

# HUMPHREYS TO QUIT, BUT WHEN? IS QUESTION NOW

### Attorney General Accepts Portland Prosecutor's Resignation; May Remain Until January 1.

Whatever ironical epigrammatist it was who said of officeholders "Few die and none resign" certainly did not have Lester W. Humphreys, United States attorney for Oregon, in mind. Major Humphreys, though anything but dead, has resigned, but can't get on.

### HAS OFFERS

It was only Saturday that Attorney General Daugherty honored Humphreys' resignation. So the major, hoping to get away September 1 and enter the private practice of law, will have to wait at least until January 1, though he submitted his resignation April 26, and asked to be relieved August 31.

### VEATCH TO QUIT

Following the receipt of Daugherty's letter of acceptance, John C. Veatch, chief assistant, announced that he would submit his resignation before the first of the year.

### APPOINTED IN 1919

Following his return from overseas service, where he attained the rank of major, Humphreys was appointed federal prosecutor for this district on November 19, 1919, to succeed Bert E. Haney, resigned, who held the office December 8 following.

# M'CORMICKS TO MEET PROVISIONS OF ILLINOIS LAW

### Ganna Walska and Millionaire to Go Through Another Ceremony on Return to Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—(U. P.)—Harold F. McCormick and Ganna Walska, who were married in Paris, will go through another ceremony when they return to Chicago, according to friends here today.

### Northwest Tennis Play at Tacoma Is Slow on Indoor Court

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 12.—(U. P.)—Play continued today in the Northwest tennis tournament, with all matches played on the armory court, making the meet drag, as only one match can be played at one time.

### 8 Lightening Fires Put Out by Forest Ranger and 11 Men

Sandy, Aug. 12.—During the big electrical storm up the mountains Wednesday evening Joe Graham, Summit station ranger, handled eight fires that were started by lightning between Mt. Wilson and Frog Lake. Graham and 11 men drove as far as they could with a truck, then struck out on foot and after each blaze was put out dug a trench and put up a fire line.

### Kenton Lodge Lays Cornerstone for New Building Saturday

The cornerstone of the new Kenton Masonic lodge building, under construction at the corner of Denver avenue and Kilpatrick street, was laid with appropriate ceremonies Saturday at 2 p. m. and marked the new building to the accompaniment of band music.

### Commissioner Says Insurance Policies Allowed to Lapse

Salem, Or., Aug. 12.—A total of \$362,889.61 was received from taxes and fees by the state insurance department during the year 1921, according to the annual report of C. Barber, state insurance commissioner. This represents an increase of more than \$75,000 over the receipts of the department for the previous year.

# MAY ASK COURT TO SET ASIDE CONSOLIDATION

### Stockholders of Peoples Bank Want Merger With State Bank Annulled.

Possibility of an appeal to the courts to annul the consolidation of the Peoples Bank with the State Bank of Portland was announced Saturday, following an interview between Frank C. Bismwell, state superintendent of banks, and a committee representing the stockholders of the Peoples bank.

### Forest Air Patrol Angered; to Search For Illicit Stills

Angered over the number of forest fires in Oregon this summer which have been traced to moonshiners' stills, the airplane forest patrol men have volunteered to assist government prohibition agents in running down illicit distillers who hide away in the woods to make their product.

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# Prineville Garage Destroyed; Score Of Autos Burned

### Prineville, Aug. 12.—An explosion, followed by a fire which threatened an entire business and residential block, broke out last night about 11:45 o'clock and destroyed the Service Motor Sales garage, belonging to George A. Holmes.

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# SHAFT OF MARBLE TEMPORARY END OF COAST HIGHWAY

### Grave of John Geisel and His Three Sons Recalls Indian Massacre of 1856.

"To the memory of John Geisel, also his three sons, John, Henry and Andrew, who were murdered by Indians, February 25, 1854," is the inscription on a small shaft of marble at the head of a lonely grave on the Curry county shore, about five miles north of the mouth of the Rogue river.

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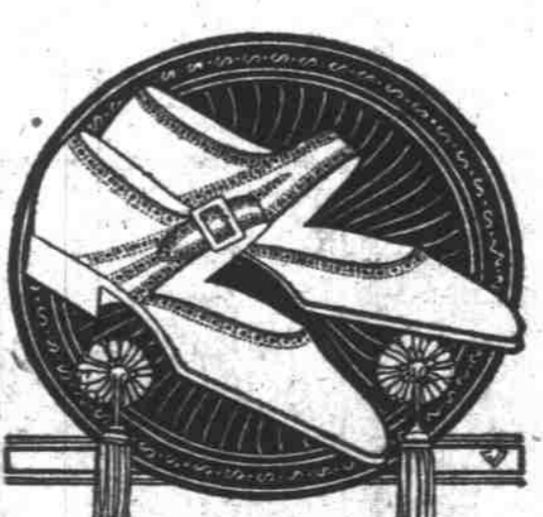
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