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## NEW DUAL FISH AND GAME COMMISSION IS ELECTED BY LEGISLATURE

### RESIGNATION OF GOVERNOR IS DEMANDED

Resolution by Banks, Howell, Moser and Thomas Asks That People Be Given Opportunity to Elect

### LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IS ALSO PROPOSED

Four Senators Back Measure for Vote on Constitutional Amendment

Calling upon Governor Olcott to resign, effective in January of next year, so that the people may have an opportunity to say whether they want him to serve out the entire unexpired term of the late Governor Withycombe, which he has a right to do under the opinion of the supreme court of last Tuesday, a senate joint resolution was introduced at last night's session by Senators Banks, Howell, Moser and Thomas.

The resolution did not come as a surprise, since it became known early in the day yesterday that such a measure was contemplated. Senators Norblad and Thomas were introducers of a joint resolution to submit to the people at the special election in May a proposed constitutional amendment providing for the election of a lieutenant governor. It provides that after 1920 a lieutenant governor shall be elected at the same time the governor is elected, and that the lieutenant governor shall serve as president of the senate and have a vote only when the senate is equally divided. His compensation while serving as president of the senate, would be \$10 a day. The lieutenant governor would become governor upon failure of the governor to qualify, his death resignation or removal from office. Should the lieutenant governor die, be removed, or for any reason be unable to serve, or be absent from the state, the president pro tempore of the senate would act as governor until the vacancy be filled or the disability cease.

### Picture of Withycombe Authorized by Lawmakers

House joint resolution No. 8, by Burdick, creating a commission to investigate as to ways and means for the development of central, south central and southeastern Oregon passed the senate yesterday. There was no opposition.

The senate passed the house concurrent resolution authorizing the secretary of state to purchase a portrait of the late governor Withycombe to be placed in the state capitol, the cost not to exceed \$500.

### Oregon Alumni Discuss Way to Hold Trainer Hayward

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 16.—Homer D. Ankell, president of the University of Oregon alumni association today called a meeting of former students and alumni here for Saturday to discuss means of dissuading Trainer "Bibi" Hayward from leaving the University of Oregon.

### "THRIFT WEEK" ALL OVER NATION OPENS TODAY WITH BANKS AT HELM

By James E. Elvin  
Today is the first day of the "Thrift Week" and befitting that this first day should fall on the anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin, the greatest apostle of thrift the world has ever known. "Poor Richard" coined the phrase, "A penny saved is a penny earned" and when you stop to think that at the time he made this remark a great many people in the world would not stop to pick up a penny, let alone trying to save a thing so infinitesimally small.  
"Banker's Day" Today  
When you read this article try to realize that the banks of Salem are doing all in their power to promote "Thrift." It is also fitting that this first day of the National Thrift campaign should be "Banker's Day." Try to realize that a bank takes care of the depositor's money and must take good care that the depositors can have that money any time they call for it. When you make a deposit in one of the local banks you are simply playing safe—you make the deposit in order to save your money until you have to use it.  
Then you realize that a bank ac-

### OREGON LABELS FOR OREGON CANNED FRUIT REQUIRED BY BILL PASSING HOUSE WITH MARION COUNTY DELEGATION TAKING LEAD

#### BIBLE AID TO CENSUS SECT QUOTES SCRIPTURE 700 NAMES ARE ADDED

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 16.—Biblical injunctions operated to end a two-day deadlock between Roady Kenhan, district census supervisor, and "Children of the House of David" here today. As a result, 700 names were added to Denver's list. "Render unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's," was the text wherein leaders of the body found warrant for answering the enumerator's questions.

#### FALLING SLATE KILLS TWO MEN

French Klatt and Chris Voluk Die When Pile Tumbles at Kellogg, Idaho

KELLOGG, Idaho, Jan. 16.—French Klatt and Chris Voluk were killed here today under falling slate which they were loading. The slate had been stacked and became unmanageable and collapsed. Both men were unmarried.

#### 30,000 DEMAND SIGNED TREATY

Dr. Aurelia Reinhardt Goes to Washinton With Big Petition

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.—Dr. Aurelia Reinhardt, president of Mills college, will leave tomorrow for Washington with petitions bearing 30,000 names asking the senate to ratify the peace treaty without reservations. It was announced today by the Woman's league for the peace treaty, under whose auspices the petitions were circulated.

#### SOVIET FOUND IN ARMY JAIL

Investigation Ordered in Charges at Disciplinary Barracks

KANSAS CITY, Kas., Jan. 16.—Following the testimony today that federal disciplinary barracks at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., was ruled by a "soviet" committee which has the approval of the officers in charge, Judge J. C. Bollock of the Kansas City, Kas., federal court tonight ordered a sweeping investigation. The testimony was given at the trial of 11 former inmates of the barracks charged with being implicated in a plot of nation wide ramifications to print at the barracks and circulate fraudulent government treasury certificates.

#### LITTLE LOSS IN ALLEGED FRAUDS

Department of Justice Gives Information on Pacific Coast Cases

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Belief that no large sum of money is involved in suspected frauds in several Pacific coast shipyards, was expressed tonight by Chairman Payne of the shipping board, in giving out correspondence relating to the cases. The department of justice, Chairman Payne explained, asked the shipping board in November to suspend payments to builders on all ship contracts cancelled. This was done by the board December 2. The ground for the request, as stated in the correspondence, was that the secret service agents considered there was a possibility that claims against the government board on the cancellations were "padded."

#### Speaker Jones Takes Seat in Body to Join Debate on Measure Protecting Products Put up in State

#### GALLAGHER JOCLAR IN SUPPORT OF MEASURE

#### Fear That Small Canneries Will Be Hit Expressed by Few Members

Oregon labels will be required on all fruit canned or packed in Oregon as result of house bill No. 50 which passed the house yesterday following a spectacular debate in which Speaker Seymour Jones, of Marion county, sitting in the body of the house, took active part. The bill was introduced by Ivan Martin of Marion county by request. It provides a penalty of \$25 to \$100 fine for violation.

Speaker Jones announced early in the debate that he was familiar with the intent of the bill as he is secretary of the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association, an organization which has headquarters in Salem and which is planning a nationwide campaign to create a demand for Oregon fruit and vegetables. Mr. Jones took issue with Smith of Multnomah who took the position that when Oregon goods excelled and dealers and manufacturers found it profitable to label them Oregon-made the demand would be created and the goods would be labeled to meet the demand as a matter of course. Speaker Jones asked Mr. Smith how the public would learn of Oregon goods if the products were not so labeled. Mr. Smith declared the labeling of Oregon goods with a false label could be forbidden but the labeling with an Oregon label could not be compelled.

Haines, Graham, Elmore and Dennis spoke against the bill as being detrimental to the small packers and canners who must sell their products to California concerns as they have not sufficient facilities for creating markets of their own.

Mrs. Thompson in Favor  
Mrs. Thompson of Wasco and Hood River spoke strongly in favor of the bill. She said that it was inconsistent to put on a "home products" week in the state and have the legislature reject a bill requiring Oregon labels.

Westerlund made his first speech on the floor of the house in the present session when he spoke in favor of the bill. Griggs also broke his silence to declare that if Oregon packers put out a high quality product the public will demand it and it would bear Oregon labels.

Gallagher Jocular  
Mr. Jones and Gallagher engaged in jocular debate in which both were agreed. Jones declared that the demand will be created within two or three years for Oregon canned and packed fruits and merchants will be compelled to handle it because of the demand. Mr. Gallagher agreed as to the merits of the bill and said it would help fruit growers in Malheur county which he represents.

Mr. Gallagher said: "Yes, I am going to put a nice little Oregon tag on every bale of that wonderful rich alfalfa we grow so much in Malheur county."

Mr. Jones asked: "Is it canned?" Gallagher retorted, looking straight at the speaker: "No, you eat it raw." The motion for adoption was put and carried with 42 affirmative votes.

### PLANE SAVES FAMILY OLIVES CAUSE POISON ANTITOXIN IS RUSHED

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—A telegraphic request was sent to the University of Illinois tonight for the despatch by airplane of an anti toxin the institution was said to have, that Dr. John Riegelman, Bronx medical examiner believed would save the lives of Anglo and Dominick Delbene, dangerously ill after eating olives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Delbene and two sons have died after eating olives. The men ill are brothers of Paul Delbene.

### NAVY AWARDS HURT MORALE STATES SIMS

Admiral Disclaims Intent to Make Attack on Daniels but Declares Spirit of Service "Knocked to Pieces"

### JUGGLING OF MEDALS EMBARRASSES OFFICERS

Commander of Great Fleet in Favor of Less Stringent Regulations

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—While disclaiming any thought of making a personal attack on Secretary Daniels, Rear Admiral William S. Sims told the senate sub-committee investigating naval war decorations today that morale of the service had been "knocked to pieces" as a result of methods followed in making the awards.

The underlying cause of "the unfortunate affair," Admiral Sims asserted, was failure of Mr. Daniels to formulate a definite policy to govern awards in his instructions to the Knight medal board. Grave injustices had been done many officers because of this, he added.

Sims Says Letter "Constructive"  
Admiral Sims, who during the war commanded American forces in foreign waters, said constructive criticisms was part of his duty to the service and his recent letter, as well as his testimony, was not to be construed otherwise. He argued for withdrawal of department regulations requiring officers not to publish critical articles without specific sanction as in the best interests of the service. In connection with his original letter refusing a distinguished service medal, pending action by the secretary on his plan for reconsideration of his recommendations as to awards, he said Mr. Daniels had written him that no final action had been taken.

Admiral Sims expressed the opinion that the service generally would welcome withdrawals of all medals because of the "unfortunate and unnecessary" controversy.

Taking up the secretary's announced policy of awarding distinguished service medals to officers who had led ships in action where their service had been meritorious, Admiral Sims declared such officers deserved medals of honor or nothing. He cited the case of a British "mystery ship" sunk by a submarine after a battle from which the U-boat emerged unharmed. The British officer received, he said, the Victoria cross, equivalent to the medal of honor.

Personal Letter Read  
Admiral Sims read a personal letter from Secretary Daniels asking what steps would "suitable recognition" be given to the first half

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### ELECTION OF JOHN GILL AS MEMBER AT LARGE IS SURPRISE OF NEW BODY

Governor Signs Bill Creating Double Board Early in Day and Joint Meeting of Legislators Follows at 6 O'clock to Choose Members—Delays Sought in House Prove Unavailing Despite Heated Debate

With the election by the legislature of the new dual fish and game commission, the signing by the governor of house bill No. 31, which created the commission, and the election of Senator John Gill, a dark horse, as member at large for three year term on the game division of the body, another chapter was written yesterday in the controversy which began with the ousting of William Finley, state biologist.

### BOOZE CARGO IS WORTH MILLIONS

Last of Ships Goes to Bahamas With 34,667 Cases Aboard

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 16.—With whiskey valued at \$5,500,000 by its owners, the shipping board steamer Lake Ellerslie, the third and last of Baltimore's liquor ships, sailed for Nassau, Bahamas Islands, today.

On board the vessel were 34,667 cases of whiskey and wine and 1,850 barrels of liquor. The total value of liquor exported in the last two days is estimated at \$12,000,000.

### Mad Dog Bites The Dalles Girl Causing Bad Injury

THE DALLES, Or., Jan. 16.—Following the announcement that Gertrude Dohm, bitten by a dog, is lying critically ill in a hospital at Portland, Chief of Police Frank Heater today declared he will shoot every dog found on the city streets unless muzzled or led by a chain.

### BERGER DENIED SPECIAL BALLOT

Socialist Twice Refused Seat Appeal for Another Election

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 16.—Victor L. Berger, socialist, twice refused a seat in congress, today made an ineffectual personal appeal to Governor E. L. Philipp to call another special election.

### GAME TO BE LADYLIKE

BASEBALL MADE SWEET CHEERING IS BANNED

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Boisterous cheering will be prohibited at western conference basketball games, it was announced tonight.

### COURT OPINION ON GOVERNMENT CAUSE OF AMENDING PLAN

Senators Moser and Banks yesterday introduced a joint resolution to refer to the people pending the question of amending the constitution so that upon the death, resignation or removal of the governor from office, the secretary of state should hold the place as his successor only until the qualification of a successor who should be elected at the next general election.

The resolution is inspired by the opinion of the supreme court, handed down last Tuesday, holding that Governor Olcott will hold through the entire unexpired term of the late Governor Withycombe, or until January, 1923.

The resolution reads in part: "In case of the removal from office of governor, or his death, resignation, absence from state, or inability to discharge the duties of

### PLAN IS MADE TO OPEN NORTH CAPITOL STREET

Commercial Club Busy on Details to Submit to City Council

PRESENT TURNS ARE BAD

Route Proposed May Make Condemnation of Property Necessary

Opening of North Capitol street straight through to Fairgrounds road, eliminating the dangerous turns at the end of the street, and paving the street, is the plan to be submitted to the city council at its next meeting by a committee of the Commercial club, who is chairman ex officio of the committee.

Members of the committee are F. A. Erlson, F. W. Steusloff and W. E. Wilson.

Two Plans Proposed  
The committee plans to lay before the council a proposition to either buy the property now occupying the street or secure it by condemnation proceedings. The property along the proposed opening of the street is owned by two persons and the distance to be opened totals about two blocks.

The street, if opened, will be straight from Court street to the fairgrounds. Opening will eliminate a double turn, which is rated as one of the most dangerous in the city and is a route used almost exclusively by motor traffic.

### Ten-Million-Dollar Bill Made Special Order Today

House bill No. 52, the \$10,000,000 road bonding measure, came up for third reading in the senate late last night and was made a special order for 10 o'clock today.

The non-partisan primary bill of the Marion county delegation, designed to reconcile the non-partisan ballot in city elections where the elections are not on party lines with the consolidated election law, was killed in the house last night.

### Four Masked Bandits Get \$30,000 in Southern Bank

GIARD, Ala., Jan. 14.—Four masked robbers held up officials and patrons of the Phoenix-Giard Bank here today and escaped with approximately \$30,000 in cash and securities.

### Prisoners Watch \$20,000 Worth of Liquor Destroyed

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 16.—While prisoners and others looked on with envious eyes, police officers at midnight emptied \$20,000 worth of seized liquor into the sewer at the city jail here.

Warren Named First  
Warren of Portland was elected first on nomination of Smith of Coos and Curry. Moser moved and was seconded that the election be made unanimous. Senator Thomas interrupted with a bitter denunciation of the law and asked to be excused from voting. His request was granted.

Christian Schmidt of Astoria was elected next. He was opposed by Gill of Portland who had been nominated by Eddy. The vote was 54 to 30. Thrift nominated Hall of Marshfield and he was elected.

The first nomination for game commissioner was Fleischner by Moser, but he was elected unanimously. Ritter moved the nomination of Jack. He was elected with no dissenting vote. Hughes nominated E. C. Simmons, and Senator Smith of Josephine nominated Wilfred, Allen, Grants Pass. Simmons was elected. The vote was made unanimous.

Gill Is Surprised  
Representative Moore of Multnomah nominated Walter Backus of Portland for member at large. Senator Eddy nominated Senator Gill. The vote was 45 to 31 for Gill and was then made unanimous. Representative Burdick nominated C. F. Stone, who was elected unanimously, after Gallagher had moved that nominations be closed.

Following his election Senator Gill said: "I might sometimes wish that I might serve on this commission, but I have never sought it either by appointment of the governor or by election, and I never will. In this place with which you have honored me I shall serve the welfare of the state and none shall regret my election."

Four Excused  
Senator Gill was excused from voting on all the nomination on his request, saying that he did not care to usurp what he believed a duty of the governor. Representative Smith was excused from voting on similar grounds but he voted for Senator Gill. Senator Pierce asked to be excused, saying that the people had indicated 14 months ago that they did not want him to exercise the rights of the governor and he did not propose to do so in the election. Representative Dennis was excused from voting.

Burnough Sounds Warning  
The storm began brewing when it was announced in the house earlier in the afternoon that the election had been set for 5 o'clock by the senate. Representative Burnough of Walla-wa and Union made one of his few speeches in which he said he favored delay of the election until nominations could be made and considered. He sounded warning that eastern Oregon should be represented on the commission and delivered an ultimatum that in the course of two or three years a readjustment of representation would be made and that eastern Oregon, long accustomed to rank inequality in treatment in state affairs, would get justice. He declared that Multnomah county had

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