

FEDERAL CRIMINAL CASES JAM COURTS IN PAST 9 YEARS

Washington, Dec. 6.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL.)—Twenty-two additional judges of United States district courts are provided for in a bill pending before the house of representatives with a favorable report from the committee on judiciary. The bill is to be one of the first measures passed at the regular session.

An increase of 800 per cent in criminal business in the United States courts since 1912 is one of the remarkable statements made in the report which accompanies the bill. Out of 168,600 cases pending on July 1 last the criminal cases numbered 48,700. It is explained that part of this accumulation is due to slacker and prohibition cases, over 10,000 under the prohibition act.

At first the attorney general favored the creation of 18 judges at large, who might be assigned to districts where the congestion of business is greatest. The house committee proposed 22 and named the districts from which they shall be appointed; so that each judge may be attached to a particular court, but retains the plan of assignment to districts outside of those from which they are appointed.

This is to be done through a yearly conference to be called by the justices of the United States supreme court with senior circuit judges and such district judges as he may invite, so that the state of business in each of the country may be surveyed and schedules arranged for the temporary assignment of district judges where they are most needed.

The report states that the additional salaries of 22 judges will be \$165,000, secretaries, \$2,000; extra bailiffs, \$15,000; a total of \$182,000. The increase will make a total of 137 district judges. The only additional judges provided for west of Oklahoma are for the districts of Montana, northern district of California, southern district of California and Arizona.

Internal Revenue Bureau Cost Gains, Income Grows Less

Washington, Dec. 6.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL.)—The cost of administering the internal revenue bureau is going up while the receipts come down. The annual report just made public shows \$300,000,000 less collected for the fiscal year 1921 than for 1920, with an increase in cost from 55 cents to 87 cents for each \$100 collected.

A variety of explanations are given for this, from increase of prohibition enforcement duties to the greater difficulty of checking over the smaller returns of previous years, but such a large increase in cost is bound to attract attention in congress.

The sum charged to administrative expense last year was \$40,200,000, more than enough to pay all the costs of the agricultural department, or to build and equip a battleship.

There was an increase of 10 1/2 per cent in the number of bureau employees in the District of Columbia, where there were 450 and now are 502. The report recommends that 10 additional internal revenue districts be created.

Forester to Survey Logged-Off Lands; Check Fire Menace

T. T. Munger of the district forester's office and Porter King of the state forester's office left Monday for Clatsop country where they will go over the cut-over lands on which the slash has not been burned in compliance with the state law, to determine what areas should be burned in order to remove the fire menace, and what areas should not be burned because of their reproduction of young timber.

The general practice has heretofore been not to burn slashings in the fog belt, says Munger, but a recent policy of the state is to burn slashings in these lands within the areas to be burned immediately after logging. Of the area logged off for several years past, however, on which the slash has never been burned, much is covered with young reproduction which has reduced the fire hazard and which would be destroyed by a slash burning at this time. Other areas present a fire menace and should be burned. Munger and King will decide upon the dividing line.

Portland Asked to Boost for Fund for Inland Waterways

An effort to obtain a general conference of all waterways organizations at Washington, D. C., in January, is being made by the Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce, according to a message received by the Chamber of Commerce Monday asking for cooperation of the Portland organization.

The meeting is being called to advocate at the next session of congress \$100,000,000 a year for five years for the improvement and construction of inland rivers and canals and harbors. The message said that this amount would be saved to the consumers of the nation through lessening transportation rates.

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Women's Kimonos Basement—A gift every woman will appreciate. Attractive styles and good selection of \$1.95

Women's Silk Petticoats Basement—Excellent quality Satin and Zurich Petticoats in most wanted shades. Xmas boxes. Special \$3.98

Women's Knit Jackets Basement—Fine grade Wool yarn. Sleeveless style. Assorted colors. Very attractive. Priced \$1.98

Women's Bath Robes Basement—Blanket Bath Robes of a well known make. Assorted styles, colors. Special \$3.89

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Women's Bath Robes Basement—Splendid warm Robes of good quality blanket material. Many pretty designs. Special \$5.98

Women's F'cy Garters Basement—Sutain for her Xmas gift. Hand-made and trimmed with dainty 75c

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Women's Boudoir Caps Basement—Made up in good quality Crepe de Chine, trimmed with ribbons and laces. Many styles. Special 98c

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Women's Boudoir Caps Basement—About 300 Caps in crepe de Chine. All the most wanted colors. Special 59c

Women's Corsets Basement—Celebrated "Trottoe" Corsets of heavy grade mesh material, elastic. \$2.50

Children's Hosiery Basement—Assorted styles, in black and brown with reinforced heel and toe. Sizes 5 to 8 1/2. Special, pair 45c

Christmas Ribbons Basement—Fancy ribbons in a great assortment of patterns for bows and other gift articles. 6 to 7 in. Yard 45c

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Women's Union Suits Basement—Mercerized cotton with bodice or French top. Sleeves and short skirt. Sizes 32-44. \$2.39

Women's Umbrellas Basement—Sturdy, steel rod, shower-proof cover. Many different styles in \$2.25

Women's F'cy Aprons Basement—Bungalow style with fancy sashes. Of good quality sateen, embroidered in pretty designs. Priced special at \$2.98

New Muslin Aprons Basement—Made from good quality unbleached muslin with hand embroidered designs on front, sleeves, pocket. \$2.48

Women's Silk Bloomers Basement—Silk mesaline. Broken ranges of sizes. Very suitable for gift giving. Special, the pair \$1.98

Envelope Chemise Basement—Silk mixed, envelope chemise in pink only, trimmed with lace or plain. Sizes 38 to 44. Sp'l \$1.39

Children's Sweaters Basement—Slip-on sweaters in sizes 20 to 34. Good quality salmon colors. Warm and serviceable. Sp'l \$1.00

Children's Rain Capes Basement—Rubberized rain capes in blue only. Good full styles. Sizes 6 to 14. Special \$1.98

Infants' Bath Robes Basement—"Smiling Baby" Bath Robes, white trimmed with pink and blue. Put up in attractive boxes. Sp'l \$1.25

Children's Bath Robes Basement—Made up in serviceable blanket material. Large assortment of dainty new patterns. Sizes 6 to 14. Sale \$1.98

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Children's Coasters Basement—Great fun for the children. 4-wheeled Coasters good strong construction, nicely painted. Priced \$1.98

Children's Handbags Basement—Imitation leather and fancy cloth Bags in assorted styles, chain handle. Fine 59c

Men's Flannel Shirts Basement—High grade material, made with 3 pockets and cut generously full. \$2.98

Men's Handkerchiefs Basement—Plain white Handkerchiefs of excellent quality. Regulation size, hemstitched edge. Box of six 89c

Men's Suspenders Basement—Cross-back style, made for service as well as looks. Strong leather. Shown in assorted patterns. Special at \$1.49

Men's Gift Sets Basement—Leather Belt with Buckle and pair of Goggles. Hose Supporters. Put up in attractive box. \$1.49

Boys' Gauntlets Basement—A very appropriate gift for any boy. Cape Leather Gloves with fringed ends. Sizes 6, 7, 8. \$1.00

Men's Boxed Armlets Basement—Fancy silk elastic Armlets with ribbon bows. Shown in assorted colors. Put in Xmas box. Special 19c

Men's Pad Garters Basement—The well known "Senator" Garters—non-binding and comfortable. The metal can't touch you. 29c

Men's Silk Garters Basement—A gift he is sure to appreciate. High grade Leather belts in brown and black. Put up in neat gift box. Sp'l 48c

Men's Leather Belts Basement—A gift he is sure to appreciate. High grade Leather belts in brown and black. Put up in neat gift box. Sp'l 95c

Men's Xmas Ties Basement—2000 Men's Gift Ties in a notable offering. All the newest patterns and colors to select from. Sp'l 98c

Men's Cashmere Hose Basement—Sold as "seconds," on account of slight imperfections. Natural and black. All sizes, 9 1/2 to 11 1/2. Special, a pair \$3.0c

Men's Bath Robes Basement—Get him one of these serviceable and festive Christmas Blanket material, assorted patterns and colors. \$5.98

Men's Knitted Ties Basement—Very popular and serviceable. Variety of new patterns and colors in this special offering. Choice \$3.0c

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Men's Fabric Gloves Basement—Knitted Fabric Gloves in navy, brown and black. Just the thing for rough work about the house. Special, pair \$2.9c

Women's Slippers Basement—Felt Slippers with flexible leather soles. Trimmed with plush and ribbon. Low heels. All colors \$1.95

Children's Slippers Basement—Felt Slippers with plush lining. Flexible leather soles. Practical \$1.45

Men's Slippers Basement—Black and brown kid Slippers in the popular Everett style with leather \$2.75

Men's Felt Slippers Basement—Dark maroon only. Made with padded soles. Comfortable for house wear. Special, pair \$1.45

Hat Trimmings Basement—Flowers, Wreaths, Sprays, Clusters, etc., in great variety for various purposes. Entire line is being reduced 4

Wool Auto Robes Basement—High-grade Robes suitable for gift giving. Beautiful, rich patterns, fringed. Regular \$10.50 value. Special, \$7.95

Fancy Gift Towels Basement—Large size Bath Towels with pink, blue and gold borders. Regular. \$6.00 value. On sale for 1 day 50c

Damask Scarfs Basement—18x45 inch Damask Table Scarfs with hemstitched edge. Beautiful satin finish. Priced special at 50c

Pillow Cases Basement—62x28 inch Pillow Cases with lace trimmed and hemstitched ends. These are regular values. \$5.9c

Large Bath Towels Basement—Heavy quality double lined Towels. These make very acceptable gifts. Priced special 90c

Plaid Blankets Basement—Heavy wool finish Blankets in attractive plaid patterns. 70 inches wide. Choice of \$1.50 values at only \$3.98

Damask Cloths Basement—52x70 in. Mercerized Damask Table Cloths in several pretty patterns. Hemmed. Priced special \$1.69

Towel Gift Sets Basement—Each set contains Bath Towel and 2 face cloths to match. Regular \$1.35. Special value. Priced, the set \$1.10

Huck Towels Basement—Hemstitched Huck Towels, 18x28 inches. Only a limited quantity in this lot. Exceptional values 35c

Scalloped Spreads Basement—1 inch Bed Spreads, scalloped with plain or cut corners. Satin finish. \$15.49

White Blankets Basement—High-grade Blankets in large full size for double bed. Size 66x80 inches. \$3.98

Wool Blankets Basement—Plaid Wool Blankets in large full size for double bed. These were formerly priced \$10. Special \$6.98

Barred Towels Basement—Fancy barred Turkish Towels in pink, blue, gold and helio. Size 30x40 inches. Priced special at 75c

Waist Patterns Basement—1/2 yard lengths of Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe, and other materials. At \$1.98

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English Longcloth Basement—This is very suitable for making of dainty lingerie. Put up 12 yds. \$1.98 to the bolt. Special

Men's Gift Sets Basement—Fancy Christmas Sets containing one pair of arm bands and one pair of garters. Special at box 59c

Women's Corsets Basement—Of fancy pink broche material. Back laced, elastic top, long skirt. Sizes 20 to 30. Special at \$1.00

Boudoir Slippers Basement—Quilted Silk Slippers in assorted colors. A gift always greatly appreciated. Special, a pair 87c

Sale of New Hats Basement—Made from real human hair. Double mesh. Browns and black. Sold as irregularly priced at 13 for \$1.00

Children's Bloomers Basement—Cutting Flannel Bloomers for girls 8 to 12 yrs. Full cut and well made. 35c

Women's Bloomers Basement—Pink Crepe Bloomers of good quality. Sizes 27 and 29 only. Limited quantity. Priced special, the pair 39c

Percale Aprons Basement—Women's House Aprons in the popular slip-on style. V neck and short sleeves. Priced special 85c

Bleached Sheets Basement—1200 in full Bleached Sheets of splendid heavy quality on sale Wednesday. Priced at only, each \$1.49

Face Cloths on Sale Basement—Include several of these in that Towel Set you are planning to give her for Christmas. Extra values 10c

Art Cretonnes Basement—38 inches wide and 60 inches long. Sold as irregulars of drapes and fancy 35c

Women's Hose Basement—Black, white and tan Cotton Hose with reinforced heel and toe. 2000 pairs on 17c

Mercerized Hose Basement—Black, white and corduroy. Mercerized Hose for women. Double heel. 45c

Women's Silk Hose Basement—It will pay you to buy several pairs. Sold as irregulars on account of irregular slight defects. A pair 59c

Pillow Tubing Basement—42 inch Bleached Pillow Tubing. A special low price for Wednesday. Firm quality. The yard 35c

Table Damask Basement—Mercerized Table Damask of good heavy quality. 70 inches wide. Choice of several patterns. The yard \$1

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