

First Causes Worry.

OTHER QUESTIONS LOOM

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pears to be, and in the meantime Dr. Garfield's friends are not letting up in their resentiment of what'they con-demn as a piece of "political treach-ery" in framing the coal strike sur-render without consulting Garfield. Dr. Garfield is not talking, because he says he is too good a friend of the president to talk all that he might about this settlement of the coal strike, which threatens ultimately to flatten the pocketbooks of the con-sumers, but his friends are doing enough talking for him. Some inside stuff is likely to be told before the contreversy is over. Altorney-General Falmer is quoted as saying with an-guish, while hesitating about the ac-tion to be taken against the miners, "This will destroy my political career." Failure of Republicans to Act

LEADBETTER SUES AGAIN

Whether Railroads Will Be Re turned to Owners by January 1 Is Yet in Doubt,

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU,

ashington, Dec. 12 .-- Uneasiness on the democratic side of the senate in

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ocratic shoulders.

WANTS TO GET BACK STOCK IN PAPER COMPANIES.

Alleges Verbal Contract With the Late H. L. Pittock as Basis of Action in Court.

from the administration to revisp the peace treaty. This restless-Suit for the return to him of \$592 shares of stock in the Crown-Willamhas been more noticeable since ette Paper company and 4400 shares in the Crown-Columbia Pulp & Paper the republican national committee, at recent sessions here, wholly company from the estate of the late

Administration leaders in the sen- H. L. Pittock for approximately the ale had hoped that the national re- same amount paid by Mr. Pittock to him for the stock, or \$755,000, in publican organization would make purchases made between 1910 and 1917, was filed in the circuit court yesterday by F. W. Leadbetter, son-in-law of the deceased. some move to force a settlement of the treaty issue and failure to menorganization stands squarely

the organization stands squarely Mr. Leadbetter declares that a ver-behind the republican position in the senate that the responsibility is on plaintiff asserts, it was understood that he was to have the privilege of buying back all shares of stock pur-chased by his father-in-law in the While contending stubbornly that the blame rests upon Senator Lodge ad the supporters of reservations,"

and the supporters of reservations, certain democratic senators do not appear satisfied that the country at increa is accepting their word to that effect. At any rate some excuse is effect. At any rate some excuse is accrued were to be applied upon the sund every day to bring up the sub-it, as was done today by Senator derwood, who used an article from found every day to bring up the subof, as was done today by Senator

Underwood, who used an article from a morning paper as a pretext. Quick Settlement Sought. There has been a constant pressure from the rank and file of the demo-cratic party in all parts of the coun-ty during the last few days to get the question settled and eliminate it from the national campaign next year. Just at this minute the treaty is causing the democratic candidate for congress in the 9th North Caro-lina district some embarrassment of which party leaders are taking note it is going to have this effect on the guestion the short the set of the stock. He declares that O. Le Price, executor for the estate, has admitted the existence of the verbal contract but has maintained that the parts of the stock fixed the limit of time within which the plaintiff could re-purchase the stock, and on the probate court for an order auwhich party leaders are this effect on if it is going to have this effect on every roomal election they are ask-ing themselves what will be the effect when the entire country goes to the

when the entire country goes to the polls next November. The contest in North Carolina is a special election to be held Tuesday to select a successor to Edwin Tates Webb, who was recently appointed to the federal bench. Webb carried the tends, is subject to the verbal agree-ment.

The federal bench. Webb carried the ofstrict by 4200 votes a year ago, but the democrats admit that their hope of success rests solely on the size of the majority rolled up by Mecklen-burg county, in which is situated Charlotte, the largest city in North Charlotte, the largest city in North Charlotte, the district will be car-counties of the district will be caron July 24, 1912. Shares in the Crown-Willamette company were purchased in lots of 5280 shares, 2112 shares and 1200 shares between 1910 and 1917. Mr. Leadbetter makes no tender of Treaty Pushed to Front.

The political situation, therefore, The political situation, therefore, is pushing the peace treaty to the front and it may be anticipated that pride will be subordinated to political expediency by the democratic sena-tars before many days and overtures will be communicated to the republi-can side through Senator McNary or some other leader of the republican THE SUNDAY OREGONIAN. PORTLAND. DECEMBER 14, 1919.

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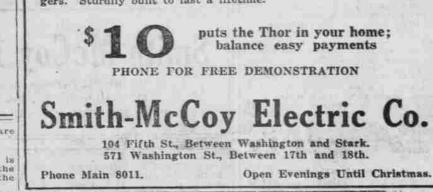
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AND COLD OPERATING. Movement on All Main Lines In Maxwell and Locks eastward, the trainmen face conditions that are en-countered every year in the Rocky manual and solution of the Rocky manual and Rocky manual and solution of the Rocky manual and Roc

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Cummins Hil Opposed.
To return the railroads without legation to curve the edit conditions and the sufficience of the

To return the railroads without leg-lation to cure the old conditions, and articularly to save them to a de-tree from the crossfire of confusing state commissions, it is would be a tragedy and mean ediate ourush of receivership ret poil of the senate is suid il so much opposition to the s bill now under consideration re is doubt about its passage e on the McNary sugar bill, massed the house yesterday, oredit on professional econo-iat the shortage is likely to a long time. It was emphared, would be a tragedy and mear that there is doubt about its passage. Debate on the McNary sugar bill, which passed the house yesterday, cast discredit on professional econothat is that the shortage is likely to list for a long time. It was empha-need time after time that the present prar shortage would never have ex-inted if President Wilson had followed

be advice of the majority of the sugar equalization board and pur-based the Cuban sugar crop last August, when it could have been taken over at 6½ cents a pound.

Taussig Denounces Purchase.

Taussig, a member of the board, has a world-wide reputation as textbook economist, denounced the possed purchase of the sugar as to to impose a needless burden on a consumer. Sugar he was confi-

e consumer. Sugar he was confi-it would go down. Instead, the passage of the McNary II is necessary to prevent the price sugar from going to 25 cents a fund of higher. Under this legisla-on, which will be taken up in the outse and passed without delay, the overnment control continues for one ar, thus protecting the public from prices almost prohibitive to the rice almost prohibitive to the

ut the price which will have to be public approximately \$400,000,000 in other words, a bit of professional division of the Panama chasi and everybody will help to pay.

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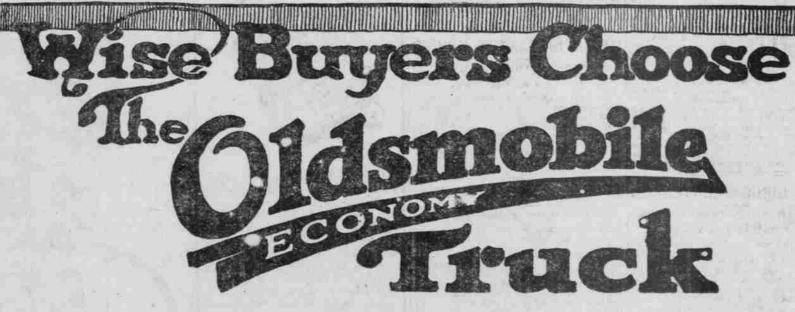
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