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Overdrafts Are Doomed.

Under the new bank and currency law it is evident the government is going to be much more strict than formerly with reference to the regulation of the banks. As evidence of this they have already commenced to prohibit overdrafts and advising the banks that overdrafts will not be countenanced by the department. The department is co-operating with all the states to have all the state banks do the same thing. While it has been the custom to allow overdrafts the department has always looked upon it as an unsound method of banking. All banks throughout the whole country are getting instructions to this effect and bank patrons who have been in the habit of overdrawing will be obliged to discontinue the practice of overdrawing their accounts.

Man Shot in the Face.

As a result of a quarrel between two vaqueros on the Island Ranch at the Square Wells, Wednesday, Pat Mulcare was shot in the face by G. Crawford with a 22-caliber pistol. The wounded man came to town and it was found to be merely a flesh wound the ball striking the cheek bone and glancing, coming out near the ear.

Man Accidentally Shot.

Dick Spence was shot through the left lung by E. E. Owsley at a logging camp in the mountains last Saturday night and the victim has been in a rather critical condition at the Cummins hospital since. He is some improved at this time and his physician considers he has a good chance to recover.

Method of Exterminating The Pestiferous Coyote

In view of the prevalence of rabies among coyotes in eastern Oregon, the district forester at Portland, Oregon, has announced the results of some very effective work that has been done by the Forest Service in destroying these animals. Of all the predatory animals killed in the district last

RESUME OF WORK OF STATE LEGISLATURE

Prohibition Bill, Passed By House, Most Important Measure to Date.

Thirty Bills, None Important, Become Laws by End of Fourth Week—Appropriation Bills Total \$3,563,854—House Amends Workmen's Compensation—Would Reorganize Naval Militia—Homicide Bill Passed Senate—\$3 Bounty on Coyotes.

Salem.—The most important work accomplished during the fourth week of the present session of the legislature was the passage by the house of the prohibition bill. With only two dissenting votes, those of Kuhn and Lewis, the bill of the Committee of One Hundred, as amended by the house committee on alcoholic traffic, passed the house. As it passed the house the bill permits the importation for home consumption of two quarts of spirituous liquor or 24 quarts of malt liquor in each successive 28 days. Perhaps the next act in importance, viewing the situation from the angle of economy, was the killing by the house of the bill for appropriating \$450,000 for irrigation and reclamation purposes. A few minor concessions to the irrigation interests were granted this week, however. Four irrigation bills were passed. One gives irrigation districts the right to sell surplus electrical power, and another makes state lands subject to irrigation assessments, another gives irrigation districts the power of municipalities for bonding purposes and the fourth empowers the state to buy approved irrigation bonds.

In the last week the house rules limiting the time for introduction of bills has been suspended several times, and 465 is the total number filed with the clerk to date. In the senate 215 bills have been introduced. The governor has signed nine senate and 21 house bills. Many have been withdrawn and others laid on the table.

Legislators Pass 30 Acts in 27 Days.

During the first twenty-seven legislative days 30 bills have become laws—a little better than one bill a day. That is the record of the legislature at the close of the fourth week. Governor Withycombe has signed precisely 30 measures, although five others are before him. He has vetoed none.

Nine of the measures to which the governor has attached his signature are senate bills and 21 are house bills. The five unsigned measures are house bills. Twelve additional house bills have gone through the senate and three additional senate bills have gone through the house.

As a matter of fact none of the bills that the governor so far has signed is important, compared with some of the measures that yet are before the legislature.

A big rush of bills is expected in the governor's office this week. Both the house and the senate are prepared to turn out laws by the score almost every day. Already the house has passed more than 100 bills in addition to those acted on by the senate and the governor. The senate also has sent nearly two-score of its own productions over to the house.

Bills Pending Ask for \$3,563,854.

Appropriation bills before the house and senate total \$3,563,854. This includes recommendations of the joint ways and means committee, which probably will be adopted without change, but the same cannot be said for several of the other measures. Already bills carrying appropriations aggregating almost \$500,000 have been consigned to the wastebasket.

The joint ways and means committee has labored more industriously at this session than ever before, with the result that it has reported on a large number of appropriation bills and is expected to act on virtually all others next week. In compliance with the general demand, it is setting a record for economy, although appropriations must necessarily appear large because it costs much money to conduct the state government and its various institutions.

House Acts on Compensation Law.

The house also acted on the subject of workmen's compensation. The bill passed provides a series of amendments to the present law, reclassifying the industries and graduating the rates in proportion to the risk. It also is intended to prevent accidents by offering rewards to employers who install safety devices and providing punishment for those who do not. The almost unanimous vote on this measure is taken to indicate that the house will not act favorably on the Bingham bill in the senate, which is said to resemble the Michigan law and which would permit casualty companies to compete with the state. If the senate does not concur in the measure sent over by the house it is probable that no workmen's compensation law will be enacted by this legislature.

Although the senate has passed a bill abolishing the Oregon Naval Militia it seems now barely possible that the organization may be permitted to live in a changed form, for a bill was introduced in the house by the committee on military affairs, providing for its reorganization, and considerable sentiment exists in favor of it.

Since the passage of the senate bill abolishing the organization, Governor Withycombe has announced that he doubts whether it is wise to abolish the organization. This attitude of the governor, and appeals made by the navy department for the retention of the organization, are powerful factors in favor of the new bill. It provides for the abolition of the present naval board and substitutes for it a naval staff to consist of the adjutant general and two commissioned naval officers to be appointed by the commander-in-chief. It carries an appropriation of \$15,000 which is \$11,000 less than was asked for originally by the organization.

County May Build Bridges.

Senator Garland's bill, providing that county courts be permitted to re-

ject all bids for bridges costing more than \$500 and build them themselves was passed by the senate. It is provided that the courts must obtain estimates of the cost before letting the contracts, but the estimates must be kept secret. When the bill was first argued several senators insisted that if a bid came within the estimate it must be accepted, but it was not included in the bill as passed. Senator Garland believes the law will save the counties a great deal of money that now goes to bridge construction companies.

Homicide Penalty Bill Passed.

Senator Langguth's bill making the penalty for homicide in the second degree imprisonment in the penitentiary of from 20 to 30 years was passed by the senate. It has a saving clause relating to persons already convicted of second degree murder. In a bill introduced by the same senator which was passed, the punishment for first degree homicide is life imprisonment. The changes were necessary because of the amendment passed by the people abolishing capital punishment.

Coyote Bounty Bill Passed Senate.

Under suspension of the rules, the senate passed house bill 13, which provides for a bounty of \$3 on coyotes during the remainder of this year. The state is to pay half the bounty and the counties the other half. The bill was passed with an emergency clause, as it is reported that conditions in the eastern Oregon counties are serious on account of rabies among the animals.

It is probable that an appropriation of \$100,000 will be asked to pay the state's share of the bounty. Two years ago \$40,000 was appropriated for the bounty. A deficiency of \$20,000 was incurred. An appropriation will have to be made also to take care of this deficiency.

Insanity Divorce Basis in Bill.

Permanent insanity is made ground for divorce by a bill introduced by Senator Langguth. It is provided that before a divorce shall be granted, insanity being the allegation, it shall be proved that the defendant has been adjudged of unsound mind by a court of this or another state five years or more before the suit is filed. It also must be proved to the court in which the divorce is asked that the patient is incurable.

Legislative Brevities.

The senate passed a house bill repealing a law providing that dogs caught pursuing deer be shot.

A joint resolution authorizing the superintendent of public instruction to annotate and publish the school laws of the state was adopted by the senate.

What is regarded by many as one of the most important new laws enacted is that repealing the free text book enactment of the last session. By passing this measure the legislature has saved itself a controversy.

Dan Kellaher introduced a bill in the senate providing for weekly payments of various employees, which is said to have the support of certain labor interests and unquestionably will fill the halls of legislation with lobbyists.

To facilitate the operation of the constitutional amendment passed by the people at the last election which provides that only citizens of the United States shall vote in this state, Senator Moser introduced a bill empowering county clerks to strike from the registration records the names of all aliens.

After amending Representative Schuebel's bill, merging all special funds into the general fund, so as to make the licenses and fees collected by the state fish and game commission constitute an appropriation for that commission, the house passed the measure by a vote of 53 to 6, two members being absent.

To give farmers power to arrest hunters who trespass upon their property is the object of a bill passed by the house. Under the present law a trespassing hunter is subject to arrest, but the owner must obtain a warrant. Representative Fenwick, author of the measure, pointed out that by the time a farmer procures a warrant the damage is done and the hunter is gone.

Warrant Call.

Notice is hereby given that there is money on hand to pay all general fund warrants registered prior to January 13, 1914; and all road warrants registered prior to March 1, 1914. Interest ceases on and after Feb. 8.

R. A. MILLER,
County Treasurer.

Notice to Stockholders.

The Burns Flour Milling Co. will hold a meeting of the stockholders in Burns on February 20 and it is requested that all stockholders who can be present at this meeting as matters of importance are to be considered.

P. G. SMITH, President.

Stockholders Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Masonic Building Association of Burns will be held at the Masonic Hall in Burns, Oregon, on Saturday March 13th 1915 at 2 o'clock p. m.

Sam Mothershead, Secretary.

Bids Entertained for Roadmaster.

Notice is hereby given that sealed applications, for appointment to the position of County Roadmaster, will be received by the County Court, at the office of the County Clerk, in Burns, until 12 o'clock M., March 3, 1915; applicants are required to state amount of salary per month, which salary shall be in full compensation for all services, and out of which all the expenses of the Roadmaster shall be paid.

The Roadmaster will be required to inspect the County roads, and to oversee all construction and repair work, he will be required to give a bond in a reasonable amount for the faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

The County Court reserves the right to reject any and all applications.

By order of the County Court, made and entered in the Commissioners Journal, Jan. 27, 1915.

R. T. HUGHES,
County Clerk.

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CONTEST NOTICE.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, January 29, 1915.

To Charles M. Cooper, of Burns, Oregon County.

You are hereby notified that Charles W. Hall who gives Hinson J. Oregon, as his post office address, did on January 23rd, 1915, file in this office his duly colorated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead Entry, No. 3022, Serial No. 9222, made March 19th, 1910, for W.P.S.P., S.W. 1/4 of section 2, Township 28, South, Range 20, East, Williams Meridian, and as grounds for contest he alleges that said Charles M. Cooper has wholly abandoned said entry, that he never established or maintained a residence, or made any improvements thereon, and has absented himself and changed his residence therefrom ever since the date of entry.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed, and your said entry will be canceled without further right to be heard, either before this office or an appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as above below, a sworn, under oath, specifically responsive answer to the said allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have secured a copy of your answer on the said contest either in person or by registered mail.

You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

W. W. FARR, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, January 29, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Mattie A. Williams, of Lawton, Oregon, who, on February 3, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 6000, for S.W. 1/4 section 2, Township 25, South, Range 20, East, Williams Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make said three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, at Burns, Oregon, on the 26th day of February, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:
W. J. Flynn, Peter Ufer, Andrew Peterson, Adam Coyle, all of Lawton, Oregon.

W. W. FARR, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, January 29, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Milton Chevalier, of Andrews, Oregon, who, on May 1, 1909, made Homestead entry, No. 6000, for N.W. 1/4, sec. 20, Twp. 25, S., Range 20, East, Williams Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make said five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on the 15th day of February, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Jacob Thomsen, Charles Turner, Norman Hoffman, Edward Carlson, all of Andrews, Oregon.

W. W. FARR, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Burns, Oregon, January 14, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Peter Miller, of Fields, Oregon, who, on June 26, 1911 and July 27, 1914 respectively made Homestead Entries, No. 6010-02, for S.W. 1/4, Sec. 20, Twp. 25, S., Range 20, East, Williams Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make said three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on the 26th day of February, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Rufus George, J. M. McDade, Oliver McCarty, John McLean all of Fields, Oregon.

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W. W. FARR, Register.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR HARNEY COUNTY.

In the matter of the Estate of F. Crews Croxton, Dec'd.

CITATION

To W. T. Croxton, Mary L. Croxton, Robert Croxton and Natalie Croxton, GREETING:

BY THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Harney County, at the Court Room there of at Burns, in the County of Harney on Monday, the 15th day of March, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any exist, why the Real property, to-wit: E 1/4 NW 1/4, and Lots 1 and 2 of Sec. 18, Twp. 25, S., R. 34 E. W. M., belonging to said estate should not be sold.

WITNESSES: The Hon. H. C. Levens, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Harney with the Seal of said Court affixed this 13th day of Feb., A. D. 1915.

ATTEST:

R. T. HUGHES, Clerk.
By Walter T. Struck, Deputy Clerk (Seal)

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