

### SURTAX CUTS OF 13 TO 25 PERCENT BEING PROPOSED

Washington, June 18.—(By Associated Press)—The next congress in its predicted effort toward tax reduction, will have before it proposals for blanket decreases with a maximum surtax ranging from 13 to 25 per cent. If the early summer suggestions of republican and democratic leaders carry through to December, when the law makers assemble again.

Chairman Green of the house ways and means committee, which will begin in the fall its work on a new revenue bill, is of the opinion that liberal, equitable reduction should be effected, with a maximum surtax of 25 per cent. The same figure has been suggested by Chairman Smoot of the senate finance committee.

Senator Underwood of Alabama, recently advocated a maximum of 13 per cent and Frank W. Mondell, war finance corporation member and former republican leader of the house, has suggested 15 per cent in a series of speeches in the midwest on tax reform.

Treasury officials are said to favor a reduction of at least 20 per cent.

Chairman Green disagrees with the opinion of Senator Smoot which is concurred in President Coolidge that it might be well for the federal government to abandon its inheritance tax. The senate finance chairman proposed inheritance levies be left to the states and that they in turn should leave the income tax field to the federal government.

### FIRE DESTROYS BARN ON FARM NEAR BROOKS

Fire of unknown origin late yesterday afternoon completely destroyed the large barn on the Jones farm, three miles north of Brooks, with a loss estimated at Ford sedan was destroyed in the between \$2500 and \$3000. A Ford sedan was destroyed in the blaze together with a small stock of hay and grain.

The fire started sometime between 2:30 and 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. It could not be ascertained this morning how much of the loss was covered by insurance. The barn was the property of Sylvia Jones.

### EUGENE MAN HURT IN CRASH NEAR PENDLETON

Pendleton, June 18.—H. L. Home wood, Eugene, returning from Iowa where he was believed to have been visiting his sick mother suffered a serious skull fracture late yesterday when his car overturned between Dead Man's hill and Emigrant Springs on the Old Oregon Trail. Mr. Home wood was unconscious at the Grande Ronde hospital in La Grande.

The car which Home wood was driving struck the soft dirt road which was being repaired and the machine had turned over and pinned Home wood beneath it when he was found, according to the sheriff's office here.

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Paris, June 19.—(A. P.)—A dispatch from the Hague says Queen Wilhelmina of Holland was slightly injured at Chamonix, France, at the foot of Mount Blanc, when her automobile slipped on a glacier.

### INDEPENDENCE NORMAL SCHOOL PLAN APPROVED

Independence, Or., June 19.—The board of regents of the state normal school met in President Landers' office Thursday. Plans for the Ashland normal building and the training school at Independence were approved and the architects instructed to rush plans so that buildings might be under roof early this fall. The city of Ashland having voted bonds of \$20,000 to purchase seven additional acres or 22 1/2 acres in all, the regents voted to accept the location for the Ashland normal.

Regarding the textbook supervision and improvement of teaching by ex-professor Burton, a committee of three, consisting of Miller, Starr and Brown, was appointed to meet with Professor Burton in Mr. Starr's office at an early date in order to settle the controversy if possible. It was the opinion of individual members that if two or three objectionable features were eliminated the book question would be acceptable in Oregon normal schools.

President Landers was re-elected to head the Mouth normal school for a term of four years.

After adjournment the board visited the new Independence training school site.

### Dr. Mayo honored

Edinburgh, Scotland, June 19.—The University of Edinburgh has conferred an honorary degree of doctor of laws upon the American surgeon, Dr. Charles H. Mayo of Rochester.

### ELKS PLANNING TO BOOST SALEM AT CONVENTION

Plans for the Salem Elks lodge to take a prominent part in the national convention activities in Portland the week of July 13-15 are well under way and will culminate in their having several hundred men, gaily uniformed in the grand parade on July 16. Of the several hundred suits ordered for the occasion fully three-fourths have been actually signed for by members of the order and it appears that those who are waiting until the eleventh hour to sign up, may be disappointed in not being able to secure one.

The Elks band has also just received new uniforms and will make a very striking appearance as they lead the Salem delegation and the American Legion drum corps will add color and pep to the occasion. In fact, it is assured that Salem will make a showing that will attract attention to the capital city of the state, as well as proclaim to the visiting thousands that Salem is a thriving city the second in size in the state and the first in the northwest in beauty and pleasing surroundings.

That the people of Salem recognize the importance of the local lodge making the best showing possible is evidenced by the fact that practically all of the business houses have agreed to close all day the 16th so that everyone may go to Portland that day and take part in the parade. The commercial club has also offered to keep a supply of fresh cherries at the Salem headquarters so that the master of ceremonies may sample some of our luscious fruit.

The convention committee, of which Max Page is chairman, has been working hard with the purpose in mind that every one of the 75,000 visitors to the convention will have heard of Salem before the week is over. Other members of the committee are C. B. O'Neill, F. T. Wrightman, August Huettenstein and Robin D. Day. W. I. Needham is the present exalted ruler of the Salem lodge.

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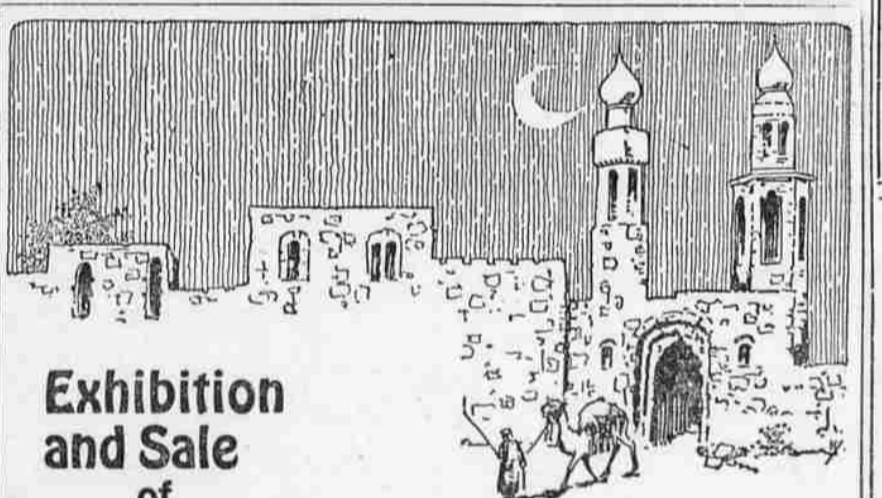
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