

NEW PENNSYLVANIA SENATOR TABLE MAN

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—From the national point of view, and from the non-partisan point of view, the outstanding event about the selection of George Wharton Pepper as the new senator from Pennsylvania is that it is beginning toward restoring the intellectual standing of the senate. As such, it is the first step in a nation-wide policy recently inaugurated by the management of both parties.

It would be difficult to find terms too elevated to describe Mr. Pepper, personally, or the manner of his appointment. For Governor Sproul, it was one of those acts which are not only patriotic in the impersonal sense, but which also involve the submergence of self-interest.

Governor Sproul's own career. Governor Sproul was urged to resign the governorship in order to take the office himself. To Pepper, however, that was not so much, perhaps, but in naming Mr. Pepper Governor Sproul also makes his own advancement in the future impossible.

Mr. Pepper's appointment is only to serve out the unexpired term of Senator Penrose. In the republican primaries next May and in the election next November, Mr. Pepper will be competing with Mr. Penrose for the name of the state as Mr. Pepper.

Governor Sproul's self-abnegation, coupled with the kind of man Mr. Pepper is, is such an action as gives a sense of exaltation and makes one feel the country is headed in the right direction. Mr. Pepper is, in every sense, a non-political appointment. It is unpardonable to every one of the organized interests that have dominated the selection of Pennsylvania senators for more than 30 years. It gives no comfort now, and Mr. Pepper will give no comfort in the future, to any interest of any sort that can be described as political.

Senator Pepper Able Lawyer.

Both in the size of the man he is and in his previous public activities, Mr. Pepper cannot be described in the ordinary terms of political affiliation. He was about the only lawyer of his standing in Philadelphia who was sympathetic to Colonel Roosevelt. When Mr. Roosevelt began his presidential campaign in 1912, Mr. Pepper not only gave sympathetic support, but actually went to Plattsburg and became a color sergeant in the first volunteer regiment of the 101st New York.

It is just such striking individual acts, based on the desire to do what is naturally right, that have always marked him as a public character. He is constantly turning up in the most important moments of the state. He is in the line of the most prominent figures in the state. He is in the line of the most prominent figures in the state. He is in the line of the most prominent figures in the state.

League of Nations Opposed.

He is probably the most active and strongest layman in the organization of the Episcopal church in America. When the matter of joining the league of nations came up, he was deeply moved, and became the vice-president of the counter league for the preservation of American independence. Recently he organized and became the most energetic leader in the Philadelphia movement for better pay for school teachers.

All this sort of thing, Mr. Pepper does without taking on the color of what is commonly meant as a "prominent character." He is a man of quietude. He was a professor of law in the University of Pennsylvania for 17 years, and is now a trustee of the same university, and has numerous degrees conferred for eminence in his profession from several universities. In the senate Mr. Pepper is a man of like an oak, both for his intellectual strength and for his independence of ordinary political considerations.

Seniority Rule Impedes Strength.

Mr. Pepper's selection, as a beginning in the strengthening of the senate, leaves two things to be done. One is to abolish the seniority rule, which makes it impossible for an able senator to give the country the benefit of his talent until he has undergone a long experience. The second is to end more men like Mr. Pepper to the leadership of both political parties is agreed. Right now the democrats are seeking earnestly to elect Vice-President Marshall, and the republicans are seeking earnestly to elect Mr. Pepper. The republicans are seeking earnestly to elect Mr. Pepper. The republicans are seeking earnestly to elect Mr. Pepper.

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18,000 ACRES ARE AVAILABLE
ALONG TULE LAKE.

Reclamation Service Plans to Have
Large Area Open to Homestead
Entry After October 31.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—Announcement is made by Herbert D. Newell, manager of the Klamath reclamation project, that there are now being offered for lease approximately 18,000 acres of land along the northern and easterly shores of Tule lake, consisting of 214 tracts varying in size from 37 acres, the smallest, to 233 acres, the largest lot or tract.

The leases will be made to expire October 31, 1922, when, if funds meanwhile are available, the reclamation service will have constructed sufficiently advanced so that a considerable area may be thrown open to homestead entry.

One lot only will be leased to each person regardless of the acreage and the minimum price that will be accepted for a lot will be \$50. Persons desiring to lease land at the local reclamation office until 9 A. M. Monday, January 22, 1922, at which time they will be publicly opened. Plans of the land may be seen at the reclamation office or at the postoffice of Bly, Klamath Falls, Malin, Merrill, Midway, Port Klamath, Bonanza, Dairy, Lorella and Tule Lake.

PAYROLLS ARE ADJUSTED

SEATTLE STREET CAR FORCE
PUT UPON CITY BASIS.

Train Crews Get Same Rating and
Salaries as Uniformed Men
in Municipal Service.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 9.—Alleged inequalities in the payroll of the Seattle street car system were ironed out today when the city council decided to put street railroad trainmen on the 1922 payroll at the three highest ratings of the classification to which they have been transferred by the change from a per diem to a monthly pay basis.

As the case was put by Finance Chairman Fitzgerald, the new salary ordinance, under the provisions of which the new rate was fixed, prescribes the same rates as other uniformed city employees, policemen and firemen are paid. These rates are \$125 a month for the first, \$145 for the second, \$150 for the third, and \$155 for each month thereafter. Present trainmen of the lowest grade will be paid \$145 a month, while those entering the employ of the city as trainmen subsequent to the enactment of the ordinance will be started at \$125.

Seattle city officials declare this to be the first city in the United States to change from a per diem to a monthly basis for pay of street railway trainmen.

DEAD DIRECTOR HONORED

Gresham Union High School Will
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GRESHAM, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—Union high school at Gresham will be closed tomorrow afternoon by order of the board of directors, as a mark of respect to Charles H. Johnson, who died Saturday afternoon in Good Samaritan hospital in Portland. School talks were given in assembly this morning by Principal Cannon and W. C. Lawrence, chairman of the board, who were above everything else, the work done by Mr. Johnson as one of the directors of Union high school and characterized him as a man who was above everything else, a loyal friend of the students and faculty.

The funeral will be held from the Baptist church in Pleasant Home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Club Elects Three Directors.

The annual election of directors of the Laurelhurst club was held last night at the club's quarters, and the following men were chosen to serve with the other four who remain in office: A. C. Holmes, Dr. W. Hugh Williamson and Robert B. Wanless. About 150 members were present at the meeting. The board of directors will get together in a few weeks to elect officers for the year.

Youth, 16, Held as Robber.

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—Clarence Johnson, 15, resident of Glendale, was ordered held for the grand jury by the juvenile court for the robbery of a cigar store at Glendale. Johnson's partner was George Holtclaw, 19.

Phone your want ads to The Oregonian, Main 7070, Automatic 560-25.

Henry James, Robber; Irvin Cobb, Swatsmith.

Bazy Identification of Celebrities Given by a Few University Students.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—Did you know that Henry James was a robber, Irvin Cobb, a baseball player, and that a blimp is a sort of a jellyfish? These were some of the answers made in a psychological test for journalistic adaptability given to the students last week.

The test, which is the work of Professor Max Freyd of the Carnegie Institute of Technology, formerly of the psychology department of the University of Washington, was administered by Dr. Kimball Young, professor of psychology at the university.

Most of the answers were vastly more accurate than those cited, said Professor George Turnbull, who is now checking the answers, after

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"The manufacturing plants I have mentioned recently by Ollie Hensley, an extensive apple grower in the White Salmon valley in western Klickitat county. Mr. Hensley reported that on one of his cars of Spitzenberg apples which he had sold in New York he received a net return of \$11.47 a box. The fruit was handled by Sgobel & Day, a New York fruit firm.

Longing Suit on Trial.

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The case, which is expected to have paid out \$47,000 on the contract, which it set up, the defendants failed to fulfill. The defense claims that whatever deviation was made from the original contract, was made with the full knowledge and consent of the plaintiff.

Baby Home Trustees Re-elected.

At the annual meeting of the Baby Home association held last night at the Hotel Vancouver, Mrs. William Shepherd and Mrs. J. W. Vogan were re-elected trustees for the next three years. N. C. Maria, state mill inspection, was elected a trustee to fill