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HINES IS HEAD OF RAILWAYS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Walker D. Hines, assistant director general of railroads, has been appointed director general by President Wilson, succeeding William G. McAdoo, who now returns to private life.

Mr. Hines, who was recommended by Mr. McAdoo, is an advocate of the latter's plan for five-year continuation of government control to provide a test period, and has supported most of the policies of the retiring director general. He originated many policies of the railroad administration. If congress does not enact new railroad legislation at an early date Mr. Hines favors returning the roads at once to private management, and this is expected to develop into a strongly contested issue within the next month or two.

McAdoo Makes Announcement. Announcement of the appointment, which does not need to be confirmed by the senate, was made Saturday by Mr. McAdoo, who is in the west on a vacation trip to Los Angeles. The news reached the White House from the president by cable Friday night, and was telegraphed to Mr. McAdoo at Winslow, Ariz.

Until he became a member of the railroad administration staff, a year ago, the now director general was chairman of the Santa Fe, and was one of the youngest railroad executives in the country. He is now 48 years of age. He became affiliated with railroads as a lawyer.

Mr. Hines' salary probably will be determined by the president. Mr. McAdoo received no compensation as director general.

Hines Make Statement. Mr. Hines inaugurated his administration with a statement saying that with the war over the government's duty was to render adequate transportation service at reasonable cost, and calling upon all railroad men to cooperate in accomplishing the task.

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Persons Who Have Had Flu Immune. Since the period of immunity established by this vaccine is comparatively short, Dr. Seeley advises that persons be re-vaccinated at periods of from four to six weeks. "People who have had a genuine case of the flu need not be inoculated," he said, "as they are immune from any further attack, unless it be a recurrence of the disease in a mild form." Such persons should take good care of themselves in case this should happen, he said.

It is not claimed, of course, that this vaccination will prevent one taking the flu, but it is confidently asserted that it will eliminate practically all possibility of the serious complications which follow.

Headquarters of Supply Here. Concerning the distribution of the serum Dr. Seeley said that an arrangement had been made to make La Grande the depository of the serum for this section of Oregon. Dr. Seeley will have charge of it here and the board of health will see that he is kept so well supplied with it that he will be able to distribute it to the other towns and cities in the northern part of the state, as well as having sufficient for local needs.

Inspection of Theatres. Dr. Seeley's visit to the local show houses yesterday afternoon was for the purpose of examining the sanitary arrangement. He found that certain corrections in the ventilation systems were necessary to give the best results and upon his recommendation the proprietors of the theatres agreed to make these corrections at once.

Children Safer in School. Viewing the situation in general, Dr. Seeley said he thought La Grande was in really good condition. Commenting upon the schools being kept open he gave it as his opinion that the children were much better off there than they would be running around the streets or about their homes. The school buildings are well ventilated and as long as it is seen to that sick children are not allowed to attend he did not see any advantage in closing the schools up.

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