

MYERS STANDS BY NEW FERRIS BILL

Montana Senator Says Measure as Amended Safeguards Rights of States.

COMPROMISE IS URGED

Enactment, Despite Opposition, Is Predicted at Coming Session. Support of Administration Is Asserted.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash., Nov. 20.

"I do not believe the Senate will have any weight with Congress," declared Senator Myers, chairman of the committee on public lands, in a statement issued today, in which he declares his purpose to reintroduce the Ferris bill in the shape in which it was reported by his committee last session. He stated that the administration is behind the Ferris bill, as amended and reported to the Senate, and he looks for its enactment in substantially the form during the coming session, notwithstanding opposition from the advocates of state control.

"I regard efficient water-power legislation as one of the great and country-wide needs of the day," says Senator Myers, "important to all sections of the country, but especially to our Western States, where underdeveloped water power is abundant."

Amended Ferris Bill Favored. He says there is today no effective law under which water power can be developed on the public domain; that capital will not invest under the existing permit law. The Ferris bill, as amended to the Senate last session, adds Senator Myers, "meets all requirements of the situation in a sane and sensible way, and safeguards alike investors and the public. It has the approval of Secretary Lane and President Wilson. It is pronounced fairly satisfactory by the Senate and the House, and is being declared satisfactory by Government expert utilitarians."

"It is a compromise between extreme advocates of Federal control of all public resources and extreme state-rights," says Senator Myers. "The Ferris bill has been described as encroaching on the rights of the states. This is not true at all. The bill does away with any right which any state now has. On the contrary, the bill expressly recognizes the right of the state to the control and ownership of the use of the water flowing in unobstructed streams within its borders. It recognizes, too, the Government ownership of the public domain above the banks of such streams. It recognizes both state and Federal rights in their proper spheres, and provides a way of combining them for the use of the people."

Senator Myers says he was prevented from attending the Portland Water Power conference because he was called to Washington on Montana business which he deemed of greater importance. He had intended going to Portland, however, and regrets he was not there. "My sentiments," he says, "were well expressed there by my colleague, Senator Welch."

SON IS SLAIN BY HUNTER

Boy of 18 Victim of Accident in Walla Walla District.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Nov. 20.—(Special.)—J. G. Henderson, a mountaineer, today accidentally killed his 18-year-old son, Emery, who had climbed a tree to dislodge four coons, which had taken refuge in the branches. The older Henderson fired his gun at one of the little animals, having misaimed the position of his boy in the tree. The bullet entered the lad's head, and he fell to the ground. The scene of the accident is about 45 miles back in the mountains from Walla Walla, and no further details have been received. Two neighbors were with the Hendersons on the hunting trip when the accident occurred.

APPLES OF MONTANA WIN

State and Individual Exhibits Honored at Exposition.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Montana was a grand prize today for the state exhibit of apples at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. An award of honor was made to an exhibit of Montana variety apples. In addition Montana apple exhibits received seven gold medals, 22 silver medals, 17 bronze medals and 12 honorable mentions. There were 15 varieties entered by the state. Additional awards to Montana potato exhibits were two awards of honor and one gold medal. Others were made last summer.

MAN SHUT UP IN MILLRACE

Milkwagon Goes Over Bank but Occupant Manages to Escape.

PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 20.—(Special.)—Chapman and Pendleton, Oregon, had a narrow escape from drowning last night when the milk wagon he was driving broke loose from the horses and ran into "Water's millrace" over a 15-foot embankment. The swift current carried it five feet and Ham was shut inside. He freed himself by breaking through the canvas side of the wagon and swam ashore.

GRANT REPORT IS DELAYED

S. W. Williams Returns to Washington From Oregon.

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MISSION WORK PUSHED

ADVENTISTS TO GIVE \$100 PER CAPITA TO ADVANCE CAUSE.

Largest Sum Appropriated for China. Allotment of Last Year Is Exceeded by \$101,815.

LOMA LINDA, Cal., Nov. 20.—Appropriations amounting to \$652,282 were made by the executive committee of the general or world conference of the Seventh Day Adventists, which closed its session here today, for the advancement of missionary endeavor in various countries of Asia, Africa, South America and the islands of the sea. This is the largest amount ever appropriated for the purpose by the denomination, exceeding last year's appropriations by \$181,815.

GENERAL GIVES "PARTY"

THOUSAND CHILDREN GUESTS OF PERSHING AT EL PASO.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 20.—When fire destroyed General Pershing's home at the Presidio, San Francisco, it destroyed all of his family, leaving him only blonde-haired Warren. General Pershing today adopted 1000 children of El Paso, to ease the loneliness in his heart, and he gave the children the greatest "party" ever known in local history.

CHRISTMAS RUSH IS NEAR

Postal Department Expects Heaviest Business Ever Known.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Postmaster-General Burleson, who is one of Kris Kringle's most important representatives on earth, is orientating for the Christmas rush. He gave these directions to postmasters today: "Advertise that parcels should be mailed early to avoid the rush. They can bear the words 'Not to be opened until Christmas'."

EVERYONE LIKES THIS COLD CURE

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends a Cold or Grippe in a Few Hours.

Your cold will break and all grippe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. It promptly breaks up congested nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and sniffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drugstore. It acts without assistance, late, slow, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute, —Adv.

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OFFICE NAMES CHANGED

Two Towns in Oregon Affected; Keller, Wash., Place Filled.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash., Nov. 20.—The Postoffice Department has changed the name of the postoffice at Rhoda, Lincoln County, to Rhoda, dropping the "a," and has made a similar change in the name of the postoffice at Shulters, Gilliam County, which hereafter will be Shulters, dropping the "s." Station G. Coon will continue as postmaster at the former office and May Piper will remain as postmaster at Shulters.

PHYSICIAN PROVES ALIBI

Dr. J. M. Moran Released After Investigation of Fire.

After presenting an alibi, Dr. J. M. Moran, who was held in connection with a fire in the basement of the building at 221 Thirteenth street Friday night, was released yesterday. The investigation of the fire is to be continued by Fire Marshal Stevens. The fire started in the basement of the building, according to Mr. Stevens, evidently from gasoline. Dr. Moran

OLD-TIME REMEDY MAKES PURE BLOOD

Hood's Sarsaparilla has been and still is the people's medicine because of its reliable character and its wonderful success in purifying, enriching and revitalizing the blood and relieving the common diseases and ailments—scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, the tired feeling, general debility. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies and enriches the blood, and in so doing renders the human system the greater service possible. This medicine has been tested for years. It is perfectly pure, clean and absolutely safe, as well as of peculiar and unequalled medicinal merit. Get Hood's and get it now from any drug store.

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The Next World-Empire. Will it be Germany Russia or Great Britain?

Free Lecture by E. W. Catlin 7:45 Tonight

K. of P. Hall Cor. 11th and Alder

Free Come

was detained by Fire Marshal Stevens Friday night. The damage to the building was not extensive.

Dallas Clubs May Unite.

DALLAS, Or., Nov. 20.—(Special.)—



Kirschbaum Clothes

for we know them to be the best. They're all-wool fabrics, properly styled, perfectly fitted, serviceable and modestly priced.

\$15, \$20, \$25 and Up

Let us show you.

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Cor. Fourth and Alder Sts.

Thanksgiving Sales

Thanksgiving day comes but once a year and the thought of the day centers around and in the dining-room. However warm your welcome—however generous your hospitality—much of your own pleasure and that of your guests is lost if the furnishings of the room have outworn their usefulness. Edwards offer a very material reduction on Thanksgiving things for the coming week, and your own time to pay the bill.

Thanksgiving Sale of Dinnerware

Extra Special Values

\$1 Cash, \$1 Weekly

\$11.95 Will buy, this week only, hundred-piece sets of semi-porcelain dinnerware. Your choice of four attractive designs. Either decorated or plain white with gold band—regular price \$15.50.

Edwards' Bargain Exchange

All goods that are mechanically perfect, but not in the best condition, or that show any marks, or scratches, are placed on our "bargain" regardless of cost or former value. With these goods are shown hundreds of slightly used pieces which have been traded in for other furnishings, and same are offered at about one-fourth to one-half their original cost. Come in and select the new pieces you wish to purchase and our man will call and make you an offer on any articles you wish to trade in.

Your Old Goods Taken

Save \$9.50 on This Beautiful Quarter-Sawn Oak Dining Table

Regular Price \$29.00

SALE PRICE \$19.50

First \$3 Paym't

Each \$1 Week

Other Tables Reduced as Follows:

11.00 Round Golden Dining Tables on sale	\$8.95
Note the table shown in illustration is an extra \$1.50 special at...	\$19.50
And will be on sale until Thursday only.	

Savory Roasters

89c This Week Only

Rugs on Sale

Perhaps it is a new rug you want for your dining-room, so we offer a limited number of 2x12 Axminsters in a pattern suitable for that purpose, selling regularly at \$22.50, special \$17.50

Heaters Reduced

\$14.50 Prize Airtight Wood Heaters on sale all week on your own easy terms at \$11.95

Carving Set at 49c

While They Last

Until Thursday, a Ten-Pound FREE Turkey . . .

With Every Order for a

Monarch MALLEABLE

The Stay Satisfactory Range

\$5 Cash, \$5 Month

THE BROWNEST, JUICEST, TASTIEST THANKSGIVING TURKEYS IN THE LAND will be those roasted in the ovens of MONARCH Malleable Ranges. An airtight oven, a perfect fire under perfect control. Every good cook knows these are the essentials to perfect baking.

Most all new ranges do good work, but the trouble is they won't stay new. They don't stay tight, so they can't continue to give the same sort of service. With the MONARCH these things keep right year after year. All the seams and joints in the MONARCH Range are riveted. The malleable iron won't break under the blows of the hammer. There is no need to stuff the joints with stove putty, as is the case with all ranges where brittle gray iron is used. The wonderful baking qualities of the MONARCH Range are only one of its good points. Here are others you should know about before buying.

Micro-Process Top—No stove blanking.
Plain Nickel Trimming—No place for dirt and grease to collect.
Duplex Draft—Helps to keep even heat.
Dust-Tight Ash Pit—No cloud of dust when you shake the fire down.
Complete Asbestos Lining—Not an inch of steel wall left exposed to damage from corrosion.

Your Old Stove Taken as Part Payment.

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FIFTH AND OAK STREETS

Christmas Is Just Around the Corner. Buy Your Gifts of Edwards—Pay Next Year

This is Portland's convenient gift store, where you will find an immense showing of furnishings to brighten and add cheer to the home.

Your Credit Is Good!

For holiday gifts, same as anything else in this great house-furnishing store, come and make your holiday purchases now.

Food Choppers

The \$1.50 Size 99c on Sale at . . .