

MAJORITY IS LOW
TO SENATOR WATSON

General Wood Runs Second in Returns Received.

INDIANA DEMOCRATS QUIET

Primary Fight Making Great Stir but No Party Organization Behind Any Candidate.

Reimbursement According to Plan to Be Derived From Sale of Indian Timber.

AGED INDIAN WOUNDED

Assault in Bad Condition With Bullet Through Hand.

Organization Is for Watson.

As it has been made clear by the poll that a majority of the organization is loyal to Senator Watson, the question arises as to whether the delegates will follow his lead in the convention. He has not indicated his preference, but his friends say that probably he would be for Harding or Lowden.

NORWEGIAN PASTORS MEET

Pacific Northwest Conference at Aberdeen This Week.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 15.—(Special)—The Norwegian Methodist Episcopal church here is holding its Pacific northwest will be held at Aberdeen starting tomorrow. The services will continue until Sunday night, March 21. Meetings will be held daily, starting at 9 o'clock in the morning, with evangelistic meetings in the evenings.

RECTOR FOR CONGRESS

Rev. Owen F. Jones of Baker Indorsed for Representative.

BAKER, Or., March 15.—(Special)—The Baker central labor union has strongly indorsed the candidacy of Rev. Owen F. Jones, rector of St. Stephens Episcopal church, for nomination on the republican ticket to the office of United States representative from the second Oregon congressional district.

Motor Fire Truck Authorized.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 15.—(Special)—The Montesano city council has authorized the purchase of a motor fire truck at a cost of \$10,000. The action of the council was approved at a citizens' meeting held for the purpose of considering the move.

Sure Relief

BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION

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Rely on Cuticura To Clear Away Skin Troubles

MURINE After the Movies

Wholesome-Cleansing-Refreshing

When Your Eyes Need Care

LEASE OIL LAND ROYALTY IS SET

Government Asks One-Third of Well's Flow.

NEW ACRES TO BE OPENED

Future Territory Will Be Portion to Highest Bidder in Competitive Open Market.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Production royalties ranging from 12 1/2 to 12 3/4 per cent on the lease of government oil lands under the claim relief action of the land leasing bill were prescribed in regulations issued today by the interior department. Practically all withdrawn lands now being operated under claim are made subject to the assessment.

With the maximum one-third royalty applying to all wells producing 200 barrels or more a day, the quality of oil being specified as "30 degrees Baume or over," the assessment is graduated according to production down to the minimum of 12 1/2 per cent for wells producing less than 20 barrels per day. For oil below that quality the maximum royalty is fixed at 25 per cent, with the same minimum.

Royalties on Withdrawn Land.

These royalties apply to all government oil lands upon which claimants located prior to their withdrawal under the act of September 27, 1909, and which are producing practically all the oil now flowing from the withdrawn areas.

New Areas to Be Offered.

In connection with the leasing of these lands, it was said that preparations for their offers were being made as rapidly as possible.

As to all conditions governing relinquishment to the federal government of oil land claims, which under the law must be filed by August 25, the regulations are chiefly a definition and clarification of the law.

Regulations for enforcement of the general provisions of the act deny citizenship rights to citizens of any country which does not extend similar privileges to citizens or corporations of this country is another feature.

SENATE REAFFIRMS STAND

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of naval forces of the United States under any article of the treaty for any purpose, unless in any particular case congress, which, under the constitution, has the sole power to declare war or authorize the employment of the military or naval forces of the United States, shall, in the exercise of full liberty of action, by act or joint resolution, so provide.

Highway Link Is Ordered.

HOQUIAM, Wash., March 15.—(Special)—Resigned to the necessity of paying an unusually high price on the lowest bid because of high cost of labor and material, but realizing that the work has to be done without delay, the property owners of Simpson avenue, an important section here, have just voted on an outlay of \$2.25 per yard for paving 6000 feet. This means that the inter-city link of the Olney highway will be completed.

AVIATION TEST IS DARING

PROFESSOR LIVES SIX DAYS IN AIRTIGHT CAGE.

Experiment Made to Learn of Oxygen Conditions at Extreme Altitudes.

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LONDON, March 15.—A daring experiment bearing on aviation has just been made by Joseph Barcroft, assistant professor of physiology at Cambridge university. The question involved was whether it is possible to calculate the quantity of oxygen necessary to an aviator at great altitudes.

Mr. Barcroft was shut up for six days in an airtight glass case about 7 feet high and 10 feet wide. This case was divided into two compartments, one fitted with a lounge, a chair and a table, and the other with a simple bed. At the foot of the bed was a pedaling apparatus consisting of the frame of a bicycle, from which the front wheel had been removed, and with a small back wheel with a brake attachment to enable Mr. Barcroft to get some physical exercise and do a certain amount of work.

During the six days he was in the cage Barcroft spent his time in work relating to the experiment, taking exercise on the bicycle and sleeping. He was kept under observation day and night to insure his personal safety, undergraduates taking turn to keep watch.

Although neutral nitrogen gas was continually introduced into the chamber, the air in it became gradually rarer in oxygen until it approximated the air at an altitude of 18,000 feet. The experiment is regarded as thoroughly successful.

Deputy Files Petition.

THE DALLES, Or., March 15.—(Special)—W. L. Crichton, deputy county clerk, has filed petitions for nomination for county clerk at the republican primaries in May. Pearl Jarvis, present county clerk, will not be a candidate for re-election. Mr. Crichton is a well-known resident of The Dalles. He was appointed deputy county clerk last year by Mr. Jarvis.

For many years he was agent for the Regulator line steamers, when the D. P. & A. N. company operated boats between The Dalles and Portland. He has been actively engaged in publication of the Wasco county republican central committee.

DISCOUNT NOT RELISHED

Kiwanis Club of Canada Prepares to Attend Convention.

SASKATOON, Canada, March 15.—(Special)—If the city of Portland will accept the Canadian dollar at 100 per cent, a large number of local Kiwanis will attend the international conference of Kiwanis clubs to be held in the Oregon city June 15 to 19. Kiwanis club members all over western Canada are said to feel much the same way; they do not fancy losing money by the trip, which would be a natural result under the present American discount on Canadian money.

A special train will cross Canada, starting at Toronto, Ont., and picking up delegates from every city en route. At the same time an effort is being made to have the Kiwanis clubs of the eastern United States travel to Portland via Canada.

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SPRING SEWING DAYS

Preparing for Easter

With Easter Sunday only three weeks away, you will appreciate the many special selections in this showing of extra early spring styles in everything you will need to make up your Easter wear.

Note, too, the economical prices at which such superior as well as correctly styled items are offered at this time.

A Complete Showing of Spring Hosiery

We cannot remember when we have offered so many stunningly beautiful designs in dainty hosiery. Some with the fairy mesh of lacelike weaves; others in beautifully shaded, soft-finished threaded hose of glovelike weaves, in every shade.

Especially Attractive Are the Phoenix Silk Hose

\$1.80 PR. For Phoenix Silk Hose with lisle heel, toe and garter top, seamless foot and fashioned back.

\$1.85 PR. For Phoenix Pure Silk Hose with lisle heel, toe and sole. Seamless, with new cloaking effect.

\$2.10 PR. For Phoenix Pure Silk Hose, mock seam back and seamless foot with lisle heel, sole and toe.

\$2.15 PR. For Phoenix Pure Silk Hose with lisle rib top and lisle heel and toe.

\$2.60 PR. For Phoenix Pure Silk Full Fashioned Hose with lisle heel, sole, toe and garter top.

\$2.15 PR. For Phoenix Out Size Pure Silk hose, seamless and with lisle heel, toe and garter top.

\$2.55 PR. For Phoenix Out Size Pure Silk Hose, mock seam back, seamless foot and lisle heel, toe and garter top.

\$3.15 PR. For Phoenix Out Size Pure Silk Full Fashioned Hose with lisle heel, toe and garter top.

Here's a Splendid Saving—To Assist You With Your Spring Sewing—All Sorts, All Widths, All Styles and All Lengths.

Laces at Half Price!

A clean-up of broken lines at exactly one-half regular selling prices. Included are Edges and Insertions in all widths and many patterns—also Allovers and 18 to 36-inch Flouncings, Net Top, Silk Chantilly, Shadow, Val., Oriental, Venise, Cluny, etc. They come in white, cream and black. It's a sale you should not fail to attend.

Embroideries at 10c Yd.

Dainty Baby Sets—Edges and Insertions of Long Cloth and Swiss—also 6 to 9-inch Cambric Skirtings—Ribbon Gallons and Beading.

Skirtings at 25c Yd.

Both Imported and Domestic Long Cloth—Swiss and Cambric Skirtings from 9 to 13 inches wide. Open and closed patterns—all worked with firm edge.

Flouncings at 59c Yd.

Fine Swiss Flouncings in dainty baby patterns and large bold designs—an unlimited assortment of patterns to select from.

Emb. Voiles at 39c Yd.

Embroidered Voile of splendid quality. Flouncings and Allovers in white or Copenhagen embroidered in pretty color combinations. All new patterns and all undervalued.

Most Attractive Modes in Spring Garments

At Prices You'll Be Pleased to Pay—Come and Inspect Our Offerings

Suits at \$65.00

Coats at \$19.95 to \$75.00

Just see if you can equal these smartly Tailored Suits at anywhere near the above price.

They are easily the most attractive Suits shown at such a low price. The materials are fine Serges and Tricotines—they come in straight-line and belted models. Also Ripple and Eton effects—and are hand-tailored.

New and exclusive Spring style Coats are in this showing at a price to suit every purse.

Especially attractive and popular are these shown in Jersey and Polo Cloths—you are sure to be pleased in style—fit—color, and price, if you make immediate selection at this sale.

SPECIAL! SPECIAL! Sale of

Fine Bungalow Aprons at \$1.79

Reductions Range From 25 Per Cent to 50 Per Cent Below Present Mill Prices. We Own These Garments on Last Year's Market and We Offer Them to You on This Basis, Plus a Heavy Discount Due to Overstock on These Numbers.

About 32 styles to select from in neat patterns, from smart rickrack trimmed alipovers to the extremely popular Balmacan, middy, side and shoulder fasten, butterfly, Mary Adams and many others. They come in solid colors, plaids, checks, blocks and fancies and in small, medium and large sizes.

The materials are Bates ginghams, Amoskeag ginghams, chambrays, standard and 80-count percales, Hyde's indestructible suitings, heavy block ginghams, etc. Such materials as speak for themselves. Cloths you are all familiar with—SPECIAL AT \$1.79.

New Curtaining at 50c Yd.

Pretty new curtain materials in Swiss, Madras, Scrim and Marquisette. They come in white, cream and ecru; also colored figures, flower and dot styles.

Special Showing at 50c Yard

MEN'S HOSE

25c PAIR For Men's Cotton Socks, all standard colors.

50c PAIR For Men's Mercerized Lisle Socks; all colors.

50c PAIR For Men's Fiber Silk Socks; black and white.

\$1.00 PAIR For Men's Silk Socks, in standard colors.

35c PAIR OR 3 FOR \$1.00 For Men's Cotton Socks, all standard colors.

\$1.25 PAIR For Men's Fancy Silk Socks in colors.

\$1.15 to \$3.15 PR. For Men's Silk Socks in colors.

For Spring Housecleaning

Standard Broom55c

Roberts' Special Broom69c

Pheasant Brand Broom98c

Tommy Tucker Broom98c

Favorite Broom\$1.19

Riding Hood Broom\$1.25

Mother Hubbard Broom\$1.50

Scoville's Best Broom\$1.69

Whisk Brooms, 15c, 25c, 35c and50c

Regal Mop and Polish39c

Boss Polish Mop69c

Big Wonder Polish Mop50c

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