

OLCOTT ADVERSE TO SALARIES

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first time in many years will have an absolute business administration. It is well known that both Olcott and Hoff resisted every effort to override the six per cent tax limitation and were in constant conference with the ways and means committee of the legislature to see that appropriations did not exceed the bars set up in the constitution. The state will have teamwork from now on in the interest of those who provide the sinews of state—the taxpayers.

Governor Olcott is a New Englander by birth and has had training in banking business and is instinctively on the side of good business administration. He stands for efficiency in service more than building up political machines, believing that the way to popularize the party is to serve the people. Besides being a nimrod and nature lover and fond of all kinds of animals, including dogs, he has roughed it a great part of the time and has lived in the west, joining in the Alaska gold rush, climbing Mt. Shas-

ta and other peaks. His political battles have all been against efforts in different departments of lowering standards of service. While not a fad reformer he has a keen sense of weak places in the public service and will not be slow or indifferent about strengthening them.

It is a well known fact that he supplied from the records of his office the data for the report of the consolidation committee. While he had nothing to do with formulating their report, if he had been in the Governor's chair during the past session he would not have allowed consolidated officialism to ditch the whole program of promised retrenchment. Reduction of overhead and greater efficiency would have been his slogan and there would have been a fight to keep platform promises of the party in power which owing to ill health Gov. Withycombe could not make. He holds there is a vital difference in the theory of government responsibility to the proletariat, or government for the office holders. The only fight made on Olcott as a candidate for governor at the primaries grew out of this conflict of ideas. No one questioned his integrity or ability to fill the office.

A serious effect of the new auto license law is the provision for assessing 25 per cent of the license fee as a county property tax in lieu of assessment by the county assessor after this year. It will take many millions off the Portland tax rolls, half a million off the Salem tax roll, and smaller cities in proportion, and to that extent raise local tax levies.

Governor Withycombe was given an impressive military funeral from the First Methodist church and all the public offices and business houses were closed in his honor. A big mass meeting to be addressed by Hon. Eugene E. Smith, the Portland labor leader in favor of voluntary mediation and against strikes and bolshevism, on Friday night was adjourned for a week out of respect for the governor. An impressive funeral speech was delivered by Wallace McCammant, eulogizing one of the last of the old guard, politically speaking.

Governor Olcott took the oath of office and was sworn in Friday morning in defiance of popular superstitions. He announced retention of the present highway commission which is composed of Banker Thompson, of Pendleton; Lumberman Booth, of Eugene, and Millionaire Benson, of Portland. This body will continue to serve the state without salary.

Gas From Wheat Straw.

One of the scientists of the University of Saskatchewan, who has been experimenting for some time with the manufacture of gas from wheat straw, has been able, by a gas bag attachment of 300 cubic feet capacity, to run his motorcar with perfectly satisfactory results. It is estimated, says the Saskatchewan Herald, that a ton of straw will generate 11,000 to 12,000 cubic feet of gas and that 300 cubic feet of gas is equal to a gallon of gasoline, so that with this hitherto waste product on his hands the farmer will be able to run his car.

Why, of Course!

What is that which the postman, the clergyman, the fountain and the wild beasts, all alike say?
Letters, pray.
Let us pray.
Let us spray.
Let us prey.

WILL RAISE FUNDS TO HELP WOMEN AND GIRLS

The vital need for organized work among the girls and young women in the smaller cities and rural communities of the state as carried on by the Young Women's Christian association has been brought to the notice of the national association during the past two years through the exigencies of war to such an extent that a great nation-wide campaign has been outlined for installing trained secretaries in the towns, the establishment of a local association if conditions warrant it, but at least supervising the activities of grade school girls, high school girls and young employed girls by means of clubs, camps and conference, to broaden and increase fellowship, to have good times and to be of service to each other.

A committee of women representing the four northwestern states, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, met in Seattle in January and plans were made for securing funds for this work. Oregon's quota is \$11,395. In a number of counties the campaign opened February 23; no date has been set for closing the campaign as it will continue until the quota is reached. Klamath county has already turned in its full quota and Washington county says its quota is in sight. In some counties a tag sale is to be held to secure the funds. Multnomah county will raise \$5,000, but will not put on its campaign until after the Armenian drive.

This is the first time the National Young Women's Christian association has come before the public for funds for two years, and the government does not allow any of the money raised last November for the work of the war work council of the Young Women's Christian association to be diverted to the regular association work, hence the necessity of securing this money if the girls of the smaller communities is to be given the help, encouragement and inspiration which she needs and which the city girl has through the large Young Women's Christian association. Mrs. George F. Wilson, of Portland, is state director for Oregon of the 1919 "Carry On" campaign and its slogan is "The girls of today are the women of tomorrow, the women of tomorrow are worth the dollars of today."

When Romance Faded.

He got her name and address in a Red Cross package and that was all he knew about her. So he did the thing that a lovestick soldier usually does—wrote her a sweet little letter telling how he longed to correspond with some one. How did he know but that a real romance might start? This was her answer:

"I think this war is horrid. I am doing my share. I buy War Savings stamps and eat corn bread, which I don't like. Also I am learning to knit."

But the cruel part is that she added: "I am ten years old."

Letter heads that will please you at the Courier.

DAILY HEALTH TALKS

What is The Cause of Backache?

BY DOCTOR CORNELL

Backache is perhaps the most common ailment from which women suffer. Rarely do you find anybody free from it. Sometimes the cause is obscure, but Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., a high medical authority, says the cause is very often a form of catarrh that settles in the delicate membranes of the feminine organs. When these organs are inflamed, the first symptom is backache, accompanied by bearing-down sensations, weakness, unhealthy discharges, irregularity, painful periods, irritation, headache and a general run-down condition. Any woman in this condition is to be pitied, but pity does not cure. The trouble calls for Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is a separate and distinct medicine for women. It is made of roots and herbs put up without alcohol or opiate of any kind, for Dr. Pierce uses nothing else in his prescription. Favorite Prescription is a natural remedy for women, for the vegetable growths of which it is made seem to have been intended by Nature for that very purpose. Thousands of girls and women, young and old, have taken it, and thousands have written grateful letters to Dr. Pierce saying it made them well. In taking Favorite Prescription, it is reassuring to know that it goes straight to the cause of the trouble. There is but one way to overcome sickness, and that is to overcome the cause. That is precisely what Favorite Prescription is intended to do.

Send 10c for trial pkg. of Tablets. Address Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. Constipated women, as well as men, are advised by Dr. Pierce to take his Pleasant Pellets. They are just splendid for constipation.

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\$100 DOWN BUYS THIS FINE HOME—Located in Grants Pass in desirable location, 1912 North Ninth street. Will sell this place for \$500, which is just half what it cost me. \$100 down and \$10 per month, 6 per cent interest. Cheaper for cash. I have 1/2 acre, best soil and good house. Clear of incumbrances. Owner, E. H. McMullen, Route 5, Box 64A, Vancouver, Wash. 15

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HOW RHEUMATISM BEGINS

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C. D. FIES, Special Agent

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IT PAYS YOU IN MONEY SAVED. There are many real bargains offered from time to time in the advertisements appearing in this paper. Watch for them.

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IT PAYS YOU IN TIME SAVED. When you know exactly what you want to buy and where you want to buy it, you don't have to "look around" and waste time finding it.

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