

MARKET ROADS AMENDMENT IS FINDING FAVOR

Other Bills Include Favoring Of Farmer In Trespass Matter

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Jan. 21.—Proposed changes in the primary election laws in Oregon popped up in the house yesterday afternoon in the form of house bill 85 introduced by the judiciary committee. The bill embodies the ideas set forth several weeks ago by A. L. Mills, president of the First National bank of Portland who is sponsor, for the measure.

ROAD PLAN FAVORED

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Jan. 21.—The market roads amendment bill introduced during the first few days of the session by Representative Ford will be reported to the house favorably. A few minor amendments have been made by the house roads and highways committee, along with an important one excepting Multnomah county from supervision of the state highway commission in connection with market road construction.

Three bills designed to protect farmers against trespassers, particularly tourists who invade the premises of farmers for articles of food, were introduced by Senator Sam Brown of Marion county. One of the bills makes it necessary for trespass notices to be posted by farmers. Another provides that damages amounting to three times the value of the property taken may be assessed against trespassers, and a third bill places jurisdiction over trespass cases in the justice court.

HOSPITAL PROPOSED

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Jan. 21.—Establishment of a state tuberculosis hospital east of the Cascade mountains would be a question to be voted on by the people at the general election of November, 1926, if a bill introduced by Senator Upton is passed.

The site would be selected by the state board of control.

Appropriation of \$175,000 for construction and equipment of buildings for the southern Oregon state normal school at Ashland is sought in a bill introduced yesterday afternoon by Representatives Cowgill, Carlson, Grant, Collier, Irwin, Hamilton, Hammond, and Woodward and Senators Dunn, Miller and Upton. The bill would also provide for an annual levy of one twenty-fifth of a mill for maintenance purposes.

Abolition of the state normal school at Weston and transfer of the building and property to the public school district in which it is located, are provided in a bill introduced yesterday by Senator Clark, chairman of the committee on education. The normal school has been defunct for many years.

GOVERNOR PIERCE AND MR. CLEAVER HAVE TESTIMONY

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Jan. 21.—Governor Walter M. Pierce and State Prohibition Agent George L. Cleaver appeared last night before the joint legislative committee investigating the prohibition department, and Cleaver produced six suitcases full of correspondence, cancelled checks and records of his department. Chairman Garland appointed Senator Johnson and Representative Swan as a sub-committee to examine Cleaver's records, with Representatives Loneragan and Hurlburt as a relay committee to alternate with them on the job. Governor Pierce accounted for slightly less than \$4000 of the fund placed at his disposal. He admitted that \$500 marked money had been used in an attempt to test the honesty of a public official. He said the attempt failed, but the money was safely restored to the fund.

The governor said that Laronzo M. Pierce, an attaché of the state prohibition department, had been let out because he and Cleaver could not get along. The governor was questioned at some length about paroles and pardons. He said that his policy in this regard had the legal support of Attorney-General Van Winkle. "It was called into question, however, by Judge Skipworth of Eugene," the governor added, "so Van Winkle is drafting a bill to fix my authority." The governor explained that he sometimes found it expedient to pardon or grant other leniency to offenders after they had served jail sentences so that they might support their families. Governor Pierce mentioned briefly the work of George Neuner of Roseburg as a special prosecutor and complimented him for the vigor with which he had handled cases placed in his hands.

Goshen Club Will Give Play Friday

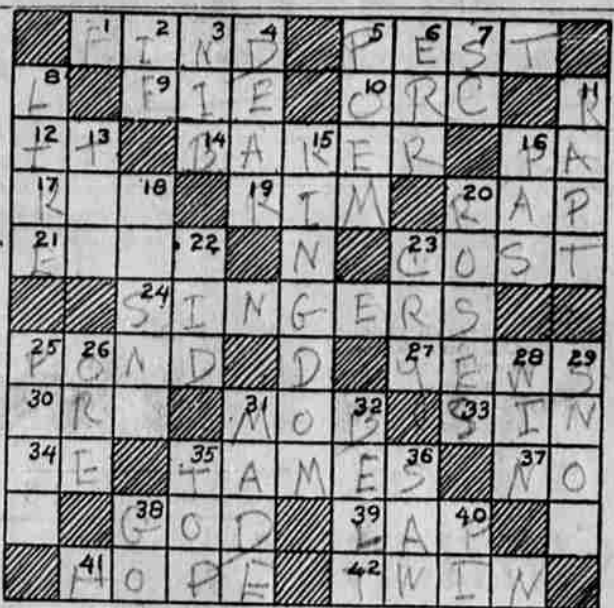
GOSHEN, Jan. 21.—(Special)—The Goshen Dramatic club will present the comedy, "A Poor Married Man," on Friday evening, Jan. 30, at the Goshen Grange hall.

Cast of characters follow: Mrs. Iona Ford, widow, Ruth Carmony; John B. Wise, college professor, David Calvert; Billy Blake, student, Charles Cox; Zoie, a neek daughter, Florence Calvert; Mathew Graham, county doctor, Al Hoffman; June Graham, his charming daughter, Maud Hoot; Jupiter, dandy servant, Olan Carmony; Henry Williams, college reporter, Howard Merriman.

Robert Rand, who came to Oregon in 1850, and who had spent the last 40 years of his life in Hood River, died in that city aged 90 years.

Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

AN ENGAGING ENIGMA—Twister No. 39
By J. G. BOYD



HORIZONTAL

- 1—discover
- 5—annoy
- 9—exclamation
- 10—the grampus
- 12—pronoun
- 14—one who makes bread
- 16—pater
- 17—circle
- 19—margin
- 20—knock
- 21—restraint
- 23—expense
- 24—warblers
- 25—small body of water
- 27—evergreen trees

VERTICAL

- 2—conjunction
- 3—point
- 4—expensive
- 6—metrical composition
- 6—backslide
- 7—Southern state
- 8—love
- 11—enraptured
- 13—before
- 15—dominion
- 16—precedence
- 18—large bovine quadruped
- 20—flowers
- 22—nothing
- 23—scream
- 25—money
- 26—metal
- 28—triumph
- 29—a square-rigged vessel
- 31—created
- 32—girldie
- 35—excel
- 36—tool
- 38—walk
- 40—confused type

Herewith is solution to puzzle No. 79



Tillamook Bay And Channel to See Betterment

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The expenditure of \$236,000 for the further improvement of Tillamook bay and bar, Oregon, has been recommended to congress by the army engineers. Local interests should be required, the report said, to contribute 50 per cent of the first cost estimated at \$180,000 and the federal government should set aside \$25,000 annually for the maintenance of the channels.

A channel over the bar 18 feet deep at mean low or low water, 200 feet wide and 18 feet deep from deep water in the bay to and including turning basin 500 feet wide in Miami Cove and 200 feet wide by 10 feet deep from Miami Cove channel to Hobsonville with turning basin 500 ft. wide at that point was recommended. Work on Hobsonville part of the channel, however, it was declared should be delayed until a lumber bill of substantial capacity is erected there.

Verne Wicks is Hurt in Accident

COTTAGE GROVE, Jan. 21.—(Special)—Verne Wicks was struck in the breast with a log and knocked from the car where he was loading logs at Rutjada Monday. He fell on a rock when knocked from the car, and for a time his life was despaired of. Developments at the Eugene hospital indicate that his wounds will not prove fatal, however.

Mr. Wicks is an old sawmill man and was chief loader. His right shoulder was broken, several ribs crushed and the sternum bone cracked. He has a wife and one child, a son. He is working for the Anderson-Middleton sawmill people at Rutjada.

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MR. VOTAW TO END DUTIES AS PRISONS HEAD

Brother-in-Law Of Late President Harding Resigns His Position

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Herbert H. Votaw, superintendent of prisons and brother-in-law of the late President Harding, has resigned from the government service.

Mr. Votaw was appointed by Attorney General Daugherty in April, 1921. He is in a sanitarium here, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Department of justice officials declined today to discuss the resignation, but indicated that Attorney General Stone might make a statement.

With the withdrawal of Mr. Votaw from official life and the indicated retirement soon of Prohibition Commissioner Haynes the circle of the intimate friends of President Harding brought to Washington by him at the beginning of his administration will virtually have disappeared. Before he became superintendent of prisons, Mr. Votaw was a sister. His office came under fire during the Daugherty investigation in the senate and recently he has had a large part in the reorganization of the official force of the Atlanta penitentiary.

Russo-Japanese Negotiations End

PEKIN, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The Russo-Japanese negotiations which have been under way for some time were concluded today and it is expected that the treaty between the two countries will be signed tonight.

RUSSO-JAPANESE TREATY CONSISTS OF SEVEN PARTS

PEKING, Jan. 21.—(AP)—The treaty between Japan and Russia providing for resumption of diplomatic relations, which was signed here at midnight, consists of seven articles.

Among these is Soviet recognition of the validity of the Portsmouth treaty, but it is understood that Russia does not assume responsibility for the completion of the provisions of that treaty.

All other treaties concluded prior to 1921 will be revised or abolished at a conference to be held shortly.

Both Russia and Japan promise to restrain their nationals from acts likely to endanger the order and security of the other country. But also promise to restrain persons in government service or receiving government financial assistance from such acts.

The Soviet agrees to give coal and oil concessions to approved Japanese on advantageous terms for a period of 40 or 50 years, also the right to exploit oil fields.

The Soviet representative expresses sincere regret for the massacre of Japanese at Nikolaievsk in 1920.

The agreement provides for the evacuation of Sakhalin by the Japanese by May, 1925, but grants fishery, coal and oil and concessions there and permits prospecting from five to ten year periods.

Loans negotiated by the former Russian government and private claims will be adjusted at later conferences.

Pomona Grange to Meet January 31

IRVING, Jan. 24.—(Special)—The Lane county Pomona Grange holds the next meeting which comes on Saturday, Jan. 31, at the Irving grange hall. There will be installation of officers with the state lecturer, Mrs. Minnie E. Bond, as installing officer. This part of the meeting is open to every one, during the afternoon, and visitors are welcome. A dinner at the noon hour, Irving to furnish the staple articles of food, other granges to bring the salads, cake, and pie.

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Securities Are Stolen by Wall Street thieves

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Several bands of thieves headed by a "Fagin" are preying on Wall street banking and brokerage houses, and at least \$4,000,000 worth of stolen securities is in the hands of New York's underworld, said Alfred Tyrill, adjuster for a large surety company, today. He said the company had offered \$100,000 reward for the return of \$1,000,000 worth of stolen bonds.

Legionnaires of Cottage Grove to Go After Members

COTTAGE GROVE, Jan. 21.—(Special)—Calvin Funk, post, American legion, Monday night started a membership drive in which the 100 mark is the goal.

Joe Smith, chairman of the membership committee, has worked out a plan by which it is hoped every member of the post will bring in one man. Each member of the committee will serve until he has brought in the dues of one ex-service man, then he is automatically relieved of committee duty and his successor named. Clyde Roberts was first to bring in a new name during the first meeting.

Marvin Smith was elected adjutant to succeed George Willett, resigned. Chairmen were named for the 19 permanent committees by Commander Herman E. Edwards and plans were made for the posts activity during 1925.

Mrs. Gaven C. Dyott was named chaplain and Mrs. F. L. Grannis sergeant-at-arms at the meeting of the ladies' auxiliary unit.

Plans were laid for the dance to be given in the armory February 21, for the benefit of the community house fund.

Mrs. E. T. Blakely and Miss Marian White are in charge of arrangements. The unit also decided to conduct a membership drive.

OPTION TAKEN BY SYNDICATE ON MINE CLAIM

Sum Of \$250,000 Is To Be Paid If Deal Meets With Approval

ROSEBURG, Ore., Jan. 21.—A 30-day option has been taken by an English syndicate on the George E. Cole mining claim near Dole. The company agrees to pay \$250,000 for the property if the deal is approved. The mine is located in undeveloped mining territory, but in a place where a great deal of prospecting has been done, and indications are that the mine will be a good producer. Mr. Cole, a former Roseburg barber, whose health forced him into the open, discovered the mineral deposit and has been working his claim in a small way for several years.

A recent assay disclosed an aggregate value of \$1.168 per ton platinum, although the ore also bears gold, silver and other precious minerals in large quantities. The apparent wealth of the deposits attracted in a large number of prospectors and claims have been taken over practically the entire district, which lies 10 miles south of Roseburg, and a mile and a half east of the Southern Pacific. The prospects of developing the holdings, has aroused a great deal of excitement in local mining circles.

TOTAL OUTPUT GIVEN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Gold, silver and copper mined in Oregon in 1924 totaled \$965,000, compared with \$707,500 in 1923, it was shown by figures announced by the interior department geological survey. The gold output was 23,000 ounces, valued at \$590,000, and the 1923 output was 24,001 ounces valued at \$498,008. Resumption of dredging on Burnt

river was partly responsible for the increase. The 1924 silver output was 41,450 fine ounces valued at \$28,000, compared with 90,322 ounces valued at \$78,984 in the preceding year. From 1,283,470 pounds valued at \$188,671 in 1923, the copper output declined in 1924 to 781,000 pounds valued at \$101,000, practically all of which came from the Homestead Iron Dyke mine. Reports from the mines disclosed general optimism about prospects in eastern Oregon.

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