

COOS COUNTY SOIL SURVEY

Sec. Wilson Will Send Experts Here This Summer to Investigate.

Soil surveying parties are to be sent into Coos county this summer by the Department of Agriculture, for the purpose of acquainting the farmers of that portion of the Oregon coast with the capabilities of the land. This information was embodied in a letter from Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson.

Mr. Wilson says he will arrange for soil surveys in the following counties of Oregon as soon as funds are available for the expense: Linn county, on request of the citizens of Harrisburg; Washington county, Clatsop county, Hood River and Umatilla.

Soil surveys include analysis of the various soils in a given district, for the purpose of discovering just what certain sections are best adapted for. The government has done a good deal of soil surveying in different parts of the country, mostly east of the Rocky Mountains, and the bulletins issued by the Bureau of Soils are eagerly read by farmers in the surveyed sections. Demands for such surveys are said to be increasing in the Northwest, and the government will take cognizance of such demands as soon as possible, according to Secretary Wilson.

NEGOTIATIONS MAY END.

Venezuela Balks at Terms of United States.

(By Associated Press.) CARACAS, Venezuela, Jan. 29.—Negotiations between W. I. Buchanan, special envoy of the United States and the Venezuelan government looking to a settlement of the difference between the two countries are in a complete deadlock on certain points contained in the draft of the first protocol. It is believed here that negotiations may be completely discontinued unless the United States modifies its contention that the claims of the New York and Bermuda Asphalt Company and the Orinoco corporation be submitted to arbitration.

TO STOP RACE GAMBLING.

California Senate May Pass Measure Despite Unfavorable Report.

(By Associated Press.) SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 29.—In the Senate today, Chairman Abner Weed of the Committee on Public Morals, reported unfavorably on the Walter-Otis anti-race track bill. There was no minority report. The bills are to be read a second time on Monday and if a fight develops, it will come at the third reading Tuesday. Senator Walker, father of the bill, claims only five senators will vote against the bill.

FOR EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

Bill to Submit It Passes Lower House in Washington.

(By Associated Press.) OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 29.—By a vote of 16 to 18 today, the House passed the equal suffrage bill providing for the submission of a constitutional amendment for it at the next general election. The fate of the bill in the Senate is doubtful.

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BANDON WINS BOTH GAMES

Defeats North Bend By Scores Of 23 To 3 And 3 TO 2.

(Special to The Times.) BANDON, Ore., Jan. 29.—The Bandon basketball teams defeated the North Bend teams in both games last evening.

The score in the boys' game was Bandon 23 and Miller-Cleaver Business college team of North Bend 3. The North Bend High School girls were beaten 3 to 2.

The North Bend teams will play the Coquille teams in Coquille this evening.

WILL GIVE MUSICAL.

Program For Entertainment Saturday Evening Announced

The postponed musicale of the Academy of Music will be given without fail tomorrow evening, Saturday, January 30th.

From the number of enquiries, a large attendance is expected to hear the following very interesting program:

Piano Duet "Tannhauser March" Wagner—Miss Nora Tower and Mr. Todd.

"Slumber Song," Harris—Mrs. J. E. Kelly.

"A Bowl of Roses," Clarke—Miss Nellie Tower.

Piano duet, "Spanish Dance," Moszkowski—Miss Nora Tower and Miss Florence Aiken.

"Slumber Song," Vannah—Miss Alpha Mausay.

Recitation, "Afeared of a Gal"—Miss Nina Lyons.

Song, "Love's Sorrow," Shelley—Mr. Samuel Marsden.

Recitation, "Concertstuck," Chaminade—Miss Lucy S. Horton (Mr. Todd at the organ).

PUTS STOP TO BOOSTS.

Gov. Chamberlain Against Wholesale Increases in Salaries.

(By Associated Press.) SALEM, Ore., Jan. 29.—To check the wholesale demands for increases in salaries, Governor Chamberlain today sent a special message to the Senate and House warning them that he will veto all measures increasing salaries of present officials unless the cases are meritorious. The Senate passed the bill today providing seats for motormen and another exempting municipal, county and state bonds from taxation.

GO TO HILL LINE.

Washington State Officials Resign to Go to Railroad.

(By Associated Press.) ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 29.—A special to the World from Olympia says J. C. Frost will resign from the Washington tax commission to become assistant tax commissioner of the Northern Pacific, succeeding Jay Sedgwick, who lately resigned.

The report also declares that W. B. M. Herrin, a lawyer in Tacoma, will succeed Frost. It is reported that Sedgwick will become head of the tax department of the Northern Pacific.

LACKS ONE VOTE.

(By Associated Press.) MADISON, Wis., Jan. 29.—Senator Stephenson lacked one vote of re-election when the second ballot of the joint assembly was taken.

DANCE at SUMNER, February 6. Music by LANGENBERG ORCHES.

LEGISLATOR IS NOW SOUGHT

E. L. Holzheimer of Pocatello, Idaho, Wanted On Forgery Charge.

(By Associated Press.) BOISE, Ida., Jan. 29.—The police are unable to locate Edward L. Holzheimer of Pocatello, a member of the Idaho house of representatives from Bannock county, for whose arrest a warrant was issued on the charge of forgery. The charge is forging the name of D. G. Brannon to a deed for property valued at \$2,000.

(By Associated Press.) PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 29.—The local police have been asked to watch for Holzheimer but so far are not able to trace him in this city.

PAY INDIAN WAR CLAIMS

(Continued from page 1.) there has been complaint that as soon as a man is elected district attorney public service corporations employ him in their legal affairs.

New Bills Presented.

Hughes—Authorizing county court to declare un navigable streams public highways for logging purposes.

Bonebrake—Authorizing the issuance by the state of 25-year franchises on all power-producing streams in state at an annual tax.

Carter—Authorizing establishment of private fish hatcheries for propagation of trout; requires payment of fee of \$25 to master fish warden.

Dodds—Authorizing a partial apportionment of county schools funds. Purdin—Providing that jurors in circuit court be summoned to appear on third day of term.

Wood—To provide for branding of concentrated stock foods and for inspection by dairy and food commissioner.

Barrett—To amend law regarding condemnation of land by cities for public purposes.

200 New Jobs.

Bills creating fully 200 new jobs, many of them on fat pay, have been introduced in the Oregon legislature, loading up taxpayers with more than \$1,000,000 in salaries and expenses for the ensuing two years. This estimate does not include increased pay for county officials outside of Multnomah, whose rush for "more" has produced a big crop of new bills. Nor does this estimate include the cost of numerous proposed boards, per diem "expense" to be fixed by the legislature.

Water Appropriation for Cities.

Senator Barrett has introduced a bill amending the law regarding the appropriation of water by incorporated towns for public use, by which all incorporated cities or towns will be permitted to appropriate without a vote of the people. At present cities having less than 15,000 population are forbidden to do this without popular vote. The bill was introduced by request and Senator Barrett says he is not yet prepared to urge it.

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