

RIGHT OF WAY IS GIVE LAND BILL

Oregon & California Measure to Be Called Up Soon, May Be Passed in Day.

SENATORS BEGIN ACTION

Committee of Upper Body Will Not Permit Forest Reserve Provision to Enter Bill—Mr. Bean Obtains Hearing.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 5.—The Oregon & California land-grant bill by unanimous consent of the House of Representatives today was declared a "privileged measure," and right of way was given it over all other legislation except appropriation bills and previous special orders.

Chairman Ferris expects to call up the bill for consideration next week, and expresses the belief that it can be passed in one day, as few members have expressed any desire to discuss it at length. Mr. Ferris believes the bill will pass in substantially its present shape, though he thinks an effort may be made in the House to cut down the percentage of receipts paid to Oregon and the land-grant counties. He believes it will be possible to ward off any move to throw part of the land into forest reserves.

Senate Report Coming Soon. Senator Chamberlain today called a meeting of the subcommittee of the Senate public lands committee, having his original land-grant bill in charge, and said later that the subcommittee probably would make its report to the full committee tomorrow. He says it is his opinion that the subcommittee and the full committee would report to the Senate substantially the bill reported by the House committee a few days ago, but he is positive that the Senate committee and the Senate itself will assent to his original plan to give to the state of Oregon 40 per cent of the receipts and give an additional 40 per cent to the county.

In all other essentials, he said, the bill reported to the Senate will be generally in accord with the bill now before the House.

House Bill in Favor. He and the subcommittee favor the House bill, as that measure in its present form has the endorsement of the Attorney-General, Secretary Lane and Secretary Houston, and by reporting practically the House bill final action will be expedited. The differences between the two houses over the amounts to be paid the state and counties will have to be fought out in conference.

Senator Chamberlain further said the Senate committee would not incorporate in the bill any provision throwing part of the grant into forest reserves, other than small tracts to protect the water supplies of Portland, Oregon City and Corvallis.

The subcommittee today gave a hearing to Mr. Bean on the proposed amendment permitting various Oregon ports to participate in final benefits under the land-grant bill, but took no action.

COYOTE SPREADS RABIES

Animal Bites Dogs, Which Infect Cow and Canines in Grant County.

BAKER, Or., May 5.—(Special.)—Rabies has broken out in Grant County. There is fear of both coyotes and dogs known to be infected and at large. A dog of Walter Keeney, Long Creek rancher, went mad from a coyote bite and infected other dogs of the vicinity, also one of Mr. Keeney's cows. Lawrence Waterbury killed the coyote after the animal had destroyed two wild geese. The dog of Ralph Ritter, of Galena, was also infected and caused a panic in that neighborhood. Chief of Police Jackson, of Baker, yesterday killed a stray dog reported to be mad.

JAPANESE AT HOOD RIVER

Visitors From Portland Are Won Over by Blossom Week.

HOOD RIVER, Or., May 5.—(Special.)—No party of Blossom week visitors has been more enthusiastic over the beauties of the Hood River Valley than that composed of prominent members of Portland's Japanese colony, who have been entertained by M. Yasui, a Hood River Japanese merchant.

The other members of the party were: S. Sekiguchi, secretary of the Oregon Japanese Association; T. Ode, editor of a Japanese journal; and Mr. T. Takeoka, an attorney and graduate of the Oregon University Law School, and S. Tomihiro, assistant secretary of the Japanese Consulate.

DUNDEE MEMBERS GUESTS

Sixteen From Woman's Club Accept McMinnville Invitation.

DUNDEE, Or., May 5.—(Special.)—In response to an invitation from the Civic Improvement League of McMinnville, a delegation of 16 members of the Dundee Woman's Club was in attendance and, with representatives of other county organizations they were entertained by the McMinnville clubs Thursday.

PENDLETON YOUTH CHOSEN

Wesley Mims Appointed to Naval Academy at Annapolis.

PENDLETON, Or., May 5.—(Special.)—Wesley Mims, captain of Pendleton High School team, basketball guard and football player, has been notified of his appointment to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis.

He took the examination last month. He expects to enter Annapolis in July. He holds the state high school javelin throw record. He is a grandson of the late Mayor W. F. Matlock, of Pendleton.

THE MOUNT HOOD HOTEL.

The Mount Hood Hotel, Hood River, Or., will serve a 25 cent chicken or turkey dinner Sunday, May 7. With its broad porches overlooking the Columbia River, this hotel is second to none in the convenience and comfort it offers the motorist over the Columbia River Highway.—Adv.

WOMAN RECRUITING OFFICER OPERATES IN CANADA.



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Mrs. CLARA S. ANDERSON, L.A. Mrs. Clara S. Anderson Laub recently arrived in New York after having worked three months recruiting in and about Ontario, Canada. Mrs. Laub cannot speak too highly of Canadian patriotism and says that there is no finer show of patriotic spirit than on the Indian reservations. The 11th Battalion, now in training, is largely composed of men of the Six Nations, most of whom have good educations and who are splendid shots. Many of the red men who have volunteered and gone to the front have proved of inestimable value as scouts.

Mrs. Laub's duties as recruiting officer bring her in contact with all classes of men who wish to "do their bit." Among recent recruits were several ministers, who believe it their duty to enlist and fight for their mother country.

BRITAIN GIVES IN

Teutons Taken From American Vessel to Be Released.

PRECEDENT TO BE AVOIDED

Formal Reply Will Be Couched in Terms Not Conceding Belligerents' Right of Asylum Under Neutral Flag.

LONDON, May 5.—The British government has decided to release the 35 Germans and Austrians who were taken from the American steamship China. The release of these men will be ordered immediately.

The action of the British authorities in ordering the release of the seized passengers on the China was not unexpected, as it was known that the last American demand declined to admit of any form of legality in the reasons given by the Foreign Office for their detention.

The formal document in reply to the final American note on the subject is not yet in readiness, but according to Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of War Trade, it will be framed carefully, so as not to admit the general right of belligerents to enjoy the protection of a neutral flag. In the present case Great Britain admits itself in the wrong in the facts outlined in the American remonstrance, but the reply will be couched in such terms that no general precedent will be established.

The State Department at Washington has contended that the facts in the case are similar to those of the famous Trent affair, but while it is not known what attitude the British reply will adopt toward this argument, Lord Robert Cecil gives it as his personal opinion that the two cases present wide differences.

The release of the prisoners, who are held at some place in the Orient, will be made immediately.

STOLEN MAIL RECOVERED

All of Men Accused of Ferry Boat Theft Are Arrested.

NEW YORK, May 5.—All the valuable stolen registered mail bags on a ferryboat between this city and Communipaw, N. J., last March have been recovered and all the men alleged to have been connected with the robbery have been arrested. Federal officials announced today when indictments were returned by the Federal grand jury against three of the four men under arrest.

The men indicted today were Edward Quigley, who was arrested in Baltimore; Thomas Benson, a bricklayer, and his brother-in-law, Louis Winder, who at the time of the robbery was an automobile driver in the employ of the Postal Transfer Service Company. The fourth man was Robert H. Brogan, a speculator in second-hand jewelry.

The values recovered include securities with a face value of \$268,000 and jewelry valued at \$8000.

200,000 MAY LOSE VOTES

California Must State Party if They Participate in Primaries.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—More than 200,000 California voters who declined to state their party affiliations on the new register which opened this year must register their political colors before July 29 or forfeit their vote at the August primaries, it was said today by the registrar of votes here.

The situation was brought about because the referendum was invoked against the non-partisan registration law passed by this year's special session of the Legislature.

Offices to be contested in the August primaries are one United States Senatorship, two seats in the House, four State Senatorships and a list of vacancies in the Assembly, besides local Judgeships.

LINER CHASES OFF U-BOATS

British Steamer, Twice Attacked, Is Believed to Have Sunk Foo.

LONDON, May 5.—The British liner Clan MacFadyen has arrived in Gravesend from Africa somewhat damaged by the gunfire of two German submarines. The steamer returned the fire, and it was believed on board that one of the submarines was destroyed.

The steamer reported that the first attack on her was made in the Bay of Biscay, when a submarine fired 80 shots at her at a range of 80 yards. The steamer brought her big gun into action and hit the submarine several times, and it is believed destroyed four fired a torpedo, but missed the Clan MacFadyen by a few feet.

Nearly 100 of Iowa's 900 dangerous railroad grade crossings will be made safer for Iowa this year.

DYE TRUST FORMED

Germans Prepare to Regain Market After War.

BITTER STRUGGLE LIKELY

Co-operative Concern to Distribute Information of New Processes and to Meet Competition of Protected Producers.

BERLIN, via London, May 5.—Countries that either are counting on obtaining any part of German's aniline dye trade or making themselves independent of German dyes must expect a bitter struggle after the war.

This is indicated by the action of all the leading chemical concerns in Germany making aniline colors, in forming a coalition for the protection of their mutual interests. Impulse has been given to this plan by a realization that certain foreign governments are doing all that is possible to encourage the making of aniline dyes in their own countries by subsidies or increased tariffs or other protective laws, and that further measures of a similar nature are expected to follow.

A further factor is the present loss of almost the entire foreign market, which the Germans dominated before the war. The new coalition will adopt every possible means to improve the quality of dyes, in order that foreign competition may be overcome. The members of the coalition will co-operate in obtaining protective laws and will exchange information on new processes of manufacture, so that all may be in a position to meet competition advantageously.

Nearly all the members of the coalition increased their earnings during the past year and some of them increased their dividends, notwithstanding that foreign markets were closed to them.

WILLAPA PROVIDED FOR

COMMITTEE ADDS \$247,450 TO NORTHWEST HARBOR ITEMS.

Senate Amendment Would Increase Expenditures \$2,000,000 Over Those in House Measure.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 5.—No change was made by the Senate commerce committee in the Columbia River appropriation carried by the river and harbor bill reported to the Senate today. In fact, none of the Northwest items will be altered.

The committee, on motion of Senator Jones, incorporated one new item for the Northwest, authorization of the Willapa Harbor project, for which \$100,000 cash is appropriated and a continuing contract of \$247,450 authorized. This appropriation is made contingent on the local community's contributing \$123,900.

The committee added \$1,050,000 for construction of a diversion dam in Los Angeles Harbor. It was amended by the committee, the measure would appropriate about \$4,000,000, an increase of \$2,000,000 over the House bill.

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Oregonians at Last Stanford Band Dance of Year.

Portland Students Are Prominent in Social and Athletic Activities at Palo Alto.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Palo Alto, Cal., May 3.—(Special.)—Last Saturday night was the date of the final band dance of the year. This was given in the new gymnasium, with a good attendance.

Several Oregonians attended, among them being Miss Grace Rossiter, Marian Allhands and Florence Knapp and Ryland Eugene McClune, Willoughby Richardson, Lindsey Ross and Leslie Sharp.

Robert Krohn, Jr., is assistant physical director at Belmont Academy this semester.

Diek Grant has been recently initiated to the honorary law fraternity, Phi Delta Theta. He ran for the varsity in the recent track meet.

Rachel King has been assisting in mathematics this semester, while taking graduate work.

Leslie Sharp is completing his second graduate year in mining engineering and physical chemistry. He graduated from Portland Academy in 1908.

Gwendolene Smith is an Alpha Phi member and Grace Rossiter is a Kappa Alpha Theta. Both are Portland Academy graduates.

Herbert Sessions and Mr. Wartzweiler have their points on Salva Tiers this year.

Professor Stanley Astredo Smith, who taught French for a year at Reed College, is now assistant professor of romance languages at the university.

Marian Allhands, who attended Reed the two years previous, has been active in athletics.

Neil Richardson Allen, of Grants Pass, was president of the sophomore class the past semester.

F. A. Betts, of Etnacada, rowed stroke on the second "7" crew.

Jack Day is a Zeta Psi man.

Florence Knapp, of Washington High School, has been active in Y. W. C. A. work.

Two Portland Academy men are taking law. Roland Lockwood, Jr., and Hobart Mitchell.

H. R. Wilson, of Washington High, is the student body president and a prominent track man.

Oregon is the best represented of any state outside of California, with an enrollment of 82 this year.

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SPECIAL SHOWING AND SALE OF WOMEN'S HANDSOME TAILORED SUITS. In Taffeta Silk and Fashionable Wool Materials. \$17.95. Surprising Values for This Sale at \$17.95. If you are economically inclined and wish to purchase a handsome new suit you should not fail to visit this sale. You have choice from several fashionable models in reasonable weight pure wool fabrics and others in fine quality taffeta silk in navy and black—these come with double collar—are shirred at waistline and finished with belt. All sizes from 16 to 42. Style, quality and fit considered \$17.95. Women's New Voile & Colored Stripe Waists 89c—\$1-\$1.25 Lines. Models to suit every taste—long sleeves, low neck, large collar, etc. Fine voile and colored stripe 89c. Waists in all sizes. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 grades at 89c.

SATURDAY SOAP SALE. SIX BARS SOAP FOR 18c. Two well-known makes—five 18c bars Lurline White Floating Bath Soap and one Bar Oatmeal Toilet Soap. The kind that usually sells for 2c a bar. Saturday's bars for 18c. None delivered except with other goods. TOOTH PASTE AND BRUSH 29c. A standard 25c Tooth Brush, bone or transparent handle, regular value 50c. Saturday-only 29c. 25c Mentholatum, 15c. 25c Colgate's scented Cream, 20c. 25c Java Rice Powder, 35c. 25c Packer's Tar Soap, 19c. 10c Wild Rose Soap, 7c. 10c Violet Glycerine Soap, 7c. Sweetheart Talcum, 6c. 25c Violet Talcum, 15c.

Out-of-the-Ordinary Values in Muslin Skirts 98c. Values to \$2—See Third-St. Window. For Saturday we are offering an extraordinary special on Muslin Underskirts. All new models received within the last two weeks. A huge showing of embroidery styles, beautiful imported Swiss, hand-loom, cambric and batiste embroideries; some with deep embroidery flounce, others with deep flounce with embroidery insertion and edge to match. Also a big line of lace models, flounce trimmed, with rows of fine Platt and German Val. insertions, with edge to match. All these Skirts are extra well made and cut on the new wide circular model and finished with cambric under flounce and dust ruffle. Regular values to \$2, Special 98c.

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