

GOOD TO REQUIRE FISH LAW FIGHT

Officials of Washington to Be Asked to Secure a Decision.

COMPLICATIONS IN VIEW

Authorities of Sister State Must Furnish Data Regarding the Rights Which Apply to Interests at Stake.

Washington officials will be asked immediately to carry into the courts for a legal determination the controversy affecting the fishing rights of Oregon and Washington in the Columbia River. This step has been decided upon by the fishing interests of that state, which have been in the delay of initiating this litigation, which, it was understood, was to be brought immediately following the conference which was held in Portland between the chief executives and other officials of the two states Sunday.

Urges Appeal for Fishing. Before leaving for his home last night, Mr. Burke, who is Republican nominee in his county for state representative, said he would write to Governor Mead and urge Washington state officials to refer the matter immediately to perfect the appeal to the United States Supreme Court in the Chris Nelson case, but at the same time would agree to appoint a commission representing the fishing interests of Washington to confer with a similar commission to be named by Governor Chamberlain. The purpose of these commissions as proposed by Mr. Burke is to meet and prepare a set of uniform fish laws to be presented for enactment by the legislatures of the two states this winter. Fishermen are content to recognize that the only way the serious tangle in which they now find themselves is to be solved satisfactorily is for both states to agree on uniform legislation on salmon fishing so far as the Columbia River is concerned.

Reports From Deputies. Deputies from the Master Fish Warden Crawford, who is in charge of the upper Columbia and reported having found only one fisherman, an Indian openly violating the law. They reported that practically all unlawful fishing on the upper river is being done with set nets which makes the work of the deputies the more difficult. Numerous arrests are being made daily on the lower river.

MANY ARRESTS BEING MADE. Deputies of Master Warden on Look-out for Violations. ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 16.—The fisheries station here is quite on the surface, but water balliffs and deputies are under orders of Master Warden McAllister are incessantly at work watching both shores and making frequent arrests for violation of the law. Numerous cases have been filed with Assistant District Attorney Howard Brownell up to tonight Tuesday and eleven more were filed today, upon which he is issuing removal warrants and these are being served as rapidly as possible. There is much talk here of an expected restraining order in this behalf, but none is sure of its source or character. The great majority of the cases and warrants alluded to above are directed to the traps and trawlers of the Washington shore.

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BAD CHECKS, THE CHARGE. Detectives Arrest Man Who Is Considered Expert at Forgery. Edward Johnson, regarded by the police as a "bad check" artist, was arrested by Detectives Coleman and Price last night in Vancouver, Wash., and brought to this city, where he was locked up in the city jail charged with uttering a forged check. Although arrested on a "John Doe" warrant specifying only one charge, Johnson is credited with having perpetrated a large number of swindles in the city and is awaiting him here a score of victims from whom he is alleged to have netted several hundred dollars. According to the police Johnson has cashed bad checks while disguised in the clothes of a workman. His plan, it is said, has been to present himself to a storekeeper on Saturday night, holding a check in hand, and offer to check draw on some well-known firm in payment for a small purchase.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The success of the home rule movement is no longer in doubt. Thanks to the splendid moral support of the United States and of the various British colonies, Ireland will enjoy self-government in less than 15 years. "This was the confident statement made tonight by John Redmond, the noted Irish Nationalist leader and member of Parliament, who is here for a three weeks' visit. He will address the members of the United Irish League in Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Chicago.

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