

MANY OIL CLAIMS TO BE CONTESTED BY NAVY BUREAU

By Frank Stetson
Washington, Sept. 7.—(I. N. S.)—The navy department will contest more than 75 per cent of the claims filed by oil companies and individuals upon lands in the huge reserves of the navy in Southern California, it was learned authoritatively.

Wednesday was the last day of the six months' limit set for filing claims under the conditions of the oil leasing bill passed by congress dated February 25, 1920.

Of the more than 100 claims which the navy department estimates have been filed at the department of the interior not more than 25 or 30 will be granted leases under the terms of the bill without a stiff contest on the part of the department. The other 75 or more claims will be fought on the grounds of fraud.

The fraud is of varying degrees according to department officials, but in all cases it is sufficient to deprive the claimants of any rights to produce from the reserves. Some of the claims are filed, department officials say, where it is known that the wells are not producing, some are alleged frauds against the original locations and others are alleged to have been accomplished through the use of dummy drillers.

Chinese Diplomats To Change Places; Sye to Come Here

Washington, Sept. 7.—Dr. Wellington Koo, the Chinese ambassador in Washington, and Sake Alfred Sye, Chinese ambassador in London, will exchange posts, it was learned at the Chinese embassy.

Dr. Sye was the first Chinese ambassador to graduate from Cornell university and has never ceased to be interested in the development of political, social and economic conditions in the United States. He will arrive in Washington around Christmas. Dr. Koo will remain here until that time.

Dr. Sye is one of the youngest diplomats at the Court of St. James. He feels particularly friendly to the United States on account of its stand regarding Shantung.

Dead Rats and Tin Cans Admission for Marion, Ill., Theatre

By United News
Marion, Ill., Sept. 7.—Vernon Hicks, who runs a "movie" here, is a public-spirited citizen.

"Anything for the good of the town," is his motto.

Weeks ago, when the city dads started a city cleaning movement, he let the folks into his theater for five tin cans. It took extra trucks to haul away the cans.

Now Hicks has a sign up: "Admission, one dead rat." He's helping the war on rodents.

So far 15 Marion girls, holding very dead rats by the extreme end of the tail, have been admitted to the picture show.

Speed King Injured At Centralia Races; Machine Is Wrecked

Centralia, Wash., Sept. 7.—Oscar Kimbro, driving the Kimbro special in the racing car event of the Southwest Washington Fair grounds auto races, sustained serious injuries late Monday afternoon when his car skidded and plunged through two fences.

Kimbro was rounding the north turn at about 60 miles an hour, when the car jumped across the track, through the railing surrounding the track and into the high board fence which surrounds the grounds. Claire Loughgren, Kimbro's mechanic, was badly bruised but sustained no broken bones. The machine was wrecked.

After Thirty Years
Lorain, Ohio, Sept. 7.—(I. N. S.)—John Zismelster and his twin brother, Henry, met here for the first time in 30 years. John is a Lorain policeman. Henry lives in Seattle. "When we separated 30 years ago," John said, "people could not tell us apart. Now Henry is 30 pounds heavier than I and one can hardly tell we are brothers."

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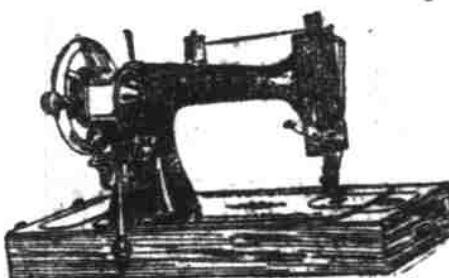
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ONE of the most remarkable of all the Birthday Sales offerings is scheduled for Wednesday at which time we announce supreme values in Waists

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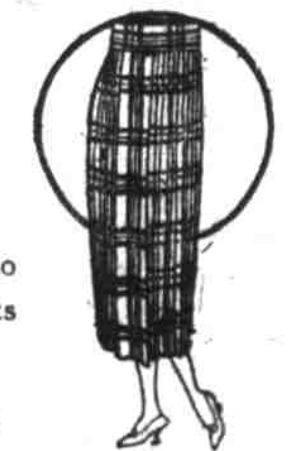
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—The materials that enter into the making of these stylish Skirts consist of

All-Wool Plaids and Checks in a variety of the newest designs.

—And many of them are made in knife and box pleating effects as well as attractive flare models. The entire lot goes on sale tomorrow at a special price—\$10.50.

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