

### ASQUITH'S RETURN TO POWER CAUSES ENGLAND TO PAUSE

London, Feb. 24.—All political questions are for the moment completely eclipsed by the triumphant return to parliament by a majority which astonished everybody. The result is recognized as a notable personal achievement even for a statesman with Mr. Asquith's long record, while the restoration of his presence in parliament is expected to have important consequences in the politics of Great Britain and probably the world.

It is understood Mr. Asquith will take his seat in the house next Monday and he is assured a hearty ovation.

Most newspapers heartily welcome the return of the liberal leader, even those which opposed him politically. Their views as to the significance of his election, however, differ widely, it being variously declared to be due, among other things, to growing popular disgust with the coalition government, popular hostility to labor program of nationalization which Mr. Asquith emphatically condemns and re-awakening liberalism.

The energies of Lady Bonham Carter, Mr. Asquith's daughter, substantially helped in gaining victory for her father and it is announced that she has received seven separate invitations to become a candidate for parliament, though she has accepted none of them.

### Capitol Briefs

An increase of \$645.94 over the original appraisal of the estate of the late Clarence S. Jacobson of Multnomah county, is represented in the tax of \$1568.48 paid into the state treasury Wednesday by Jacobson's heirs. Under the original appraisal as filed with the state treasurer's office the Jacobson estate was valued at \$52,392.67. Objection was taken to this valuation by State Treasurer *Woff* who, after an investigation of the estate declared its net value to be \$116,392.67, an increase of \$34,000 over the original figures involving an increase of \$645.94 in the inheritance tax due the state.

Miss Ella K. Mead of Albany will be reappointed as a member of the state board of optometry examiners when her term expires April 30, next, according to a statement made by Governor Olcott today.

An original action in mandamus to compel H. E. Plummer, Portland city building inspector, to issue a building permit to the Berkshire company for the erection of a six-story apartment house to cost approximately \$225,000, was filed in the supreme court here Wednesday by George H. Kelly and C. V. Everett representing the Berkshire company. In the petition for the writ of mandamus it is asserted that no objection was found by Plummer to the building except that its erection in the location specified is forbidden by the city ordinance governing restricted residential districts.

Representatives of the Merchants' Exchange have no right to break the seals of cars and inspect grain upon its arrival in Portland, according to an opinion just prepared by Attorney General Brown, who holds that this right is reserved by law to the chief inspector, his deputies and weighers connected with the state public service commission.

The resignation of W. D. Wood of Hillsboro as state senator for the 11th legislative district comprising Washington county, who filed with Governor Olcott this afternoon. In his letter of resignation Wood announces his intention of filing his petition for the republican nomination as a candidate for secretary of state within the next few days. Wood's resignation will necessitate the election of a successor at the forthcoming general election.

For Colds, Grip or Influenza and as a Preventative, take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Look for E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c. (Adv.)

The United States reclamation office announces that bids will be received at Klamath Falls up to March 5 for the leasing of 3000 acres of marsh land on the north and east shores of Tule lake.

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### Prompt Action Prevents Closing Of High School

The outbreak of a case of smallpox caused a sudden flurry at the high school Tuesday. Thorough fumigation of school rooms and the vaccination of all persons who had been in contact with the patient were the measures resorted to in order to prevent general spread of the disease and closing of the school. Due to the prompt measures taken, city and school health authorities are satisfied that danger of general contagion has been obviated.

Two cases of smallpox have been reported during the present week and while general vaccination is not compulsory, it is pointed out by the health authorities that needless expense, exposure of other individuals and interference with school work and employment could be avoided if all persons would give more thought to the general good results obtained from modern day immunization methods.

Dr. C. E. Cashatt, county health officer, states that there seems to be a noticeable tendency on the part of some physicians to avoid the reporting of influenza cases in country districts. This is required by law although it does not impose as stringent a quarantine as is necessary in the city, where opportunities for contagion are more numerous. County health officials are also investigating reports that cases of the more contagious diseases, smallpox and scarlet fever have not been quarantined or reported in rural districts. To what extent these reports are true, has not yet been ascertained.

### Harmony Needed In Big Irrigation Project -- Copper

An organization of the directors of the various Deschutes river irrigation projects and the harmonizing of all interests included in the big Deschutes project is urged by State Engineer Copper in a letter to Fred N. Wallace, project manager of the Tumalo project. The Tumalo project is recognized by the state engineer's office as in a position to participate in any plan which may be adopted for the reclamation of the big Deschutes project, Copper states, suggesting the immediate organization of still another irrigation district to include the lands in the west unit which would make four districts in a position to participate in the construction of the Deschutes project.

Copper calls attention to the fact that all water rights and public land rights required in connection with the Deschutes project are in the hands of the state and federal government and that no undue advantage can be secured by one unit over another in the distribution of these rights.

Success of the project, he insists, can only be attained through hearty cooperation between all interests affected.

The official capital of Abyssinia is changed, from time to time as the supply of firewood in the neighborhood becomes exhausted.

### Pimples and Skin Eruptions Danger Signs of Bad Blood

Avoid Suffering by Heeding These Warnings.

Pimples, scaly, itching skin, rashes and burning sensations denote with unfailing certainty a debilitated, weakened and impure state of the blood. The trouble is in your blood and no matter how you were infected, you must treat it through the blood. It is a blood disease. You must use S. S. S. if you expect certain relief. For cleansing the system, nothing is equal to it. The action of S. S. S. is to cleanse the blood.

### Johnson's Name Placed Before Oregon Voters

The name of Senator Hiram W. Johnson of California was officially placed before the voters of Oregon as a candidate for the republican nomination for president of the United States this afternoon when his nominating petition was filed with the secretary of state's office here by Sanford MacDonald of Portland. Johnson's petition is confined to a bare stereotyped request for a place on the Oregon republican primary ballot and contains neither a declaration of principles nor a slogan. His is the first nominating petition to be filed by a presidential candidate and is unusual only in that it is filed at the personal request of Johnson himself and not through any move on the part of his supporters in this state.

### Water Permits

Permittees to sell \$125,000 worth of refunding first mortgage bonds in Oregon was granted to the St. Joe Orchards company of McMinnville today by H. J. Schulerman, corporation commissioner. The company owns and controls a number of orchards throughout the Willamette valley with a total authorized capitalization of \$150,000.

Permittees to sell \$12,200 of its capital stock.

Articles of incorporation were filed today as follows:

Geo. T. Mickle Lumber company of Oregon, Portland; \$100,000; Harrison G. Platt, Robert Treat Platt and Arthur D. Platt.

Willamette River Lumber company, Portland; \$50,000; R. H. Nelson, John R. Latourette and H. F. Latourette.

Air Compressor & Equipment company, Portland; \$21,000; Guy A. Mallon, Warren E. Thomas, George Larabee.

Standard Service company, Portland; \$1000; R. E. Williams, R. M. Couch and Frank H. Hilton.

Gre-Col Film corporation, Portland; \$100,000; A. D. Frost, O. D. Woodward, Josephine E. Frost.

The name of the Umpqua Light & Power company of Marshfield is changed to the Gardiner Light and Power company in supplementary articles just filed and the capital stock of the new company is decreased from \$10,000 to \$5000.

### Danger Signals Of Bad Blood

Pimples on the face, blemishes in the neck, sallow and swarthy complexion, sores, ulcers, scaly skin affections, constipation, inactive liver, dyspepsia and stomach troubles are common symptoms of blood troubles. There is no remedy offered today to the public that has so successfully cured these diseases as "Number 48 For the Blood." An old doctor's prescription containing the most reliable alternatives known to medical science. Put up by J. C. Mendenhall, Evansville, Ind., 49 years a druggist. Sold by Schaefer's drug store. Adv.

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### Flu and Colds How They Can Be Prevented

Sleep Well—Eat Wisely—Exercise Regularly—Avoid Persons Having Colds—Don't Worry

### KEEP AIR PASSAGES CLEAR

Inflamed Air Passages Make Ideal Breeding Grounds for Flu Germs

**Flu This Year is Milder**  
While we know very little more about the flu now than we did last year—the germ itself has never been positively identified—still most authorities agree that the flu germs are breathed in. If the system is in good shape and the membrane or lining of the air passages is in healthy condition—these germs are thrown off.

A good plan is to melt a little Vicks VapoRub in a spoon night and morning, and inhale the vapors, also apply a little up the nostrils several times a day, especially just before being exposed to crowds.

**Treat All Colds Promptly**  
etc.—so that when the saline is applied irritate the lining of the air passages and make them real breeding grounds for germs. Prompt use of Vicks VapoRub aids in preventing colds. For head colds, sore throat or hoarseness, rub Vicks well over the throat and chest and cover with a warm flannel cloth. For deep chest colds, severe sore throat or bronchitis, hot wet towels should first be applied to the throat, chest and back between the shoulder blades to open the pores. Then Vicks should be rubbed in over the parts until the skin is red—spread on thickly and covered with two thicknesses of hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck, so the vapors, released by the body heat, may be freely inhaled.

These vapors, inhaled with each breath, carry the medication directly to the lungs and air passages. At the same time Vicks is absorbed thru and stimulates the skin, thus aiding to relieve the congestion within.

### Use of External Treatment for Colds Increasing

Vicks VapoRub is the discovery of a North Carolina druggist who found how to combine in saline form, the standard time tested remedies, Camphor—Menthol—Eucalyptus—Thyme etc.—so that when the saline is applied to the body heat, these ingredients are liberated in the form of vapors.

Vicks is particularly recommended for children's colds or coughs, since it is externally applied and therefore can be used freely and often without the slightest harmful effects.

The best evidence of the value of Vicks is the steadily increasing number of people who have been converted to the use of this "outside" treatment.

### Roseburg Senator Seeks Re-Election

State Senator E. L. Eddy of Roseburg officially entered the lists for reelection today when he filed his nominating petition with the secretary of state's office asking for a place on the May primary ballot as the republican candidate for state senator from the fifth senatorial district. In his slogan Senator Eddy declares "For Americanism, economy, moral and material progress, general welfare against special interests."

Samuel E. Notson of Heppner, also filed today as the republican candidate for nomination to the office of district attorney for Morrow county. If elected Notson promises to "perform the duties of my office to the best of my ability."

### DO ALL MY HOUSEWORK

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### Eastern Walnut Grower Seeking Crop Information

S. H. Van Trump, county horticulturist, reports the receipt of many letters from persons who have invested heavily in Marion county orchard and berry tracts and who express an anxiety regarding the true valuation of the property in question, many having evidently purchased their holdings without personal investigation. While Mr. Van Trump cannot in an official capacity give full returns on all inquiries, he has observed some of these eastern investors are receiving an impression of the Willamette valley which is hurtful to this region, to say the least.

One investor inquires if the yield of 30 pounds of English walnuts from a five acre walnut tract in the valley is "reasonable." The letter states that the writer had purchased such a tract of 12-year old trees near Salem and has "expended considerable money in care takings" and that the caretakers had reported the crop as given. Mr. Van Trump is uncertain as to the intent of the letter, whether as an error or a hoax, but has replied to the effect that the yield for each tree should equal the total yield given for the tract, that is for good trees of this age, a yield of 30 pounds of nuts should be expected.

### Training School Escapes Caught

Morris Stearns, 15, and Glenn Tost, 15, who escaped from the grounds of the boys state training school Tuesday night, were apprehended near Marion Wednesday morning and were returned to the reformatory. The pair fled the school while in the barn milking, and were last seen Tuesday morning, and were traced by the breath and darkness along the creek leading past the institution toward Salem.

The return of Clarence Brand and Edward Dunn, two other young inmates who escaped about two weeks ago, to the reformatory was also reported by Superintendent Gilbert.

Mexico City, Feb. 25.—Schools, churches and other public meetings places have been closed indefinitely because of influenza. Estimates of the number of cases here ran as high as several hundred thousand but there have been comparatively few deaths.

### Ladies! Use Butter-milk To Beautify Complexions

This Delightful New Vanishing Cream Containing True Butter-milk is Anted to Make You Look Younger or Money Back. Just Try It.

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### Yellow Mustard For Rheumatism

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