

MAJ. NICHOLSON PUT IN CLASS B FOR RETIREMENT

Washington, Nov. 28.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Major Malcolm Wheeler-Nicholson, formerly of Portland, Or., whose name has been much in print during the last two years because of his attacks upon alleged "Bolshevism" in the army, is reported to have been placed in class B for retirement. Class B proceedings are not made public.

Major Wheeler-Nicholson was placed provisionally in class B some time ago, but President Harding disapproved the findings after they had been approved by the secretary of war and an appeal had been carried to the White House. The major alleged persecution by various superior officers. He declared that his unpopularity was due to his criticism of archaic methods and unjust dealing.

Recently it was stated that he had written another letter to the president in protest against the new proceeding to place him in class B, which he attributed to the enmity of those hit by his previous criticisms. One of his critics was another former Portlander, the present major general commandant at the West Point military academy, Fred W. Sladen.

"The war department is beginning on me again," wired Major Nicholson

to his mother, Mrs. A. W. Nicholson, of this city, who is the wife of his second and placing in class B for retirement reached him.

"I have spent six years trying to get a new system in this army and can spend another six."

Mrs. Nicholson said today her son last year brought charges against Sladen for perjury during the trial in which he was accused of unjust criticism of army methods. He was restored to class A by President Harding last August and a second time brought charges against Sladen. This was followed by a movement in which the judge advocates and friends of Sladen on the general staff, including General Parag, refused to allow these charges to be investigated and on what Mrs. Nicholson calls "trumped up and false charges," had Major Nicholson sent to Camp Dix for further trial before a court martial. One of the charges related to an absence without leave supposed to have taken place four months previously. The court martial recommended withdrawal of charges November 15, and five days later, Mrs. Nicholson said, when the major was still "illegally under arrest" and a guest at the quarters of Major Colby, he was shot through the head by a guard. Colby's house, left bleeding for more than an hour, and suffered from the effects of the wound for four months.

"They have tried seven times to court martial my son," said Mrs. Nicholson, "and his name put him before a senate board, which was the joke of the army and made even the board members laugh, and twice they have put him in class B, which is for inefficient officers. They are anxious to have him permanently placed in class B before he is retired and before his book, 'Begrabs on Horseback,' which carries all the documentary proof of the charges and abuses of the class B system, comes out next spring.

Special School Tax At The Dalles Is Lost by 19 Votes

The Dalles, Nov. 30.—When votes at the special school election on the question of the \$150,000 special tax for the twelfth district were recapitulated here Tuesday, it was found that the measure had lost by 19 votes. The board counted 377 ballots, all cast by taxpayers, following a rush which almost swamped the polling place at the high school.

The special election was called because the directors desired a sum in excess of the \$100,000 permitted by the statutory limitation this year, in order to meet \$50,000 bonded indebtedness beginning to come due.

Blocking of the effort to increase the school budget, it was stated today, will result in a curtailment of the city school program beginning in September, 1923.

The Dalles Turkey Output Exhausted

The Dalles, Nov. 30.—Because of heavy shipments of the local supply to Portland and Seattle early in the week, the turkey supply here was practically exhausted. Home dealers did not anticipate the demand that was made. Six of the churches here will unite in a union Thanksgiving service at 10:30 Thursday morning.

PACKER MERGER SPLITS CABINET

Washington, Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—A split has developed in President Harding's cabinet over the proposed merger of the Armour and Morris packing interests.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, in charge of the enforcement of all packer control laws, is strongly opposed to the consolidation.

Attorney General Daugherty, the law officer of the government, who would conduct any prosecution of the packers at the request of the department of agriculture, not only sees no legal obstacle to the merger, but favors it.

President Harding will have to make the final decision.

Approval by the government of the purchase of the Morris Packing interests by the Armour company was sought by J. Ogden Armour in advance of consummation of the transaction, in the hope of preventing any anti-trust prosecution in the future.

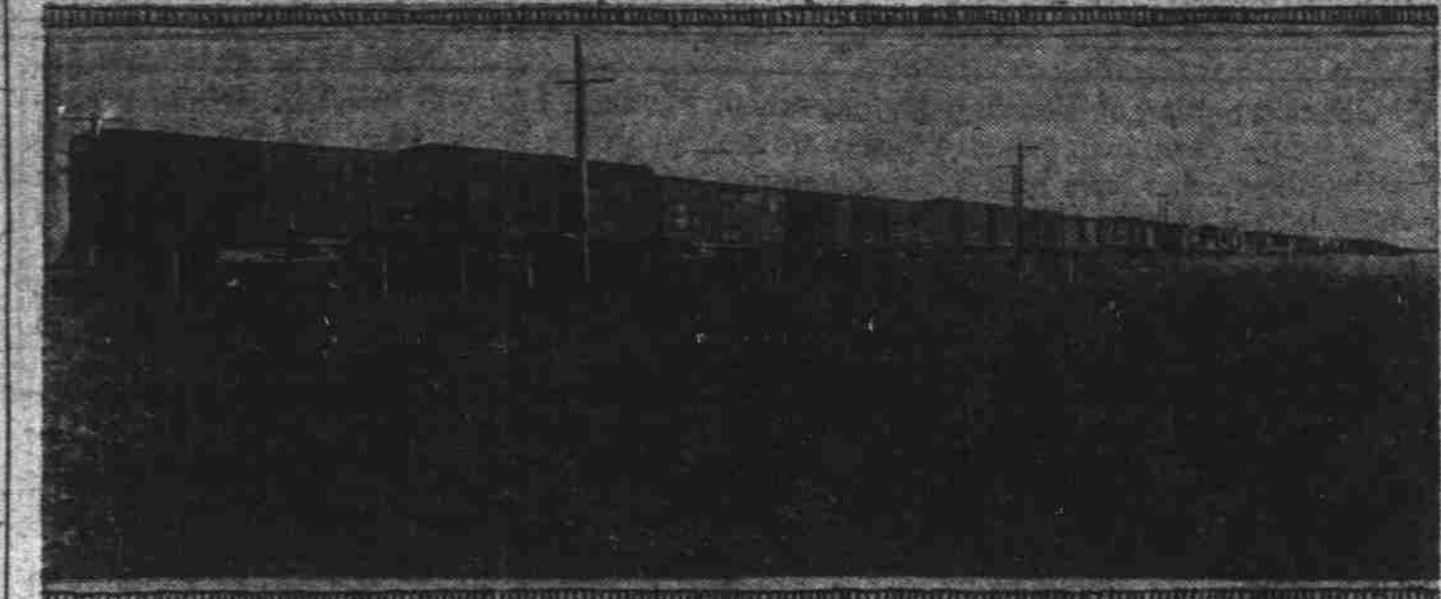
The question has served to bring to the fore again the rather sharp difference of opinion on agricultural matters between Harding and the secretary of agriculture.

Secretary Wallace's views are more nearly those of the farm bloc in congress, which the president has consistently opposed, and in the present situation Wallace has the support of this powerful group.

DR. C. H. NEWTH

Philomath, Nov. 30.—Dr. Charles Henry Newth, physician of Philomath for many years, died at his home early

Idle Cars Clutter Tracks--Shippers Wait



Here is a line of 76 empty freight cars on a Southern Pacific siding at Rybee avenue, all awaiting minor repairs. They are a feature of the shippers' strike. Meanwhile shippers are loudly calling for cars in vain.

Wednesday. His death came unexpectedly, as his illness had not been considered serious.

MRS. L. R. WATT

Tigard, Nov. 30.—Mrs. L. R. Watt, mother of Gordon R. Watt of Tigard, died at Amity.

When a small-city man complains that crossing Main street is dangerous business, he is boasting, not complaining.—Indianapolis Star.

Head of Election Board Arraigned; Trial Opens Dec. 20

W. H. Enrick, chairman of the election board of precinct 201 in which a number of discrepancies were found following the primaries and who was subsequently indicted on five counts, was arraigned before Presiding Judge George W. Stapleton Wednesday and pleaded not guilty.

The trial was set for December 20, the court allowing him a provision for a continuance in case the defense is not prepared at that time. Enrick is represented by Chester A. Sheppard.

Four of the five indictments accuse him of willful neglect as an election board officer. The fifth charges corrupt practices.

East Side Store Is Held Up; Cash Taken

An automobile hand held up a jewelry store at No. 412 East Burnside street, Wednesday night, obtaining \$10 from Hankon Glasse, the proprietor. The holdup entered the store at 8 o'clock and pointing a pistol at Glasse demanded that he hand over his cash. Glasse complied, emptying his till. The hand then ran around the corner, entered a waiting automobile, and sped away.

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Engraved Greeting Cards

Order Now—Before the Rush We have some wonderful values at \$1.00 Per Dozen

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Every Afternoon. Match Your Gown with a string of Beads

Hurd's Special Christmas Papaterie

\$1.25 and \$2.00, 24 Cards, Gilt-edged, 24 Sheets.

Envelopes\$2.50

Christmas Greeting Cards

Tags, Seals, Ribbonize Tissues, Fancy Christmas Boxes.

Narcissus Bulbs and Pottery Bowl

in Gift Box

Electric Vacuum Cleaners

These have been used for demonstrating.

Royal\$45.00
Ohio\$35.00
Hotpoint\$32.50

Ladies' Fine Silk Umbrellas

\$4.00
\$4.75
\$8.75
\$13.50

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19-inch Madame Hendren Mamma Doll, at\$4.49

24-inch Jointed Doll with wig and moving eyes\$2.98

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24 Sheets and Envelopes \$1.00

Nikk-Marr

Neo-Plastique Fountain of Youth\$2.50

Vallant's

Zanis Face Powder.....\$1.00
Zanis Perfum.....\$2.50
Zanis Toilet Water.....\$2.50

CANDY

Chocolate Honeycomb Chips, 1 pound39c
Riley's Toffy, 1 lb.39c
Horehound Tablets, 1 lb.29c
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81x90 FINE BED SHEETS \$1.39	40c HEAVY BATH TOWELS 25c	UNBLEACHED 39-Inch MUSLIN 12c	White OUTFITTING FLANNEL..... 16c
"Champion"—Bed sheets. Fine quality, large size. 81x90. Seamless and no dressing. Launders and wears well. Fire Sale... \$1.39	Bath Towels—Large size, 18x38. Heavy quality, pure white. Soft, thick and thrifty. 25c Fire Sale 25c	Unbleached—39-inch. Fine, smooth muslin. For aprons, lunch cloths, bed spreads. Fire Sale... 12c	"Viking"—Flannel. Pure white, heavy outing. 27-inch. A decided bargain. 4 and 5-yard lengths. Yard. Fire Sale 16c
Heavy Outing FLANNEL..... 12c	HOPE 36-IN. MUSLIN..... 15c	40c SANITAS Table Oilcloth..... 25c	\$1.25 PONGEE SILK..... 89c
Outing Flannel—Heavy grade 27-inch outing pretty stripe patterns, both light and dark; 4, 5 and 6-yd. lengths 12c Fire Sale 12c	"Hope" Muslin—Standard quality. Pure white. Full yard wide, no dressing. 5-yd. lengths. Yard. Fire Sale..... 15c	"Sanitas"—Best quality oilcloth, full width, many pretty patterns. Yard. Fire Sale 25c	Jap Pongee—Heavy dustless weight, fine quality. Full 38 inches wide. Wonderful quality for shirts, waists and handkerchiefs. Fire Sale 89c
CHILD'S WOOL HEATHER HOSE 59c	WOMEN'S FLANNEL PETTICOATS... 59c	WOMEN'S UNION SUITS... 95c	\$1 CASHMERE WOOL HOSE... 69c
Wool Hose—Child's pretty brown mixtures. Menders. Sizes 6 to 10. A decided bargain. Fire Sale 59c	Petticoats—Made of good grade outing flannel. Pretty blue and pink stripe. 59c Fire sale 59c	Union Suits—Made of pure white fleeced cotton. Short sleeves and no sleeve, ankle. Sizes from 36 to 44. Fire Sale 95c	Wool Hose—Women's fine cashmere. Brown and green heather mixtures. Plain and drop-stitch. All sizes to 10. Fire Sale..... 69c
GIRLS' SILK STRIPE UNIONS \$1.95	CHILD'S KNIT GLOVES..... 35c	60c Pure WOOL HANK YARN..... 49c	\$1 "TEXTON" TIE TWIST..... 85c
Silk Stripe union suits. Dutch neck, elbow sleeve. Sizes 2 to 14. Finest quality. \$1.95 Fire Sale \$1.95	Knit Gloves—Children's. Wool mixed. Pretty plain and stripe styles. All sizes. 35c Fire Sale 35c	Beautiful colors, pure wool knitting yarn. Large full size hanks. Every wanted shade. Famous "Allies" make. Fire Sale 49c	Necktie Silk—For crochets and knit men's and boys' ties. Large cones, 250 yards. Fire Sale..... 85c
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Lisle Sox—Men's fine dress sox. Brown, black and navy. All sizes. Fine for looks and wear. Fire Sale 12c	Union Suits—Men's fine heavy quality union suits, light and dark gray mottled. Two lots. Sizes 36 to 48. Fire Sale \$1.95	"Hanes"—Men's fine union suits. Heavy gray fleeced cotton. Best wearing underwear made. Fine for fit. Sizes 34 to 46. Fire Sale \$1.75	Boston and Paris—Men's famous garters. Improved wide web and double grip styles. All the new colors. 39c Fire Sale 39c
40c WOOL MIXED SOX... 19c	50c CASHMERE WOOL SOX... 39c		
Wool Sox—Mixed quality. Fine heavy grade. Black and grey. A bear for wear. Sizes to 11 1/2. Fire Sale 19c	"Montana"—Bear Brand. Black cashmere wool sox. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2. Wonderful values. 2 pairs 75c—39c Fire Sale 39c		