

MASKED GUNS ARE TRAINED ON WEST; GUNNERS NERVOUS

Undercurrent of Obstruction Spirit for Governor's Program Evident Among Solons but They Fear Veto.

(Staff Correspondence.)
Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—What part will the policies of Governor West play in the legislative session just begun? Will there be a bushwhacking campaign by his opponents, comparable to the fight waged by Jay Bowerman in the senate two years ago, or will the members be disposed to act on measures of merits, without regard to their source?
The answer to all such inquiries, that is the answer given out for publication, is that nothing is to be treated in a narrow way. There is a significant undercurrent here and there telling of opposition that will be encountered as soon as the legislation proposed by the governor is placed on the ways.

May Raise Home Rule Cry.

Will the legislature, for instance, give the governor the "missing link"? By this is understood the lack of law by which the governor was handicapped in his vice crusade. The constitution says it is the governor's duty to see that the laws are faithfully enforced, but the experience in Portland shows that the governor lacks effective power to go into a county where the local officials are indifferent or defiant. Somewhere between the duty the governor is instructed to perform and the authority he is given to act lies the "missing link."

Bills are to be presented that will in large measure supply it. These bills will meet with immediate and determined opposition. It will be said that it is dangerous to make the governor a dictator over local officials. The home rule idea will be invoked. And

back of all this patriotic conservation of home rule will the powerful lobby of interests that want the law to stay as it is.

Malarkey Opposes Obstruction.

Then there is talk of investigating committees to be appointed for the purpose of digging into the penitentiary management and other things where the governor's acts can be placed under a microscope. By a process of patient digging it is thought something may be unearthed to give excuse for an assault upon the governor's office.

This attitude is not the attitude of all the Republican members, by any means, and it may not be the attitude even of a majority. It is not openly admitted anywhere, but the evidence is plain enough here and there. It is more a state of mind than a policy.

A large section of the majority feels that it would be a mistake to take up a partisan fight, as it would have a demoralizing effect on the session and hinder the course of legislation. President Malarkey has declared that he is in favor of treating measures fairly, wherever they come from, and not in sympathy with any plan of sabotage.

Governor Strongly Entrenched.

The governor has the veto power to back his program up, and that he is not afraid to use it has been demonstrated. This is one powerful argument against a bushwhacking campaign. He can retaliate in a most effective way should it come to open conflict. So far there is distinct hesitation in opening up what might rob the session of all its fair promises and lose the good start it has made by prompt organization and transaction of real business on the first day of the session.

COLD STORAGE EGGS TO TELL AGE, PERHAPS

(Staff Correspondence.)
Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—The cold storage briquet, the cold storage egg and cold storage fowl—with all the rest of the cold storage family—must speak up and tell how old they are by the terms of house bill No. 4, introduced by Jay H. Upton of Multnomah county. The bill is aimed at the practice of selling aged cold storage foods. It re-

DIMICK HAS KNIFE OUT FOR MEASURES

Clackamas Senator Believes There Already Are Too Many Laws.

(Staff Correspondence.)
Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—Senator Dimick of Clackamas bids fair to become known as "The Great Repealer." He made a start yesterday by introducing bills to repeal the naval militia law, the county school supervisor law and the county veterinarian law.

"If this legislature did nothing else but repeal about one-third of the laws and adjourned tomorrow, it would be entitled to the thanks of the state" is the way he expresses his ideas.

"The naval militia law has been a source of squabbles from the time it was enacted," he said last night. "The whole thing is needless and of no benefit. Let's turn the Boston back to the government. It is an old, broken down warship, and probably the government will order it taken out to sea and sunk."

"George S. Shepherd goes on board the warship and says he's it. Then they throw him off, and somebody else takes charge. They want \$25,000 this year, and if we let it go on they will want \$75,000 within three years."

HIS OBJECT TO MAKE EXPRESSMEN HONEST

(Staff Correspondence.)

Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—Some important reforms in express wagon ethics may be expected if a bill introduced in the house by L. G. Carpenter of Multnomah becomes a law. Hereafter you need not be surprised to have your expressman present you his card with a real society flourish when he comes to cart your trunk to the depot. The bill is also likely to have the happy effect of making expressmen as a class more reliable.

Briefly, the proposed law provides that any expressman in an incorporated town who shall move any trunk, valise or satchel, must leave with the person for whom he is moving it his name and address, and the number of his wagon license. Carpenter believes it will be valuable as a curb on unscrupulous express wagon drivers and will work no injury to trustworthy ones. The address of the horse will not be required.

SENATORS WILL SMOKE WHILE DOING BUSINESS

(Staff Correspondence.)

Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—The senate refused to quit smoking yesterday, despite an effort by Dimick of Clackamas and Joseph of Multnomah to have their colleagues swear off at the beginning of the session. As the fragrant fumes of Havana mingled with other fumes of doubtful classification, the senators declined to suspend the rules and "cut it out."

The vote was 15 to 16, with 20 required. Some of those voting against quit smoking were themselves smoking as they voted to banish their cigars. This was notably the case with I. N. Day, who blew a great cloud away as he responded to his name.

As soon as the vote was taken W. Lull Thompson was seen to light up on a cigar of enormous proportions, which lasted long into the afternoon.

M'ARTHUR SUBMITS ANTI-HANGING BILL

Speaker Would Substitute Electrocuting and Limit Witnesses.

(Staff Correspondence.)
Salem, Or., Jan. 14.—To substitute electrocution for hanging in Oregon after May, 1913, is proposed in a bill introduced by Speaker McArthur of the house.

Witnesses to an execution are to be definitely limited. In addition to the warden or deputy in charge of the execution, there are to be three physicians and a jury of 12 reputable citizens, all to be summoned by the warden and such peace officers and electricians as may be needed to execute the judgment.

It is also provided that the warden shall invite the governor or his representative; the attorney general or his representative; the sheriff of the county in which the crime was committed; not more than two clergymen designated by the condemned man, and not to exceed 20 representatives of the press.

In any event, no person under 21 years of age is to be permitted to witness the execution.

COMMISSIONERS WILL KEEP TAB ON EXPENSES

The county commissioners have decided to keep a table of comparative costs of operating the various departments of the county and with this view in mind yesterday addressed a communication to County Auditor Martin. They instructed Mr. Martin to submit monthly a statement showing the total cost of operating each department as compared with 1912.

Letters were forwarded to the various county officials, including county clerk, auditor, assessor, sheriff and district at-

torney requesting them to send in in-office supplies during the next six months, immediately estimates for stationary and months.

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Prevalency of Kidney Disease.

Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patients and physicians, who usually content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease constantly undermines the system.

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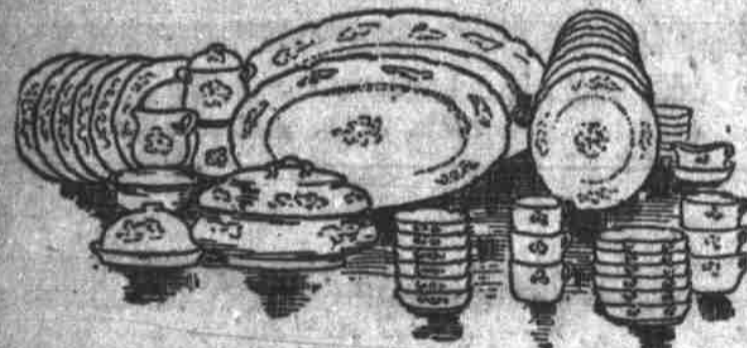
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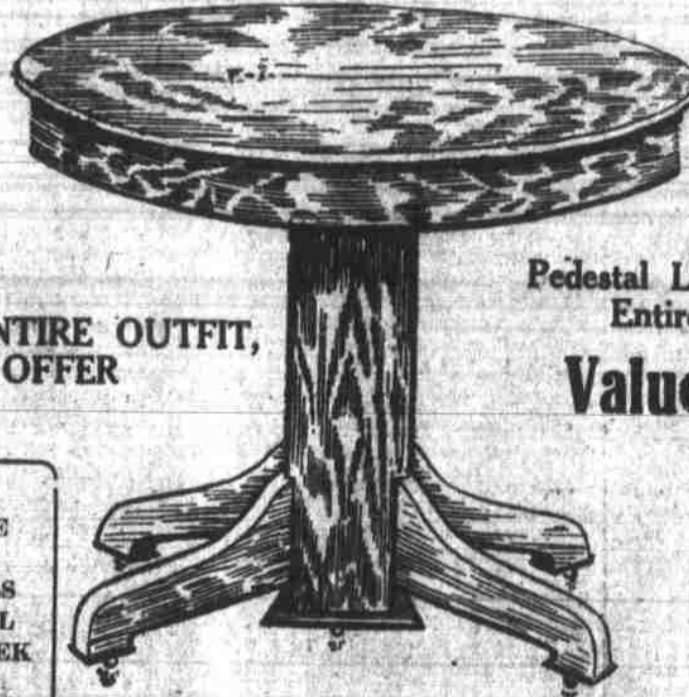
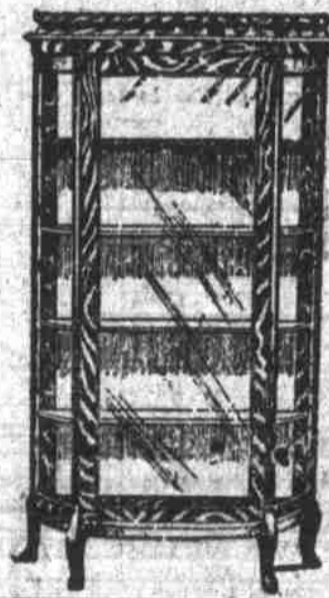


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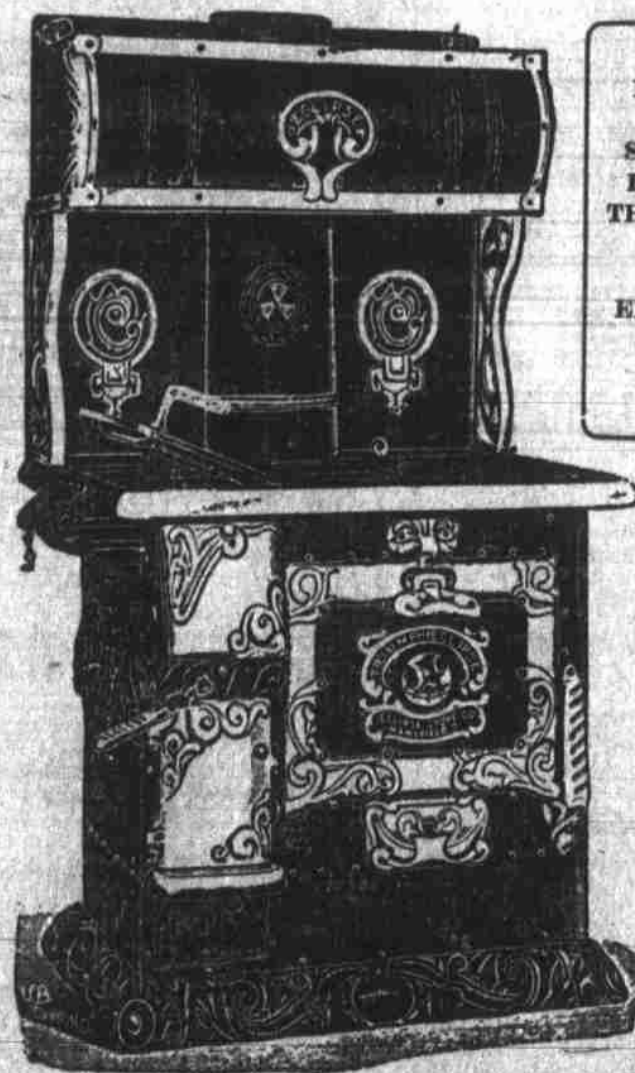
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