

Woman Governor Sees No Havoc In Feminine Power

CHEYENNE, Wyo. (AP)—Governor Nellie Taylor Ross of Wyoming, who is rounding out her initial year as the first woman governor in the United States, does not believe that with the vigorous entrance of women into politics will come "an irresistible urge to exercise their newly-found power in some strange and novel way, threatening havoc to the body politic."

In response to a request from the Associated Press, the woman governor summed up her views on the place of woman in politics as follows:

"The question is so often propounded to me in various forms as to what I consider the particular service women may render in politics and government that I am

forced to the conclusion that it is inspired by real concern on the part of the public as to the effect of the general enfranchisement of women. Whether the question emanates from apprehension or hope, I am unable to say.

"It may be apprehension lest with some power long deferred there will come an irresistible urge to exercise it in some strange and novel way, threatening havoc to the body politic. Or it may be the hope that with freshness of interest and devotion to lofty ideals, women will place the politics of the nation on a higher plane.

"If I were to judge by the inquiries that have come to me from various sections remote from my own state—women have voted in Wyoming so long that the public

does not regard suffrage as an experiment—there is more apprehension than hope.

"It is most amusing and amazing to me, for example, to be asked as I was soon after my election whether I expected to appoint any men to office. This question, telegraphed to me from the east by a well-known metropolitan newspaper, had every indication of being quite sincere and was apparently inspired by the fear that the elevation of woman to executive office was likely to be followed by the dismissal of all men and the substitution of women in their places.

"What possible reason there could be for such an opinion with respect to women office-holders, is difficult to understand. Women have been established in the business and professional fields for years without working a revolution in business or in the professions. Feminine physicians, lawyers, scientists, writers, bankers, clerks and others have not to my knowledge effected any great al-

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cluded after a consideration of all seasonal features in the business that there is a balance in movie exhibitions and patronage.

Taking the seating capacity of the theaters as a basis and figuring conservatively on an attendance twice daily, the report on attendance was compiled principally from a report made by H. M. Michigan Motion Picture Theater Owners Association.

A tendency toward the building of large theaters in the cities was noted, presumably to increase seating capacity and thereby lower admission prices. In towns, however, theaters are being erected on a smaller scale. Architectural and utility beauty was shown in the building plans of all modern theaters.

SEED WHEAT LOAN PAID

MORO, Ore.—The entire membership of the state board of control accepted the invitation of the Sherman county committee administering the farmers' wheat loan to be present at a banquet in Moro Tuesday night, December 15, to celebrate the payment in full by Sherman county farmers of every seed loan advanced by the state. Last spring Sherman county received nearly half of the total amount loaned to the farmers. All this money has been repaid.

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teration in the methods and purposes of their particular calling. It cannot be reasonably expected then, I think, that women in public office would make any attempt to revolutionize the government.

"The full privilege of citizenship does undoubtedly place in the feminine hand a weapon formidable in its potential consequences. It opens to woman the door of opportunity for unbounded service, and at the same time challenges her to prove whether she does in reality possess those high ideals and noble qualities which, from time immemorial, men have generously attributed to her. I do not, however, lay claim for her to any monopoly of the virtues that constitute good citizenship.

"Men and women, we are all alike citizens, moved by the same love of country and entertaining the hopes and fears for its future. Conditions that affect one, affect all. Just as in the family the prosperity of the group is reflected upon each of its members, so it is in the state, and insofar as our activities promote the general welfare in exactly so far do they promote that of both men and women. Both have the same responsibilities and there is no plea for good citizenship that can not and should not be made to both alike."

Movies Fluctuate Like the Figures on A Stock Market

NEW YORK (AP)—Feeling the pinch of industrial disputes and the seasonal vagaries of the weather, the number of motion picture theaters in the United States fluctuates much as do the figures on the stock market.

The show houses of the industry have been counted, however, and the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America placed the November total at 26,415. At the same time, figures were released showing that upwards of twenty million people visit these theaters daily.

The tabulation of movie houses was first attempted and exceeds by nearly four thousand the estimates that variously have been made. A significant fact noted in the count was the increase in the number of small houses.

A guide book will be prepared from the data, making available to the patron an index of the picture theaters of the country.

The situation in the antitracite region adversely affected the movie business, as disclosed in a decrease in numbers. Across the country in Montana, however, the activity about the Anaconda mine operations brought the number to a new high figure. Approach of winter weather caused the closing of a large number of coast and re-

sort-entertainment houses, although in other sections it became the season for reopening.

Passing of daylight time and the end of the long summer evenings, inducements for the air-drome and open air theater, were additional factors. The distributors have con-



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