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HUGHES FOR SUFFRAGE**Republican Candidate Declares Position. Favors Constitutional Amendments.**

New York, Aug. 1.—Charles E. Hughes today declared for an amendment to the federal constitution providing for woman suffrage. Mr. Hughes' views on the subject were made public in a letter he has written to Senator Sutherland, of Utah.

Mr. Hughes' letter to Senator George Sutherland was in reply to a telegram received from the senator asking the nominee to define his personal position with regard to the equal suffrage federal amendment. Mr. Hughes replied as follows:

Your telegram has been received. In my answer to the notification, I did not refer to the proposed federal amendment relating to woman suffrage, as this was not mentioned in the platform. I have no objection, however, to stating my personal views. As I said in my speech, I think it to be most desirable that the question of woman suffrage should be settled promptly. The question is of such a nature that it should be settled for the entire country.

"My view is that the proposed amendment should be submitted and ratified and the subject removed from political discussion."

MEETING OF COUNCIL**Regular Session Held Tuesday Evening Only Routine Business Transacted**

The regular meeting of city council was held Tuesday evening. Present: Mayor Britt; Councilmen Bagshaw, Florey and Neil; Recorder Stansell.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Bills for street work, supplies, salaries, etc. were presented, audited and ordered paid.

The marshal was directed to notify Mrs. Hansen to either keep her dog off the streets or dispose of same as complaints have been made that he had attacked persons on the street.

The present condition of city water was discussed at some length: The installation of a filtration or deodorizing process was talked of, also other proposed remedies but no action was taken at this time.

WORK OF CIRCUIT COURT**Summary of Work Done and Expenses for Past Year**

The following summary of the circuit court business for the past year is furnished the Post by Mr. G. A. Gardner, County Clerk:

First—There have been 234 Equity, 143 Law and 34 Criminal cases filed in the year, making a total of 411 cases filed for which fees were received in the sum of \$3,103.00.

Second—Hon. F. M. Calkins was the only Judge presiding during the year and tried cases, as follows: Equity 75; Actions, with Jury 29, without Jury 11; Criminal Jury trials, 10; plea of guilty 10. Trial fees received \$150.00.

Third—Default cases were entered as follows: Equity 151, Law actions 61, Dismissed cases not tried, Equity 30, Law 48, and Criminal 1, with 6 not true bills; Motions etc. taken up in old cases previously disposed of, Equity 19, Law 7.

Fourth—Costs of Petit Jurors \$1,888.86.

Fifth—Court attendants, excepting Clerk; Crier \$261.00, Bailiffs \$117.00, Reporter, \$90.00, Total \$468.00.

All other expenses for Circuit Court, which includes witnesses before Petit Jury and Grand Jury as well as Grand Jury expenses aggregates \$1248.29, making a grand total cost for the year of \$3,695.15.

E. P. McCormack Is Buried At Salem Monday**Funeral Held From Home of ex-Governor Z. F. Moody**

Salem, Or., July 31.—Funeral services were held this forenoon at the home of former Governor Z. F. Moody for E. P. McCormack, a son-in-law of the ex-governor. Rev. Carl H. Elliott, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated and the services were attended by many people. Interment was made in City View cemetery under the auspices of the Masonic lodge. On Saturday the Commercial club, of which Mr. McCormack was a member, passed resolutions paying a high tribute to deceased as a man, a business man and a citizen.

GUNS AT RIVER MOUTH OF ANTIQUATED TYPE**Ten-Inch Rifles and Old Mortars Would Provide Poor Defense**

That the largest target rifles in the Columbia river defenses are only 10 inches and that they should be 15 inches was the statement made by one of the officers of the coast artillery, who has just returned from the summer encampment at Fort Stevens.

"A fleet of modern battleships could come in as close as four miles with the present defenses and hammer our fortifications to pieces," he says.

The mortars used at Fort Stevens are old-fashioned and inadequate to the needs of defense. Where a modern mortar will throw a projectile about 23,000 yards, the obsolete mortars in use will shoot only 15,000 yards. All the equipment of an up-to-date fort is not found at Fort Stevens, according to the officers. There were plenty of men who participated in the encampment, but because of the lack of guns, practice was not highly profitable.

Justice of The Peace to Hold 6-Year Term

Salem, Or., July 31.—Justices of the peace as well as judges of other courts have six year terms according to a decision rendered by Circuit Judge Galloway in injunction proceedings instituted by Justice of the Peace Webster to restrain the county clerk from putting the name of R. C. Wygant on the ballot as a candidate for justice in this city. Judge Webster now holds the office and the circuit court held that he continues in office, under the 1910 constitutional amendment, until 1919. Because of the importance of the question, an appeal will likely be prosecuted to the supreme court.

AXES WRECK ANOTHER SEATTLE POOL HALL

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 1.—The soft drink establishment and pool hall at 3103 First avenue was demolished by the police wrecking squad last night after J. L. O'Mera, a clerk, had been arrested on a charge of violating the prohibition law. Damage estimated at \$2000 was done by the police axes. O'Mera was released on \$500 bail.

OUR OWN STATE**Some Recent Happenings in Various Parts of Oregon.****Child Braised to Death In Barn Saturday Night**

Salem, Or., Aug. 1.—Word was received here last night that the 2-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Farlow was braised to death Saturday evening when the barn on their farm was destroyed by fire. The fire, it is said, was started by a neighbor's boy, aged 5 years, who was playing with the Farlow child.

Convicted And Paroled

Salem, Or., July 31.—After pleading guilty to an indictment charging him with the theft of an automobile, Lewis Reed was paroled Saturday by Circuit Judge Kelly. The machine belonged to Felix Isaacson.

Federal Reserve for City Park

Marshfield, Or., July 31.—The United States government will allow Marshfield and North Bend to use the Coos Head military reservation as a city park, according to advices received from Congressman Hawley.

Escaped Convict Recaptured

Salem, Or., July 31.—Jay Clark, who escaped from the penitentiary in 1913 while a trusty, has been recaptured at Spokane, and will be returned to serve out his sentence. He was convicted in Union county for obtaining money by false pretenses.

New Steel Bridge Opened

Lebanon, Or., July 31.—The formal opening and acceptance of the new steel wagon bridge over the Santiam river here, was held last Wednesday by County Judge D. B. McKnight and Commissioners Butler and Irvine. The automobile of Mr. Irvine was the first vehicle to pass over the new structure. The bridge cost \$13,400.

Special Agent Sent To Mouth Of Rogue River

Salem, Or., July 31.—Declaring that he had received many complaints to the effect that the law governing fishing at the mouth of the Rogue river was being violated, Governor Withycombe Saturday afternoon dispatched a special agent to aid the fish wardens. Should the law violators continue "more rigorous measures will be employed" to compel an observance of the law, said the governor.

Coos Bay Wants Pythian

Marshfield, Or., July 31.—Coos Bay Pythians at the grand lodge in Portland, will boost W. C. Chase for vice grand chancellor and work to bring the grand lodge of Oregon to Marshfield next year.

System of Inspectors Abolished

Lebanon, Or., July 31.—The rural school supervisory system in Linn county has been abolished for the coming year as a result of a vote taken on the matter, as provided by the legislature in 1915. About 75 per cent of the rural school directors voted and the majority was against the system.

INDIAN LANDS TO GO TO HIGHEST BIDDER

Sixty allotments on the Klamath Indian reservation, north of Klamath Falls, belonging to estates of deceased Indians, are soon to be advertised and sold to the highest bidders, according to Engineer H. W. Hineks of the Indian Reclamation Service at Klamath Falls. Much of the land is tillable and parts of it can be irrigated, engineer Hineks said. Superintendent William B. Freer of the Klamath reservation has ordered surveys to be made of all the sixty allotments.

Mr. Hineks said that already this season 655 acres of Indian lands on the Fort creek project on the reservation have been reclaimed to water by the Indians.

"It is love that makes the world go round, but it is not the same with a man. When a man goes round the block, it's a cinch he does it to avoid meeting a creditor."

INDUSTRIAL REVIVAL**Manufactures, Enterprises and Improvements, Providing Payrols and Promoting Development of Oregon.**

Portland, July 31.—Manufacturers and employers uniting to establish open shop clearing house for dock workers at rate of 50c an hour regular time and 75c overtime.

Sutherlin—Everfresh plant building addition to handle increasing fruit crop.

Linn county has abolished rural school supervisors.

Salem—Flax industry not economically managed to result in change of manager.

Oregon gets \$78,000 from federal road funds.

Pendleton—J. P. McManus sells interest in Evening Tribune to strong new company.

Medford—Machinery ordered for up-to-date lumber mill and box factory.

Pendleton—H. B. Blydenstein establishes breakfast food industry.

Marshfield—Thos. Irvine Co will employ about 100 men in new logging camp.

Amity—Company organized to bore for oil near here.

Salem—\$5,000 a week to be spent advertising loganberry juice.

Baker—Plans prepared for building of one or more apartment houses.

Kerry—Columbia and Nehalem River R. R. delivering 600,000 ft of logs daily.

Lebanon—3000 fleeces wool in Union pool sole for 3 1/2 cts lb.

Hood River—Government to sell 330,000,000-ft. timber in forest reserve.

Bandon—Moore mill, closed by longshoremen's strike, operating again.

Riddle ships first 2 cars of chromium ore to Chicago. Hundreds of carloads wanted by Pittsburg companies.

"What we need is payrolls"—Pendleton Tribune.

Eight measures on the ballot in November and few will survive.

Roseburg—25 men employed by Douglas county Fire Patrol association.

Vale—Warmsprings Dist. to vote on \$750,000 bond issue to irrigate Malheur valley.

Portland—Swift packing interests contemplate erection of ship yards on Columbia.

Newport has raised first \$25,000 of \$100,000 for railroad to Portland.

Marshfield—Telephone line to Gold Beach to be rebuilt.

Livesley—T. A. Livesley Co. installing \$12,000 hop drier.

Portland to get 5-story business block on Broadway, cost \$125,000.

Halsey—movement on foot to encourage establishment of beet sugar industry.

Bandon—\$63,000 to be spent on highway to Curry County line.

Forest Notes

Coniferous timber has been found to be better suited than any other for the production of ethyl alcohol.

There are 562 consumers of tannin in the United States who use annually 625,000 cords of hemlock bark, 290,000 cords of oak bark, and 380,000 cords of chestnut wood.

Experts of the Forest Service estimate that the farm woodlots of the United States contain from 200 to 300 billion board feet of lumber and from one to one and a half billion cords of wood.

On March 4, 1907, Congress passed a law changing the name "Forest Reserves" to "National Forests". The former name was considered a misnomer, as the Government forests are not "reserves" in the generally accepted sense of the word; rather are they to be developed and used.

One hundred thirty thousand maps of the National Forests will be distributed to tourists this summer. These maps show the best camp sites, good hunting and fishing grounds, roads, trails and telephone lines, and gives directions how to reach points of interest.

All of the 28 counties of Utah contain portions of National Forests and consequently all share in the 25 per cent of the National Forests receipts which is paid over to the road and school funds. This is true of no other State.

SOLDIERS MARRIED BY TELEGRAPH**Bride Is In Pennsylvania Town Several Thousand Miles Away**

Calexico, Cal., Aug. 1.—J. P. Cryster a private of the Washington national guard on duty here, and Miss Florence Sweeney, at Duquesne, Pa., were united in marriage by telegraph last Saturday. It became known here yesterday. Ministers and witnesses, it was said, participated in the ceremony here and at Duquesne. Chaplain S. S. Sulliger, of Vancouver, Wash., officiated at Calexico. The entire wedding ceremony was repeated by telegraph between the soldier and his bride in Pennsylvania.

Annual Dixie Day Picnic August 9th

At a meeting of the former residents of the southern states who have formed the Dixie Association, it was decided to have their annual picnic in Lithia Park on August 9, and preparations for the event are now being taken care of.

Mr. John H. Dill is president and Mrs. F. F. Whittle is secretary of the organization, and any of the former residents who have not already sent in their names will confer a favor upon the officers by doing so right away. The members of the association pay 25 cents per family, and the money is used for the necessary expenses incident to the outing and other incidental matters of the association.—Ashland Tidings.

A Quiet Mining Deal Pulled Off

T. M. Lowery, D. M. Watt of Butte City, Mont., and D. D. Good of this city have bought the rich mining claims of the ripwoods located on North Hungry creek, Siskiyou county, California. Dave will go to the mines this week and resume operations.—Tidings.

Villa Escapes Again

Chihuahua City, Aug.—Villa only escaped Carranza columns pursuing him in northern Durango, by minutes several times in the last few weeks, according to a report which General Jacinto Trevino announced he had received today from General Garcia in the Penoles district.

Electric Sparks (From Off Our Wireless)

Life is not altogether sad. Corn on the cob is here.

Now we shall see how well Col. Roosevelt has trained his moose.

What is the matter with Kansas? Oh, just the usual lack of harvest hands.

Congress, when it has been properly cranked up, runs almost automatically. Members of American Legislative bodies also might find gas masks useful.

On the trip to Texas each soldier is to have an entire train seat to himself. It is almost enough to make us down trodden editors enlist for the war, instead of enlisting others.

Villa must certainly be dead or he would be standing on some misty mountain top giving Uncle Sam the merry laugh.

A censor has been put on the job at the War Department. No doubt he will get his full share of the blame for the Mexican policy.

The most plausible explanation of the delay in conveying the cavalrymen to the border until the last minute was a desire to show indifference and contempt.

There is also a counterfeit "Americanism" of the kind howled for by the interests that have sought to bring about the annexation of Mexico.

At first blush, boys, the Mexican ladies will impress you but don't mind their blushes.

And why is it that in these times no patriot exclaims, "Lives there a man with soul so dead," etc?

If we were an American in Mexico it could not take so many warnings from the state department to get us out.

Motorists!

We are agents for the famous
Valvolene Motor Oil
none better, also handle **Zerolene**,
Transmission & Differential grease,
Cup grease for all makes of cars.

Casolene filling station on street

We Guarantee
Absolute Satisfaction

Lewis Ulrich

The Pioneer Store

Jacksonville, Ore.