

RIVALRY STRUGGLE FOR FIRST HONOR AT INAUGURATION

Washington, Nov. 25.—The country may get itself agitated over efforts of various aspirants for seats in the Harding cabinet, but that contest is as nothing compared with the battle now being waged in the District of Columbia over the chairmanship of the inauguration committee.

PORTLAND CELEBRATING THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

(Continued From Page One) about keeping quiet, not reaching across the table, not to eat with a knife, and other usual family don'ts.

PRISONERS GET TURKEY

City Jailers Gustafson announced that he had prevailed upon the generosity of George H. Watson of the Baltimore lunch to give his prisoners a real dinner. The menu announced was turkey, cranberries, mashed potatoes, celery, mince pie and apples.

TURKEYS GO FAST

Girls at the Salvation Army and Volunteers of America homes were given special dinners, and likewise inmates of the many homes in Portland for the aged.

BIG FEEDS ARE PROVIDED AT STATE INSTITUTIONS

Salem, Nov. 25.—Roast pork—875 pounds of it—vied with roast turkey and roast chicken as the piece de resistance in the menu for the Thanksgiving day dinner at the state hospital here.

CITY JAIL PRISONERS TO HAVE TURKEY JUST LIKE OTHERS

This morning the "trusties" in the city jail got up early and set to work with a will. Long before the usual time the corridors and cells were swept clean and the floors mopped and everything polished spick and span.

HACKETT-VIDAS CONCERT

Charles Hackett, tenor of the Metropolitan Opera company, and Raoul Vidas, French violinist, in joint recital at the Hellig December 1, direction Flores & Coman.

MINOR GIRLS WED

Three minor girls were married at Vancouver Wednesday afternoon, all being accompanied by their parents, who gave consent.

PEGGY WITH IRISH EYES

Popular New Waltz Song Just Out At All Dealers—35¢

FLASHES FROM JOURNAL WIRES

SACRAMENTO.—(U. P.)—Formal protest against the treaty being negotiated between the United States and Japan was made in a telegram sent last night by the S. Chamberlain of the executive committee of the Japanese exclusion league of California, to Acting Secretary of State Norman H. Davis at Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO.—(U. S.)—Because he doubted the ability of the Siberian government to deliver valid titles, Robert Dollar turned down what has since become known as the valuable Vanderlip concession in Siberia.

SAN ANTONIO.—(I. N. S.)—General Alvaro Obregon is seriously ill from ptomaine poisoning, according to information reaching Mexican quarters here.

PARIS.—(U. P.)—Premier Leygues today started for London, where he will confer with Premier Lloyd George with regard to the French-British policy toward recognizing a Greek government headed by King Constantine.

SEATTLE.—(U. S.)—Colonel William M. Inglis, recently a candidate for the Republican nomination for the United States senate, has been commissioned a major of infantry in the regular army.

SAN DIEGO.—(U. P.)—Attendance records for the Tia Juana president-elect were made today. Thousands of visitors are in the city for the opening of the winter meeting.

EAGLE PASS.—(U. P.)—Government terms of 20 per cent increase in wages have been accepted by striking miners in the Coahulla coal region and the men have returned to work.

Lighter hearted would try a little snatch of song.

It was Thanksgiving day in the city jail, too, but there was something else besides the mere fact that the last Thursday in November was here again that changed the customary morning routine.

GRETNA GREEN HONORS CLAIMED BY PORTLAND

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DAMP FIELD EXPECTED TO PREVENT BIG SCORE

(Continued From Page One) many years, and despite Penn's poor showing this season the battle in Quakerstown will be witnessed by a great crowd. It is estimated that 20,000 will see the game. Cornell was favored to win.

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WASHINGTON.—(U. N.)—Senator France of Maryland, one of the Republican majority, has just announced that he will press a resolution for opening up and facilitating trade with Russia as soon as possible after the senate reconvenes on December 6.

FARGO, N. D.—(U. N.)—Congressman John Baer, First North Dakota district, who "cartooned" his way to the house of representatives, will return to cartooning after his term expires March 4, he announced Wednesday night.

NORFOLK, Va.—(I. N. S.)—Weldon J. White, who shot his wife to death at home at midnight on October 5, was found guilty of murder in the first degree and was sentenced to 30 years in the penitentiary.

WASHINGTON.—(U. S.)—Peace with Germany was declared by resolution early in the Harding administration, according to a statement made by Senator Knox.

LONDON.—(I. N. S.)—An epidemic of typhoid fever, which, it is reported, may be of criminal origin, has broken out at Skibbereen, Ireland.

QUEENSTOWN.—(U. P.)—Mrs. Muriel Macoswney, widow of the lord mayor of Cork, who starved herself in Brixton prison, leaves for the United States today.

BERLIN.—(U. P.)—The former kaiser's court chaplain has been summoned to Doorn, where she is critically ill with heart disease.

PARIS.—(U. S.)—The government of Italy has officially stated that it declines to interfere with the Greek people's decision to reinstate former King Constantine.

House, legal, and Ellen D. Brown, legal, Yakima; Victor Hubbard, 36, Sunnyside, and Grace Hoard, 29, Portland; Donald Hill, legal, Phoenix, Ariz., and Wilena O'Neill, legal, Garbem, Okla.; Adolphus Mayhew, 25, Manpan, Or., and Lola Chaustlin, 19, Clatskanie; Stephen Marsten, 30, Gresham, and Ollie Helderbrand, 28, Portland; C. J. Stanley, 34, and Rose Hojda, 25, Portland; Leucht Babcock, 23, Wauna, Or., and Edith Clendenning, 21, Ridgefield, Wash.

OREGON CITY COUPLES ARE GIVEN WEDDING LICENSES

Oregon City, Nov. 25.—In celebration of the Thanksgiving season, several couples secured licenses to wed at the county clerk's office Wednesday. One of Oregon City's well-known young women was among those listed for wedlock, Miss Anna Friedrich becoming the bride of Walter E. Bailey of San Francisco at the Catholic church Thanksgiving morning at 9 o'clock.

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LEAGUE AGENTS RAID TWO STILLS NEAR LINNTON

Raids on two illicit stills were made Wednesday by agents of the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon. One man, whose name was withheld by the league for special reasons, is held in the county jail pending further investigation, and another is to report to the sheriff's office Friday morning, he having been left in charge of stock that needed attention.

George Russell and Frank Huntington, suspended policemen, who are now working under the Anti-Saloon league and who are designated special deputy sheriffs, raided a grow about a mile west of Linnton, moored at the dairy ranch of Henry McCarl. A complete still and 750 gallons of corn mash were found.

Sled marks on the ground led from the water's edge to the ranch. McCarl has a large amount of stock to look after, so he was permitted to remain at the ranch, but was ordered to appear at the sheriff's office Friday forenoon.

Another raid was made by Special Agent F. W. Snyder at a house near Linnton, where two vats of 700 gallons capacity were found in the basement.

Two gallons of moonshine whiskey, two sacks of hops, a pressure tank of 10 gallons capacity and other equipment were seized. The man apprehended has been turned over to Sheriff Alexander of Washington county.

\$40,000 READY FOR SCHOOLS IN FRAUD SUIT

(Continued From Page One) of the case. This left approximately 30,000 acres involved in the litigation. The case was bitterly fought from its inception to its final determination upon appeal. The state's contentions were supported by the general land office, which not only cooperated by furnishing the best evidence available, but also had but by loaning expert assistants from the federal department to assist in compiling the evidence and connecting it up.

CASES PROSECUTED

The active prosecution of the cases was carried on by J. O. Bailey, special assistant to Attorney General Brown, who assembled the evidence and tried the cases before the court from their beginning to their final determination upon appeal.

On appeal the court decreed a recovery of some 15,000 acres to the state but held that the remaining 15,000 acres could not be recovered in that suit because of the court's opinion that the federal government had an equity in the land and should have been made a party. The case was therefore dismissed as to these 15,000 acres without prejudice and with the statement in terms that had the government been made a party the state would have been awarded the lands, or if it were to be included in subsequent litigation the same result would follow.

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when these proceedings have been completed the state will then file suit to recover from the government. The state's case in these instances will be largely of a formal nature, for the record of the adverse proceedings will in themselves have proven the fraud by which the state was deprived of possession, and upon its decision there will be no bar to recovery by the state other than formal authority granted by congress to the land office to recover to the state. It is not believed that this authority will be difficult to obtain in the face of record in the courts and before the land department establishing the fraud by which the state has been wronged.

LEAGUE ASKS U. S. TO ACT ON ARMENIA

(Continued From Page One) military force were entirely eliminated. When he speaks of the league being "dead" or when he refers, as he did at Des Moines, last August to turning his back on obligations, he means Article X. His friends, therefore, declare that

insofar as international conference has been brought about by the present league and negotiation is thus made easier, no disposition exists to insist upon a league different in every detail from the present organization. Nevertheless they say that when Mr. Harding formulates his program, the changes he will suggest to other countries will be fundamental and that these will absolutely alter the character of the covenant so that the league will be known as the Harding league instead of the Wilson league.

McCORMICK IRRECONCILABLE Senator Medill McCormick of Illinois, who has just called for Europe, is one of the so-called irreconcilables who voted along with Senators Borah and Johnson against the treaty with or without the Lodge reservations. He has said that Europe was ready to negotiate for a new understanding with the United States, and that he personally had been assured by persons close to foreign governments of their readiness to accept the American program. His visit to Europe is fully expected to develop interesting conferences with foreign statesmen, the substance of which will be cabled to Senator Harding at Martin. McCormick is in no sense an official representative of Harding, but he has apprised Senator Harding of his plans. The Illinois senator differs from other members of the irreconcilable group in that he sees the neces-

sity of some sort of world association in which America shall play a part in her own way. Incidentally, considerable pressure is being brought to bear upon President-elect Harding to persuade him to move for a revision of the peace treaty itself. There is no doubt that if Senator Knox were made secretary of state he would endeavor to separate the peace treaty from the world association idea, so that the United States would never be obliged to participate in the enforcement of the treaty. Whether such a separation will be practicable is a mooted point. So many compromises were worked out at Paris that a reopening of one question would lead to tangled situations on one another, and thus to political crises throughout Europe.

WOULD DIVORCE TREATY

However, there seems no question that the proposal will be made completely to divorce the peace treaty from the new association, as the original round robin presented by the Republican senators proposed when President Wilson made his first trip to the United States from the peace conference.

Of course, the action of the assembly of the League of Nations in waiting for proposals from the United States to change the covenant is interpreted here as a partially graceful move, and one

that is apt to put even greater responsibility for early action on President Harding. It is viewed as the first overture by Europe to Senator Harding, and some who know him best are convinced he will not lose the opportunity to make an entirely new proposal for the preservation of world peace.

TOMORROW, order for Sunday a supply of

"Red Rock" Cottage Cheese —you'll enjoy its refreshing, cooling taste after your Thanksgiving feasting.

One Thing You Should Be Thankful For That You Can Purchase a Good-as-New Used Piano or Player Piano at the GREAT PIANO SALE now being conducted by the Bush & Lane Piano Co. The prices on these are way below what we expected to sell them for, but we want to have every used instrument in the house disposed of by the time we take inventory in December. These instruments are in first class condition, in tone, finish and action and, best of all, are easy to procure on our easy payment plan. Any One of These Will Make an Ideal Christmas Gift. PRICES ARE NOW AT LOW EBB. BUY NOW BEFORE THE PENDULUM STARTS SWINGING THE OTHER WAY. Bush & Lane Piano Co. Solo Concerto An Exceptional Buy in a Player Piano, only \$495. An Almost New Player Piano, only \$565.

Every Suit Reduced 25% —Every Dress Up to \$85.50 Now \$59.50 —At the Eastern's Prosperity Sale The Suits In order to give further impetus to our Prosperity Sale, every woman's suit in our store has been reduced 25 per cent. Included are duvetyns, velours, Duvet de Laine, Silvertones, Tinseltones, Tweeds, velour checks and tricotines. Some are fur trimmed with sealine, nutria, moleskin or squirrel. Every shade is represented. Belted models predominate, with loose backs and straight back coats intermingled with the ripple backs of the tailored models. When we announced sane prices and sane buying we meant it—every word of it. Here is the undisputed evidence. Values on these suits range from \$42.50 to \$190. There is not a woman's suit excepted from our entire stock. The choice models are bound to be selected early, so take advantage of this, the opening announcement, and make your selection at once. The Dresses Our complete line of \$85 dresses were real values, but Prosperity Sale figures make the offering of these models for the astoundingly low price of \$59.50. Tricotines, jerseys, duvetyns, velvets, Poiret twills and satins are all included. Some are Hickson copies and all are faultlessly tailored. Most of them have just arrived from New York. The long waisted and straight line dresses are here. Beads and colored embroidery form effective trimmings. Three quarter sleeves for the fancy dress, long sleeves on the tailored models. We're sure you'll agree that this is the most stunning collection of dresses you ever saw. Use Your Credit Have you opened your account with the Eastern yet? If not, do so. Our "Cheerful Credit" plan allows you to purchase all your clothing requirements NOW, and the payments are so easy. Charge Accounts Billed January, 1921. This dress sale opens Friday. Make your selection tomorrow or Saturday, for these bargains will surely go quickly. Eastern Outfitting Co. Washington at Tenth St. The Grey Tile Corner