

APPROPRIATION FOR COLUMBIA APPROVED BY SUBCOMMITTEE

Senator Chamberlain, as the Chairman, Has Limit Fixed at \$5,000,000.

TO RUN THE GAUNTLET

Full Committee Has Yet to Pass on Amendment to Rivers and Harbors Bill; Oregon Senators on Guard.

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.)
Washington, May 20.—With the tendency toward retrenchment in national expenditures it may be found difficult to secure the appropriations actually required for meritorious projects for river and harbor work. Oregon is greatly interested in this question and especially because of the improvements in Columbia river navigation which are in contemplation and under way.

Senator Chamberlain as chairman of the subcommittee having these appropriations in charge has met with very gratifying success thus far in his efforts to keep all of the Oregon items in the bill, and he has even secured some increases over the original recommendations. The verdict of the subcommittee, however, will still have to run the gauntlet of criticism and possible objections in the whole committee, after which the bill will steer a somewhat tortuous course on the floor of the senate.

Columbia Mouth Improvements.

Because of the many uncertainties attending legislation at this session, senator Chamberlain has shown some reluctance about announcing what recommendations have been agreed on, but it may be said that the subcommittee has agreed to indorse the amendment to the rivers and harbors bill, introduced January 12 by Senator Chamberlain, putting the improvement of the mouth of the Columbia on a continuing basis and making the limit of cost \$5,100,000. This amendment reads as follows:

"Continuing improvement and for maintenance, including repairs and operation of dredge (act of March 4, 1911, vol. 37, page 820, section one), \$1,000,000; Provided, That the secretary of war may enter into a contract or contracts for such materials and work as may be necessary to complete said project, to be paid for as appropriations may from time to time be made by law, not to exceed in the aggregate \$4,100,000, exclusive of the amount herein appropriated."

Lane Asks Smaller Amount.

Apparently not knowing of the amendment offered by Senator Chamberlain, Senator Lane on April 13 last also introduced an amendment fixing the limit of cost for this work at \$4,000,000, but as this amount was carried as an appropriation for \$1,000,000 which would be superseded by the adoption of the amendment, the result of the adoption of the Lane amendment would have been to make the limit of cost \$4,000,000 instead of \$5,100,000 as proposed in the Chamberlain amendment. On this account the Lane amendment has not been considered by the subcommittee.

Senator Lane's amendment was to insert in the rivers and harbors bill on page 49, line 16, after the amount stated, the following language:

"Provided, That the secretary of war may enter into a contract or contracts for such materials and work as may be necessary to prosecute the said project, to be paid for as appropriations may from time to time be made by law, not to exceed in the aggregate \$4,000,000, exclusive of the amount herein and hereinafter appropriated."

It is needless to say that both Oregon senators will do everything they can to steer this provision safely through the senate. Senator Chamberlain has already secured the adoption of his amendment by the subcommittee, as stated, and he has every hope of having his action by the subcommittee sustained when it is reviewed by the full committee.

WILL PLAY AT CORVALLIS

So successful was the play "Sylvia," presented at the Lincoln high school, May 8 and 9, that the management has arranged to produce it at the Oregon Agricultural college, at Corvallis, next Friday and at the University of Oregon, at Eugene, Saturday. The party will be chaperoned by Miss Caroline Barnes, assisted by two teachers and societies at both places will care for the cast. Miss Minnie Nemorovsky takes the role of "Sylvia."

CLUB WILL GIVE SHOW

The Irving Park Improvement club is busily preparing for its two-act entertainment, consisting of a minstrel show with a cast of 29 and a vaudeville entertainment, which will be given June 1 or 8. Dr. Edward S. Adams, who is acting as coach and stage director, and Walter S. Johnson will be the end man, C. E. Cowdin will be interlocutor and E. E. O'Neill will contribute vocal and instrumental solos.

ANOTHER PETITION FILED

Not to be outdone by others interested in the estate of George Wetherby, who died recently leaving much unimproved property in the northwest, Attorney Ben Day has filed still another petition for the appointment of the Title & Trust company as administrator.

This petition sets forth that the company is one of the largest individual creditors. Several other petitions have been filed by creditors and heirs for appointment of an administrator.

SPEEDING CASES TRIED

District Judge Jones Monday continued for sentence the cases of Fern Nickum and Wilbert Barnes, charged with speeding their automobiles, and found L. J. Bronaugh not guilty of a similar charge.

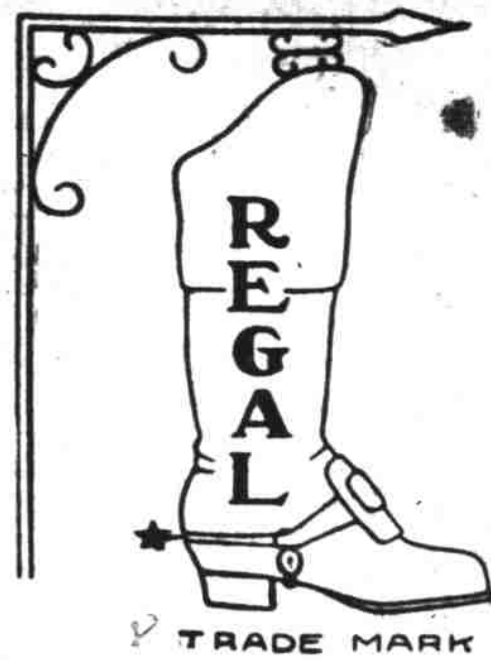
White is investigating a complaint that ambulances carrying patients to and from the Multnomah farm are traveling at the rate of 30 miles an hour and more.

Explosion Burns Three.

Mare Island, Cal., May 20.—Chief Water-tender J. Kelly was probably fatally burned by the explosion of a steam trap at the navy yard's ice plant. G. H. Caldwell and E. F. Henry, electricians, were badly burned about the face and hands.



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