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BUDGET PLOT CHARGED

Memorial Asks Aid For Coast Ports

City News

THE WEATHER

Oregon: Rain tonight and Friday; moderate temperature; fresh to strong southerly gales along the coast; temperature Wednesday: Maximum, 63 degrees; minimum, 47; precipitation, 56 of an inch; direction of wind, southwest; stage of river, 1.8 feet.

chers Hold Meeting—
ght teachers of the Marcola ol district were in attendance at eeting held there yesterday by old Collier, assistant county sup- tendent of schools. Mr. Collier returned here and also reports there is much interest manifest- n the Marcola school in regard he organization of several boys girls clubs there. Mr. Collier in the near future plans to visit of the school districts of the ty in the interests of school work also in the club organization.

. Wetherbee Returning—
r. and Mrs. Frank R. Wetherbee have been on an eastern trip for past two months are expected to n about February 1. Mr. Weth- e while in the east made pur- s of new merchandise for his which will be opened in the near re in the new McDonald-Schaef- building at Tenth avenue and mette street. Miss Maude Dens- , partner in the store, is accom- ing Mr. and Mrs. Wetherbee.

ult Case Dismissed—
arge of assault and battery pre- d by Mrs. Bertha O'Donnell st K. K. Robinson, her landlord, tried before Judge George A. Gil- yesterday afternoon was thrown of court after the judge heard vidence in the case. Mrs. O'Don- who was evicted from her home, d refuge with her four children at ghbor's place for supper and was a room in the Yates hotel for night by the county.

ue Is Formed—
nior A boys of the Y. M. C. A. nized into a nut league for gen- athletic competition in connec- with their class work. Standings s follows: Coconnuts, Gerald ay captain, 82 points; Dough- Lincoln Constance, captain, 72 s; Peanuts, Allen Griggs, cap- 65 points; Walnuts, Vern Wis- n, captain, 41 points.

age Dumped On Road—
veral complaints of garbage and rubbish being dumped beside y roads are being made to the y court. "Recently there have several cases of this and a few ings have been issued but if it not stop arrests will be made. fine for this offense is $100," rding to Clinton Hurd, county missioner.

Class Changes—
e Bible Study class being con- d by Rev. Mr. Wetterhahn on International Sunday school les- will meet on Friday nights here- instead of on Thursday. The 7:30, the place Baptist church, ubject John 14:1-27. All interest- Bible study especially the Sun- school lesson for the following y are invited.

r Council Installs—
ficers of the Central Labor coun- Eugene were installed at a pub- eeting last night at the labor le in the Hovey Building. E. J. secretary of the Oregon State ation of Labor, delivered an ad- . Mrs. Elizabeth Gee, garment er and head of the label com- e of the state federation, was her speaker.

s Are Appraised—
Sanford, of Roseburg, federal loan appraiser, is in Lane coun- oday inspecting five farms that been designated as security for l loans. Mr. Sanford will return later for another appraisal of rty, is the announcement of H. oults, acting secretary of the loan association.

rney At Portland—
lle N. Johnston, local attorney, oday for Portland and while will complete arrangements for ses in the federal courts. All neys are required to take a sep- examination for the govern- courts besides the state bar ex- ation.

Is Suspended—
P. Smith appeared in the court stice Harold J. Wells and was $10 on a charge of speeding his automobile. The fine was ended on a promise that the road would be observed more strict- hereafter. Melvin Turnbull, coun- ffic officer, made the arrest.

rning From Salem—
E. Bean, local attorney, and R. Bell, of the Lane County ract company, who have been ere for the past few days at the ons of the state legislature are ed to return here today.

From Portland—
G. Greer, representative of a nd insurance agency, was here

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HOUSE ADOPTS SENATE JOINT PLAN BY VOTE

Other Measures Are Passed At Busy Session Of State Lawmakers

Hunting, Fishing License Bill Is Introduced By House Group

STATE HOUSE SALEM, Ore., Jan. 22.—(AP)—The house of representatives of the Oregon legislature today adopted senate joint memorial calling for aid from congress to develop coast ports in Oregon, Washington and northern California. This memorial was proposed at a conference of representatives of port districts of the three states in Portland last week called by Governor Walter M. Pierce.

Women would be compelled to obtain hunting and fishing licenses as well as men under an amendment to the state game code proposed today by the house game committee. The committee also suggested that disabled soldiers, sailors and marines be permitted to hunt and fish without licenses.

Expenses to Be Met

The house suspended rules to pass house bill number 110 introduced by the ways and means committee to meet sundry deficiency expenses of the state. The bill calls for approximately $135,000. It covers, among other matters the cost of reconstructing certain buildings destroyed at the penitentiary by fire in 1923.

A board of regents for the state school for the deaf and the state school for the blind would be created by a bill introduced by Senator Corbett today.

The board would be composed of seven members. These would be the state superintendent of schools, the dean of the school of vocational education of the University of Oregon.

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C. D. RORER TALKS ON INVESTMENTS

A talk on investments was heard by members of the chamber of commerce at its noon luncheon today, when C. D. Rorer, president of the Bank of Commerce emphasized the important essentials in any financial investment. Safety of principal, rate of interest and safety of interest were the three keys to determining the right kind of investment, he said.

L. L. Ray presided at the luncheon. Hugh Winder invited male singers from all organizations to meet next Tuesday at the formation of a men's chorus and glee club at the commerce chamber rooms.

Seven new members were announced by the committee, consisting of H. A. Kompp, E. A. Droste, Paul D. Green, Carl I. Baker, and Henry Hollenbeck. The new membership committee, consisting entirely of local realtors is George W. Hofsess, Loyall Rugh, F. J. Berger, W. O. Swan and J. T. Evans.

Local Credit Men To Arrange Plans

Committees to serve during the coming year will be appointed at the meeting of the board of directors of the Lane County Credit association which will be held this evening at the Osburn hotel. The meeting will start with a supper at 6 o'clock. This will be the first meeting of the new officers and directors who were elected at the annual meeting last Monday.

Held On Highway Robbery Charges

Following a pistol battle with detectives in a darkened apartment in Philadelphia, these four men and two women were arrested and held while police investigate charges of highway robbery in Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Cleveland and Chicago. Marjorie Harrison (center) is alleged to be the leader of the sextette. Besides six guns, $2000 in cash and a large amount of jewelry was captured by the police.

REVISED BANKING CODE READY FOR OREGON SENATE

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Jan. 22.—The revised banking code, prepared by the legislative committee of the state bankers' association, will be introduced in the senate today by Senator Butler, chairman of the committee on banking. It gives greater power to the state superintendent of banks.

The minimum capital stock allowed would be $25,000 in towns with population of 3000 or less. At present this minimum is $15,000. For towns with population from 3000 to 25,000 a capital of $50,000 would be required. For cities with population from 25,000 to 50,000 and capital stock of not less than $100,000 would be required, and for those of more than 50,000 the capital stock must be at least $200,000.

Greater protection to depositors, particularly savings depositors, is afforded by a requirement that capital shall be segregated between the commercial and the savings departments.

County Roads Are To be Looked Over

On a trip to Western Lane county particularly for the purpose of looking over present and prospective roads in that district, O. E. Crowe, county commissioner, and P. M. Morse, county engineer, left for the lower Siuslaw district this morning. The county officials will return here Saturday, according to present plans. Visits will be made at Blachly, Deadwood, Mapleton, Cushman, Canary, Ada and Siltcoos. The road grading now under way between Maple and Fiddle creeks will be inspected.

Citizenship Tests Slated Here Soon

Examinations for applicants for American citizenship will be held in Lane county Tuesday, February 17, according to announcement today at the office of the county clerk. A federal examiner will be here from Portland to hold the examinations before Judge G. F. Skipworth. Notices of the holding of the examinations are to be sent to those who are completing the requirements for citizenship, is the announcement.

CHARITY CLUB TO MEET

Members of Charity club will meet at the Osburn hotel Friday at 12:30 for a luncheon with Mrs. Pomeroy as the hostess. Following the luncheon bridge will be played.

NINE INJURED AS RAIL BREAKS AND TRAIN GOES OVER

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Nine passengers were injured early today when Denver and Rio Grande Western train No. 1, westbound, was wrecked at Mack, Utah, 19 miles west of here.

The engine broke a rail while traveling 35 miles an hour, according to railroad messages received here. The baggage car rolled down a 40-foot embankment. Eight of the 10 coaches that made up the train left the track, two stopping from 15 to 25 feet down the embankment. Below zero temperatures added to the discomfort of the passengers. The train, known as the Scenic Limited, left Denver yesterday morning for San Francisco.

A relief train brought all the passengers back to Grand Junction.

New Jersey Jury Unable to Agree In Liquor Trial

JERSEY CITY, Jan. 22.—The jury in the trial of twelve Weehawken and Jersey City police officials and citizens, charged with violation of the state prohibition laws, reported this morning that it was unable to agree on a verdict. The judge dismissed the jury. Assistant Prosecutor McMahon announced that the case would be retried, possibly within two weeks.

For the last 15 of the 18 hours and 53 minutes that the jury had been out, H. A. Lauenstein, the foreman, reported nine men had stood for conviction with the remaining three stubbornly refusing to change their acquittal votes. The first ballot was 8 to 4 for conviction, it was reported. The police defendants, all in uniform, smiled broadly.

Lane Hunters Are Busy With Bounty

Predatory animals are being hit hard by the bounty hunters this month and with a total of 61 paid out since the first of the year January looms as a record period. Last year the record month for bounty totals was December when 75 were paid. If the hunters do as well during the last days of the month as they have for the past 22 days they will surpass this mark.

Bounties paid today were to:

George F. Moody, McKenzie bridge, cat.
one coyote and two bobcats.

Frank Rout, Springfield, one bobcat.
Arvid Ruthidge, Eugene, one bobcat.

CHINESE TAKEN IN RAID HERE; OPIUM FOUND

Charlie Lee, Chong Louie Charged With Violation Of Narcotics Act

Raid Follows Alleged Sale Of Opium To One Of Federal Agents

Two Chinese were arrested as opium dealers, and a quantity of the narcotic, valued at several hundred dollars, was uncovered in Eugene last night in a raid on Chinese quarters on Sixth avenue.

Federal detectives, led by Joseph Stearns Jr. of Portland, United States district attorney, and local police officers, took part in the raid. Charlie Lee and Chong Louie were jailed on the charge of violating the narcotics act.

"Bindle" Is Sold.

The raid came after Louie, whom police declare was the leader of the opium ring in Eugene, had sold a "bindle" of the drug to one of the federal agents.

When the officers arrived at the Chinese house with a search warrant, the orientals offered no objection to the search. After thoroughly ransacking the premises throughout the officers were about to give up the raid as unsuccessful. District Attorney Stearns then crawled out a window in the second story of the house and put his hand inside a small pigeon house near the window. Here he found a large package full of opium, which at present market prices was estimated at several hundred dollars.

Ring Is Hinted.

The raid, according to the visiting officers, was the outcome of an "inside tip" that an opium ring was flourishing in Eugene, that Chinese were the chief operators and that they were serving a select clientele in this city including well known citizens.

FEDERAL PARK FOR LANE HAS SUPPORT

That the prospects are bright for the proposed national monument in the lava beds of Oregon, part of which are in Lane county, and part in Deschutes, is the opinion expressed by officials of the Eugene chamber of commerce. This proposal to have the area designated as a monument has had the backing of the chamber and while in the east recently F. L. Chambers, president of the organization, discussed the plan with Colonel Greeley, head of the forestry bureau.

The plan seemed to meet with the approval of the federal official and some action may be taken. The government recently established a national monument in the lava beds of Idaho but this district is not accessible with a road such as the area of Lane and Deschutes counties, it is pointed out.

Pioneer Will Help In Essay Contest

Another Lane county resident who will be of aid in the essay contest for various communities to be conducted as a part of the school children's pageant to be held in May is Mrs. Mary A. Millican of Walterville. Mrs. Millican who has been a Lane county resident for 72 years left for her home today after a visit with her daughters here. Mrs. Millican has resided near Walterville for more than 60 years. She arrived in Lane county with her parents at the age of four in 1853.

MR. STRAHORN DENIES RUMOR OF RAIL SALE

Railroad Situation May Result In Long Fight, He Declares

Powerful Antagonists Unwilling To Give Up Interests, Is View

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Robert E. Strahorn, builder of the Oregon, California and Eastern railroad, which runs out of Klamath Falls, in a statement given out here last night, denied rumors that he had sold the line. He declared the railroad situation in southern and south-central Oregon may result in a "long drawn out fight between powerful railroad antagonists." Strahorn arrived here yesterday on business connected with his railroad. His statement follows:

"Having never relaxed in my determination to maintain such control of the Oregon, California and Eastern as would insure the development of central and southern Oregon in the most thorough manner as I see it, I still retain all the interest in it I have had for some years past, ex-

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NEW TRAIN ADDED BY S. P. LINES

A new train, the Golden State Limited, running between Los Angeles and Chicago, has just been placed in operation by the Southern Pacific, announces L. L. Graham, district freight and passenger agent. The local ticket office is now routing customers over this train, when the customer desires.

"The train makes the run between Chicago and Los Angeles in 68 hours" says Mr. Graham. "It leaves Los Angeles daily at 11:45 and arrives at Chicago at 10 a. m. The present Golden State Limited has been renamed the Golden State express and leaves Los Angeles at 10 a. m. daily.

"The new train is composed of newest type equipment throughout. Every modern convenience for passengers is provided. A maid, barber and valet are always at hand to serve the travelers. Two cars are fitted with bathrooms. The same standard of equipment that has brought recognition to the new Sunset limited as the most modern transcontinental train in the country, is featuring the Golden State limited. It will not carry tourist cars or coaches."

Change on Coburg Route Will Start

Work on the elimination of the dangerous turn in the Coburg road a few hundred yards north of the Ferry street bridge will be started tomorrow by the county crews, according to announcement today of Clinton Hurd, county commissioner. Mr. Hurd today also inspected the bridge crossing to Goodpasture Island but reported that water was too high as yet to erect the new span which is planned by the county. The work on the Coburg road will require the filling of the edge of the slough o he level the edge of the slough to the level of the road.

Reichstag Approves Government Policy

BERLIN, Jan. 22.—(AP)—The Reichstag today approved the government's program as outlined by Chancellor Luther, by a vote of 246 to 190.

Aide to "Ma"

Texas has a woman secretary of state as well as a governor. She's Mrs. S. W. Meharg of Plainview. Mrs. Meharg was one of Governor "Ma" Ferguson's first appointees.

MORE DEALS ARE REPORTED TODAY IN SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD, Ore., Jan. 22.—(Special)—Springfield is watching with interest the thousands of dollars changing hands in real estate deals this week. The sudden activity is attributed to the fact that business men expect to hear the decision of the Southern Pacific railroad regarding the location of the carshops for the Natron cutoff within the next 20 days. Interest is running high, and it is being pointed out that the railroad owns over 300 acres in a narrow strip between Springfield and the Mohawk Junction road.

Building Planned.

Welby Stevens and A. J. Perkins have purchased the southwest corner at Fourth and Main street, now occupied by the Swarts and Washburne meat market and the Nadvornik tailor shop. A one-story building, 60 by 120 feet to house a garage is to be built upon the corner lot and the one adjoining, with Mrs. O. C. Hamlin of Portland, owner of the adjoining lot, as a party in the deal. The garage building is leased to the Anderson Motor company, Anderson and Wing, owners, for a long-term period. The corner lot was a part of the Weinhard estate.

The corner office in the I. O. O. F. building has been subleased from the Willamette Press, publishers of the Springfield News to Stevens and Perkins, who expect to start a real estate office there within the next few weeks.

Consideration Large.

The Smeed department store building and the Farmers' Exchange building sold yesterday by Charles Rivett of Lincoln, Nebraska, to Jess Seavey and Welby Stevens, respectively, are said to have been sold for a consideration of between $20,000 and $30,000 for the two.

A new service station, a store building, and a number of cottages are under consideration at the auto camp in West Springfield by W. J. Seaver of Eugene. The camp is just at the junction of the McKenzie and Pacific highways.

GOVERNOR AND MR. MYERS ARE EACH ASSAILED

Tom Kay Hurls Charges Of Deliberate Attempt To Cripple State

Revenge For Defeat Of Income Tax Declared To Be Motive

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Jan. 22.—(AP)—State Treasurer T. B. Kay, at a meeting of the ways and means committee of the legislature last night, assailed the state budget and state tax commissions who prepared the state's budget and tax levy now in the hands of the legislature.

The majority members of these commissions, Governor Pierce and Former State Treasurer Jefferson Myers, were the objects of Kay's attack.

Kay asserted that these two officials, in his opinion, had deliberately cut the state tax levy to about 1.9 mills, while all conditions having to do with state finances made necessary a levy of about 3 mills. He expressed the opinion that this had been done deliberately to cripple the state as a sort of revenge for the defeat of the state income tax.

Kay asserted that $2,501,912.53 which the state budget mentions as in excess of estimated revenues is misleading and can be greatly reduced.

LITTLE CHANGE IN LABOR SITUATION

There is still a marked scarcity of labor in Eugene and Lane county, reports F. L. Armitage of the United States employment office. Although nearly all the mills in the county are operating they are full handed, and men are sticking to their jobs.

Men who have been at employment centers are beginning to travel in search of work, it is stated. These men usually find the logging camps and mills are operating with full crews when they go out to the camps without being sent. Applications for work from mill and logging camp hands are being received daily in the local employment office, but with few jobs being offered. There continues to be a surplus of both skilled and unskilled help.

Reports from all districts indicate that but few calls for men may be expected before early February.

Adjournment Plans Made at Olympia

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 22. — A joint resolution calling for the adjournment of the legislature not later than February 14, passed the senate this morning, with but two dissenting votes.

TODAY —Fearful, Wonderful —The Poor Monkeys —5 Continents Heard

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

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Glands, radio and cross-word puzzles occupy this age. A gland fluid, taken from the base of the brain in animals, of course, is to be used as a restorative for human beings.

Dr. H. M. Evans, distinguished scientist, of the University of California, who calls his discovery "vitamin X," has developed an extract of the pituitary gland with which animals can be made to grow to gigantic size.

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H. G. Wells foresaw that in one of his novels, as Jules Verne foresaw other wonders. Science is just beginning to understand that most wonderful of all machines, the living body, "fearfully and wonderfully made!"

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Religious men and women in India are agitated because cold-blooded Christians, or their agents, are slaughtering India's thousands of sacred monkeys, for the sake of their glands, the latter being transplanted in the bodies of aged, weak humans.

The sacred monkeys are vanishing rapidly, and natives warn the government that the gods—monkey gods, presumably—will have vengeance on India.

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A radio expert in Paris "picked up" in one day the broadcasting of five

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