

**The Weather**  
Highest temperature yesterday...49  
Lowest temperature last night...41  
Rain and colder tonight; Sunday clearing.

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### FALL - DOHENY CASE EVIDENCE IS COMPLETED

**Ex-Secretary of Interior Not Called to Explain \$100,000 "Loan."**

### ARGUMENTS MONDAY

**Testimony Regarding War Scare Causes America to Be Accused by Jap Journal.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Presentation of evidence was completed today in the trial of Albert Fall and Edward L. Doheny on charges of criminal conspiracy. Both prosecution and defense rested finally, after a swift knitting together of the last tangled threads of evidence, leaving only the closing arguments and the judge's charge before the jury returns to consider its verdict. It is probable the jury will be sent to their consultation room by the middle of next week to decide whether a punishable offense was committed when Doheny sent Fall \$100,000 in a little black bag in 1921, when Fall was interior secretary and before the Doheny oil interests received a lease on the Elk Hills naval oil reserves. In a short rebuttal the prosecution presented further testimony that Fall had withheld information from the senate oil committee and that the government's arrangement with the Doheny company was not looked upon with enthusiasm by some officials of the navy department. There was no rebuttal, and court adjourned until Monday morning when the arguments of counsel will begin. The court also requested counsel to submit proposals for instructions to the jury on Monday morning.

**Fall Doesn't Testify**  
Shortly before resting his case today the defense attorneys abandoned the proposal to have Fall himself take the stand as Doheny had done and explain the story of the \$100,000 that passed between the oil magnate and the then interior secretary in 1921, before Doheny's oil interests were awarded the lease to Elk Hills.

**The case on behalf of Doheny himself was rested yesterday and two character witnesses were called for Fall. One of them was Postmaster General New. Today the Fall attorneys said they were content to rest without putting another word of evidence into the record, but the Doheny counsel secured permission to reopen their case in order to hear John McCormick, the singer, as a character witness for Doheny.**

**Defense Move Surprises**  
Sudden termination of the defense case apparently surprised the prosecution. It had been decided on in overnight conferences among counsel, who assessed the possible effect of several important developments during yesterday's session. These included the resistance of Doheny himself to the penetrating cross-examination conducted by Roberts, and the refusal of Secretary Wilbur to produce confidential navy records on which other witnesses have testified to a "war scare" in the Pacific in 1921, when Doheny took the first of his oil leases—a contract to build a naval fuel oil base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

**McCormack, the only defense witness called today before the defense rested, raised the tone of his full Irish voice in defense of the good reputation of Doheny with whom he said he was well acquainted.**

**Japan Newspaper Peevish**  
TOKYO, Dec. 11.—The Tokyo Mainichi, one of the oldest daily newspapers in Japan, commenting on evidence given at the trial of Edward L. Doheny and Albert B. Fall on charges of conspiracy in obtaining and granting government oil leases, says the testimony of Admiral Robison and others give the Japanese food for thought. "Since the lease was granted for the purpose of securing the navy's oil supply for an emergency in the Pacific in the same year as the Washington conference, it now becomes plain that while the American government was anxiously trying to have world naval armaments limited, the American navy was trying to increase its strength in the form of an oil supply," says the paper. "Whatever may be said of the navy's position, there's no denying the fact that America was guilty" (Continued on page 3.)

### Lita Chaplin To Return Former

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 10.—The times says Lita Chaplin, estranged wife of Charlie Chaplin, has announced her intention of returning to the Roman Catholic Church, which, she says, she renounced when she married the film comedian. She would have her two children baptized by the Catholic church, so that "they might enjoy the consolation," she says she "threw away."

**"Now that my marriage has turned out to be a failure, I can return to my church. My mother and my grand parents were raised and grew up as devout members of the Roman Catholic Church. In my efforts to promote marital happiness, I consented to stake everything and turned my back on my family's religion. Now I can turn my back to my childhood," Mrs. Chaplin declared.**

Mrs. Chaplin explained that her separation from the Catholic church occurred at the time of her marriage to Chaplin two years ago. The marriage could not be recognized under the precepts of the church because Chaplin had been divorced. His first wife was Mildred Harris, film actress.

"I felt the separation from the church most keenly at the time just after my two babies were born. I wanted them baptized in order that they might enjoy the consolation I threw away. But in deference to the wishes of their father, I never had that done. Now, when I return to the church they will go with me for baptism and christening," Mrs. Chaplin said.

The Chaplins were married in 1924 at Empalme, near Guaymas, Mexico. The ceremony was performed by a justice of the peace.

### ROBERT SLATER OF SUTHERLIN DIES THIS MORNING

**Prominent Merchant Passes Away After Illness Extending Over Period of Five Years.**

Robert Otis Slater, one of the leading citizens of Sutherlin, passed away this morning after a long illness. Mr. Slater was the junior member in the firm of Talbot and Slater, conducting a general merchandise business in Sutherlin.

He was born April 7, 1872, in Springfield, Illinois, and came to Sutherlin in the first excursion car brought out by the Lase Land and Development company in 1909. He immediately went into business in that city, and was quite active until poor health following a nervous breakdown about 5 years ago caused his retirement. He never regained his health and gradually grew worse until the time of his death. He was 54 years of age.

A widow and six children survive him. The children are Harold, Richard, Blanche, Mrs. Ruth Thompson, Walter and Mildred. With the exception of Richard, who resides in Roseburg, all of the children are located in Sutherlin. He also leaves five brothers and one sister.

The funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Methodist church at Sutherlin. Rev. Geo. P. Trites, officiating. Interment will be in the Valley View cemetery in charge of the Douglas Funeral Home.

### P. E. P. COMPANY ASKS SUSPENSION PERMIT; DEFICIT

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
SALEM, Ore., Dec. 11.—Suspension of operations on its 12.3 miles of interurban railway from Montavilla to Troutdale is demanded by the Portland Electric Power company in a petition filed today with the Public Service Commission. The company claims the deficit in 1925 on its entire interurban system was \$34,759.62 and for 1926 will be \$34,074.84, while the deficit on the Montavilla-Troutdale line for 1925 was \$22,230.50 and for the first ten months of this year \$20,441.38.

If the company is required to continue operating the line the petition claims it will have to expend for its betterments in 1927 the sum of \$30,000.

The petition states that if the line is suspended the freight business on the run will be taken care of by east Portland connections.

**Return To Eugene**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Peter, former Roseburg residents, who have been visiting with their daughters, Mrs. Harry Burr and Mrs. Cecil Richards, in this city for the past few days, returned to Eugene this afternoon.

### ORMISTON WILL RESIST RETURN TO CALIFORNIA

**Status as Prisoner After Arriving in Chicago Seems in Doubt.**

### CRIMINALITY DENIED

**Asserts the Office of His Attorney Only Place Prosecutor Keys Can See Him.**

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Kenneth G. Ormiston, Los Angeles radio operator, is in Chicago but whether he will be taken back to Los Angeles to answer charges of conspiracy to defraud justice remains a question for the future.

Los Angeles authorities want back the long missing figure in the Almee Semple McPherson kidnapping case and are preparing extradition papers, but Ormiston said he would fight any attempt to get him farther west than Chicago.

Ormiston arrived here last night from Harrisburg, Pa., accompanied by two detectives and a newspaper man, and immediately went into conference with his attorney, Edward H. S. Martin, who has been his mouthpiece since his disappearance several months ago.

**Arrested or Free?**  
So far as Chicago police know, Ormiston is not under arrest, although one of his companions on the trip to Chicago was Sergeant Harry Donnelly, chief of Police Collins' personal staff.

"I am so sure he is not under arrest," said Chief Collins, "that I have wired authorities at Los Angeles to that effect. Sergeant Donnelly may have him but he is not under arrest. He isn't in the police station, is he?"

The district attorney's office at Los Angeles, however, has moved to take Ormiston out of hands of what they termed "private captors" and place him in custody pending attempts at removal to Los Angeles. Ben Cohen, chief of detectives, wired Chicago police to arrest the defendant.

**Ormiston Defiant.**  
Ormiston spent the night here at a south side hotel. "District Attorney Keyes won't get me back to California," he said in a copy-righted story in the Herald and Examiner. "I don't believe he wants me back there. Keyes and his associates can't prove a crime against me. I have done nothing wrong and have nothing to fear."

It was decided at the conference with his attorney that Ormiston was received here Ormiston would post cash bond. Mr. Keyes left Washington for the west last night, but whether he would stop here was not announced.

"If Keyes wishes to see me I'll be glad to meet him," Ormiston said, "but it will have to be in the office of my attorney."

Ormiston maintained that Keyes previously had turned down an offer for a meeting, extended through Attorney Martin.

### PRINCESS ILEANA OF RUMANIA WILL BE ITALY'S QUEEN

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
BUCHAREST, Dec. 11.—Princess Ileana will marry Prince Humbert, crown prince of Italy, within six months, if King Ferdinand lives, or as soon thereafter as the period of mourning expires, should the monarch die. The Associated Press has been given this information in circles close to the royal palace. Ileana, youngest daughter of King Ferdinand and Queen Marie, is 17 years old. Humbert is 22.

The betrothal of the princess and the prince, so the story goes, was arranged at the time of the Italo-Rumanian convention last September when among other things Rumania obtained a credit of 200,000,000 lei from Italy. The convention at the time aroused great criticism in Rumania, owing to the fact that the credit embraced mostly material for a railroad. The government objected to taking possession of it, declaring it old and obsolete. When the credit was at its height, Premier Averescu is reported to have said to one of his closest friends: "Maybe there's right. I didn't get much from Italy, except a throne for a princess of Rumania."

### PORTLAND SPIRITUALIST ANNOUNCE INTRODUCTION TO SPIRIT OF HARRY HOUDINI VIA SHADE OF INGERSOLL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 11.—That the spirit of Houdini, magician, who died recently, spoke to a group of Portland spiritualists through a local medium December 4 and expressed regret for the reflections he had cast upon spiritualism while in his earthly body, was told to the Telegram today by Howard E. Weed, well known nurseman, and Charles F. Barber, prominent floriculturist. The Telegram prints a column account of the seance on the front page today.

Houdini was introduced to the group of Portland mediums and investigators by the shade of Robert Ingersoll, famous agnostic, said the Telegram's informants.

Houdini, according to Weed, promised at some future time to read a statement he was preparing in which he would pass judgment upon himself. At the seance Houdini was quoted as saying in part: "I exposed many worthless mediums and in doing so probably harmed others. But that which is true cannot be permanently harmed. I had found very few mediums that were honest. But I am now another man from the one who lectured on the platform—I am the soul of that man. As such I shall judge myself, being perfectly unbiased.

"I have worlds to conquer and ages in which to do it. My spirit is not broken by the change. I am prepared to face the truth, even the charge that I was conceited and bigoted. If you are master of your trade are you not going to be conceited or bigoted?"

Mrs. Theresa Johnson was the medium.

### Pretty Legs Best Bait For Males, Woman of 102 Says; Other Ladies Take Issue

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Bewitching eyes and a provocative mouth hold a greater charm for men than shapely legs, in the opinion of some of New York's feminine notables.

They are quoted in a symposium by the New York American which was prompted by its understanding that Dr. Marie Charlotte Davenport, of Vienna, said in Washington, "Girls, cultivate your legs above your mind. They are your most important asset. They count over education, intellect and culture."

Dr. Davenport, who is 102 years old, was reported as displaying a pair of trim ankles in explanation of her winning a husband 47 years her junior.

But Ann Pennington, exponent of black bottom dance, and advertised possessor of the shapeliest legs in the world, disagrees with the centenarian physician.

"It's only in the dancing world that legs are a girl's best asset," she says. "Mine are mine, of course, if you know what I mean."

Louise Hunter, metropolitan opera soprano, also disagrees with Dr. Davenport.

"I am glad if I have good looking legs," she said, "but they wouldn't get me into grand opera alone by any means. It's talent and brains and character that a woman must cultivate most today to get ahead."

Beryl Malley, professional model, however, partly agrees that shapely legs constitute a woman's greatest charm.

"For the flapper type, legs count most," she said. "All men love a pretty ankle. A girl who isn't good looking otherwise can have lots of admirers by wearing dainty pumps over silk stockings and showing them."

Madame Frances Aida, famous prima donna, also a possessor of beautiful legs, acknowledged that "all women are a bit vain about showing pretty legs," but said that in the olden days the most fascinating beauties held their admirers by mystery and subtle charm.

"Have we any women today showing legs to her knees who is more lovely than they were?" she asked. And answering the question herself, she said: "I don't think so."

Dr. Harry Halton, physician, also falls to agree with her sister in the same profession.

"A sweet smile, a provocative mouth, a pair of soft veiled eyes, these are greater feminine attributes than legs," she said. "With them a girl gets farther along in the world, even if her legs are like barrels."

### OFFICER'S GOOD MEMORY PUTS MAN WANTED IN JAIL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
EUGENE, Ore., Dec. 11.—His ability to remember faces enabled Van Svarverud, a Lane deputy sheriff, to capture Halford Martin, said to be wanted in Eugene and elsewhere on charges of passing worthless checks. The deputy sheriff was returning to Eugene from Jacksonville yesterday with W. E. Cobb and Charles Gillespie, who were arrested on bad check charges, when he met a man walking south on the highway. Svarverud said he was quite sure it was Martin so he turned his car about and overtook the man. He was right in his surmise, he brought Martin back with his other two prisoners.

Officers say that Martin's bad check operations here and in Portland are quite extensive.

### BEND-KLAMATH RAILROAD PLAN CONFAB SUBJECT

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Presidents of the Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific and Great Northern railways conferred here today on the use by the latter two roads of the Southern Pacific tracks into Klamath Falls, Oregon.

After the conference President William Sproule of the Southern Pacific said "nothing of public interest had developed" from the negotiations.

Unless the Southern Pacific agrees to the use of its tracks, the Great Northern and Northern Pacific are understood to contemplate construction of their own line from Bend, Ore., to Klamath Falls to furnish a rail link from the Pacific northwest to California east of the Cascade range.

### ENTIRE ACRE WILL BE CLEARED AT ONE BLAST

LONGVIEW, Wash., Dec. 1.—The largest stump blowing demonstration in the west was under way today at the Davolt farm, a mile north of Kelso, Wash., in charge of R. N. Miller, land clearing specialist of Washington State College. Three news reel cameras were here to take pictures.

The demonstration was arranged to reach a spectacular climax this afternoon with a simultaneous blasting of an acre, containing 110 stumps and three large trees.

### UMATILLA COUNTY JAIL FUGITIVE IS WYOMING CAPTIVE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
PENDLETON, Dec. 11.—E. R. Sweet, alias Simpson, who escaped from the Umatilla county jail while serving a sentence for dry law violation, has been taken near Rawlins, Wyoming. He refuses to waive extradition and legal proceedings will be taken to bring him back here. Sweet was taken in September for possession and transportation of a liquor. He must also pay a \$200 fine.

### MOVE MADE TO BLOCK DEAL IN SCHOOL BOOKS

**Turner and Kozer, Oregon Board Members, Unite Against Pierce.**

### HOLDS UP CONTRACT

**Legislative Investigation of Hasty Selection of Texts and Actual Worth Urged.**

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
SALEM, Ore., Dec. 11.—The school book adoptions made by the state textbook commission in November will be quashed by default on the part of the State Board of Education in the injunction suit brought by David F. Graham against the state board. Secretary of State Kozer and State School Superintendent R. R. Turner, two members of the State Board of Education, have joined in an agreement to default. Governor Pierce, the other member, will appear in court. Turner suggests that the text book situation should be investigated by the legislature.

The default by Kozer and Turner will mean that they personally will be enjoined from signing the contracts with the publishing companies, and even if the governor should win in the suit individually he would not alone execute the contracts.

**Governor Out-Voted.**  
This development grows out of the controversy that has waged around the adoptions, with Governor Pierce and three of his appointees on the text book commission comprising one faction, and two other members of the commission supported by Turner on the other side. The former faction held a majority on the text book commission.

But the contracts are signed by the Board of Education on which Kozer and Turner are a majority. Kozer and Turner have both sent letters to Attorney General Van Winkle asking him not to appear in the case in their behalf.

**Turner Explains Action.**  
Turner, in his letter, declares that certain circumstances surround the adoptions "inspiring doubt in many minds whether all the members of the commission had in mind and purpose solely the welfare of the schools," and he declares that in his opinion some unnecessary changes were made, thereby entailing heavy expense to the patrons of the schools.

"Mature and careful consideration was not accorded to all adoptions made," says Turner. "The agriculture and arithmetic adoptions occupied the entire morning session," he adds, "and adoptions in 35 subjects were crowded into the afternoon session."

Turner further claims that some of the texts adopted were of inferior and unsuitable for use in the schools.

"It would seem desirable," he concludes, "that opportunity be given to the legislature to investigate the textbook situation."

**Kozer's Attitude.**  
Secretary Kozer writes Van Winkle as follows: "In view of the wide publicity attending and following the adoption of certain textbooks by the state text book commission at its meeting of November 15, 1926, and the further fact that the failure on the part of the state board of education to execute the contracts for the furnishing of such textbooks will not be inimical to the best interests of the people of Oregon, I am of the opinion that a failure on my part . . . to show cause is in the interest of the people of Oregon, and I therefore request that my appearance be made in my behalf."

### MINOR CHANGES IN SCHOOL DISTRICT BOUNDARIES MADE

The school district boundary board, which is composed of the county school superintendent and the county court, met this morning in a special session for the consideration of minor matters.

A slight change was made in the boundaries of districts 17 and 40, Umpqua and Coles Valley, and that the King Carley family, now in the Coles Valley district, might become patrons of the Umpqua school, which is more easily accessible.

A similar change in districts 136 and 25, Elgarose and Cooper districts, accommodates the Carl Forslund family.

### AL N. PIERCE HEADS THE OREGON HOTEL ASSN.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 11.—Al N. Pierce, proprietor of the Benton Hotel, Corvallis, was unanimously re-elected president of the Oregon Hotel association today. Other officers follow: First vice president, Edward Boyce, Hotel Portland; second vice president, C. A. Bartlett, Bartlett Hotel, Cottage Grove; third vice president, Lefe Compton, Coquille Hotel, Coquille; treasurer, Glen R. Hite, Washington Hotel, Portland; secretary, Frank Beach, manager Pacific Northwest Hotel, News.

**From Medford**  
S. M. Bullis of Medford was in this city Friday visiting and looking after business affairs.

### Cribbing At Oregon Leads To Discipline

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
EUGENE, Ore., Dec. 11.—Trial of six University of Oregon students, under suspicion for cheating in monthly quizzes, was held yesterday before the student advisory committee, and resulted in imposition of a fine of several hours of university credit on one of the numbers.

Two of the six who were heard were found not guilty. Two were not proved guilty but the committee expressed the opinion that they had been careless in protecting themselves against the appearance of guilt. A fifth student confessed having copied the work of the sixth, and was fined for it in credit hours.

The close similarity of the papers, especially in parallel errors, aroused the suspicion of the instructors, and the matter was turned over to the student advisory committee.

Although a week has elapsed since the Eugene Board of Education asked the resignations of R. G. Brown, coach of athletics at the Eugene high school, and Albert Bouck, secretary to the principal of the school, the resignations have not been received. Both men have announced that they will not resign, and have demanded a hearing before the board.

Each morning the two men have reported for duty at the high school, and then have left the building.

Members of the board have set no date for a hearing in the two cases.

### PAT PADEFORD KNOCKED OUT BY SANTOS IN SIXTH

**Fight Card Presented Last Night by Far the Best Ever Pulled Off in Roseburg.**

Pete Santos, 134-pound Filipino, of Virgil Hamlin's collection of Portland leather throwers, took five rounds of the hardest facing Pat Padelford ever handed to an antagonist, in the main event of last night's card at the Roseburg armory, and then, early in the sixth, shot a terrific left to Pat's stomach and ended the battle. Padelford went down for the fatal count of ten for the first time in his ring career, terminating his fight with a knock-out. Santos assimilated punishment like a stoic and always came back for more, his deadly left continuously cocked for a sleep producer. The tide of battle really began turning in the fifth round, when Santos floored Padelford for the first time. Pat was up at the count of four, however, and finished strong. He opened the sixth by sending Santos to the canvas in the first mixup, but the Filipino got up quickly and in the next clash scored the knockout.

**Semi-Final Lively.**  
Billy Ray, billed as "Sliding Lucas, another of the Hamlin string, won a decision over Dave Knight, of Pendleton, in a six-round semifinal that was a fight from start to finish. Knight weighed 129 pounds and Ray 134. Both lads scored knockdowns during the milling. Ray's superior weight told in his favor in the last two rounds. The bell saved Dolan at the end of the second round. At the opening of the third he took the count of nine and right afterwards the count of ten. Knight, at 129 pounds, had a three-pound advantage.

George Barton failed to stage a come-back in the second preliminary, but he might have succeeded in doing so but for an accidental injury he suffered after an exhibition of ameness that brought the crowd to its feet, wildly cheering. He was pitted against Bill Galbraith, a Coquille boy, who has attached himself to Hamlin's management. Barton had a margin in the first round. In the second it

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### SENATE VOTES LONGVIEW SPAN OVER COLUMBIA

**McNary's Effort to First Secure Investigation Unsuccessful.**

### HOUSE STILL TO ACT

**Geneva Protocol to Banish Poison Gas in Warfare Arouses Dispute in Committee.**

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The senate today passed a bill authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Columbia river between Longview, Wash., and Ranier, Oregon.

The measure was passed without a record vote after Senator McNary, Republican, Oregon, had brought unsuccessfully to amend it so as to require an investigation to determine the public necessity for the structure. It has not yet been acted upon by the house.

Under terms of the bill, W. D. Comer and Wesley Vandercook would be authorized to construct and maintain the bridge and collect tolls to pay the cost.

Senator Jones, Republican, and Dill, Democrat, Washington, led the fight for the measure. Senator McNary contended the bridge would obstruct traffic on the river between Portland and the sea.

An amendment by Senator McKeller, Democrat, Tennessee, proposing that the bridge should be turned over to Washington and Oregon and made a free bridge at the end of thirty years was defeated without a record vote.

Senator Dill, Democrat, of Washington, led the fight for the bridge bill, declaring citizens on both sides of the Columbia river at Longview and Ranier favored the project.

Dill denied suggestions by Senator Willis, Republican, Ohio, that the structure would impede traffic between Portland and the Pacific ocean.

"The bridge is vital to the development of that section," he said. "The people of the community are entitled to the same consideration given communities further up the river in earlier days."

**To Gas Or Not To Gas**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Geneva protocol for suppression of poison gas in warfare, now before the senate for ratification, is arousing such a controversy that some of its sponsors are considering the advisability of having it returned to the foreign relations committee.

It was brought to the floor by Chairman Borah of that committee and he is leading the fight for ratification, while Chairman Wadsworth of the military committee is marshalling the opposition.

Outside the senate, a number of organizations and individuals have taken positive positions for or against the protocol, with the American Legion, the American Chemical society and the synthetic organic chemical manufacturers associations most vigorous recently in denouncing its provisions.

**Perishing Favors Ban**  
At the same time General Berahing, honorary president of the legion, is in favor of ratification. In a letter read to the senate by Chairman Borah, he said he could not "think it possible that our country should fail to ratify" the protocol, and that "scientific research may discover a gas so deadly that it will produce instant death" and make possible the wiping out of great masses of non-combatant men, women and children.

Opponents of the protocol, on the other hand, insist that gas is the most humane weapon of warfare, and Secretary Kellogg's recommendation that it be ratified has come in for several rounds of attack during the meeting at New York this week of the chemical manufacturer's organization.

**Indin Soon Own Boss**  
The ending of federal supervision of Indians is likely to be hastened, it was stated in the annual report today of the board of Indian commissioners, which told of plans of reorganization of the Indian field service and of the formation of an Indian medical service. The report observed that the period of restriction of the property of the Cherokee, Creek, Choctaw, Chickasaw and Seminole tribes, known as the five civilized tribes, end in 1931.

It recommended, however, that only Indians under 40 years of age be released from government guardianship.

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