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WEST'S REAL TEST OF PROWESS DUE DANGER CONFRONTS FARMING

Governor's Appointment Bill Up.

Final Passage.

WEST TO LIMIT CASH DEAL

When Red Line on Proposed Appropriations Chart Reaches \$5,000,-000 Mark, Then Work of Vetoing Will Begin, Is Report.

BRIEF SESSIONS HELD. -(Special.)-Both houses of the Legislature adjourned today until Monday, the Senate to meet at 11 o'clock on that day and the House at 10:30 o'clock. The Senate was in session only 20 minutes today, meeting shortly after 9 o'clock and adjourning at 19:23. The House was in session for nearly two hours and a half. The Senate did but little, while the House rushed through a grist of

STATE CAPITOL, Salem. Or., Jan. 25. (Special)-The first real test as to the Governor's prowess as far as his The smallpox scare struck the House of programme is concerned probably will Representatives today, owing to the ill-be determined in the Senate Tuesday ness of Representative Nihart, of Twin shape of final action as to the disposi-tion of Senator McColloch's bill, intro-are in the pesthouse here. ed at the instance of the Governor, torneys and Constables for 30-day period over Sunday.

judiciary committee of the Senate and and commission of special committees to son and C. H. Moore clerks, and W. J. has been for several days. McColloch visit the Northern, South and Southhas secured a definite promise that the eastern Idaho state institutions. bill will be acted on in committee one

the other members of the committee,

Colloch in the role of the Governor's chief advocate in the Senate, throws an air of interest into the coming confilet without further particulars. But in addition to these facts the bill is Manufacturers Using Parcel Post by one of the Governor's own pet measures. arose somewhat through troubles that he had in his vice crusade when endeavored to appoint special agents and when he had difficulties with Easthe tried to oust Cameron, when he ern Oregon officials.

of legislation that he has thrown into periment. If they find it operates sat-

the legislative arena. Test Vote Not Indicative.

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NEW IRRIGATION

Government Working to Overcome Wearing Out by Saturation, and Alkali Difficulties.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 .- Deteriora tion of irrigated lands in the West has resulted in efforts by the Government SENATE FIGHT IS PREDICTED to overcome what threatens to be a serious danger to all of the lands embraced in the Government's Immense

irrigation projects.
Dr. B. T. Galloway, chief of the Bu-Measure May Never Get to reau of Plant Industry, in testimony that became public today, said that the Department of Agriculture was workdangers confronting farming on Irrigated lands.

Dr. Galloway's testimony was given before the House committee on expen-Agricultural Departditures in the Agricultural Depart-ment. He said the department hoped to be able to put irrigated farming upon a firm basis for the future. The Polls Close at 11 o'Clock With Total danger lies not only in the nikali in the soils of irrigated lands, which washes down into other land, but also what the experts term "wearing out" by saturation.

"I will go so far as to say, and it may be somewhat startling." Dr. Gallo-way said to the committee, "that so far as I know there never has been any long continued irrigation in a semiarid climate anywhere in the world." Congress is expected to appropriate additional sums this year to continue cial Club at the annual election held for a joint meeting at Portland, Tuesthe studies in the irrigated regions, the studies in the irrigated regions, last night. where the agricultural experts are en- last night, deavoring to solve the problems con-fronting agriculture.

SOLONS HAVE SMALLPOX lection

to Pesthouse in Boise.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 25 .- (Special.)-Wednesday. It will come in the Falls, and Representative Edeiblute, of

The House passed a resolution orderand empowering the Executive to appoint special Sheriffs. District At- cleakrooms during the adjournment President P

iution providing for the appointment rence, Jr., judges of election; A. B. Slau- committees.

The Senate will be called upon to ap way or another next Monday night and prove the constitutional amendment cast their votes.

aside from McColloch, who will naturally be its backer, it is difficult at Craft Escapes Foundering by Put-

The fact that it is McColloch's bill. reached a haven. All the stormbound one amendment of the Governor, with Mc-colloch in the role of the Governor's

Way of Experiment.

LOMINSTER. Mass., Jan. 25 .- (Spen Oregon officials.

It is considered by outsiders that he turers. The consignment weighed more is probably more desirous of seeing than ton and was mailed by parcel organization. The third is post by the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he has the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers as an exposition of legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers and the legislation that he had been supported by the manufacturers are also been s

post exclusively. So far test votes as to vetoed bills close attention and will follow the lead of the comb manufacturers.

PROBLEM LOOMS COMMERCIAL CLUB NAMES GOVERNORS

Prominent Men 6 New Members of Board.

FIVE SERVE THREE YEARS

Officers of Organization to Be surgeon Farenbolt, of the Navy, has Elected Tuesday.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRES READ

of 263 Votes Cast With Count Continuing Until Nearly Midnight - Vote Is Close.

Edgar B. Piper, C. C. Colt. Albert Feldenheimer, H. D. Ramsdell, C. R. Wright and J. Fred Larson were the six new members elected to the board of governors of the Portland Commer-

olnted manager of the club. The se-Two Idaho Representatives Taken of governors will be made at the next be viewed.

meeting of the board, Tuesday. vice-president, secretary and treasurer for the coming year will be elected, and appointment of standing commit-

No New Business Arises

son and C. H. Moore clerks, and W. J. members surrounded the ballot box and

will be reported into the Senate Tuesday morning.

Apparently Senator Moser, chairman of the judicial committee, is unqualifiedby opposed to the bill as extending too much never to the Executive.

sistant secretary, in whose hands the the club, the secretary and treasurer being relieved from that necessity.

isfactorily, they will use the parcel ing French dinner, and the fourth wagon full of laundry, day between 5:30 and 8 o'clock.

COMICSUPPLEMENT SETS TATTOO MODE

IN NAVY 53 PER CENT OF SAIL-ORS WEAR DESIGNS

Only 35 Per Cent of Marines Are Thus Adorned-Feminine Figures Selected by Third of Men.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25,-Tattooing still finds favor among the enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps, but the old-time designs and their accom-panying superstittions are fast disappearing and giving way to more modern pictures, including figures from the

newspaper comic supplements. disclosed that the sallor after enlistment acquires tattooing more rapidly than the marine; 53 per cent of sailors having been found tattooed and 35 per cent of the marines being thus adorned Fully one-third of the men select deof feminine figures. Neptune mermaids, and the tombstone and weep ing willow were found in diminishing

Several of the deep sea and other time-honored devices were rarely seen The Jerusalem cross had disappeared entirely. Designs adapted from the Japanese were the most curlous found.

BRIDGE MEETING ARRANGED

Washington and Oregon Legislators to Confer on Vancouver Site.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 25 .- (Special.) -Arrangements were completed today Five will serve for three years and one will complete the unexpired term Legislatures. The committees will meet of John Annand, who was recently ap- at the Multnomah Hotel at 8 A. M., and an impartial tribunal. after going over the bridge plans in of the member who will com- detail will depart for Vancouver, where

Arrangements were made for the At the same meeting the president, Washington committee to leave here rangements for the trip have been made who is one of the principal champions here of the proposed bridge. Aside from the election of officers Washington committee comprises Senaand the reports of the officers for the tors Nichols, of King, and French, of past year no new business arose during Clarke, and Representatives McArdle. "I'm willing to admit there are argu-the meeting." of Jefferson; Angard, of Clarke, and ments on the other side. We are will

Cathlamet Exchange Manager Thought to Have Fallen Off Pole.

CATHLAMET, Wash., Jan. 25 .- (Spefew announcements the meeting was clail.)—Presumably having died from adjourned and the clubmen went to the being exposed to cold after being disdining-room on the floor above where abled by falling from a telephone pole, the body of Andrew Alken, manager of the local exchange of the Pacific The polls closed at 10 o'clock with States Telephone Company, was found about 11 o'clock for Washington.

actual handling of the club funds is 32 SKILLETS GO BY MAIL the modern so-called 'economic legis-

Sent by Parcel Post.

card, for the purpose of protecting the cels sent by parcel post from Spokane cations in such lawful manner as they members and employes from imposition today. The merchandise, consigned by think best." on the part of non-members of the a local grocery and hardware house, organization.

went principally to Palouse towns.

Bill for 166,000,000-Peso Loan Falls.

POSITION ON CANAL

Lower Domestic Rates Still Desired.

TREATY QUESTION INVOLVED

President Says Impartial Tribunal Should Decide.

ARBITRATION INSISTED ON

Administration Has Done Nothing Unpatriotic or Dishonorable, and He Is Willing to Admit Other Side Has Claims.

BALTIMORE. Jan. 25. - President Taft, speaking tonight at the annual Administration's attitude in the Pansma Canal disagreement with England, custom declared that its position was not unoppose the proposal for arbitration by

"Whether you call it a subsidy of not, I am in favor of making the rates plete Mr. Annand's term on the board the site of the proposed structure will between the coasts through the Panama Canal lower." he said. "Now the question is, can we do that under our international obligations? I think we can Monday night by way of Tacoma. Ar-and if you read the authorities I think rangements for the trip have been made you'll find we may. But if we are Senator French, of Clarke County, bound not to exempt coastwise vessels we can agree to submit the question t The an impartial tribunal.

Importial Tribunal Wanted.

"I'm willing to admit there are argu President Piper called the meeting to order at \$ o'clock and appinted J. M. Leiter, S. D. Vincent and George Lawhave stated it, to show that we have been dishonorable. There is nothing in Spokane. half an hour was declared in which the PHONE MAN FOUND DEAD are willing to rest our case with a triunal that is impartial."

The President concluded his speech with an appeal for constitutional govrnment, endangered in the last few months, he said, by those who proposed remedles but who could not furnish concrete examples of their proposed stands and the aged missionary, known down the steep mountain trail from

Moser, however, is one of the most prominent figures in the organization, as witness his chairmanship of the judiclary committee, and a shift in fact that it is McColloch's bill, complex from the companies of the most of the most of the most in fact chairs of the companies of the first committee, and a slight indication in the Seants. In fact that it is McColloch's bill, complex from the companies of the missing two days.

A snowside today three and a half miles easer of Leavement, he may size, though it is several months until the miles easer of the first coming of the first com

added, "the underlying philosophy of lation, of which the Sherman antiand be responsible for the accounts of 40 Crates of Baked Beans Also trust law is a conspicuous example, is simple. It is merely to prevent a particular group of persons from com-Figs to Protect Members.

SPOKANE, Wash. Jan. 25.—(Spe-pelling others by force, violence, fraud in a gale, which raged all Sunday and miracle, as at the place where the slide occurred the river runs very close to the town of a member's identicifation and 32 skillets were among the partial for the purpose of protecting the rights as free men to pursue their votations in such lawful manner as they adoption of a member's identicifation and 32 skillets were among the par- rights as free men to pursue their vo-

The third amendment calls for the Among other packages sent today were MEXICO CITY, Jan. 25.—The bill pro- from Nanaimo into Sechelt, where she track no doubt saved the train from post by the manufacturers as an experiment. If they find it operates satisfactorily, they will use the parcel post exclusively.

The third amendment calls for the discontinuance of the Wednesday even-discontinuance of the Union of the Chamber of the big slide passing over the train from Nanathom to Sechelt, where she had sought refuge after losing the backing in a feel to discontinuance of the Wednesday even-discontinuance of the Wednesday even-discontinuance of the Wednesday even-discon

EXPRESS WRECKED, HOLD-UP IS FOILED BOULDERS, TREES

OREGON CITY SCENE OF DE-RAILMENT OF TRAIN.

Ties Piled on Track Cause Coaches to Leave Tracks on Trestle of Southern Pacific.

OREGON CITY, Jan. 25 .- (Special.)-An unsuccessful attempt to derail and rob the San Francisco Express of the Southern Pacific was made here to-

night as the train was approaching Oregon City.

A pile of ties was thrown across the tracks at Sixteenth street and Railroad avenue (the tracks), just within a few rods of the trestle across Abernethy Creek. The train crashed into the ties at a good speed, but only four of the cars were detailed, the train traveling more than eight blocks and across the trestle before stopping completely or before the cause of the trouble was learned.

The train is known as No. 13. It left Portland at 8:15 and reached Oregon City at 9:02. A heavy passenger list was carried and many Portland folk were among them. The train carries ten cars, including one tourist sleeper four standard Pullmans, baggage and express cars and three coaches. Instead of jumping the rails the engine scattered the ties, some were carried in front of the engine eight blocks. Several were carried four and five blocks or entirely across the banquet of the Merchants and Manu- trestle. Flying ties nearly laid out mountain divisions of the three transfacturers' Association, defended the Night Policeman Griffith, who was continental rabroads contain ice, trees walking the track, as is his nightly and boulders, as well as snow, and can-

The train was not damaged when the patriotic or dishonorable and asserted four ears left the rails. They were rethere was no reason for anyone to placed in quick time. That a disaster was narrowly averted is declared by the railway officials. That the idea of the would-be robbers was to derail the train and send it into the ditch beneath the trestle the railway authorities assert. Detectives are being assembled from Portland and surrounding towns, and the Portland police also are at

CATHOLICS TO CELEBRATE Burlington-Great Northern from Ran-

Father Carnana's Spokane Jubilee in October Being Arranged For.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 25 .- (Spe-1863-on the spot where the Northern down the mountain-side and caught Pacific passenger station now stands, the two engines and the baggage-car, the Catholic faith first was implanted. The train was stopped and after the

On that day Father Joseph Caruana, first Catholle missionary to the Indians without anyone having been hurt. of the Northwest, baptized here 75 In-dian children and five adults, mem-

Attorney-General Wickersham was priest of their tribe, widely known sort with a hotel. They will be brought another speaker. The President left and loved by them, is still the leading to Scattle by train. spirit of the little community.

Father Caruana is 79 years old. Al-

ing of Her Cable.

scow was afterwards picked up by the have easily been carried into the tug Shamrock, after battling with the stream. elements for hours.

AND ICE IN SLIDES

Rotary Plows Unable to Remove Debris.

BURLINGTON TRAIN IS STRUCK

SNOW MELTING RAPIDLY

Great Northern Foreman Instantly Killed in Slide East of Leavenworth - Men With Shovels and Wreckers Are Busy.

SEATTLE Wash, Jan. 25 .- The slides that are descending upon the not be tossed aside carelessly by the

rotary plows. Men with shovels and wrecking appliances must remove the debris.

The rain in the mountains ceased today, but the temperature continued high and the snow melted rapidly. The scene of the Great Northern ble is not far from Wellington, now known as Tye, where an avalanche struck two passenger trains and killed 93 persons

in February, 1910. Slide Waits for Prey

The passengers of train No. 43, the sas City, had a bit of excitement last

Their train had just thrust its nose out of a long snowshed at Alvin, on the west slope, when a mass of snow and earth, which seemingly had been ciai.)-Fifty years ago-October 10, lying in wait for the train, leaped engines and car had been dug out the train was backed into the snowshed

The passengers endured no hard-ship, there being pienty of food and water. It had been intended to send bers of the Coeur d'Alene tribe.

Later he went to Desmet, Idabo, and the train back to Spokane, but there the train back to Spokane, but there there founded the first Catholic mis-sion in this district. The mission still ternoon the passengers clambered to the Indians as Soseph, the patriarch Alvin to Scenic, which is a Winter re-

> Another Great Northern Man Killed. A snowslide today three and a half

man, who was standing on the running board of the engine, was caught by the NANAIMO, B. C., Jan. 25 .- Leaving slide and jammed up against the boiler, Nanaimo for Vancouver on Sunday, death resulting instantly. Andrews is January 19, the tug Buster B., with a not thought to be fatally injured. That large barge of coal in tow, was caught the loss of life was not great was a

The fact that there was a bluff 16 or The Buster B. was 19 hours running 12 feet high on the upper side of the

