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It is the secretary's plan to gather around him leaders in commerce who can see what should be done to develop the trade of the country. The rapid rise of Mr. Huston in Tennessee strengthens the belief that he is of the type which Mr. Hoover has described. He has been one of the leaders in business affairs of the new south. Years ago, he left his native state of Indiana and went to Tennessee to become assistant professor in a business college. It was here that he attracted the attention of the progressive element of the rapidly developing concerns in Tennessee. He was the moving spirit in organizing some of the largest concerns in the state, and his interests soon extended beyond its borders.

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Porter brothers also submitted an alternative bid amounting to \$215,425.25.

All of the bids were referred by City Commissioner Pler to Fred M. Handlett, chief engineer of the water bureau, for investigation. It probably will be a week before the recommendations for award will be made.

The bids were opened yesterday afternoon in the office of the city purchasing agent. The contract is one of the largest given by the city for a number of years. The bids based on the specifications made in the proposals were as follows:

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The company some time ago refused to supply current for operating the pumps of the district, according to the records in the case, whereupon the district appealed to the commission for relief.  
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Justice Named Commissioner.  
ROSEBURG, Or., May 2.—(Special.)—George Jones, justice of the peace

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