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BOURNE COMING TO OREGON



United States Senator Jonathan Bourne, Who is Now Homeward Bound.

Senator Jonathan Bourne is now on his way to Portland to participate in the presidential campaign. The senator left Washington, D. C., Monday night, and is expected to arrive in Portland next Sunday. Within 48 hours after his arrival Senator Bourne will have his part of the machinery for the Taft campaign in working order, according to a Portland paper.

Already the senator has outlined the role he is to play in the political game, and will follow this to the end. Literature is Bourne's strong suit in a campaign. The senator may tour for Taft, but he will depend mostly on his communications to voters. There will be no stump-speaking by the senator, for he prefers to shake hands rather than be a spellbinder. His

presence will inject new fervor into the organization of clubs for the Taft league, of which his private secretary, John C. Young, is the authorized manager for the Beaver state.

As soon as possible, Senator Bourne will secure active workers in every county in the state to take up the organization of Taft clubs and stir up sentiment favorable to the republican nominee. Whether Bourne will cooperate with the state committee or be permitted to act with the committee is a matter for speculation. At all events, whatever expense is incurred by the senator in boosting for Taft and trying to increase the republican majority in Oregon will be defrayed from his own personal bank account, and no subscriptions will be asked.

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ADVANCE OF BIG CANAL

Washington, Sept. 9.—That the Panama canal, one of the greatest engineering projects of modern times, will be dedicated by a president whose front name is William, now appears probable. Reports received at the war department in the last few weeks show constantly increasing speed and efficiency in the construction of the big ditch, and it is far from impossible that the canal will be so far finished four years hence that vessels can use it.

If the hopes of the war department officials meet fulfillment, the next president will have the honor of dedicating the canal, and his name will thus become inseparably connected with the gigantic project. Not in recent years has such fame been thrust upon a chief executive of the nation, and in the contest between Mr. Taft and Mr. Bryan thus assumes added significance.

In any advent, the canal question is no longer in politics, and whether the next administration is headed by Taft or Bryan, the work will be pushed with all possible energy. Under the army engineers, the work is going forward regardless of season or weather. Every report received from Colonel Goethals brings a smile to the face of General Luke E. Wright, the new head of the war department, since it bears news of added speed and difficulties conquered.

The July report of excavation is a most encouraging one. It establishes a new record for the rainy season. The grand total of earth removed was 3,168,840 cubic yards, all of which except 122,884 cubic yards was taken from the canal prism. This is 108,544 cubic yards more than the record for June and \$11,420 yards short of the highest dry season record, that of March, 1907. It shows an increase of 2,105,115 cubic yards.

This comparison with July of last year shows what tremendous strides have been made in the matter of re-

maining clear from the canal prism in the rainy season. Moreover, the rainfall of July, this year, was heavy. The average was 11.14 inches, as compared with 10 inches in June, the preceding month, and 10.13 inches in July, 1907. It would be a strange thing, in the light of the calculations that have been made as to the time required for completion of the canal, if the administration following that of Mr. Roosevelt should see the canal sufficiently finished for traffic. Yet, it is not impossible that this will be the case, as the most sober-minded of the canal officials are coming to view it.

"PILLS" MAY GO.

Bill to Be Introduced in Legislature Prohibiting Sale in Oregon.

The beginning of the year 1909 may witness the extermination of the sale of cigarettes in Oregon. Representative-elect Charles McDonald of Multnomah county has drafted a bill which he will introduce at the coming term of the state legislature, having for its purpose the utter extermination of the cigarette in the Beaver state.

Even substitutes for the "pill" will be placed under the ban and anyone caught giving or selling the "makings" will be subject to fine and if the fine is not paid then off to prison he or she, as the case may be, must go, if the law is effected.

Conservative statistics show that 500,000 cigarettes are smoked daily in Oregon. The figure may reach 800,000 for the 500,000 daily consumption is based on 40 per cent of the voters smokers only 10 of the "cigs" a day, and any cigarette smoker will confess that 10 cigarettes is a niggardly allowance and should be 20 or 30. Then, again, more than 40 per cent of the voters use cigarettes and many who are not voters are heavy customers. The "makings" sold in this state in a week run into several thousand dollars.

To Study Fisheries.

Washington, Sept. 9.—Visits to New York, Boston, Gloucester, Baltimore and Chicago, where the fish and oyster industries will be studied, have been arranged for the European fish experts who will attend the International Fisheries congress in Washington, opening September 22.

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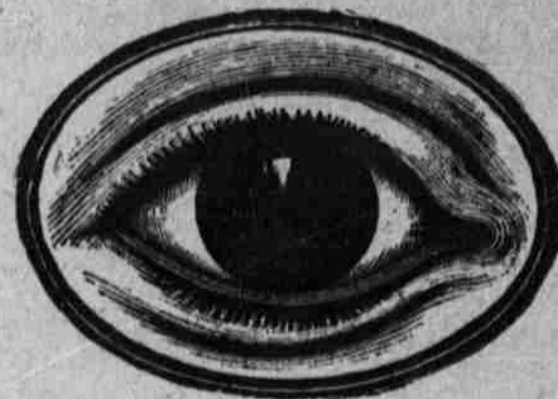
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Dated this 29th day of August, 1908.
 8-29-08 J. M. BERRY.