

Washington News From an Inside View

Argument, Sentiment, Comment

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Congressman, Fourth Oregon District

I have just returned to Washington after making the trip to Oregon as a member of the official party to attend the funeral of Honorable James W. Mott, who represented the First district of Oregon in Congress. Congressman Mott succeeded the late Willis Hawley, whom he defeated in the 1932 primary election. Until the new Fourth district (which I now represent) was created by the Oregon legislature in 1941, Mr. Mott's district included all of the counties west of the Cascade mountains, except Multnomah, which includes the city of Portland and is represented by the Honorable Homer D. Angell. The new Fourth district was created by dividing the First district. My district begins with Linn county and includes the counties west of the Cascades to the California line. Mr. Mott's district began with Benton county and included the counties west of the Cascades to the Washington state line.

The sudden passing of my good friend, Jim Mott, was a shock to official Washington. In his long service in the House of Representatives, he had achieved a position of prominence and leadership. He was ranking minority member of the House Naval Affairs committee and would have been chairman of that powerful committee when the Republicans organized the House. He had a host of friends and will be sorely missed.

The exact procedure for selecting a successor to fill the vacancy in Congress caused by the death of Mr. Mott had not been determined at the time I left Oregon. I assume that it will be decided by the time this letter appears in print. However, upon my arrival here I learned that the State of Montana had in June this year been faced with a problem almost identical. I wired this information to our governor and secretary of state. The Federal Constitution requires that members of the House must be elected and directs the governor to call a special election to fill vacancies which may occur between regular election dates.

Speaking of elections, I should mention that I shall be a candidate for re-election next year. The term of a member of the House of Representatives is two years. Actually, Oregon members have only 14 months between the end of a general election campaign and the beginning of the primary campaign for re-election.

While in Oregon, I made a study of the problem faced by the Oregon State System of Higher Education with respect to finding housing accommodations for students — particularly married students. I arrived here in time to take an active part in the fight on the floor of the House to include a provision in the pending deficiency appropriation bill to make temporary war plant housing available for the use of returning veterans — particularly those at educational institutions. I shall also keep in touch with the government agencies here through which arrangements have been made for the procurement of some houses for the state university and college and do everything possible to speed up the completion of the transactions.

In compliance with a request which I made to the Army engineers, I am informed that the port at the mouth of the Siuslaw

river at Florence is to be investigated with the idea of improving the entrance and channel and making repairs to the jetties. I am informed that the engineers will conduct a hearing at Florence shortly.

According to public notice issued by the Pacific division, U. S. Engineer's office, the District and Division Engineers have recommended substantial channel improvements at Coos Bay, Oregon. The project would provide a channel of 40 feet depth across the outer bar at low water and a channel 30 feet deep and 300 feet wide to the mouth of the Isthmus Slough. At North Bend and opposite the Coalbank Slough are provided turning basins 600 feet wide and 2,000 feet long with the same depth. Anchorage basins of the same size are proposed at Mile 3.5 and near Mile 7.

After the 30-day waiting period, which ends December 15, these recommendations go before the Board of Engineers in Washington for their approval. The first meeting of the board following the above date will be about January 10. I have already urged the board to approve the recommended harbor improvements.

Estate Given Hospital
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 5.—(AP)—Amanda Owens, Portland, who died Dec. 1, bequeathed her entire estate of approximately \$20,000 to the Children's Orthopedic hospital, Seattle, records showed today.

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Procedure Given For Election Of Mott's Successor

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 6.—(AP)—The only candidates who will be allowed to have their party labels printed on the ballot are those who win the endorsement of their party organizations. Secretary of State Farrell announced yesterday in explaining the ballot procedure for the January 11 special

election in the First congressional district. The congressional district committees of both parties will meet here, and each is expected to designate its candidate. Under Farrell's plan, the two lucky candidates can have their parties listed on the ballot after their names. The other candidates will be listed merely as independents. There is a possibility that the candidates who don't win the endorsement might go to court to try to force Farrell to print their party labels on the ballot, too. All candidates, who must file either by assembly or petition by December 31, will run as independents, even though two of them will have their party labels on the ballot.

Eight So Far in Race

So far, five Republicans and three Democrats appear to be in the running. The Republicans are: Eugene E. Marsh, McMinnville, speaker of the State House of Representatives; Walter A. Norblad, Astoria, former state representative; Dan Harmon, Newberg, unsuccessful candidate at the last election; L. I. Conn, Clackamas county, and Morton Tompkins, Dayton, master of the state grange. Democrats are: Bruce Spaulding, Salem, former Polk county district attorney who almost was

elected attorney general; State Rep. Jack Bain, Milwaukie, and Lyman Ross, Washington county, former state senator. Farrell also said that the congressional committees may make their own nominations, instead of merely endorsing a candidate who has been nominated by other methods.

Control of Eugene Bank Bought by Transamerica

EUGENE, Ore., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Sale of controlling stock of the First National bank here to Transamerica Corporation, San Francisco, was announced yesterday by Richard Shore Smith, re-

present president of the bank. The First National, Eugene's oldest and largest financial institution, has over \$40,000,000 deposits and a capital and surplus of \$1,000,000. The bank will continue acting as an independent institution under its own officers and board of directors.

Doctor, Assistant Found Guilty of Manslaughter

EVERETT, Wash., Dec. 6.—(AP)—A jury yesterday convicted Dr. R. B. Payne, naturopathic physician, and his receptionist, Mrs. Christine Brown, on counts of manslaughter and criminal abortion for the death here September 11 of Miss Elizabeth Crowe, 21, of McMinnville, Ore., in their office. Miss Crowe, a WAVE, had been stationed at Sun Valley, Idaho.

Navy Enlistments Sought
Applications for enlistment in the Navy will be received in the Roseburg Armory, Friday, December 7, by T. A. McGinnis, chief gunner's mate, U. S. Navy. He will be there between 9:30 A. M. and 4 P. M. to enlist applicants between the ages of 17 and 30 inclusive, for periods of one, two, three, four, or six years.



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Vegetable Salad Dinette No. 2 can	16¢
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Soup Mix Lipton's Noodle 3 pkgs.	25¢
Shefford Cheese Chevelle, American ½-lb. and Pimiento 12-oz. tin	20¢
Luncheon Meat 12-oz. tin	33¢
Parkay Margarine 1-lb. pkg.	25¢
Maca Yeast pkg.	3¢
Snowflake Sodas 2-lb. pkg.	33¢
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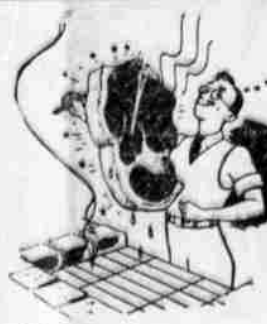
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