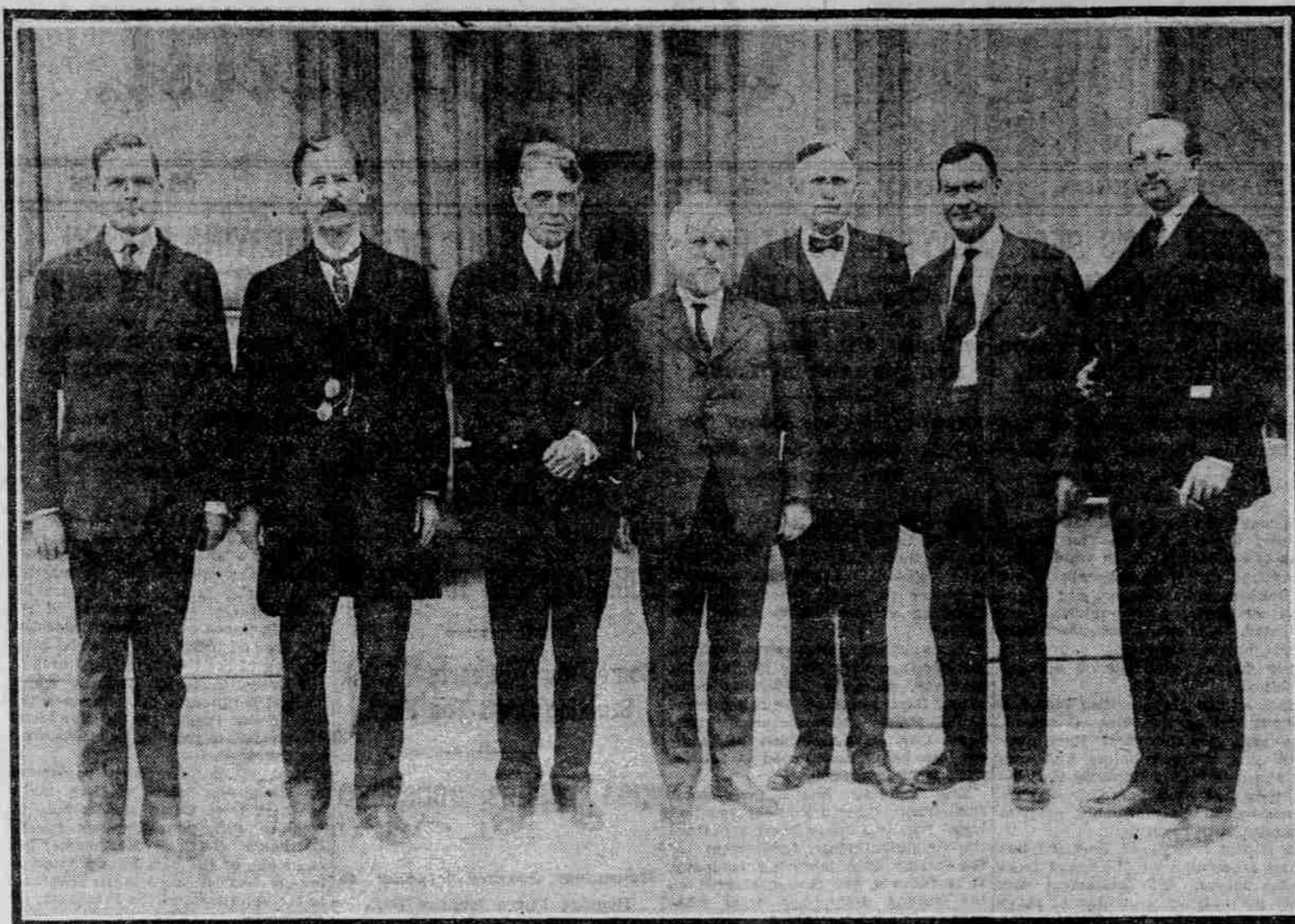


NEW PLAN FOR FARM RELIEF FRAMED BY EDISON.



Senate agricultural inquiry committee: Left to right—Senators Charles L. McNary of Oregon, Claude A. Swanson of Virginia, Arthur Capper of Kansas, before a secret session of the senatorial agricultural inquiry committee. Thomas A. Edison last week recommended establishment by congress of a titanic government warehouse system for solving the nation-wide agricultural depression. Mr. Edison's plan would give American farmers an almost monopolistic control over their products through operation of a "full-year" storage provision.

SLUTS DECLARED TRAILING SENATORS

Mr. Daugherty Again Scored by Democrat.

MORSE CASE DRAGGED IN

War Fraud Cases Cause of Attacks, Says Attorney-General in Formal Statement.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24.—Attorney-General Daugherty charged today that Senator Caraway, democrat, Arkansas, speaking today in the senate, with having assigned secret service operatives to shadow members of congress.

cording to his expense account filed with the secretary of state today. Other expense accounts filed today follow: J. A. Churchill, republican, for state superintendent of schools, \$100; Benjamin H. Perkins, republican, for representative from first district, \$10; George A. Lovely, democrat, for representative 18th district, 1 cent; George G. Bingham, republican, for circuit judge third district, \$50; Walter G. Loren, republican, for representative 18th district, nothing; Hall S. Cook, democrat, for representative 18th district, nothing; Sherman Miles, democrat, representative 20th district, nothing; Walter B. Jones, republican, for state senator third district, \$63.35; J. W. Hamilton, democrat, for circuit judge second district, \$9; Harvey G. Starkweather, democrat, for governor, \$191.50; Dr. Donnell D. Havens, democrat, representative 18th district, nothing; John H. Hall, republican, for state senator, 14th district, \$68.50; Thomas H. Hubbard, republican, representative 18th district, \$10; Oliver N. Hickey, republican, for representative 18th district, \$74.75; Edward C. Judd, republican, 13th district, \$35.50.

WHAT CONGRESS DID AS ITS DAY'S WORK.

Senate. Caraway charged that department of justice spies on members of congress and accused attorney-general of "willful and malicious falsehood."

GIRL IS SHOT BY CALLER

Young Woman Seriously Wounded at Pueblo Academy.

PUEBLO, Colo., May 24.—Miss Consuelo Baca, aged 18, was shot and seriously wounded today by Miss Josephine Liberto, aged 21. Miss Liberto called at the academy in a taxi cab and saw Miss Baca and was permitted to do so, the sister superior thinking the visitor came from Mrs. Baca, who was ill.

JERSEY BREEDERS FEAST

Three-Day Jubilee to Begin Today in Linn County.

ALBANY, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—Prominent Jersey breeders from many parts of Oregon and several from other Pacific northwestern states gathered in Albany tonight for a banquet at the Jersey public, a three-day tour of the Willamette valley, beginning tomorrow under the auspices of the Oregon Jersey Cattle club.

Moonshiner Fined \$150.

ALBANY, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—Sheriff Kendall bought a gallon of moonshine last night at the home of William May at Mill City. "I'm particular about this stuff," said the sheriff, "and before I take this would like to see where it is made."

First Outdoor Meeting Held.

BEND, Or., May 24.—The first of a series of outdoor meetings planned by the Bend commercial club was enjoyed today, the club membership motoring to the Tumaia fish hatchery this noon for its weekly luncheon and business session.

Deputy Sheriff Quits Job.

SALEM, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—Clifford Lewis, deputy sheriff of Marion county, has resigned, according to announcement today. The resignation will become effective June 1. Mr. Lewis has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Valley packing plant near Salem.

Show to Feature Vegetables.

REDMOND, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—The managers of the flower show which is to be held in Redmond in August have decided also to feature the early vegetables and fruits. The object of this is to interest children in the growing of vegetables.

THIEHOFF SPENDS \$217.75

Expense Account Is Filed for Primary Campaign.

POWER PERMITS ISSUED

NORTHWESTERN ELECTRIC COMPANY INCLUDED IN LIST.

Preliminary Grants Are Announced by Federal Commission at Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24.—Issuance of preliminary power permits was announced today by the federal power commission as follows: R. C. McDonald, Williams, Cal., a two-year permit for power development on Convict creek, a tributary of Owens river, Los Angeles' source.

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Advertisement for EverSharp pens and Wahl pens. Includes an illustration of a pen and text: 'Your own EVERSHARP', 'All-Metal Barrel Holds More Ink', 'We Have a Large and Complete Stock of Eversharp and Wahl Pens', 'PEN EXPERTS Consult them, free Woodard, Clark & Co. Alder at West Park'.

Advertisement for Thompson Optical Institute. Includes text: 'THE SIGN OF PERFECT SERVICE', 'Proper Glasses', 'Thompson Optical Institute', '209-10-11 Corbett Building Fifth and Morrison Sts. Established 1908. Chas. A. Rusco, Pres. and Gen. Mgr.'

Advertisement for Portland Crematorium. Includes text: 'The monument erected to former President James Garfield.', 'Not alone in America—but throughout the civilized world, people erect tombs when they wish to honor some national figure who has stepped behind eternity's veil.', 'There is not and never can be anything beautiful or hallowed about earth burial. The thought of it is repugnant to thinking people because IT IS WRONG in principle. For this reason it must give place to the better ways—Vault Entombment or Cremation.'

Advertisement for Bell-Ans. Includes text: 'Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION', '6 BELL-ANS Hot water Sure Relief', '25c and 75c Packages Everywhere'.