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## INAUGURAL PLANS ARE BEING MADE

WILSON TO SPEAK FROM DESK GIVEN COAT OF WHITE PAINT

## AMERA BATTERY TO BE PRESENT

President Taft Will Accompany Successor to Capitol—Grounds to be Policed by City Officers

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A coat of white paint applied today to the square reading desk from which Woodrow Wilson will deliver his inaugural address March 4 constituted one of the real "finishing touches" to the great temporary structure that has gone up on the east front of the Capitol in preparation for the inauguration.

Across a stretch of asphalt pavement, carpenters are working on the rampart-like stand from which the battery of cameras and motion-picture machines will be trained upon the inaugural scene, but the managers of affairs at the Capitol promise that a week before the day of action practically every detail of the arrangements at the Capitol will have been completed.

Demands from photographers for space on the camera stand have resulted in the erection of the structure. Provision is made for at least 50 cameras. These will be trained upon the square center platform rising a few feet above the outside edge of the immense 8000-seat stand, which stretches back in a gentle rise to the doors of the Capitol.

On available corners of the Capitol and from the tops of the House and Senate wings of the building, supplementary stands have been reared, looking down upon the main structure, and affording perches for Capitol employes and others who cannot be accommodated on the main structure.

Days and nights of labor by the joint Congressional Committee of which Senator Crane is chairman, and by E. L. Cornelius, sergeant-at-arms of the Senate; Elliott Woods, superintendent of the Capitol, and Army officers, representing the general inaugural committee, have resulted in the arrangement of the most of the details for the inauguration of President-elect Wilson.

Under the reading stand at which President Wilson will stand to address the crowd after he takes the oath of office, is a concealed gate that will swing open to allow him to descend to his carriage without passing through the crowd on the stands. Wilson will pass into the Capitol up the broad steps of the Senate wing and after the ceremonies will enter the Senate chamber through the central door of the Capitol to the inaugural stand.

The entire arm of the Capitol grounds will be policed on inauguration day by the regular Washington police. The Capitol police will be withdrawn into the Capitol building for protective purposes. The doors of the Capitol, to which admission may be had by special card only, are to be turned over, however, to strange doorkeepers, so that old friendship and official prestige may have nothing to do with breaking down the strict rules of the day.

## PRESIDENT TO MAKE WASHINGTON SPEECH

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The President left Washington at 12:30 this morning for New York for a two-day stay. Mrs. Taft accompanied him. The President will witness this afternoon the inauguration of work on the memorial to the American Indian at Fort Wadsworth, N. Y., and speak later at a banquet of the American Peace and Arbitration League, returning to Washington Sunday night.

## TREASURY SCORED FOR ANNUAL LOSS

HOUSE COMMITTEE SAYS GOVERNMENT SHOULD SAVE \$2,000,000 YEARLY

## DEPOSITORIES PAY NO INTEREST

Report Declares that Advertising by National Banks for Deposits is Discriminatory

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Denunciation of the manner in which the treasury department conducts its business and the declaration that the government has lost millions of dollars by "crude methods" were voiced today by the house committee on expenditures in the treasury department, which has completed its investigation of fiscal operations and filed its report.

"Interest amounting to \$36,600,000," the report says, "has been lost to the treasury in the last 26 years. The treasury's handling of general surplus funds has been crude, unbusinesslike, unprofitable and discriminatory. A working balance of \$25,000,000 in the treasury is sufficient. The government can increase its revenue \$2,000,000 a year by charging interest on the funds in government depositories."

Referring to the working balance, the report says that large sums have been unnecessarily retained in the treasury, sometimes aggregating \$100,000,000. It adds that in addition to the \$36,600,000 lost by not collecting interest, the government has lost on the "excess balance" retained in the treasury for the last 26 years, figured at 2 per cent, \$47,610,860.

"The right accorded certain banks," the report says, "to act as government depositories is a discrimination against all other banks not so designated, and is a species of special privilege and government favoritism."

The report urges legislation abolishing the depository system and the substitution of a law which would force banks to bid for government deposits.

"There are now 436 depositories," the report continues, "which secure government money without interest, and these are selected solely at the discretion of the secretary of the treasury. There exists between such banks and the treasury department a complete understanding that the department is not to deplete or withdraw its deposits."

The committee also held the permission granted to national banks to advertise as government depositories is also discriminatory, especially when no interest is paid on deposits. The committee declared it had not decided whether it would be constitutional for the government to regulate stock exchanges.

## TALMAGE PAINTINGS SOLD FOR \$298,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Twenty-six paintings of the John T. Talmage collection were sold for \$298,000 as auction here last night, the sale going on record as notable for the total realized from so few pictures. The Romneys commanded the highest price. "A Lady of Quality" brought \$40,100, and "Portrait of Lady Elizabeth Twisden" \$32,000, both going to dealers.

The only real record breaker of the evening was the Turner, a little watercolor "Fidelity" Lake of Lucerne, painted in 1840 for the father of John Ruskin. It went for \$14,400, the highest ever given as far as known, at a public sale for this or any country for a watercolor. A Corot, "Le Sentier au Printemps" was knocked down for \$30,000.

## INAUGURATION DAY IN WASHINGTON (AS THE LADIES ARE PLANNING IT).



## TILL OF SALOON ON MAIN STREET ROBBED

The cash register of William Trudell's saloon at Sixth and Main Streets was robbed Thursday night of \$10. The housebreaker entered through a window on the Sixth Street side of the building. When Carl Rothe, who has the early shift arrived at 5 o'clock Friday morning he discovered that a thief had been in the place. Chief of Police Shaw was notified and is looking for the robber. So far as the investigation has proceeded Mr. Trudell has not found that the man made away with any of his stock.

## SCHNOERR LAUDED BY LEGISLATURE

Representative Schnoerr of Clackamas County can well feel proud of the honor paid him by the House last night when it unanimously passed his bill raising the salary of the county school superintendent in Clackamas County. It was a tribute to the general worth and esteem in which his fellow members hold him. Now, if Mr. Schnoerr would only part with his long whiskers, he could have anything he wanted from the Legislature.

## MRS CARL SMITH HAS DELIGHTFUL PARTY

Mrs. Carl Smith, of Jennings Lodge, entertained at her beautiful home in Jennings Lodge Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Elford Bailey of this city. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in games and music. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The following were present: Mrs. C. G. Miller, Mrs. F. A. Olmsted, Mrs. William Anderson, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Linden, Mrs. Cannon, Mrs. E. L. Pope, Mrs. D. L. Medrum, Mrs. Pratt, Mrs. R. G. Plaster, Mrs. Calkins, and Mrs. D. C. Latourette.

## GLADSTONE WANTS BRIDGE AT R. R. SPAN

The Gladstone Commercial Club Friday evening decided to have two tennis courts, one on the West Side and one on the East Side of the railroad. W. S. Schooley announced that he would give the use of two lots for the court on the West Side. The members declared themselves in favor of having a bridge across the Clackamas River near the bridge of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. An ordinance relating to telegraph and telephone poles was made a special order of business at the next meeting.

## CHURCH BROTHERHOOD HAS FINE BANQUET

The Brotherhood of the Christian Church of Gladstone held a fine banquet at Paddock's Hall Friday evening, about 50 members being present. L. A. Reed, president of the organization, was toastmaster and addresses were made by Rev. S. R. Hopkins, pastor of the First Church of Christ, Portland, and J. Alexander, also of Portland. The menu, which was most delicious, was served by the women of the church.

If you saw it in the Enterprise it's so.



Major General Leonard Wood, U. S. A. Grand Marshal of the inaugural parade which will escort President Wilson to the capitol.

## GLADSTONE MUSICAL IS GREAT SUCCESS

So great was the success of the Gladstone musicale, given Thursday evening in the Gladstone Christian Church, that the participants have been asked to repeat it in Oregon City soon. The musicale, which was under the direction of Mrs. Thomas A. Burke, assisted by Mrs. Nieta Barlow Lawrence and Gustave Flechtner, was a rare treat and the people of Gladstone showed their appreciation of the artists by their hearty applause and numerous encores. Mrs. Burke, who is a pupil of Mrs. Nieta Barlow Lawrence, pleased and charmed her audience with her beautiful, melodious soprano voice, her clear, bell-like tones showing such a strength and ease of production. The "Flower Song" from Faust, was a number which especially pleased.

The "Passage Birds' Farewell" sung by Mrs. Burke and Mrs. Lawrence, was particularly beautiful because of the excellent blending qualities of the two voices. Mrs. Lawrence's smooth, contralto voice harmonizing so well with that of Mrs. Burke's. A great deal of credit is due to the Gladstone Quartet which showed its ability by the finished way in which it sang the "Sextette from Lucia."

Gustav Flechtner again was much applauded for playing and the mellow tones of the violin were pleasing. Garland Hollowell gave an excellent interpretation of Mascheroni's "For All Eternity", his clear tenor completely mastering that difficult song. Miss Sadye Ford accompanied the singers on the piano. The entire program was a big success. About fifty Oregon City persons were present.

**Wanted!**  
Girls and Women  
To operate sewing machines in garment factory. Oregon City Woolen Mills.

**NOTICE.**  
Wacheno Lodge of Red Men will go to Portland tonight to be guests of the Portland Lodge. The Red Men will go on a special car starting from Harding's Drug Store at 7:35 o'clock. George Chambers, Joseph Muench and Gil Thomas compose a committee on arrangements.

If it happened it is in the Enterprise.

## COUNTY DIVISION BILL IS FOUGHT

BIG CROWD GOES TO SALEM TO OPPOSE MEASURE IN SENATE

## GIVES SECEDING SECTIONS FULL SAY

Fish Warden Exonerated of Charges of Mismanagement by Report of Special Committee

SALEM, Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The report of the Special Committee investigating the fish hatcheries at Bonneville in compliance with a resolution introduced and charges made by Representatives Schuebel and Gill, was made today which completely exonerates Master Fish Warden Clanton of the charges of mismanagement. All members of the committee

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## COUNCIL PLANS BIG WATER PROBE

EXPERT ENGINEER TO BE EMPLOYED IN MAKING INVESTIGATION

## KELSEY ONE UNDER CONSIDERATION

Water Said to be Pure Now, but Health Officer has Not Given Official O. K.

The council committee on water Thursday night, at a meeting in the Commercial Club rooms, decided to employ an engineer to make an investigation of water conditions here and report to the committee as soon as possible. The committee will meet at 11 o'clock today and make the appointment. Louis C. Kelsey, an expert, who was connected with the

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**INTRODUCTION SALE**  
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Just by the way of "Howdy" I will place on sale Saturday morning, a dozen of the following articles at slaughtered figures.

Caps	value 50c	sale price 15c
Woolen Hoods for babies	value 60c	sale price 40c
A lot of Wool Mittens	value 25c	sale price 5c
Baby Jackets	value \$1.50	sale price 50c
Ladies' Mufflers	value \$1.00	sale price 40c
3-piece Baby Sets, silk and wool	value \$5.00	sale price \$2.00
Romper Suits	value \$2.75	sale price \$1.25
Tam o'shanter, fine mohair	value 75c	sale price 30c
Tiny Cupid Dolls and unbreakable	value \$3.00	sale price \$1.25
Walking and Talking Dolls	value \$3.25	sale price \$1.35
Imported Musical Dolls	value \$3.00	sale price \$1.25
Beautiful Dressed Dolls, imported	value \$2.00	sale price 75c

Also a fine lot of hand painted China.

COME EARLY 612 MAIN STREET

**Wanted!**  
Girls and Women  
To operate sewing machines in garment factory. Oregon City Woolen Mills.

**TODAY IS Red Letter Day**

Bring your stamp book to our premium parlor today and receive \$1.00 worth of *Green Trading Stamps* Free. NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. IN ADDITION TO THE FREE "RED LETTER DAY" STAMPS WE GIVE DOUBLE STAMPS ON ALL PURCHASES PROVIDING YOU CUT OUT AND BRING COUPON. To secure stamps you must bring coupon.

**The New Wash Dresses**  
FOR STREET AND HOUSE WEAR HAVE JUST ARRIVED

Literally hundreds of them and over fifty different styles to choose from. You'll agree with us, when you see them, that it is no exaggeration to say they are the most charming styles and materials ever shown. No woman can see them without having the desire to possess one or more. We have every size and dozens of styles at prices from

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DOUBLE STAMPS GIVEN ON ALL PURCHASES TODAY, IF COUPON IS PRESENTED AT TIME OF INITIAL PURCHASE.

**Royal Worcester and Bon-Ton Corsets**

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**Remnants Half Price Today**

We offer as an additional attraction each "RED LETTER DAY" the accumulation of a month's selling in the piece goods department, at EXACTLY HALF PRICE. Short lengths in Curtain draperies, flannels, scrims, percales, gingham and muslins, the lengths range from 1 to 5 yards to the piece, the prices are marked plain figures, every piece in the lot on sale today HALF PRICE.

**Shoes for Boys & Girls \$2 Grades \$1.39**

Solid leather durable school shoes for boys and girls in all sizes, box calf, gunmetal and kid, made with full length vamps, double toe and cap and extra solid soles to meet

You will find a large assortment of styles and some exceptional values, any size in the lot at

**\$1.39**

**25c Curtain Draperies 10c**

TODAY, per yard Over 1000 yards of printed scrims, swisses and 33-inch nottingham designs, plain or finished scallop edges, a manufacturer's end of the season clean up, and the rarest opportunity you have ever had to purchase high grade curtain materials at less than cost, white, ecru and colors. Any pattern today at the yard

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**New "Middies" \$1.09**

The new spring mildy blouses and fabrics excel all previous offerings. Plain loose style or Norfolk designs, with belts, made of white duck or galleata, with fast color navy or red trims. 20 dozen of the best \$1.75 grades in all styles and sizes on sale today at each

**\$1.09**

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