

DEMOCRATIC SENATE PERILS IRRIGATION

Mayor of Echo, Or., Pleads for Republican Control.

OREGON STATE TO SUFFER

Dumping of Canadian Wheat and Meat and Hides From Overseas Duty Free Another Danger.

A. B. Thompson, mayor of Echo, Or., and widely known to a host of friends as "Ace" Thompson, declared yesterday that the future of irrigation projects in Oregon hinges on republican control of the coming United States senate.

Mr. Thompson is one of the directors of the large Teal irrigation project in Umatilla county. This project embraces about 20,000 acres. It covers the district between the Umatilla river at Echo, to Butter creek and extends about 15 miles from the junction of these streams to the Blue mountains.

Federal Aid Not Given. "Because of inability to obtain the federal aid to which Oregon is entitled from its own payments into the reclamation fund this has had to be undertaken as a private project," said Mr. Thompson.

"This and other private irrigation projects in Oregon, which, when completed, will water thousands of acres of land now arid and unproductive, is handicapped greatly by the tightness of the money market. Ordinarily, eastern Oregon wheat and stock ranchers would be able to finance it, but they can't help now because they are all hard hit by the dumping into this country of vast quantities of Canadian wheat and of meat and hides from abroad, duty free, under the Underwood democratic law.

Eastern Oregon Sees Needs. "In eastern Oregon practically every one is aroused to the absolute necessity of a protective tariff on these articles. Present conditions, if long continued, mean ruin for them. They also will be even more far-reaching, in that they will prevent the development of the country through projects, such as the Teal and others that are held up through inability to obtain funds.

Democratic control of the senate would inflict a still further blow on the irrigationists because Senator McNary would then lose his place as chairman of the important irrigation and reclamation committee in the senate.

These are a few of the reasons why eastern Oregon is more aroused over the coming election than it has been over any election in many years. Harding for president, Stanfield for United States senator, and the whole republican ticket will be overwhelming vote in every county."

GOWNS CAUSE \$2000 SUIT

Court Hears Description of Missing Lingerie; Woman Accused.

Pictures of elaborate ruffled afternoon gowns and descriptions of lingerie gave Circuit Judge Stapleton's court much the atmosphere of a style show yesterday, when evidence was presented in the case of Mrs. Harriet W. Etherton against Mrs. L. E. Parshall, proprietor of the Westminister apartment here the plaintiff had been living.

Mrs. Etherton alleges that the defendant made way with numerous garments, window curtains and the like belonging to her and is suing for \$2000, their alleged value, and \$1000 damages.

Knowledge of the thefts is denied by Mrs. Parshall, whose attorneys point out that at the time the theft was supposed to have taken place Mrs. Etherton had been adjudged insane and was spending a week or more in confinement in the state hospital. A hearing of the case will be continued today.

HOW INDIGESTION CAN BE CORRECTED

Attacks of indigestion are often the cause of much worry because the victim begins to fear that there is something seriously wrong with the stomach. As a matter of fact nine-tenths of all forms of indigestion are directly traceable to one common cause—thin blood.

If the blood is weak the process of digestion is retarded. Food instead of being passed along and made ready for assimilation by the body, remains in the stomach. Decomposition and fermentation in the stomach are generated. Gas distends the stomach and the walls of the stomach press against the heart and other organs, interfering with their normal action. Headache, depression and feelings of distress develop. The body loses weight and the complexion grows pale.

To avoid repeated attacks of indigestion and to prevent the complications which usually ensue, begin treatment at once with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a tonic which acts directly on the blood giving it the elements which are required to restore vitality to the entire system. The value of this treatment is illustrated by the experience of Mrs. M. Doerrmann, of No. 125 Arlington street, Dubuque, Iowa.

"My stomach was so badly upset that indigestion followed nearly every meal," says Mrs. Doerrmann. "It was in such distress that it was hours some nights before I could get to sleep. I grew very weak, my color was poor and I could hardly walk about. I grew nervous too and never felt well.

"A friend who had taken Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with benefit advised me to try them. After I had taken two boxes of the pills I felt so much improved that I kept on taking them until I was completely well. My color is improved, I eat heartily now without distress and sleep soundly. I heartily recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to those who have stomach trouble."

A booklet, "What to Eat and How to Eat" which tells about the treatment will be sent free on request by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. All druggists sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 60 cents per box.—Adv.



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PROBLEM UP TO VOTERS

ELECTORS RESPONSIBLE FOR NEED OF SPECIAL TAX.

Treasurer Adams Calls Attention to Increase in City Expenses and Reduction of Revenues.

Passage by the voters in recent years of various measures the trend of which have been to increase city expenses and reduce the city's revenue are responsible largely for the necessity of continuing next year the special three-mill tax which was adopted by the voters a year ago to carry the city through the period of high costs, according to City Treasurer Adams.

By direct vote of the people there was added to the city's annual expense \$140,000 for a two-platoon system in the fire bureau, and from \$50,000 to \$200,000 a year in the cost of engineering street and sewer improvements, it is pointed out. By direct vote there was taken from the city's annual revenue since 1912 several hundred thousand dollars, says Mr. Adams. Among these items are \$400,000 a year for liquor licenses, \$200,000 for a new city hall, \$100,000 in fees for engineering street and sewer improvements. No provision has been made by the voters in adopting these measures to make up for the revenue lost.

The city has been hit by high cost the same as private households and business houses, he says. To enable city employees to live the city has been forced to raise wages 50 to 75 per cent, records show. Therefore, a given amount of work now costs 50 to 75 per cent more. Material costs in some instances have advanced several hundred per cent.

A tabulation of comparative costs of things used most by the city has been prepared by the purchasing department. The following are the results:

Cement, per barrel	1914, 1920
Sand, per yard	2.30 1.65
Crushed rock, per yard	1.75 1.25
Lumber, per 1000 feet	10.00 31.00
Shingles, per 1000	1.00 2.50
Shingles, per load	2.15 5.25
Hay, per ton	15.00 34.00
Wheat, per ton	24.00 44.00
Straw, per ton	8.00 14.00
Gasoline, per gallon	14 23
Paper, per case	8.50 18.00
Paper, per pound	10 25
Cast iron pipe, per ton	30.00 32.75
Two-inch galv. pipe, per ton	16.50 34.50
Cast iron pipe, per ton	16.50 34.50

SEWER ESTIMATE READY

Balch Gulch Trunk Line to Drain West Side Heights.

Plans and estimates for the Balch gulch trunk sewer have been prepared by City Engineer Laugaard and will be submitted to the city council at its meeting Wednesday, October 27. The sewer will be the first large one which will provide for sections outside of the city limits. These sections will also share in the expense of construction, whereas formerly only the city property was assessed.

The sewer will drain all of West-over terraces, Willamette heights and 1000 acres outside the city limits, in addition to the industrial center and all the lowland adjacent to these districts.

According to the city engineer's estimates, the cost will be \$347,658. U. S. Commissioner Takes Office. Kenneth Fraser, newly appointed United States commissioner for the Portland district, assumed the duties of his office yesterday. Mr. Fraser,

who has been deputy federal clerk for six years, succeeds Frederick Drake, who recently resigned after serving eight years in the office. E. M. Morton, deputy clerk in charge of naturalization work, has been transferred to deputy federal clerk, while E. M. Shilov of Astoria will take charge of the naturalization work.

FRATERNITY HAS DINNER

Oregon Alpha Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa Meets at Imperial.

The Oregon Alpha chapter of the Phi Delta Kappa fraternity gave a well-attended and successful dinner at the Imperial hotel last night. About 25 members were present. At the business meeting which followed an extensive programme for the coming year was adopted which provided for a series of talks and lectures by prominent men of the city along practical and educational lines. The first talk of the series is to be given in the near future, the speaker to be announced later.

Plans for the Christmas tree for the poor children of the city also were discussed. Several dances and other social events were decided upon.

CHILD STEALING CHARGED

Husband Accused of Inducing Sons to Leave Mother.

A warrant charging child stealing has been issued against George Strayer by Deputy District Attorney Deich and police are now making a search for the missing man. The warrant was issued on complaint of his wife, Mrs. Dolly Strayer, who charges her husband with abducting their two young sons. She alleges he came to a place where she was working in Polk county and induced the boys to leave with him. Strayer formerly conducted a mission known as Strayer's Mission in the north end.

Placer Postmaster Named.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Mrs. Electa J. Anderson has been appointed postmaster of Placer, Josephine county, Oregon.

Thompson, Kirby Touring.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Oct. 18.—(Special.)—The Lewis county republican central committee announced today

that George M. Thompson and Alwood A. Kirby will spend this week in the county. Starting today at Napavine, the two men will address republican rallies at Vader, Meshik, Walville, Silver Creek, Mossyrock, Doty, Littell, Aljune, Toledo and Pe Ell.

Cowlitz to Have Jury Term.

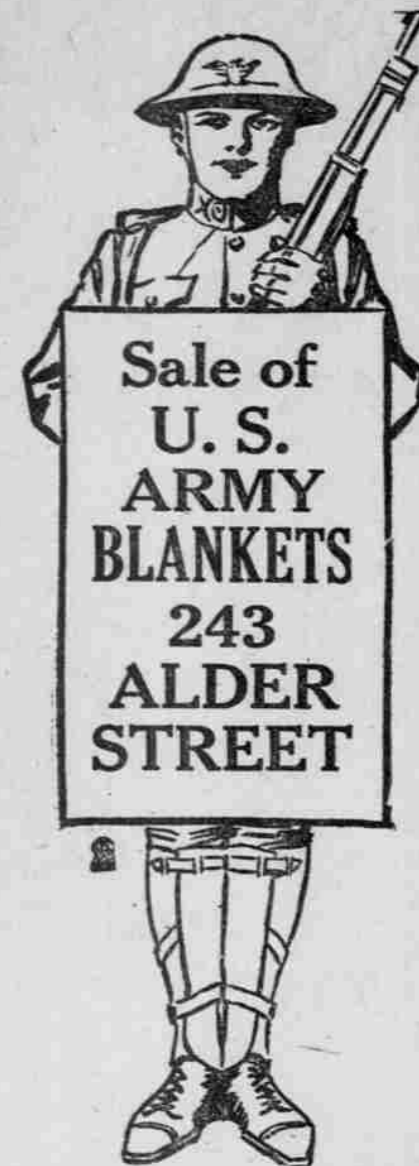
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