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Notice is hereby given that the final account of Frank Kirk and W. R. Kirk as Co-Executors of the last Will and Testament of Isabell C. Kirk, deceased, has been filed in the County Court of LINN County, State of Oregon, and that the 14th day of March, 1921 at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. has been duly appointed by said Court for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest the same.

Dated and first published Feb. 10, 1921.

Frank Kirk,
 W. R. Kirk,
 Executors of the Estate.

Amor A. Tussing,
 Atty for Exrs.

2-10 to 3-10.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned by an order of the County Court of LINN County, Oregon, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Henrietta Gulliford deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them within six months from the date of this notice, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned at his office at Brownsville in Linn County, Oregon.

Dated and first published this 3rd day of February, 1921.

Amor A. Tussing,
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2-3 to 3-3.

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REVIEW OF WORK OF OREGON LEGISLATURE

Fourth Week of Session Commences With Most of Big Bills Introduced.

Dry Measures Withdrawn — House Gets Bonus Bill—State Tax on Incomes Up — To Regulate Sale of Eggs — Committee on Reapportionment Named—Would Enforce Support of Parents—Budget Bill Approved—Disloyal Teachers Barred.

Salem.—When the legislature assembled Monday for the fourth week of the session there was very little to its credit in the way of measures passed and sent up to the governor. However, with the exception of the appropriation bills, most of the big bills likely to appear at this session have been introduced and referred to committees, and from now on the legislative wheels may be expected to industriously grind away at the grist of bills dumped into the legislative hopper.

While the first three weeks of the session have been rather dull, particularly in the way of vocal fireworks, there are a number of measures among those introduced which are likely to arouse spirited debates.

The number of bills introduced during the first three weeks of the present session surpassed the record of the 1919 session. During the first three weeks of the present session there were introduced in the two houses 454 bills as against 451 bills during the same period of the 1919 session.

Presumably because they feared defeat, owing to their drastic provisions, the three prohibition measures fathered by Senators Farrell and Eddy were withdrawn by their authors. One of the bills created the office of prohibition commissioner, another provided more stringent penalties for law violation and the third carried drastic search and seizure provisions. It is said substitute bills will be introduced with less drastic provisions.

Bonus Bill Introduced.

A step toward providing a bonus for veterans of the world war was taken with the introduction in the house of a measure providing for a cash bonus or a long time loan.

Summarized, the bill provides that all Oregon citizens who served more than two months in any branch of the military forces of the United States between April 6, 1917, and Nov. 11, 1918, shall be entitled to receive a bonus of \$25 for each month's service, with a maximum of \$500.

Under the loan provision, a sum not to exceed \$3,000 may be borrowed from the state, to be secured by a mortgage on real property. The loans may be repaid to the state at the option of the borrower in annual, semi-annual or quarterly installments, which in each year's period must aggregate 6 per cent of the total borrowed.

The bill prohibits participation in both federal and state bonus plans, also from receiving bonuses from other states.

State Income Tax Proposed.

A measure providing for a state income tax was introduced in the house by Representative Gordon of Multnomah. The proposed law follows the federal income tax law in general form, and provides for an exemption of \$1,000 for single persons and \$2,000 for married persons. The rate varies from 1 per cent on the first \$1,000 of taxable income up to 6 per cent on incomes of \$10,000 or over.

Every person residing in the state, regardless of whether his taxable income is derived from property or business located within or without the state would be subject to the assessment under the act.

Under the proposed law 30 per cent of the tax shall go to the state and 70 per cent to the county in which it is collected. The latter fund then would again be divided between the county and its various political subdivisions.

Must Brand Storage Eggs.

Regulation of classification and sale of cold storage eggs, foreign eggs, preserved eggs and incubated eggs is provided in a bill introduced in the senate by Senator Porter of Linn county.

Under the provisions of the bill cold storage eggs shall include eggs which

have been in cold storage for more than 30 days and before being offered for sale shall be branded or stamped with the word "storage." When eggs are placed in refrigeration for the purpose of cold storage there shall be stamped on each container the date when entered in refrigeration.

Eggs imported from foreign countries shall be sold as such, and the containers in which the eggs are shipped shall be stamped with the words "foreign eggs."

Every section of the state is represented in the special legislative committee which will sift out the reapportionment legislation.

Two of the members are from eastern Oregon, two from central Oregon, two from Multnomah county, two from the coast section and one each from the Willamette valley and southern Oregon.

The personnel of this committee, regarded as the most important and most powerful of the present session, follows:

Senator Dennis of Union county, Senator Staples of Multnomah, Senator Patterson of Polk, Senator Hall of Coos, Senator Robertson of Gilliam, Representative Burdick of Deschutes, Representative Carter of Jackson, Representative Gordon of Multnomah, Representative Hurd of Clatsop and Representative Gallagher of Malheur.

Bill Aimed at Habitual Criminals.

If a bill directed against habitual criminals, introduced by Representative Woodson, is passed, every person convicted a second time for a felony must be confined in the state penitentiary for a maximum term of not less than double the time of the first conviction, and if convicted the third time of a felony must be confined in the state penitentiary for life.

A bill prohibiting county courts or county commissioners from awarding contracts for material, equipment or supplies without preparing specifications in writing and advertising not less than six times in a daily newspaper or two issues of a weekly newspaper, was introduced by Representatives Kubli and North.

Must Care For Parents.

Every adult person who, having the ability so to do, fails and neglects to support an indigent parent, will be guilty of a misdemeanor and will be punishable by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than one year or a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or both fine and imprisonment if a bill introduced in the house by Representative Hindman of Multnomah county becomes a law.

All fines or forfeitures imposed by the court and collected in such case or under the provisions of any law relating to indigent parents may be directed by the court to be paid in whole or in part to such indigent parent or their guardian, according to the provision of Hindman's bill.

Senate Passes Budget Bill.

The state board of control is constituted the budget commission of Oregon under a bill prepared by Senator Patterson, which was passed by the senate.

Under the provisions of the act the commission is authorized to employ a statistician, whose duty shall be to examine the demands of the various institutions and departments of the state and prepare budgets for presentation to the legislature.

The senate is in favor of a legislative session of sixty days instead of forty and an increase in pay of the members from \$3 to \$5 a day, having passed the Smith-Eberhard-Hare joint resolution to refer the proposed change to the people.

Bill Bans Alien Teachers.

Aliens or disloyal individuals will not be permitted to teach in any common school, high school, university, agricultural college, normal school or any other state school in Oregon if a bill introduced in the house by Representative Belknap of Benton county passes.

The bill provides that aliens shall not be permitted to teach in any of the schools enumerated unless they have declared their intention to become citizens of the United States. The bill provides for hearings on charges of disloyalty in teachers and their discharge, if found guilty, and the cancellation of their certificates to teach by the superintendent of public instruction.

Legislative Brevities.

An effort to change the date of final payment of taxes in Oregon from October 5 to December 5 failed in the house.

Exemption of Oregon road bonds from taxation as property is provided in a bill introduced in the house by Representative Sheldon.

Repeal of the gravity test law governing gasoline disposed of in Oregon is provided in a bill introduced by

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Charity Grange Items.

C. P. and Francis Kizer and B. Miller attended the Farm Bureau meeting Saturday.

W. B. and Mrs. Spence, Hiram and Paul Bierly, and Walter Fruit were Albany callers Saturday.

Oral Davidson and Andre Christiansen were Albany callers Saturday to see about some school matters.

Hotie Walker went to Salem Saturday to look after school matters.

A hobo stopped at Mr. Templeton's lately and cooked his supper and left a dead dog to pay for it.

Cecil Quinby and Everett Robertson are batching in A. G. Waggenger's shack up in the timber while cutting wood.

A. G. Waggenger had the misfortune to fall last Thursday and crack one of his ribs.

Mrs. E. A. Kizer and Mrs. H. C. Kizer attended the play in Halsey while E. A. Kizer was going and coming with the music teacher.

Last Saturday, Feb. 5th, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kizer received some full blooded Rhode Island Red chickens from Portland for breeding purposes.

C. H. Bierly spent the week end in Albany visiting friends.

The rain has noticeably dampened the arduous spirits of the wood cutters of this community.

Miss Hampton went to Salem for the week end, to see her bran new brother who had just arrived. This makes her eighth brother.

The singing school is made up with pupils from and residents of six school districts, viz: Center, Brownsville, Rola, Halsey, Harrisburg, and Brandon. There was much fun last Saturday night when the class tried to sing the round of the "Braying Donkey."

Next week is prune week. Or der your prunes now.