### PHILIPPINES BILL WITHOUT MEANING

Democratic Measure for "Independence" Expected to Accomplish Nothing.

SHOWS HYPOCRISY

Scuator Declares It Is Pure Insincerity to Talk of Giving People Own Government Years

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 22.-While many Demo-crats in Congress are talking at length crats in Congress are talking at length about Philippine independence and much oratory is being poured forth in behalf of the "oppressed" people of the Philippine Islands, there is no intention whatever of passing any bill which will grant independence to the Philippines during the life of the present Congress. Nor is there the slightest intention to pass a bill to grant independence at any specified time.

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Ever since the close of the Spanish war there has been Democratic clamor and during all the years the Democrats were in the minority Democratic orators in both branches of Congress were continually hounding the Republicans because they did not free the Filipino people. Since the Democrats have come into control not a single one has sincerely proposed to liberate the Filipino people.

Bodine Bill Menna Nothing. The only pretense made by the Dem-ocrats has been through the pending Administration bill, which carries a high-sounding preamble and then de-clares for independence when the peo-ple of the Island are "fit for self-gov-

rement."

It is well known in Congress that this bill means nothing; it is merely a bluff, to comply, in a measure, with repeated planks in Democratic platforms. It will accomplish nothing. It is, as said by Senator Borah, of Idaho, mere "hypocrisy" or "gittering generalities," meaning nothing.

To call the Democratic bluff, several Republicans have introduced bills granting the Philippine Islands between now and the close of the present Congress. All of these bills are opposed by the Administration and will be voted down by the Democratic majority.

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When Senator Borah was condemning the pending Administration bill he was asked what he would do.

"I would not talk about a thing that is manifestly insincere," he replied. "I would not promise the Philippine beeple a thing which we do not give them any assurance of carrying out. It is an act of insincerity to talk to them about idependence years in advance of their capacity to enjoy it.

"There is no doubt," he added, "that the Philippine Islands have a class who are fit for government. Mexico has had a class fit for government for 200 years. She has had a class that has ruled Mexico for 200 years under the name of a Republic, but it has been as absolute a despotism as ever existed on the face of the earth. Mexico has an intelligent class. But this intelligent class, considering themselves a class, have always exploited and oppressed the masses, the common people of Mexico.

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people of Mexico.

"This Congress has no intention of granting independence to the Philippine Island and this bill shows it."

Government Troops Are Hurried to Reinforce Small Garrisons That Are Unable to Check Advance.

The engagement between the Yunnan revolutionists and the government forces took place at Suifu, Sze-Chuen Province, the rebels having crossed the northern border of Yunnan. The force opposing them at Suifu was the garrison of that place and, after defeating it, the rebels marched northward toward Tzeliu Tsing, apparently with the intrology of moring on to Changin. the intention of moving on to Chengtu, the capital of Sze-Chuen Province.

NEW YORK WOMAN ADVOCATE OF BIRTH CONTROL ON TRIAL IN NEW YORK.



Advocate of Birth Control Will Face Jury Later.

WOMEN ADHERENTS RALLY

Friends Give Dinner in Mrs. Sanger's Honor and Promise to Be Present in Court-Women on Jury Demanded.

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REBELSWHIPYUAN'SMEN

REVOLUTIONISTS APPARENTLY AIM
AT SZE-CHUEN CAPITAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The trial of Mrs. Margaret Sanger, advocate of birth control, which was to have been taken up in the Federal Court today, before Judge Clayton, was postponed until January 24. She is charged with violation of the Federal law probliniting the publication and creulaton of information and literature on the subject she has made her hebby.

Mrs. Sanger is acting as her own lawyer, and will maintain a vigorous defense of her right to publish the article on which the charge against her is

on which the charge against her is based. It was printed in a periodical named the "Woman Rebel." A feature of the trial, in its preliminary stages, is expected to be a demand that women shall be permitted to serve on the jury. Women supporters of Mrs. Sanger contend that a jury of men only PEKIN, Jan. 22.—The rebels in the Province of Yunnan have defeated a body of government troops and are moving northward.

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Photo by Underwood; Lower by Bain News Service. Top (Left to Right), Mrs. Frank Cothren, Mrs. Sanger Ethel Byrne. Below, Mrs. Sanger and Her Child.

Pendleton man, attempted to end his life early this morning when he fired a revolver at his heart, the bullet hitting a rib and glancing off, passing through his left arm.

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Breding walked into the old Crescent bar just as they were about to close up, and, speaking to a crowd of men who were playing cards, walked to the washroom. He asked for a light, and a few moments later a shot was heard. FOUR AFTER COOS POST

a few moments later a shot was heard. The man was taken to the hospital. His wounds are not considered to be serious. Breding had been drinking, it is reported.

COURSE ON STATE ADMINISTRA-TION SCHEDULED AT U. OF O.

and Mr. Olcott - Social Service Course for Girls Also Planned.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.) —A short course entitled the "Economics of State Ad-

CANDIDATE LIST GROWS

DOUGLAS COUNTY OFFICES IN UN-USUAL DEMAND.

Five Republicans in Commissionership Race-Six Are Out for Circuit Judgeship.

ROSEBURG. Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—It has been a long time, according to local politicians, since there were so many candidates for public office in Douglas County as at the present time.

County Commissioner appears titled calendar at tractive job on three. There calendar at tractive job on them. There calendar at tractive job on them. There calendar at dates for this office; J. T. Bridges, of Cakland; Al Perkins, of Gradiner; W. E. St. John, of Sutherlin, A. E. Stocker, of Drain, and Al Hendrickson, of Oakland. All of these candidates for Assessor. George Quine, incumbent; Frank Baragar and S. W. Starmer, Republicans, are out for Sheriff, For County Corner, and Charles (Clark, Republican, Sawyers and Mrs. Ines Miller. Republicans, and the conting of the conting of the county of the count

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## BEN SELLING

Morrison Street at Fourth

cial.)—The people of Prineville were given a treat Wednesday night, when William L. Finley, state biologist, gave his illustrated lecture on the game life in Oregon at the Prineville Theater. Scenes of the great bird preserves at Klamath Lake and nesting grounds along the Oregon coast were shown.

The people of Prineville were from Bandon down the coast. The old-timers predict devastating floods.

Son of Cornelius Pastor Succumbs.

CORNELIUS, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Sigamond Berthold, youngest son of Rev. Mr. Berthold, pastor of the Gorden was along the Oregon coast were shown. Curry Mail Service Demoralized.

GOLD BEACH, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)

GOLD BEACH, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—The recent storms have demoralized completely mail service up and down Rogue River from West Fork to Gold Beach. The snow is reported to be 18 fest deep in places on the pack one brother and five sisters.

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