a thief in the course of rooms he visits he enquires fo imaginary person and contin finds a room that is unoccu-

ed, then he quickly gathers to-ther anything that he can find d departs. arrying away a typewriter the comince in the street, and innocent-looking dispatch case.

Former Empress Weak Amsterdam, Jan. 28.—The gen-ral weakness and lassitude of forer Empress Augusta Victoria of rmany, who is having another of

London, Jan. 20-Cardinal Philip Calmassel, former patriarch of Jea dispatch to the Exchange Tele graph company from that city. He

TOMORROW 2, 7, 9 p. m.

Marriage Test Bill Finds Way Into Bill Mill

physicians giving clean bills of health to both male and female before marriage licenses can be sepresent only such certificate from he male is required. The bill was introduced at request of Dr. Owens-Adair who for several years has seen carrying on a campaign for more extensive safeguards before

A bill introduced in the house today by Representative Sloan of Representative Frank Unsatilla county, declares an emerige districts organized prior to the islature designated hese men for laws of Oregon, shall have all pow-Oregon's places in the hall of fame he required funds for the statues of this act, passed in 1915, except sould be supplied from private so the as the organization of dis-

A bill introduced by Representa ive Richards of Multnomah county provides for a wider distribution throughout each county of jury Vienna, Jan. 29.—Scores of rob-cles taking place in Vienna, but there nor more than six inc. the house which is most favored by trivia, with the same number of hieves is that which was formerly Jury boxes to be provided, and in scurpled by the Minister of War.
Scarcely a day passes when this be drawn from each district. The ouse is not visited by rubbers, who trawing burers an equal number to

Scores Believed They Were Wedded; Find They're Not

has been spread amongst the re councien, in Brittany, many of them having discovered that after living together in the state of mattot really married at all.
The discovery was made when a

coman who had said that she was arried at Pouroumelen died in ie neighboring village of Lorient. When the authorities came to onk up the records they could find to trace of the marriage. It was

discovered that the woman ad not been married in the Mairie. it in the neighboring inn. By the laws of the Republic eryone must be married in the Matrie. In easy-going Plougoume enthere were scores of couples cho had preferred the inn to the

Now a terrible apple of discord. has been thrown into the hitherto happy village. Wives who were arried to their husbands at th onn look suspiciously at their hus-bands. Husbands in their turn wonder if the wives wish to chang

The words in English which be gin with the letter Z are all de gived from other languages, prin chally from the Greek,

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SATURDAY



BILLIE BURKE "The Education of Elizabeth'

One night she up and said "yes" to a man whose ancestors used to around with George Washington. Vowing she'd "be a lady or bust," went to live with his falls and the volume see we went to live with his folks and their heirlooms, and she did to Aristocracy! A comedy-romance completely submerged

"GOING THRU THE RYE" Is a Comedy With a Kin



Coming to the Oregon Theatre Sunday for Three Days-