

CORRECTION IN LAW AIM OF NORBLAD

Will Ask Legislature to Submit Referendum Change in County Representation in House and Senate Is Revelation.

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 12.—(P)—Governor Norblad told the Associated Press today that he will recommend in his message to the legislature a change in the apportionment provision of the state constitution so that every county in the state would have at least one representative in each house of the legislature. He will ask the legislature to submit an amendment to the people.

The constitution requires a reapportionment by the legislature following next after each federal census. "Under our present constitutional arrangement," the governor's message will say, "several of our counties have no direct representation in either branch of the legislature, inasmuch as the county is the unit with which the state deals in matters of taxation and other affairs of government. It is highly desirable and proper and justice demands that each county be represented directly by at least one representative in each house."

The governor believes the present five months period between the May primary elections and the general election is inimical to good government, and will recommend that the primary elections be held on some Tuesday in September. The present five months he terms "an open hunting political season which affects neighbors and friends, and even business and personal relations." He believes the delegates to the national party conventions could be elected in the September preceding the national conventions at a conveniently as they are now elected in May.

SELECT DEBATERS FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Four students from the eight recently chosen to comprise the inter-school debate team of Medford high school have been elected for the first debate team by coach Ralph R. Bailey.

Those students selected for the first team are: Affirmative, Helen Wilson and George Bennett; negative, Donald Darnelle and Max Carter. The students chosen to comprise the second team are: Affirmative, Maxine Hagen and Barbara Drury; negative, Bob Nelson and Doris Bundy.

These teams are preparing for a regular season with other schools in the state league which will start the latter part of February.

OFFER FRUIT AS CHRISTMAS GIFT

Lacquered boxes full of choice nut-meats, redwood boxes filled with candied fruits and home made fruit cakes wrapped in glistening paper and tied with Christmas ribbons are being displayed in the local windows for Christmas suggestions.

One large redwood box has the fruits arranged in such a manner as to resemble a beautiful poinsettia. Sun-kissed fruits of every hue fill casseroles and baking dishes. German honeycake is among the holiday pastries shown. Pears and apples in holiday boxes have been packed for shipping to friends and relatives in distant places.

Smyrna figs and fard dates are arranged in baskets for gifts, also.

Traffic Accident.
PORTLAND, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Barbara Muggill, 66, died in a hospital here today from a skull fracture suffered early this week when she was struck by an auto mobile driven by J. J. Henderson, 18, delivery driver.

10 Shopping Days 'til Christmas

BUY XMAS SEALS

Hills Bros Coffee

In the original vacuum pack



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It is air that destroys the flavor of coffee. And even air-tight tins will not keep coffee fresh. That's why Hills Bros. Coffee is packed in vacuum tins as fast as it comes from the roasters. By this method, air is completely removed from the can and kept out.

PRISON TERMS FOR BURGLARS WILSON STORE

Father Given Minimum of Four Years—Son and Accomplice Each to Serve Three Years.

State prison terms were meted today by Circuit Judge H. D. Norton, to the trio of auto wanderers who pleaded guilty to burglarizing the Will H. Wilson store November 30, last.

George J. Bennett of Chicago, Ill., former Joliet, Ill., prison inmate, was sentenced to an indeterminate term of not less than four years.

Albert Bennett, 19, his son, was sentenced to an indeterminate of not less than three years, as was C. B. Smith, 22, of La Crosse, Tex. The men, driving a Ford sedan, stopped in front of the Wilson store on Front street, near midnight, November 30, and proceeded to fill the rear seat with goods. They were captured in Tacoma, with the stolen property in their possession.

The older Bennett readily admitted his guilt, but interjected a plea for his son, on the grounds "it is his first offense." He also declared that Smith "had nothing to do with the robbery, as he was intoxicated and asleep in the back end of the car and knew nothing." Smith spent most of his life in the cotton fields of Texas, and was befriended by the Bennetts, who took him on their auto tour of the west. They found him "hitch-hiking" down a Texas road. He cannot read or write.

SNYDER SUES IN AUTO COLLISION

Claiming he sustained bodily injuries from which he will never recover, D. A. Snyder filed suit in circuit court today against the Oregon Stages company and Roy Stillwell, driver, for \$10,000. The plaintiff also seeks \$500 to repair his car, damaged by the impact resulting from a collision with the stage between Medford and Phoenix, December 19, 1929. Snyder charges the stage was driven in an imprudent manner on wet paving.

REALTY BOARD FAVORS SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

The regular meeting of the Realty Board was held today with ten members present. E. M. White, president, announced plans for the year's activities, which will be an increase over previous work of the group. The endorsement of the plan for construction of new school buildings was unanimously adopted.

VOLUNTEERS WARN OF FAKE SOLICITATIONS

It has again been brought to our notice that there are fakes soliciting in the name of the Volunteers of America. A woman operating in Medford, Thursday, refused to take anything but money. This woman has no connection with the local post whatever. The local branch has only three people out, and they are supplied with proper credentials, signed by the local officer and treasurer.

(Signed) CAPT. F. W. JAMES, Baker. — Concrete piers constructed for new hangar being built at municipal airport.



FRESH as piping hot pop-overs...

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"THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY"

PHONE-486 497 MEDFORD OREGON.

ONLY TEN MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Toys

Gift Suggestions

- Attractive New Playing Cards 50c to \$1.65
- Eight Piece Toilet Sets in colors \$11.95
- Boxed Stationery, lined envelopes, box 49c
- New Costume Jewelry for Gifts at \$1.00
- Linen Handkerchiefs 59c each; 2 for \$1.00
- Women's Printed Scarfs in colors \$1.95
- Women's New Winter Hand Bags \$2.95 to \$14.95
- New Kid and Suede Gloves, pair \$2.95 to \$4.95
- Beautiful Silk Umbrellas \$5.95 to \$12.50
- Colorful Rubber Aprons for Gifts 50c
- Black Sateen Card Table Covers going at \$1.15

COAT SALE SATURDAY

In this \$24.75 group are 30 smart new winter coats in both sport and dress style; coats that have sold all season for as much as \$35.00. In this lot are beautiful fur trimmed broadcloth models and plain tailored wool tweeds. New colors, new style notes and fine silk linings. A marvelous value at

\$24.75

This is a coat special you cannot afford to pass up; 20 of our best looking \$49.50 coats go on sale Saturday for the low price of \$35.00, a saving of \$14.50 on every coat. These garments are in both sport and dress style with genuine fur collars and cuffs. All silk lined and showing the newest winter colors. Buy your winter coat now.

\$35.00

INTIMATE GIFTS In Infinite Variety

- Silk Dance Sets** \$2.95
Any woman or miss would appreciate a gift like this! Crepe de chine, satin and French crepe dance sets trimmed in dainty lace and in all the new shades and styles. Regular values up to \$4.95. Your choice Saturday at Mann's
- Sunbeam Bloomers** \$1.25
An intimate gift she will welcome! A pair of these super rayon "Sun Beam" bloomers. These fine undergarments come in all the popular colors and sizes. Why not a Christmas box for her of "Sun Beam" Bloomers?
- Rayon Pajamas** \$2.95
Women's and misses' finest quality rayon pajamas in all the new colors, including brown and Russian green. These adorable garments come in the smartest styles of the year and make wonderful Christmas gifts. Let us put up a suit of these for her gift!
- Silk Night Gowns** \$3.45 to \$14.95
Many women prefer a gown rather than pajamas. For her we have many beautiful garments, gowns of fine satin, French crepe, crepe de chine and georgette lace trimmed and hand embroidered, and of course in all the good shades including black.

Brother and Sister Suits \$1.95 to \$4.95

Brother and sister suits for brother and sister's Christmas! These darling garments are made from very fine quality imported wool jersey in sizes 2 to 6 years. They are smartly styled for the little folks who will greatly appreciate their good looks and clever color combinations.

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MAIN FLOOR




Gift Hosiery

May we suggest you give her a pair of these fine pure silk and wool hose for Christmas. They are full-fashioned with a picot top and smart French heel. A beautiful winter hose. All sizes.

\$1.95

The hosiery gift supreme. Women's sheerest chiffon hose wrapped in beautiful individual suede boxes. These extra fine hose come in all the new winter shades and sizes. She will adore a box of hose like these.

\$2.95

Another marvelous gift hose is this pure silk Theme full fashioned, service chiffon weight, silk to top style, with a beautiful French heel. This fine stocking is guaranteed to give perfect wearing satisfaction. All shades and sizes.

For Men and Boys

- Beautiful Silk Shirts for Men at \$4.95
- Fact Color Broadcloth Shirts \$1.00 to \$5.00
- Hole Proof Hose for Men 50c to \$1.00
- Jerry J Sweaters from \$4.00 to \$6.50
- Colorful Silk Scarfs from \$1.95 to \$5.00
- Assorted Neckwear from \$1.00 to \$3.50
- Rayon Shirts and Shorts \$1.00 to \$1.95
- Genuine Leather Bill Folds \$1.50 to \$2.50
- Suspender Sets, choice \$1.25 to \$1.50
- Dress and Driving Gloves from \$1.45 to \$5.95
- Men's Silk Robes from \$5.95 to \$16.50
- Men's Wool Robes from \$6.50 to \$10.50
- Genuine Gladstone Bags \$12.50 to \$19.50
- Leather Coats and Jackets \$10.50 to \$19.50
- Boys' All-Wool Sweaters \$1.50 to \$5.00
- Boys' All-Wool Knickers \$2.50 to \$3.50
- Boys' Fine Jersey Suits \$3.45 to \$5.95
- Boys' Handkerchiefs from 10c to 50c
- Boys' Silk Neckties, your choice 50c
- Boys' Leather Coats \$8.95 to \$14.50
- Boys' All-Wool Blazers \$2.50 to \$5.95
- Boys' Broadcloth Shirts 95c to \$1.95
- Boys' Scarfs at \$1.25

KIDDIES' RAYON PAJAMAS \$1.95

A rayon pajama special for girls from 6 to 16 years. These are of fine quality rayon in the popular two-piece style and come in a marvelous assortment of popular colors and combinations. They are regular up to \$2.25 per suit. Extra special in the infants' department, main floor, Saturday, \$1.95 suit. This is a splendid gift suggestion as girls love pajamas.

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CHRISTMAS SPECIALS From the Millinery Dept.

- Scarf Sets** \$1.95 to \$2.95
A gift suggestion from the millinery department. Women's and misses' brushed wool scarf sets in solid colors and novelty stripes. All boxed ready for Christmas.
- Berets and Skiing Caps** \$1.00
Another splendid gift suggestion are these imported French berets and skiing caps of pure wool. These come in assorted colors, boxed ready for gift giving.
- New Metallic Evening Hats** \$2.95
For the winter party season we offer you these adorable metallic hats in gold and silver at the extra special price of \$2.95. This is indeed a very timely special as these darling little hats are worth double.

Gift Slippers \$2.50 to \$4.95

The famous Daniel Green comfort slippers for women and misses soft quilted satin. Kid and other slipper materials in good colors with and without heel. All sizes.

NEW DRESSES \$12.50

Advance shipment of beautiful printed silk frocks for late winter and early spring wear. These adorable new dresses have the new dark background with a printed over design and show the correct tunic and new necklines of spring 1931. Sizes 14 to 39. See them Saturday at Mann's. They are priced

12-Inch Baby Dolls \$1.

The biggest doll value in Medford! Full 12-inch crying baby dolls all completely dressed in pink, white or blue dresses with bonnet. These won't last long at this special price. Get yours Saturday.

TEREK TABLE COVERINGS \$2.45

TEREK the newest in table covering. A beautiful stainless felt back cover that requires no laundering; simply wipe off with a damp cloth. These new covers come in beautiful light colors and rich designs. They are hemstitched and in the 54x54-in. size. All boxed ready for gift-giving.

ITALIAN LINEN BRIDGE SETS \$2.98

Genuine imported Italian linen bridge sets. Hand embroidered in pastel colors over the natural linen cloth. These sets consist of one 36-inch cloth and 4 matching napkins.

SATURDAY SPECIAL 49c ea. Wash Cloths to Match 10c