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He Urges Inquiry Into Military Preparedness; Wants Adequate Defense.

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NO USE WISHING!

Sitting tight on a cushioned seat and wishing success for the mobile never got one for anybody—woman excepted.

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George White, Portland, Standing Hard by Waiting for the Sword and the Gold Braid.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Jan. 15.—It is reported here today that the official head of Adjutant General Finzer is to be the next to fall at the hands of Governor Thomas Wileycombe.

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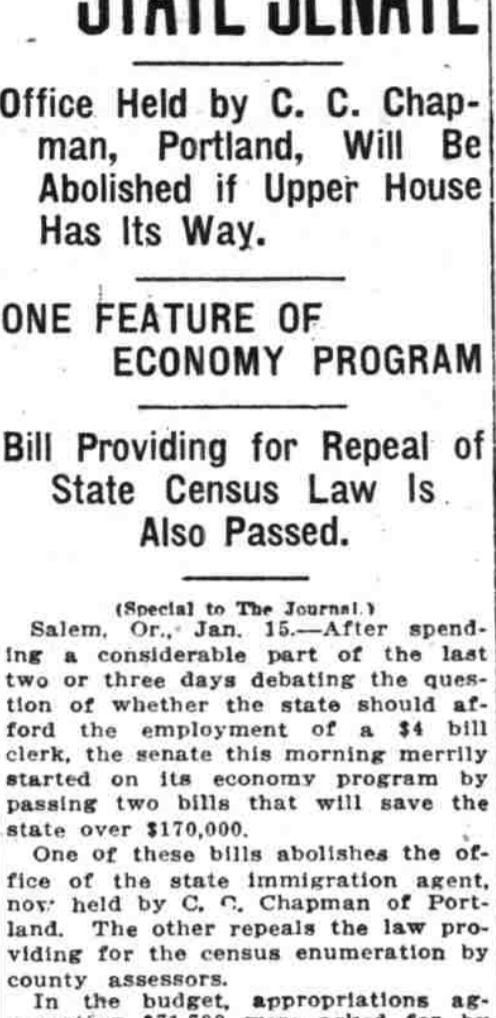
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