

REDFIELD MAY GO. IS LATEST RUMOR

Secretary No Business Man and Is Declared as Misfit in Wilson Cabinet.

OPINIONS NOT PRESIDENT'S

As Head of Department of Commerce Mr. Redfield First Gets "In Bad" at Time of Eastland Disaster—Other Instances.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Nov. 3.—Secretary Redfield, head of the Department of Commerce in the President's Cabinet, is now the favorite with speculators on Cabinet retirements, and scarcely a day passes that does not produce a new Redfield retirement rumor.

This is not the first time Secretary Redfield has been slated for retirement by Dame Rumor, but never before have the rumors been as insistent as now, and not until now was Mr. Redfield regarded as the most likely man to retire, if there are to be further changes in the Cabinet.

Secretary Bryan was the favorite with the "retirists" for more than a year before he did resign. Then came Secretary Daniels. But Secretary Daniels, by creating the board of invention, and later by completely changing front on the question of an adequate Navy, and by endorsing in toto the recommendations of the General Board of the Navy, has come to be a Cabinet favorite, notwithstanding the fact that a year ago he threw in the towel and discarded the identical recommendations he has now approved. With Secretary Daniels, however, as bygone, and he is steadily growing in popularity since he was converted to the big Navy idea.

Eastland Actions Unpopular. Secretary Redfield first got "in bad" because of the manner in which he conducted an investigation of the Eastland disaster at Chicago, in which he attempted to shield the steamboat inspectors, who are his subordinates. The President called off Secretary Redfield, the Federal grand jury indicted the inspectors and the Secretary had shown partiality, and the incident was forgotten. It, at least, was not regarded by the President as grounds for asking Secretary Redfield's resignation.

Lately, Secretary Redfield has been having much to say on the question of National business and National finances and the tariff. He evidently voiced his own opinions, though at first it was presumed he spoke after consulting the President. But Secretary McAdoo, who is Secretary Redfield's senior, took radical issue with the several statements made by the Secretary of Commerce, and presumably Secretary McAdoo reflected the President's views.

Interview Is Reported. A few weeks ago Secretary Redfield woke up to the fact that the United States, after the close of the European war, might become the dumping-ground for cheap products from abroad, and thought to guard against the flood by changing the tariff law. He quickly dropped that idea, and turned to anti-dumping legislation as preferable to tariff revision, and ever since has been boasting for an anti-dumping law at the coming session of Congress. The other day the White House put out a statement to the effect that the President had not yet approved an anti-dumping bill, or the principle involved, but was striving to gather information upon the matter. Then Secretary Redfield, resorting to a practice so common with public men, repudiated the statement, and announced that he had denounced the anti-dumping bill, and that the incident remains to be seen.

There is no doubt in the minds of public men in Washington but what Secretary Redfield, who is not a business man, but merely a politician, is a misfit in the Cabinet, and especially as head of the Department of Commerce—a position calling for exceptional business ability.

LISTER TALKS OF ROADS. Hoquiam Hears Prediction of State System in Six Years. HOQUIAM, Wash., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Governor Lister was the guest of the Hoquiam Commercial Club today at the weekly luncheon, and for the first time he has paid to Hoquiam for more than a year.

The Governor devoted the greater part of his address to a discussion of highway-building problems of the state and to economy in state business. He declared against any project to bond the state to build roads, and said he believed it better to build roads entirely paid for under the present plan of the state than to go in debt. He thought if the present policy of state highway building is carried out a system of state highways opening all of the important valleys and points in the state will be completed in six years. He also expected to see the Olympic Highway completed in four years clear around the peninsula.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIES. James Carroll, of Pendleton, Long Umatilla Court Bailiff. PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—James Carroll, 72, a Civil War veteran, died here this morning. Mr. Carroll served in Company F, Second Illinois Regiment, United States Veteran Volunteers, until the close of the war.

He moved to Pendleton in 1884 and was bailiff of the Umatilla County Court and grand jury for more than 20 years. Carroll was the last charter member of the Kit Carson Post, No. 28 Grand Army of the Republic, and served as the first lieutenant of the first militia company organized in Pendleton.

BAKER MILLS TO EXPAND. Improvements Costing \$18,500 to Increase Capacity by Winter. BAKER, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Because of the increase in the lumber business here two Baker mills will spend \$18,500 at once in improvements that will give them a greater capacity this winter. The Oregon Lumber Company today arranged for the installation of four drykyls, each to have a capacity of 50,000 feet.

Excavation preparatory to actual construction work will start at once and it is expected to have the kilns ready for use this winter. The Baker

White Pine Lumber Company is adding a stacker and unloader, which will make the plant's three kilns do the work of four. The cost is \$1500. The improvements also will be ready for this winter.

PIONEER, 103, ASKS PENSION. John Finlayson, Yukon Explorer and Prospector, Applies at Sitka. SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 3.—John Finlayson, aged 103, discoverer of Finlayson River and Finlayson Lake, in Yukon territory, has applied to the board of trustees of the Pioneers' Home at Sitka, Alaska, for a pension under the Alaska territorial law providing for aged pioneers. Finlayson prospected and mined gold in California until he was 68 years old, then went to British Columbia and Yukon territory and explored large areas into which white men had never penetrated.

For many years Finlayson has lived at Wrangell, Alaska, subsisting on the savings of his placer gold mining. He retired with what he supposed would be money enough to care for him all his life, but had not expected to attain such a great age, and the years have now exhausted his hoard.

IRRIGATION POLICY IS SET. Idaho Land Board, Takes Stand as to Future Openings. BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 3.—(Special.)—In the future there will be no opening of irrigation projects in the State of Idaho until the irrigation company in charge of constructing the canal and reservoir system has water actually ready for delivery. This is the important policy adopted by the State Land Board.

The stand has been taken because promoting companies sell water rights for lands in the respective projects they had contracts with the state to reclaim. In many instances these companies permitted settlers actually to occupy the land before the canals were built. In other projects twice as much land was sold as there was water to irrigate.

STEFANSSON IN ARCTIC 36. Explorer's Dispatch Schooner in Seattle After Hard Trip. SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 3.—The power schooner Ruby, which sailed from Bailey Island in the Arctic early last September with dispatches from Vilhjalmur Stefansson, arrived here today. Captain Cottle, of the Ruby, says that Stefansson, who is 36 years old today, appeared the very personification of rugged health in spite of the strenuous year he had passed, much of the time without sufficient food.

The Ruby, after passing unharmed through the winds and ice of the Arctic, came to grief 700 miles from Cape Flattery. Gales tore her sails to ribbons and disabled her steering gear. She was picked up off the cape by the coast guard cutter Snohomish and towed to Port Angeles.

RECALL COST NEAR \$2500. Yakima Commissioners to Pass on Claims for Ousting Predecessors. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Recall of County Commissioners Lancaster, Stahlt and Stuart in a special election on October 6, cost Yakima County approximately \$2500, according to estimates made yesterday by County Auditor Charles E. Barrett, who is getting the election claims together. They will be acted upon by the new Board of County Commissioners, appointed to the vacancies created by the recall.

The largest item is the pay of members of election boards in the 89 precincts in which the election was held. No election was held in three precincts.

Farmers to Visit Stockyards. ESTACADA, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—As a result of the dinner and meeting held under the auspices of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company at the Hotel Estacada on October 20, at which about 100 farmers of the Estacada county were entertained, a co-operative livestock shipping association considered, a special excursion, consisting of the carloads of local stockraisers, will visit the Portland Stockyards next Monday, November 8, as the guests of the stockyards officials.

Pendleton Girls to Exhibit Cookery. PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—School girls, students of the domestic science department, will go to Hermiston Saturday to take part in the domestic science demonstration there in connection with the Hermiston Hog and Dairy Show. The girls are Rose Gordon, Fay Duff, Emily Carney, Ruth Isaacs, Natalie Ferguson, Nellie and Leona Bowman, Leta Agee and Juanita Friedly.

Centralia Election Entries Yet On. CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Frank Roberts filed for Mayor yesterday and S. E. Sprim and Caleb Berry for Commissioners, leaving only one candidate, P. T. McNitt, yet to file for the coming municipal election. Nineteen candidates have filed. The last day for filing is Saturday. The total registration passed the 2200 mark yesterday, with the registration books not closing until November 15.

Auto Theft Laid to Extradited Pair. CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Information charging Mr. and Mrs. S. Baker with grand larceny for the theft of an auto was filed in the Lewis County Superior Court yesterday. The Bakers were arrested in San Francisco and returned to this county Saturday by Sheriff Tom Foster after a hard fight on the Sheriff's part to obtain extradition papers.

Busman Is Spoken by 90,000,000 persons from 25 nations, and that this disease is less dangerous than many others common to our country is the statement of an expert.

THERE IS A VAST ARMY of men and women who really never know what it is to enjoy sound, vibrating health—who would be surprised to suddenly gain that exhilarating vitality that robust health brings. Literally thousands without any particular sickness live in "general debility," as the doctors call it—have headaches, are tired and indifferent. To all such people we say with unmistakable earnestness—"Take Scott's Emulsion after meals for one month and allow its rare oil-food to enrich and enliven your blood, quicken your circulation, stimulate nutrition, and aid nature to develop that real red-blooded life that means activity, enjoyment, success." Scott's Emulsion is not a drug, but a pleasant food- tonic—free from alcohol. One bottle may help you. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 15-31

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\$10,000 GOES BEGGING RUB RHEUMATISM PAIN FROM SORE, ACHING JOINTS. WASHINGTON COMMISSION ORDERS LINE VALUATION COMPLETION. Seattle Council Is Taken to Task for Refusal of Sum Offered to Complete Unfinished Work. OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Ten thousand dollars which the Puget Sound Traction, Light & Power Company, of Seattle, is seeking earnestly to give away still is going begging. This sum recently was offered to the City of Seattle and declined. Yesterday almost the entire galaxy of officers and attorneys of the company appeared before the Public Service Commission, urging that body to accept the \$10,000, but the Commission refused, sending instead a letter to the Seattle City Council today, urging the Council to take the previously rejected cash. The traction company desires to have completed an official physical valuation of its properties, in connection with its proceedings before the Public Service Commission to be relieved of its gross earnings tax, street paving and other obligations imposed by its Seattle charter, the company claiming that Seattle's municipal streets and onerous restrictions imposed have violated both the spirit and letter of the franchise contract. The Public Service Commission started valuation of the company's property, but was compelled to abandon this, through shortage of funds, the company then offering \$10,000, successively to the city and the state, for completing this valuation. In its letter to the Seattle City Council the Commission announces that the company is entitled to be heard on its petition for relief from franchise obligations, and virtually serves notice that unless the city takes advantage of the company's offer means to complete the valuation, the case will be heard upon the company's evidence, a complete physical valuation already made by company engineers. Barton Woman Is Dead. ESTACADA, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Mrs. Edith Woodie, wife of Ray Woodie, a prosperous farmer of Barlow, died Sunday. The funeral services were held at the Estacada Christian Church Tuesday, Rev. Mr. Givens officiating. Interment followed in Lone Oak Cemetery nearby. Mrs. Woodie

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