

### IRRIGATION DIST. REFINANCE STEP IN NEW MEASURE

Talent and Medford Irrigation Districts Look for Help in Bill Authorizing State to Waive Obligations

The first steps in the refinancing of the Talent and Medford irrigation districts have been taken with the passage by the legislature of house bill 79, which authorizes the re-

mation commission of the state to waive all or part of the obligations of the irrigation districts to the state of Oregon. The state reclamation commission is composed of the governor, the secretary of state and the state treasurer.

The effect of the bill will be that the state reclamation commission will have the authority to waive the indebtedness of the various irrigation districts of the state, providing the commission is satisfied that a refinancing agreement has been reached with the bondholders of the various irrigation districts which is within the ability of the districts to meet.

Agreement Reached

The indebtedness of the Talent irrigation district to the state is approximately \$210,000 and the Medford district approximately \$100,000. The state debt is about 20 per cent of the total indebtedness of the Talent and 10 per cent of the Medford district.

The Medford district has already reached a tentative agreement with

its bondholders, as published in the Mail Tribune several months ago.

The board of directors and officers of the Talent district conferred last week with Chris Bell, a Portland attorney representing the bondholders. No definite plan was agreed upon, but the directors feel that considerable progress was made in adjusting the differences between the bondholders and the district, and that an agreement will be reached which will permit the district to take care of its obligations to the bondholders and with substantial relief to the land owners of the Talent district.

House bill 79 was introduced early in the present session of the legislature and failed of passage upon its third reading. Through the efforts of the Jackson county delegation the bill was referred to the committee on taxation and assessment for further consideration. Attorney Frank P. Farrell, representing the Talent district; Attorney Porter J. Neff, representing the Medford district, and Olin Arnsperger, manager for the two

districts, then journeyed to Salem, where members of the legislature were acquainted with the merits and needs of the bill. It was given a favorable report out of the committee and passed by both houses.

The officers and directors of the two districts are highly pleased with the passage of the bill, which will pave the way for the financial reorganization of the irrigation districts of the state.

### LYDIA GRAVES RITES AT 2:30 P. M. SUNDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Lydia L. Graves, who passed away at her home, 220 North Oakdale, Wednesday, at the age of 94 years, a notice of which appeared in a former issue of this paper, will be held at the Conger chapel at 2:30 Sunday with Rev. William B. Hamilton officiating.

The remains will be forwarded later in the day to Portland where cremation will take place Monday.

Ladies of Presbyterian church will hold a cooked food sale at Reliable Store, Sat., March 4. Rolls, cakes, pies, cookies, cream puffs, breads, Boston baked beans, brown bread.

### THOMAS BRANDS LOBBYISTS' YARN

SALEM, March 3.—(AP)—Public Utilities Commissioner Charles M. Thomas branded as a "deliberate falsehood" any rumors that he did not want senate bill 19 passed either as drawn or as it may be amended. It would give the commissioner additional powers in the regulation of utilities.

"I have received the information that the head of the utility lobby and his assistants are actively engaged in circulating a statement that I would welcome the defeat of senate bill 19 either in its present form or with amendment," Thomas' statement read.

"It is said that I desired to have the bill defeated so that the issue involved might be used by me as a platform upon which to make a campaign for governor next year.

"This is a deliberate falsehood and is being used solely for the purpose of injuring effective and efficient regulation."

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### INSURANCE HEAD TO SPEAK HERE

The Rogue Valley Life Underwriters met this morning at the Jackson hotel to plan for the coming of Charles Thompson, president of the

National Underwriters Association of America, March 8.

Mr. Thompson will meet with the underwriters of the valley and Klamath Falls men in the morning of that date.

At noon luncheon at Hotel Medford, under the auspices of the Medford Chamber of Commerce, he will talk to the service clubs, business and professional men and women, and any others that care to attend, and who are most welcome.

The underwriters will attend the

noon luncheon at Hotel Medford in a body.

Accident Reported—George L. Bennett of 27 North Orange street yesterday afternoon reported a collision which occurred at the corner of Columbus and Main streets. The automobile he was driving was struck on the right fender by another car, according to the report on file at the city police station. Witnesses signing were Mary and Bertina Arnsperger and Mary Chambers.

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**ORANGES**, fancy, sweet, Southern California (Gold Eagle), 2 dz. 25¢  
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**Package Coffees**, pound . . . . 17¢  
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**White Eagle Laundry Soap**, 10 bars . . 25¢

**Crown Best Patent Flour**, 49-lb. sack . . \$1.29  
**Seal of Oregon**, a Crown product, 49-lb. sack . . 99¢  
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