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LEGISLATIVE REVIEW

(Continued from page one)

Kubli is the only one in sight. No other member has indicated that he has in preparation an income tax bill. Most members believe that passage of an income tax at this session is inevitable. The only debatable questions are how to avoid double taxation and too much administrative overhead.

Budget Commission Reports.
The recommendations of the state budget commission were ready for the legislature when it convened Monday. They call for appropriations aggregating \$6,416,832.23 for the biennium of 1923 and 1924.

The \$6,416,832.23 is the amount recommended for actual appropriation by the legislature. Requirements for the biennium for those state activities supported by fixed levies or continuing appropriations are estimated at \$13,348,696.78, and requirements of self-maintaining boards, commissions and departments are placed at \$27,363,809.23.

The free text book bill fathered by Representative Woodward of Multnomah county is likely to arouse considerable controversy. The opponents of the free text book bill will base their fight largely on the ground that it will increase taxes, while those who favor the bill claim they have figures showing that in other states free text books have not materially increased taxes.

Representative Woodward has also sponsored a bill extending suffrage to all qualified voters in school election and another to prohibit the wearing of sectarian garb in any public school.

While a similar sectarian garb bill was defeated in the 1921 session, indications are that there will be little, if any, opposition to the bill in this session.

A farm bloc and an anti-log-rolling bloc have been organized in the house.

The farm bloc will vote as a unit against measures which do not seem to be a good thing from the farmers' viewpoint, while the anti-log-rolling bloc is going to insist that every measure be considered on its merits and not traded or log-rolled through the house.

Allen Land Bill Introduced.
All aliens not eligible to citizenship in the United States would be barred from ownership of real property or control of corporations in Oregon under the terms of a bill introduced in the house by Representatives Bailey and Huston.

The bill is modeled closely after the California anti-alien land law and is similar to a bill introduced in the 1921 session of the Oregon legislature and defeated because of the federal opposition to the measure at that time.

Better Ice Cream Wanted.
Two bills directed at ice cream manufacturers were introduced in the house, one by Overturf and the other by Cary.

The Overturf bill would increase the amount of milk fat in ice cream from 8 to 12 per cent; from 6 to 9 per cent in fruit ice cream and from 6 to 9 per cent in nut ice cream.

The Cary bill would increase the percentage in plain ice cream from 8 to 10 per cent; in fruit ice cream from 6 to 8 per cent and in nut ice cream from 6 to 8 per cent.

Only natural-born or naturalized American citizens could be employed by contractors on public works being done either by the state or any municipality in it, if a bill introduced by Representative Horiburt becomes a law. Violation of the proposed law would be penalized by a fine of from \$50 to \$500 or jail imprisonment of from 30 to 90 days.

House Commends Highway Body.
Expressions of warmest commendation for the present state highway commission and its work were contained in a resolution introduced in the house by Graham and adopted without a dissenting vote. Not only did the resolution express confidence in and gratitude to the members, but it also declared that the rapid development of the state during the last five years had amply demonstrated the wisdom of the road program.

An effort to prevent the change of party registration and keep democrats from voting in republican primaries or republicans from voting in democratic primaries is made in a bill introduced in the house by Representative Kuehn.

Legislative Brevities.
The appointment of T. H. Crawford of La Grande as a member of the board of regents of Oregon agricultural college was ratified by the senate. Mr. Crawford succeeds Governor Walter M. Pierce.

The first bill to receive favorable consideration in the senate was introduced by Senator Strayer of Baker, and provides for the designation of the east and west road through the state as the Old Oregon Trail.

The first county salary increase bill bobbed up in the house when Representative Miles introduced a measure having for its purpose an increase in salary for the treasurer of Columbia county from \$1000 to \$1200 a year.

Changing the date for paying the first half of all taxes from April 5 to June 1 is the purpose of an amendment to the tax laws introduced in the house by Senator Johnson of Benton county.

No Eyes for Them.
The soldier must keep his eye on the ball. Perhaps that is why pretty girls don't go in much for golf.—Hosann

PICTURE FRAMES MAKE GOOD TRAYS



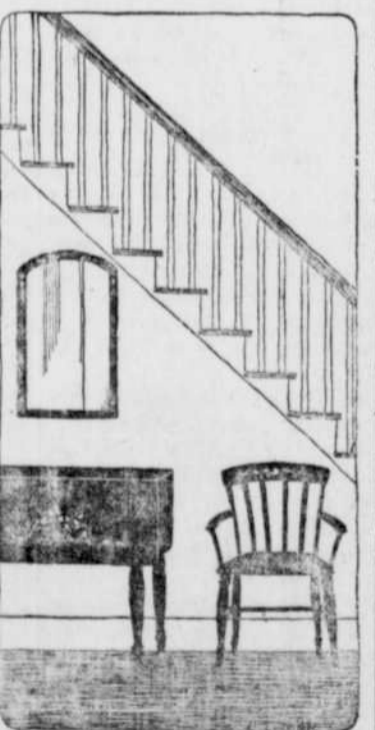
A plain picture frame painted or stained and fitted with handles makes a lovely tray. If one has a piece of Chinese embroidery brocade or a quilt old print to put underneath the glass, a coffee can covered with tapestry or cretonne edged with gold braid and topped with a colored glass ring for a handle forms an attractive cake or candy box. The powder dish is made of a grapefruit glass covered with gold net. The curtain pulls are easily made.

PROMINENT PLACE FOR THE HEIRLOOM



If you have an heirloom, try to make it the center of an artistic group. Such a place as this cloisonne vase is much more effective than if placed in a random in a modern room.

TO MAKE HALLWAY PLEASING TO EYE



This attractive hallway was furnished with a golden oak drop-leaf table from a department store, a chair from the attic and an old mirror. If you are not good at drawing, take any design that will fit the spaces in the furniture, prick holes with a large pin, around the outlines of the flowers and, placing the design face down on the furniture, dust powdered chalk through the holes. The design is thus transferred to the surface and can be painted in with oil paints.

"Seventh Crusade."
If you were on the Mount of Olives today, or along the shores of the Jordan, you might hear the whirring of a propeller as the plane from Jerusalem sped off on its regular flight to the northward, with mail and passengers. An appealing fact in the news of the day, it might be called the Seventh Crusade. The thinker has at least captured the Holy Land which for 30 centuries successively resisted the soldier.—Farm Life

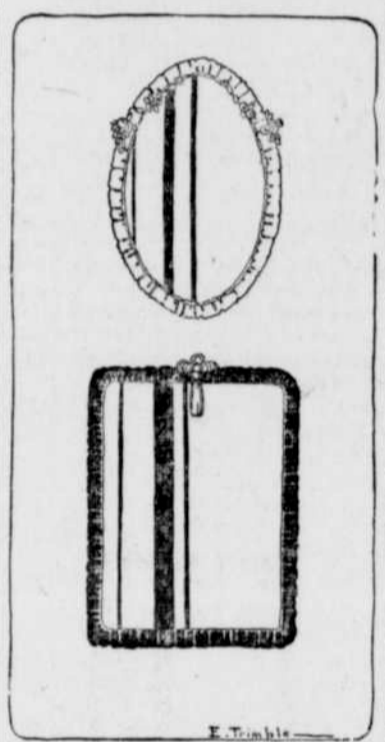
Peculiar Reckoning.
When Harry de Waud visited the Siberian Ostiaks he found that they calculated quite long distances in terms of kettles, an almost identical custom as the other end of Asia. If a journey was five kettles long an explorer found they meant that it would take as long as it would to boil five kettles of cold water in succession.

HAND-BRAIDED RUGS ARE EASY TO MAKE



Hand-braided rugs of the old-fashioned variety are more easily made than many people think. The rugs are torn about three inches wide, and the edges turned in as they are braided. The braid is then coiled in the center and sewn flat, or, for the oval rugs, two parallel rows serve as a center. Always keep the rugs as flat as possible. The round rugs at the top of the sketch are blue and white with blue borders. The middle one is made of scraps of cretonne and colored ginghams, and the lower one of tan and black stockings.

FRAMES HARMONIZE WITH FURNISHINGS



The two attractive mirrors shown here are made by covering old mirror frames with shirrings of some material which harmonizes with one's room furnishings. The lower one of black velvet is rich enough for any living room. It has a cording of black satin next to the mirror and a corded ornament and tassels at the top. The oval one has flowered cretonne or plain sateen stirred over the frame.

GOOD ARRANGEMENT ALWAYS NECESSARY



A comfortable and inviting corner such as the one shown in the sketch is the result of care in selection of right pieces and placing of them in the right positions. The light from the lamp must fall at the proper angle for reading and the chair must be within easy reach of the bookcase.

Papal Hat Worn in 860.
Originally the flara or triple crown of the pope, was a plain high cap, much like those in which dogs of Venice are so often represented in oil pictures. It was first introduced by Pope Nicholas I, in 860. Just when the first coronet was added is a matter of uncertainty, but the second was placed by Pope Boniface VIII in 1295 and the third by Pope Urban V, about 1368.

Extending O'r A'dge.
A stitch in time saves nine. This is a true character as it is of cloth. Besides the increased labor when nine stitches are needed there is the habit of a poor job of mending. The less mending in this world the better for the world.

Make Your Dollars Carry You

They will be your willing slaves and give you the independence of a king—if you treat them right.

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SLIP COVER WILL REJUVENATE CHAIR



Slip covers are used, not only to protect furniture, but they may very successfully rejuvenate an old chair or couch which must otherwise be discarded. A comfortable old leather chair which was badly worn is here shown fitted with a cover of flowered cretonne to match the hangings of the living room, bed room or sun parlor.

Shakespeare Rating in 4993.
The Greek tongue is made famous by Homer, Hesiod, Euripides, Aeschylus, Sophocles, Pindarus, Sappho and Aristophanes; and the Latin tongue by Virgil, Ovid, Horace, Cicero, Plautus, Terence, Lucretius, Seneca and Claudius, so the English tongue is mightily invested in ornaments and resplendent haunts by Sir Philip Sidney, Spenser, Daniel, Drayton, Warner, Shakespeare, Marlowe and Chapman.—Francis, in Palladia Tamia.

NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION TO FORM DRAINAGE DISTRICT IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MALHEUR.

Notice is hereby given that hearing on the following petition will be held at the Court House in the city of Vale, Oregon, on the 5th day of March, 1923, for the purpose of determining whether the prayer of said petition shall be granted.

All persons owning or claiming an interest in lands described in said petition are hereby notified to appear at said place and on said date if the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

H. S. Sackett
Clerk of Malheur Co. Court.

PETITION TO THE HONORABLE COUNTY COURT OF MALHEUR COUNTY, STATE OF OREGON:

The undersigned, being owners of more than fifty per cent of the acreage of the contiguous body of alkali, wet and overflow land in Malheur County, Oregon, hereinafter described do hereby petition your honorable body to cause to be organized a drainage district for the purpose of having such lands reclaimed and protected from the effects of water, for sanitary and agricultural purposes and for the convenience and welfare of the public utility and benefit; and for the purpose of this petition we state the following matters are required by Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Oregon, for the year 1915.

District is WARD DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

2. The boundary lines of the proposed Drainage District are as follows:

Commencing at the quarter corner on the North side of section 6, Tp. 20 South, Range 47 East; thence West 1/2 mile; thence South 1/2 mile; thence west to the east bank of the Owyhee ditch; thence along said east bank of Owyhee ditch in southerly direction to a point where said east bank intersects the south line of Sec. 1, Tp. 20 S, Range 46 E; thence east to the south quarter corner to section 6; thence north 1/4 mile; thence east 600 feet; thence north to the north line of section 6; thence west to point of beginning.

3. The total acreage included in the said proposed Drainage District is 467 acres.

4. The names of the owners of the land in said proposed drainage district as shown by the records of Malheur County, Oregon, and the acreage owned by each of said owners is as follows:

Names.	Acreage.
John Ward	147
Ham Brown	155
Chas. Garrison	90
H. J. Ward	60
Malheur County	13
Oregon Short Line	2

5. The proposed reclamation and protection of said lands is for sanitary and agricultural purposes; and such proposed reclamation and protection will be conducive to the public health and welfare, and of public utility and benefit.

6. All of the lands included in said proposed district are properly included therein, and will be beneficially affected by the operations of the proposed district.

7. The benefits of such proposed reclamation and protection will exceed the damage to be done; and the best interest of the land included, and of the owners of such land as a whole and of the public at large, will be promoted by the formation and proposed operation of said district.

8. The formation of a drainage district under the provisions of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Oregon for 1915, under the provisions of which this petition is proposed, is a proper and advantageous method of accomplishing the reclamation and protection of the land in the said proposed Drainage District.

9. The proposed plan for the reclamation and protection of the land in said proposed drainage district, is by tile drains. There will be constructed two 12-inch tile drain laterals, one of which will start on Chas. Garrison's land, and the other on John Ward's land and meeting in a common drain on line between John Ward's and R. H. Brown's and thence to the river.

The land included in the proposed district is so situated that, without ditches being constructed, the water is not drained off and the land remains cold and sour.

10. The signers of this petition agree that they will pay any and all expenses incurred, and any tax or taxes that may be levied against their respective lands for the purpose of paying the expense of organizing or attempting to organize the proposed district, such expense to be taxes against the lands of the signers in proportion to the number of acres owned by them and affected by the proposed drainage.

11. WHEREFORE, your petitioners pray that the lands described herein, or such of them as may be found by the court to be properly included in the proposed drainage district, either permanently or until further investigation and surveys may permit elimination, shall be declared organized into a drainage district under the provision of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Oregon for the year 1915.

John Ward,
H. J. Ward,
Chas. Garrison,
R. H. Brown,

(STATE OF OREGON.)
Jes.
County of Malheur.)

I, Ivan E. Oakes, being first duly sworn, say that I have read the foregoing petition and that I believe the allegations thereof to be true. I further state that the signatures appended to said petition are true and proper signatures of persons whose names appear signed thereto, and that each and all of said signers of said petition are owners of the land within the proposed drainage district as set forth in said petition.

IVAN E. OAKES,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of January, 1923.
H. S. SACKETT,
County Clerk.
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