



Washington, D. C. Oct. 28—There has been considerable talk out in the northwest of late concerning the purchase of a certain eastern distillery, lock, stock and barrel. The purchaser would be the liquor commission either of Oregon or Washington. Besides buying the distillery, they would get around half a million cases of whiskey, now in the distillery warehouse, for their thirsty customers. However, nothing has been said about a plan that has been in the making for the last two months to build and operate a good sized distillery in the northwest.

For some time a couple of scouts, well known in the distillery business, have been looking over several spots in the northwest. There are only two liquor distilleries in the whole west, both in California. Prior to the war one of the California distilleries, located in the bay section, imported corn from the Argentine, which was cheaper than Iowa corn plus the long haul. The northwest grows very little corn, as compared with Iowa, Illinois, etc. However, a large amount of whiskey is distilled each year from grain other than corn. A good share of the rye and barley crops in certain sections of the east went their way to the distilleries. The northwest produces a big barley crop of excellent quality, and furthermore pure water, as essential in making whiskey, is found in abundance in Washington and Oregon.

The possibilities offered in the northwest have impressed these two scouts, who represent large eastern distillery interests. However, the contemplated project cannot be undertaken at this time because of the war, priorities, etc. But it will be a postwar project if everything goes as per program. Washington will probably get the plant, as against Oregon, because of the checking done on the question of possible prohibition, say the scouts. They are not afraid of national prohibition coming back again, but they are fearful of state prohibition. They figure Oregon a much better chance to vote dry than Washington if the issue ever comes up, and eventually they know it will.

The politically wise men, and especially those who are pro-Willkie were not at all pleased with the recent blurb from Mr. Willkie, who is quoted as having said, "I can get the Republican nomination if I want it." The politicians are firmly of the opinion Mr. Willkie is taking altogether too much for granted, and even if he could capture the nomination such a statement. The public have nation, he shouldn't have made always taken a delight in slapping down the ears of those who take too much for granted. The railbirds say the psychological reaction of such a statement from anyone in public life is always bad. Mr. Willkie should be more of the shrinking violet type in re-convention votes at this early stage of the game and build up a demand for his nomination, instead of telling the world "it's in the bag," say the boys who have been watching them come and go for years.

A mighty sweet fight is in the offing when the senate starts debating the Connally resolution for a lasting peace and all that stuff and things, come war's end. This is the resolution. The senate substituted for the Fulbright concurrent resolution which passed the house by an overwhelming vote only to be pigeon-holed by the togamen, who are trotting out their own idea of such a resolution. The house members are still hopping mad over the way the senate treated their

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ARLINGTON, HEPPER TANGLE
 Friday, Oct. 29, the Mustangs tangle with the Arlington Honkers again, this time on the Heppner home field.

The Mustangs still smarting from the 12 to 0 defeat handed them by the Honkers three weeks ago, will be out for revenge.

Arlington will be strengthened considerably by the return of two

resolution, as this column told you several weeks ago. However, the togamen don't worry about that because theirs is not a concurrent resolution and the house has nothing to say about it. Many of the senators are dead set against the Connally resolution as written. They complain it says a lot of nothing, and the liberals intend to give it a face lifting before it comes to a vote.

lettermen, Rietmann and Christopherson.

The Mustangs will again use a double wingback formation.

SADIE'S DAY NEARING

Sadie Hawkins day's coming gals, so here's your chance! Oct. 29 has been selected as the date for the annual dance, usually put on by the Girls' League. The dance will start at 8:00 p. m. with the girls paying admission and all treats bestowed upon the boys.

IONE HOLDING INSTITUTE

The institute that has been called for the teachers of Morrow county, Oct. 29 and 30 is to be held at Ione. The meeting is titled "Social Studies Workshop." Its purpose is to discuss the new textbooks which have been adopted for social study courses. Teachers have been unable to work out courses of study because of lack of time.

The meeting includes both grade and high school teachers. Miss Joy Hills is to lead discussions of the high school teachers as is Miss Florence Beardsley of the grade school teachers.

BULLDOGS EDGE MUSTANGS

Hermiston's Bulldogs struck twice in the first half to defeat Heppner's Mustangs 14 to 0.

The Bulldogs scored in the first minute of the game. Rogers ran the kickoff back to the Mustang's two yard line. Two plays later he went over for the score. Null converted. In the second quarter the

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U.S. Government Agencies	134,843,935.54	226,619,351.94
	\$207,398,950.16	\$304,927,150.46
All Other Bonds.....	5,437,683.49	9,343,664.41
Loans and Discounts.....	54,030,792.70	59,665,586.29
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	300,000.00	300,000.00
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures....	2,710,360.87	2,729,516.61
Other Real Estate.....	1.00	1.00
Customers' Liability on Acceptances.....	16,214.24	—
Interest Earned.....	666,921.99	687,913.38
Other Resources.....	156,362.03	213,554.04
TOTAL RESOURCES.....	\$270,717,286.48	\$377,867,386.19
LIABILITIES		
Capital.....	\$ 4,500,000.00	\$4,500,000.00
Surplus.....	5,500,000.00	5,500,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	1,604,730.28	2,671,546.30
Reserves for Contingencies....	1,223,102.94	1,456,075.54
	12,827,833.22	14,127,621.84
Reserves Allocated for Taxes, Interest, etc.	487,947.76	1,026,786.00
Acceptances.....	16,214.24	—
Interest Collected in Advance.....	166,802.09	150,736.06
Other Liabilities.....	119,437.94	196,740.44
Deposits (exclusive of reciprocal bank deposits)	257,099,051.23	362,365,501.85
TOTAL LIABILITIES.....	\$270,717,286.48	\$377,867,386.19

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