House Committee Seeking Excuse for Paring Allowance for This Year's Work.

M'ARTHUR IS HEARD

Importance of Early Completion of Work Is Pointed Out-Mr. Humphrey, of Washington, Suprts Oregon Demand.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-Ingian, Peb. 5.-In an effort to hold down the size of the river and harbor bill, the House committee on rivers and harbors is paring the estimates of the Army engineers wherever possible, and one of the items under clope scruting is the estimate for the mouth of the Calumbia River, for which an appropriation of \$2.104.000 was recommended. This is a greater amount than has ever been appropriated for this project in any one year, and the committee is esting to get a revised estimate from the engineers justifying a reduction in the appropriation to \$1,500,000, the same is the amount alietted last year. bill, the House committee on rivers and game as the assount alletted last year if the augmeers can be induced to say that a million and a half is all that can spend on the north jetty during next fiscal year, the appropriation w

Reaction Urges Full Amount.

Representative Mearthur went before the river and harbor committee today and urged the appropriation of the full amount recommended in Demmber and showed the importance of completing the jutty as speedily as possible. He also urged the appropriation of the full amounts recommended for other projects along the Columbia and Williamstin and for Tillamook, Come Bay, Yappina and Creasent City. He left the committee satisfied that Gregos's interest would be amply cared for in the bill, which is to be reported next Thursday. McArthur Urges Pull Amount.

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Representative Humphrey, of Washington, a member of the committee, is layally backing the Oregon members in their demands and has requanted that the committee appropriate for the stooth of the Columbia River every distance which the augineers deem neces-

Outcome Repeads on Engineers.
If the engineers stand by their original estimate, Mr. Humphrey indicates that the full concent will be retained in the bill, but if they revies their estimates and say they will not require the mates and say they will not require the full \$2,104,800 during the year beginning July I next, the committee will lowed caused apprehension throughout authorize whatever besser amount they recommend. The size of the appropriation to be made, therefore, depends damage was caused.

Dr. Samuel McChord Crothers, of Cambridge, Mass., one of America's most noted essayists and clergyman, has arrived in Portland to deliver a series of literary lactures at the Con-tral Library, under the simpless of Ried College, during the next two weaks.

The lectures will be free. Wednes-The rectures will be free. Weiner-day, February 8, the subject will be "A Literary Clinic." The other lectures will be: February 12, "The Charm of English Free"; February 14, "John Mitton"; Banyan"; February 14, "John Mitton"; February 18, "Isnak Walton and His Friends."

This morning Dr. Crothers will oc-

SHINGLE MILL SHINGLED Hoquiam Plant First in State Using Its Own Product.

the largest plant of the kind on the harbor.

In constructing the Wooddawn mill the remaining the wooddawn mill in the state of Washington, it has just been announced, in the new mill of the Wooddawn Mill & Boom Company, errection of which is to start as soon as the weather conditions permit. The new mill which is to be runned to compission, will have a departly of 199,500 their own buthfings.

COLOMBIA CALM AT NEWS Press Says Pan-American Friendship Is Put to Test.

BOGOTA, Colombia, Feb. 5.—The news that the Colombian treaty had been reported favorably to the United States Senate by the foreign relations committee providing for the payment of \$13,900,000 to Colombia instead of \$23,900,000, has been received here calmir. The newspapers point out that the professions of Pan-American friendship are new put to the test.

They consider that \$25,000.00 would cover only the actual damages done cover only the actual damages duns in the country. The papers make no further comment, but express regret catangle action thus far taken by the United States.



CANADIAN GOVERNMENT BUILDING WRECKED BY FIRE THURSDAY.

Ottawa Has Scare as Parliament House Blazes Up.

TROOPS ARE CALLED OUT

OFTAWA, Ont., Feb. 5. - A flash ITALY WILL OBTAIN COAL of flames from the rules of the central section of the Parliament building and Britain Promises Steamships to

upon the stand of the Army engineers. All Oregon appropriations in the Indian bill were agreed to by the House of Premier Borden, the State Department. Beginning today, including site of the Commawa School, of which sired is for repairs and \$2000 to the Chemawa School, of which sired is for repairs and \$2000 to the Oregon in the Modoc Found in the Modoc Pound in the Modoc Pound in the Modoc Pound in the State Department. It called out not only the firemen but the overseal military forces, and a great crowd of spectators. When the propriations for support of the various reservations, and the Sinnot amendment appropriating \$18,864, being two-thirds of the cost of building two bridges across the Unastilla River on the County Secret service men today opened a CHOCTAWC MAY CET CACH

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Y. M. C. A. SECRETARY SEES OPPOR-TUNITY IN TRENCHES.

Dry, Comfortable Canteen Found Almost Deserted, While Dripping Asauctation Tent Is Crowded.

KANSAS CITT, Kan., Feb. 5 .- The oldiers in the trenches in Europe are hungry for religious inspiration, said Harry L. Heinzman, of Chicago, stu-dent-secretary of the International Y. M. C. A., who spoke before the biennial convention of the Young Men's Christian Indicate the Young Men's Christian Associations of Kansas here today. Mr. Heinstmans told of visits to many Y. M. C. A. camps at British posts and compared the crowds at the camps with these obsessay decided the material they

crowded. In Scotland conditions were the same.

"Blundreds of these Y. M. C. A. war centers have been established. They are usually in huts 29 feet wide and about 100 feet long, built of plain lumber. There is a kitchen for supplying everything Tommy wants except liquor. I saw heaps of doughnuts that reminded me of the sugar beets of Colorado. Colonel Callander, in charge of all the hospitals of the British armies, said that the Red Cross was the only organization that had equalled the work of the Y. M. C. A. in its service for the soldlers."

Albany Club Seeks Better Home. ALBANY, Or. Feb. 5.—(Special.)— Larger and better arranged quarters are sought by the Albany Commercial

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Copper Magnate Sends \$500 to

Woman Who Once Befriended Him.

REDALIA. Mo. Feb. 4.—Mrs. J. T.
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city, bay just received a check for 1800
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her.

Jackling was left penniless when his
parents died, but he worked his way
through school. Ho then went West,
and, as an expert mining engineer, secumulated wealth.

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Club. The club now has a good meeting place, but no leunging rooms or sommittee rooms. A committee consisting of Dr. C. V. Littler, C. B. Winn. Charles H. Wieder, R. Walworth and School, went to Chimacum Wednesday W. A. Eastburn has under consideration the plan for enlarged guarters.

SWIFT CRAFT IS ORDERED Navy to Use Patrol Boat With Speed of 40 Miles an Hour.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.-A manufacturer of motorboals announced today that a representative of the Navy Department had ordered the building of a high-speed, 16-cylinder, 500-horse-power boat for use in the coast patrol

The boat will have a speed of more than 40 miles an hour and will be equipped with small caliber guns and a torpeds tube. Heveral boats of this type are being used now by the Russian government in the Baltic Sea.

Forestall Fuel Famine.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—The coal famine in

CHOCTAWS MAY GET CASH

be forwarded to San Francisco. In the trunk were found carefully drawn sketches of the chief Canadian cities in committee of the whole today agreed to a provision in the Indian blue agreed to a provision in the Indian blue agreed to a provision in the Indian blue agreed to a provision in th

Cows for Schools Bought. CENTRALIA, Wash.) Feb. 5.—(Spe-ial.)—The herds of dairy cattle at the linte School for Girls at Grand Mound

> Valentine Party Favors

Table Decorations, Etc. (Second Floor.)

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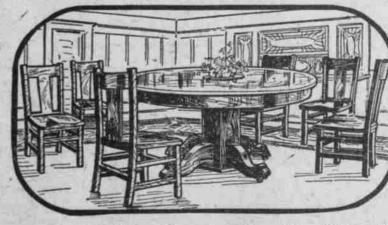
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Sleeping-Room Outfit, \$59.85 \$6.00 Cash, \$4.00 Month

Including a guaranteed Simmons brass bed, full 2-inch continuous post, \$22; steel coil spring, \$6; cotton felt builtup mattress, \$9.50; solid oak bedroom chair, \$2.50, with rocker to match at \$3.25; solid oak dull golden stand with 22-inch top, \$3.10, and a full-sized Princess dresser with three good-sized drawers and fitted with French plate bevel mirror, \$13.50.

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