

Stayton Group Scans Outlook

Chambers Fears Supplies For Power in Peril; Rights Are Cited

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The proposal made by Mr. Gardner several weeks ago to the Salem city council and water commission, merited careful consideration.

Under this proposal Salem's intake would be about the same distance above Stayton as is now proposed, but the water would come from gravel beds on the island which divides the Santiam at this point and, according to Mr. Gardner's statement, would be spring water, real mountain water coming down from the bluff on the south side of the river, known as Kephart's bluff. From this bluff a ridge runs directly to the mountains with no swampy low places intervening, the local man says.

Some of the chamber of commerce directors said that even if, as the Salem councilmen seem to think, this island supply would not be adequate to that city's future needs, it could be utilized with additional water from the main stream if necessary, and would be better water and more acceptable to those people in Salem who insist on mountain water.

Better Water and No Dispute, Argued
In any event, it was declared, if Salem could use the water which seeps into the south channel near the island, it would obviate any contest with the Gardner interests, as this water in the south channel is not now used for any purpose until it reaches the Willamette.

Mr. Gardner has said that if Salem selected the North Santiam as its source, adjudication proceedings in the courts would be necessary, as his rights have been established for many years.

The Call Board

ELSINORE
Today—O'Neill's "Ah Wilderness" with five stars.
CAPITOL
Today—Double bill, Frank Buck's "Fang and Claw" and Jack Holt in "Dangerous Waters."
GRAND
Today—Double bill, Ralph Bellamy in "Dangerous Intrigue" and Lloyd Nolan in "One Way Ticket."
Saturday—"Navy Wife" with Claire Trevor.
HOLLYWOOD
Today—"The Lawless Rider" with Ken Maynard.
STATE
Today—Chester Morris in "Let's Talk It Over."
Saturday—First run, Steffi Dune in "Hi, Galoshes."

ELSINORE TODAY AND SATURDAY

EUGENE DNEILL'S
IT'S THE GREAT TRIUMPH OF A NATION!
"AH WILDERNESS"
with Wallace Beery
with Lionel Barrymore
Aline MacMahon
Eric Linden
—ADDED—
CHIC SALE COMEDY
Screen Act—News
MICKEY MOUSE MAT.
SATURDAY—1 P. M.
special feature
Chapter 4
Laurel and Hardy in
"BONNIE SCOTLAND"
STAGE SHOW
STARTS SUNDAY
After you see this... you'll never be quite the same!
A MIGHTY NOVEL!
Now on the screen
Magnificent Obsession
with Irene Dunne

Count Is About Even in Japanese Election; Few Definite Results Known

TOKYO, Feb. 21.—(Friday)—The Minseitō party, supporting the government of Premier Kōkoku Okada, and the Seisukai party, opposing the government, apparently were running about even in early scattering returns today from Japan's national election of yesterday.

Beeches, Former Home Of Coolidge, For Sale Along With Furniture

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Feb. 20.—(P)—The Beeches, a spacious Northampton estate where former President Calvin Coolidge spent the last years of his life, is for sale.

Victor Metcalf Dies

OAKLAND, Calif., Feb. 20.—(P)—Victor H. Metcalf, 52, secretary of commerce and labor and secretary of the navy under President Theodore Roosevelt, died today from the infirmities of age.

Jim McLeod Winner

TACOMA, Feb. 20.—(P)—Jimmy McLeod, 136, Tacoma, won by a decision over Paul Smith, 135, also of Tacoma in a six round boxing bout here tonight.

Delayed Romance in Film



Aline MacMahon loves Wallace Beery patiently in "Ah, Wilderness", current Elsinore attraction from the famous Eugene O'Neill play. Beery is a good-natured drunkard so the culmination of their romance is delayed until late in life.

\$60 Pension Plea Of Senator Borah

NEW MEADOWS, Idaho, Feb. 20.—(P)—Senator William E. Borah acknowledged in a letter made public here tonight that he is aware his rejection of the Townsend old age pension plan "will likely defeat him if he seeks reelection next fall for a sixth term in the United States senate."

"I am well aware that my position will be disappointing to many friends which I deeply regret," the senator wrote. "There are thousands and hundreds of thousands of old people in dire need of assistance."

"If they are ever to have a pension they must have it within a reasonably short time or it will do them no good."
"My view is that we should pass as speedily as possible, and if all pension supporters get behind it we can pass it at this session—a bill which would provide a \$60 a month, not less than \$50, in any event, for these old people."

Milne Goes Free, Extortion Charge

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(P)—Young Caleb Milne 4th went free today of any charges growing out of the hoax kidnaping of himself he perpetrated for publicity last December.

Charges of extortion against the actor, member of a socially prominent Philadelphia family, were dropped when a federal grand jury returned no indictment.

U. S. Attorney Lamar Hardy said bail of \$6,500 posted for his temporary freedom would be discontinued.

Ripe Watermelon Gets Limelight at Roseburg

ROSEBURG, Ore., Feb. 20.—(P)—Most of Oregon had quite a bit of trouble with sleet and snow today. But in the Umpqua valley—Stanford Buell and Harold Ruse brought the Roseburg chamber of commerce a ripe, full-fledged watermelon.

Portland Selected RIVERSIDE, Calif.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 20.—(P)—The grand board of managers of the Neighbors of Woodcraft, a fraternal organization, today selected Portland, Ore., as location for the order's 1937 convention. The announcement was made by Mrs. Minnie Hiner, grand guardian.

Hood River Wins

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Dairy Bombing Deep Mystery

Police Have Good Clues But Won't Tell Them; Not Labor Trouble

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producers' association, scouted the dissatisfied member theory, saying only two customers out of 156 during the past year had shown "any dissatisfaction."

M. F. Mrohs, explosive inspector of the department of labor and industries said the explosive which he believed to be dynamite had been placed in a milk can near the sanitary dairy refrigerator.

Damage to the two concerns was estimated by owners at between \$30,000 and \$40,000 with only \$9,000 insurance being carried by the sanitary firm and the building owner.

Demo Ex-Official Figures in Probe

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(P)—The senate munitions investigation closed a twenty-month run at the capital's forenoon show tonight with a final curtain disclosure that for the value of his political influence, the aircraft industry retained O. Max Gardner, a former democratic national committeeman, as its counsel.

This development capped a reluctant tale by three collectors of old—but not too old—machine guns, revolvers, how these and other firearms are bought by the pound from the army, reconditioned and sold to South American revolutionists or the U. S. government at a bulging profit.

In addition, the final day's testimony included evidence that some airplane manufacturers are accustomed to paying "squeeze" money in selling their product abroad; that this is necessary if their proposals are even to receive the consideration of government officials.

Boston Financier Sued by Ex-Star

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(P)—Frederick H. Prince, Sr., Boston financier, was sued for \$100,000 today by Florence Walton, dancer and wartime Broadway star.

Miss Walton, now the wife of Pierre Colombier, French motion picture director, charges Prince with failing to keep a promise to reimburse her for losses incurred through investments allegedly made on his recommendation.

Counterfeit Ring Members Traced

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., Feb. 20.—(P)—State prison board member A. R. O'Brien of Ukiah announced tonight names of three more convicts allegedly involved in San Quentin's counterfeit "ring."

The ring, headed by La Mar, Thomas Gounis, and Bernard Kert, all of Los Angeles, La Mar and Gounis are serving terms for robbery; Kert for grand theft.

Walla Walla Worried; Too Well Known For Its Prison, Not For Wheat

SPOKANE, Feb. 20.—(P)—Civicspirited former Walla Wallans told the world heretofore that it irks them to have the state penitentiary and the verdant southeastern Washington "wheat capital" view synonymously.

Ice Blockade Breaking

BONNEVILLE, Ore., Feb. 20.—(P)—Rising temperatures and the forecast that snow will give way to rain indicated tonight that the ice blockade in the Columbia river may break up in a few days.

Roosevelt Scheduled to Talk Sunday Night Upon Brotherhood Day Topic

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(P)—President Roosevelt will talk briefly over the air from his Hyde Park, New York, home on Sunday night at 8 p. m., (Eastern Standard time) as a part of the observance of brotherhood day sponsored by the national conference of Jews and Christians.

Tax Program May Be Revealed Soon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(P)—A broadcast that President Roosevelt might submit his tax program to congress next week coincided tonight with a treasury report of January revenue reflecting continued business gains.

Ordinary internal revenue collections last month jumped \$35,626,126 over January, 1935, although the shut-off of processing taxes through the supreme court's AAA decision brought a net drop of \$19,690,000.

While the White House remained silent on progress of the broad study ordered into possible government savings as well as sources of new revenue, congress was given the hint of action next week.

Representative Treadway (R-Mass.), ranking minority member of the ways and means committee, had remarked in the house that the tax bill probably would be dumped in the legislators' lap at the end of the session.

"He was interrupted by Representative Bankhead of Alabama, the majority leader, who asked, possibly significantly: "Would the gentlemen be surprised if we had a tax bill up here under consideration next week?"

Claim Banks Not Aiding FHA Plan

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 20.—(P)—A lively controversy as to whether the federal housing administration needs to "sell" lumbermen or "sell" the banks on the subject of 20-year government loans resulted from an address today by Clifford C. Anglin of San Francisco, district director of the FEA.

Anglin, in speaking at the 33rd annual convention of the Western Retail Lumbermen's association, told the group long-term loans were devised "to give a decent man a decent chance to own a decent home."

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