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CABINET SELECTIONS ARE ABOUT COMPLETE

CHARLES EVANS HUGHES, OF NEW YORK, IS SELECTED FOR THE OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE. IT IS UNDERSTOOD.

A. B. Fall, of New Mexico, Will Act As Secretary For the Interior, and Will H. Hays, Campaigner For Harding, Will Be Postmaster-General; Andrew Mellon, of Pennsylvania, Is Chosen Secretary of the Treasury.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 16.—President-elect Harding's cabinet selections are complete, except for the navy and commerce, and labor portfolio. The selections were understood today to include Charles Evans Hughes, of New York, for secretary of state; John W. Weeks, of Massachusetts, for secretary of war; Andrew Mellon, of Pennsylvania, for secretary of the treasury; Will H. Hays, of Indiana, for postmaster-general; Harry M. Daugherty, of Ohio, attorney-general, and A. B. Fall, of New Mexico, for secretary of the interior.

URGES TEST OF ALL DAIRY COWS

TUBERCULIN TESTS ARE BEING MADE BY OFFICIAL.

Family Cows As Well As Others Being Tested Free of Charge By Bureau of Animal Husbandry

Dr. G. W. Trubey, a deputy on the force of Dr. Sam B. Foster, in charge of the U. S. bureau of animal husbandry at Portland, is in Union county this week making tuberculin tests of cattle. He tested 61 head yesterday, the herds tested being the Conkey and Alderman, B. W. Schroeder, Ed Meyersick and G. M. Richey herds, all of which have been previously tested by his department, and the Brown herd, also of La Grande, composed of 56 animals not tested previously.

Today, he will test herds at Hot Lake. Among those to be tested, the following well-known herds are included: DeLay, Townley, Hempse and Phy herds.

In discussing the work, Trubey stated that the work is being done free of charge and all owners of cows can have the tests made. In cases where reactors are found, the animals are condemned and the owners reimbursed, the amount in the case of grade cows being well within a fair valuation of the animals. The owner of the cows must sign an agreement to observe certain specific conditions. The principal object of the testing work, is to rid the herds of tuberculosis and put them on an accredited basis.

All Should Be Tested.

Dr. Trubey also called attention to the necessity of having small herds and family cows tested. The greatest danger in tuberculosis contamination today is from milk from family cows," he said. "The owners of high-grade dairy stock usually realize that the presence of reactors in a herd is not only dangerous in contaminating the milk supply, but that as a matter of dollars and cents, it does not pay to keep reactors in a herd."

Owners of cows, whether family cows or in the commercial dairy business, can obtain further details regarding the work from the office of Paul H. Spillman, county agent. Those wishing to make appointments with Mr. Trubey may also leave word with the county agent.

PORTLAND IN FEAR OF TONGS

PORTLAND, Feb. 16.—Police are guarding the Portland Chinatown, following reports of a long outbreak with three murders in California cities last night. The Chinese here are nervous.

FIRST EUGENE BABE DIES

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, Feb. 16.—Lieutenant John Skinner, the first white child born in Eugene, Oregon, died here Tuesday, following an operation. Eugene was named after the decedent's father, Eugene Skinner.

OXYGEN GIVEN TO CARUSO

WORLD'S FAMOUS TENOR HAS SEVERE HEART ATTACK.

Bulletin Issued this Afternoon Said Caruso Was Slightly Improved, But Condition Is Serious.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Oxygen was being administered to Enrico Caruso, world famous tenor, this morning, following a heart attack last night. A bulletin issued at 11:30 this morning, said that his condition was not satisfactory, but showed improvement.

A report late this afternoon stated that Caruso was slightly improved.

SECESSION IS ASKED

RESOLUTION IS INTRODUCED IN IDAHO SENATE.

Northern Idaho Would Pull Away From Remainder of State Including Ten Counties.

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 16.—Northern Idaho has asked permission of the 16th Idaho legislature to secede. A resolution was introduced in the senate, of which Senators Christensen, Featherstone, Johnson, Rehberg, Jones, Fisher, Kerriek, Hailey, King, and Porter were the joint authors, calling for the holding of a convention in the administration building at the University of Idaho, Moscow, June 10, 1921, of delegates from the various counties, included in the proposed new state, for the purpose of adopting a constitution to be submitted to the electors of the new state for their adoption or rejection.

The boundary lines of the new state as outlined in the resolution, include the ten northern Idaho counties. This territory claims a population of 150,000 people, an area of 35,000 square miles and property valuations of \$150,000,000.

UMATILLA COUNTY TO GET SECRETARY FROM ASTORIA

ASTORIA, Feb. 16.—C. I. Barr, who has been secretary of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce since February 1, 1918, has resigned his position in order to accept a similar position with the Pendleton Commercial Association, which latter position will carry with it the position also of the newly organized Umatilla Rapids Power Site Association.

Mr. Barr was elected to the Pendleton office in 1918 and had an attractive salary and a good home. How he will be able to accept the offer, he did not say.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

PORTLAND, Feb. 15.—The live stock market was steady today, eggs weak and butter steady.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Today and Thursday, continued cold.

ROOSEVELT BILL TO BE APPROVED

TWO NEW BILLS WILL BE INTRODUCED AS SENATE COMMITTEE MEASURES.

THOMAS BILL FOR CRATER LAKE HIGHWAY, KILLED

Committee Kills Proposition for a Million Dollar Bond Issue For the Construction of a Crater Lake Highway—Counties May Set Aside Money.

SALEM, Feb. 16.—The senate highway committee today voted to recommend the passage of the two new Roosevelt highway bills which will be introduced as committee measures. The one provides for the creation of highway districts by groups of counties or single counties or portions of counties. The other bill provides that any district formed by the coast counties may set aside money in place of the government, to match the state funds for the construction of the Roosevelt highway.

The committee killed the Thomas bill providing for a million dollar bond issue for the construction of the Crater Lake highway.

MURDER TRIAL SET FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

Chin Mon Bill, charged with first degree murder in connection with the death of Jen Sheu, will be tried on Wednesday, February 23. F. S. Ivanhoe will prosecute, while R. J. Kitchen will act as counsel for defendant.

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BILLS PROVIDE FOR PAID VIEWERS

SUBSTITUTE BILL INTRODUCED FOR STATE CENSORSHIP.

State Board Serving Without Pay Would Act as Appeal Body for Motion Pictures.

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CONFERENCE IS TOMORROW

FORMER LA GRANDE MINISTER IS TO SPEAK HERE

Sessions Will Be Held at The Presbyterian Church—Afternoon Session of Interest to Mothers

Rev. Walter L. Van Nuys, former pastor of the Presbyterian church here, who is now director of Religious Education for Oregon, and Rev. Wm. Baird, of Baker, who is Sunday School Missionary for Grande Ronde Presbytery, are to be in La Grande to conduct a conference on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. and at 7:30 that evening.

The afternoon conference will be of especial interest to mothers and to those who have the instruction of young children in the Sunday School. All interested in the Christian Education of the youth of today are cordially invited. It is not of a sectarian character and folks from any, or from no church are cordially invited.

The evening service will be of more popular nature. Each of these sessions will speak on some phase of the subject demanding so much attention today.

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GOVERNOR SIGNED 15 BILLS DURING THE DAY

NORBLAD MEASURE, PROVIDING FOR THE CAPTURING AND KILLING OF SEALS AND SEA LIONS, NOW BECOMES A LAW.

Both Houses Passed the Bill Regulating Bond Houses, As Introduced By Senator McFarland, of Multnomah County, As a Result of the Recent Crash of the Firm of Morris Bros. —Other Measures of Importance Considered.

SALEM, Feb. 16.—Governor Olcott signed fifteen more bills today, including the Norblad measure providing for the capturing and killing of seals and sea lions, and the bill creating the state game commission, and the Hare bill, making the giving of fraudulent repair and other bills obtaining money under false pretenses.

Both houses passed the bill regulating bond houses, introduced as a result of the collapse of the firm of Morris Bros., Inc. Representative McFarland, of Multnomah county, introduced a bill providing for the creation of a state racing commission to control racing. This would permit racing between May 1 and November 1, but no Sunday races.

The reapportionment committee, of which Senator Dennis is chairman, introduced a reapportionment bill to rearrange the senatorial and representative districts, by which it is expected that Eastern Oregon will gain additional membership in the legislature.

The senate this afternoon passed the soldiers' bonus measures, which had passed the house.

Two senators voted against the bonus measure. The senate raised the aggregate of \$15.00 monthly payment, to \$50.00, as against the \$25.00 in the house bill, and the total amount in loans to \$4000.

Bonus Bill Special Order.

The soldier bonus legislation was of special order in the senate at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

After a lengthy debate in the senate, a minority report on the co-operative marketing bill was killed this morning. The bill now goes to the third reading.

The house indefinitely postponed the senate bill authorizing and regulating drugless therapeutics.

The senate killed the bill increasing the salaries of district judges from \$3000 to \$4000, also the Norblad bill defining the duties of coroners.

The house killed the Bennett bill concerning title to lands in lake beds transferred to the United States government.

Criticism to Throw Ball Game.

The house passed Representative McFarland's bill, making it a crime to "throw" a ball game.

The senate has indefinitely postponed the Dennis bill providing for the sale of certain securities and for the issue of debenture bonds based on securities.

SALEM, Feb. 16.—No trace has been found of Lieutenant Alexander Pearson, aviator, who disappeared last Thursday when he attempted a flight from El Paso to San Antonio.

The giant Caproni airplane at Kelly field, capable of staying up nine hours and equipped with a camera capable of photographing hundreds of square miles in a day, will leave today for east Texas to aid in the search for Lieutenant Alexander Pearson, Jr., missing aviator.

Officers will bring the plane to find traces of the missing ship and pilot. The plane will fly at an altitude of 10,000 feet. Suggestions that the huge dirigible at El Paso be used for cruising through the desert at a low altitude with observers, will not be carried out, it was stated, except as a last resort.

Following a telephone call to a border station from Baltimore that a ranchman had seen a ship flying over the Davis mountain Thursday, four ships were sent to search in the vicinity.

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