

### BROWNHILL HAS BANKING BILL

Would Have Banks Bid for Count Funds; Flat Salary for Printer—Says \$10,000 a Year Would Be Saved by Plan.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.—Representative Brownhill of Yamhill has introduced a bill to regulate the banking of funds of the various counties, which, he says, will yield a saving of \$10,000 a year if passed.

He proposes that the county treasurer of each county be compelled to advertise for bids from banks the wish to be the county depository and that those offering the highest rate of interest be selected. To guard against the depositing of the funds in institutions of questionable stability, he would require the bank offering the higher rate of interest to provide a surety bond to the treasurer. The same representative will offer a bill to place the state printer on a flat salary of \$5,000 a year, superseding the present fee system.

### TRAINED NURSE DAMAGES CASE

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ing the actions of Mrs. Schenk was evidently regarded by the state as one of its most important bits of evidence, and every phase was brought out by careful questioning.

Miss Evans said she went to the Schenk home on the night of October 15. During the first night, she said, Mrs. Schenk did not assist her. On the evening of the fourth day, she testified, Mrs. Schenk told her of visiting the fortune teller who had prophesied her husband's death.

Mrs. Schenk told her, the nurse continued, that she had foretold her husband's death.

"He might be patched up by the doctors," the nurse said the defendant had told her, "but he must eventually die."

Between October 15 and 21, the nurse testified, Mrs. Schenk did not lie in the sick room. It was on the 21st, when Schenk had sufficiently recovered to attempt an outing, that Mrs. Schenk, the nurse said, first endeavored to help her.

"Before we left," Miss Evans continued, "Mrs. Schenk asked if I had enough drinking water for the patient. I replied in the affirmative. She said she would open another bottle, anyway, so that there would be no danger of my cutting my fingers. She brought a bottle from the kitchen and Schenk drank from it. He complained that it tasted peculiarly."

"After supper the same night I went home with a relative."

The nurse testified that she did not want to go, but that Mrs. Schenk had insisted on her taking a short outing.

"I was gone an hour," Miss Evans said, "and on returning found Schenk violently nauseated. I had left my telephone number, but had not been called."

"I asked Mrs. Schenk why she had not telephoned, and she replied: 'I could do as much as you could.'"

The nurse then told of giving the patient more water from the same bottle that his wife had opened. He was nauseated again, she said.

"When I was giving the medicine the defendant entered the room and complained that I had not shaken the bottle of malt carcara. I told her it was not necessary. She insisted that I shake it and took the bottle from the stand and shook it herself."

The nurse then told how she went to the kitchen and got another bottle of drinking water, which she concocted. She then took away the bottle which Mrs. Schenk had opened, substituting the fresh one.

It was after this, she said, that she told Dr. Hupp that she believed the water was peculiar and gave him the bottle which she had saved.

Miss Evans testified that a bottle of quinine had a peculiar appearance. It had an unnatural, murky color, she said.

"The day after Schenk went to the hospital," she said, "Mrs. Schenk visited him. She went into the bathroom where the medicines were kept. She was there for 15 or 20 minutes. Previously she had locked the door leading into Schenk's room. When Dr. Hupp came I told him of this. He ordered me to get fresh medicines. I did this and kept them in the diet kitchen at the hospital."

"Mrs. Schenk did not know where they were."

The crowds which have been attracted to the trial were on hand early today. The courtroom was jammed by the time the trial opened. Many women were in the gathering.

During the testimony of Miss Evans the room was quiet, the spectators paying close attention to the sharp questions of the attorneys and the low-voiced answers of the nurse.

### CIVIL SERVICE TO BE INTRODUCED

Senator Burgess' Bill Provides for Examination for State Offices—Provides for Civil Service Board to Examine Applicants.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.—Civil service for all Oregon state officers except the heads of departments and the secretary to the governor, is the proposal of Senator Burgess, who has introduced a bill to this effect. It provides for a board to consist of the governor, attorney general and superintendent of public instruction, this board to make its own rules and determine the examinations to be given.

### IDENTITY UNKNOWN.

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ouse was located in Medford this afternoon. She will be questioned by Chief Shearer and Deputy Prosecuting Attorney in an attempt to sift out the prisoner's connection with the affair.

### PROPERTY MOVES SOUTH OAKDALE

Tennis Court Lots Are Sold to North Dakota Man Who Will Erect Fine Home—Other Sales Made in Oakdale Park.

Property is beginning to move rapidly on South Oakdale, a number of sales being recorded this week.

C. M. English has sold through the agency of J. W. Dressler the Tennis court lots adjoining the home of Harry G. Wortman to a Mr. McFee of Beaumont, N. D., who will erect thereon a fine home. The consideration was \$2500.

G. L. Treichler has sold lots 3 and 4 in the Oakdale Park addition to a Mr. McArdle of Minneapolis, the consideration being \$3750.

Mr. Treichler has also sold a building in the addition to Elizabeth Kelehor of Texas for \$5750.

### \$50,000 FOR FIGHT JOHNSON VS. KAUFMAN

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12.—A purse of \$50,000 for a fight between Jack Johnson and Al Kaufman in London during Coronation week was offered today by H. H. Frazee, theatrical promoter, who managed Jeffries' four when the ex-champion emerged from retirement.

Frazee said he would put up the entire purse in the hands of some responsible stakeholder as soon as the principles agreed to arrange terms.

### STARVING DOGS CHEW SMALL BOY

SALINAS, Jan. 12.—Having wandered into the enclosure of a pack of 15 starving dogs, litten by an aged Chinese in the oriental quarter here, Kong Quen Yau, 9 years old, was being eaten alive when his servants called several men to the rescue to-day.

He is in a serious condition from accretions on the chest and thighs. All his clothing was torn off.

How the dogs had been secreted and why is a mystery. The chief of police ordered them all shot.

### ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Rogue River Fruit & Produce association will be held in Hotel Central hall, Medford, Oregon, at 10 a. m. Tuesday, February 14th, 1911.

K. S. MILLER, Secretary.

The next dozen classified ad-copy acquainted with a dozen phrases when you answer, will probably get you acquainted with a dozen phrases of this city's life that you never encountered before.

Haskins for Health.

### JOHNSON OPENS ON ROADS SOON

Warfare to Control Corporations in California Starts Tomorrow—Railroad Measure Is Radical Affair—Commission Have Much Power.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 12.—The opening gun of the Johnson administration in its warfare to regulate railroads will be fired tomorrow in the senate, when the progressives' railway control measure is introduced. The organization of the recently created railroad commission and the defining of its powers is first provided for. Then the bill outlines the powers and duties of railroad and transportation companies and defines offenses by shipper and carriers. All transportation companies are placed under the control of the railroad commission. The term "transportation company," the bill provides, includes express, dispatch and sleeping car companies and all companies operating vessels in the transportation of freight and passengers. The commission is to be given the right to inspect books and papers and refusal to submit documents is made a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than \$1000.

The commission is empowered to make physical and cash valuation of all properties, including salaries paid

### SUFFRAGETTES TO FORM A PARTY

Two Big Factions May Be Result With Insurgents and Regulars—Mrs. DeVoe Is Meeting With Objections to Her Plan.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 12.—Two big factions of suffragettes following the lines of insurgents and regulars is the outlook today following the declaration of Mrs. Emma Smith DeVoe yesterday that she intended to start a woman's suffrage party.

The insurgents are insurging against Mrs. DeVoe's organization. Rather they will continue the fight started on it two years ago when the state convention steam rolled Mrs. Hutton's Spokane convention off the floor.

Mrs. Hutton, who organized her own suffragette club after that is a millionaire mine owner's wife and a fighter. She refused today to discuss rumors of suits she might institute against leaders of the regulars, but was emphatic in her opposition to any woman's party.

"Women must work out their salvation with the men, not against them," she says. Mrs. George A. Smith, a local insurgent, backs up this view emphatically.

The commission is authorized to subpoena witnesses.

### NEGRO KILLS MAN WHO OWED HIM MONEY

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 12.—One man is dead and two injured as the result of a shooting affray last night. George Mason, colored, is in jail today charged with murder.

Because Louis Lopez, Mexican, refused to pay back borrowed money and threatened his life, Mason, according to the story he told the police, chased Lopez into a saloon where about 100 men were assembled and fired a fusillade of bullets

at him. Lopez was struck in the breast and killed instantly, and two bystanders, Edward Joslin and P. J. Dunlap, were wounded.

Haskins for Health.

No. 158.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Jackson County Bank

at Medford, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, January 7, 1911:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$522,248.77
Bonds, securities, etc.	30,086.88
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	30,000.00
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	35,514.80
Due from approved reserve banks	108,874.14
Checks and other cash items	5,565.97
Exchanges for clearing house	7,350.50
Cash on hand	63,396.82
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$836,037.88</b>
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	20,335.98
Due to banks and bankers	22,945.59
Individual deposits subject to check	501,403.57
Demand certificates of deposit	35,080.83
Time certificates of deposit	87,252.55
Certified checks	250.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	42.51
State deposits	18,726.85
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$836,037.88</b>

State of Oregon, County of Jackson, ss: I, C. W. McDonald, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. W. McDONALD, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, 1911.

M. PURDIN, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
R. H. WHITEHEAD,  
W. I. VAWTER,  
F. W. HUTCHISON,  
Directors.

No. 45.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Farmers & Fruit Growers Bank

at Medford, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, January 7, 1911:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$181,027.08
Bonds, securities, etc.	16,794.59
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	9,818.53
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	10,284.02
Due from approved reserve banks	30,836.87
Checks and other cash items	7,442.18
Cash on hand	13,295.05
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$269,498.32</b>
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	679.84
Individual deposits subject to check	190,348.63
Demand certificates of deposit	5,053.72
Time certificates of deposit	20,869.13
Certified checks	547.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$269,498.32</b>

State of Oregon, County of Jackson, ss: I, L. E. Wakeman, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. E. WAKEMAN, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, 1911. WM. W. McNEALY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:  
GEO. L. DAVIS,  
JAMES CAMPBELL,  
Directors.

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