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FOR SALE—A mission china closet. Mrs. Kelly, Queen Anne avenue. 15*

TEDDY TO PULL TAFT THROUGH?

Reported That Roosevelt is to Take Place in Administration and Help Taft—Root of New York is to Meet Him, According to Rumor.

WAS TEDDY DEMANDED CHANGE IN TAFT'S POLICY?

Reported That He Has, and If the Changes Are Not Made That He Will Withdraw His Support of Taft

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The "Back from Elba" slogan has given away to a new one and today politicians are whispering of a "power behind the throne" movement. It is rumored in political circles here that Theodore Roosevelt is to take a place in the administration and politicians, some of them high in national affairs, are trying vainly today to find the source of the rumor. Their efforts to trace the rumor, it is said, have led to some startling results. It is declared that the trail leads close to the White House.

President Taft refuses to affirm or deny that Roosevelt is to take an important place in the administration, but he has allowed the impression to be given out that, though Roosevelt is far away in miles, he has not been so very far away in spirit and that Taft has been fully as well informed as to the views and actions of the former president as the African hunter has of affairs at the national capital.

Root to Meet Him. Senator Elihu Root of New York, former secretary of state under Roosevelt, close political and personal friend of the former president and friend of Taft, according to another rumor that is interesting the politicians here, has been asked to meet Roosevelt before he returns to America. Root refuses to discuss this rumor. The politicians see in it, however, considerable significance. They declare that if Root is to go abroad and to discuss politics with the senator, and if the "power behind the throne" movement is true, it would make take a good guesser many hours to decide who had been chosen to arrange final details.

Is in Close Touch. Root, it is declared, has kept in close touch with Roosevelt. He has been in close touch with Taft since the Taft administration began. The

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GREENSTREET IS GIVEN ONE YEAR

Circuit Court Busy Grinding Out Cases—Schultz Enters Plea of Not Guilty in Embezzlement Case—Moore Is Acquitted.

Judge Calkins continues to grind out work in the circuit court at the same pace with which it was started at the opening of the term, and many cases are being disposed of. A few of the criminal cases will come up early in May, but the bulk of them have been disposed of.

Greenstreet Goes Up. Charles Greenstreet, indicted for larceny in a dwelling, plead guilty and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

Henry Daly and D. B. Deeter of Eagle Point, who were indicted for keeping an unclean slaughter-house, both entered a plea of not guilty, after a demurrer to set aside the indictment had been denied, and will be tried on May 9.

The case of the state against Adolph Schultz, who was indicted for larceny by embezzlement of the funds of the Jacksonville lodge of Redmen, was set for hearing on May 9. He entered a plea of not guilty.

W. D. Moore of Evans creek, who was indicted for carrying a concealed weapon, was tried and found not guilty. This trouble grew out of a family and neighborhood feud which has been of long standing. Mr. Moore strapped a gun on him for self-protection and was arrested, after he had been indicted by the grand jury.

The suit brought by Loretta Johnson against W. O. Johnson to recover money is now on trial. The jury hearing it is composed of J. W. Hayes, E. C. Payne, S. Oliver, G. P. Owings, A. Coleman, J. D. Pankey, G. N. Anderson, W. H. Miller, L. A. Neil, D. H. Horn, H. A. Hanscom and J. M. Howard.

The suit brought by H. M. Coes against Sarah M. Andrews will be on trial Wednesday.

Sarah E. Coffee was granted a divorce from J. E. Coffee. Decree was entered by default.

NOTICE. To whom it may concern: I have no property for sale at any price. 10* MRS. J. F. HUTCHASON.

Most of "the salesmanship that sells things" begins in the advertising. Sometimes it's completed there—sometimes by the store salesman or saleswoman.

Rumor that he may go abroad to meet Roosevelt has done much to strengthen the idea that Roosevelt is to take an important place among Taft's advisers.

That important changes are to take place in the organization of the Taft cabinet no politician here denies. It has been rumored that Roosevelt has sent an ultimatum to Taft in which he asked certain changes be made or he would withhold his endorsement of the Taft administration. The rumor set Washington afire. Since it has been afloat so many rumors have been in the air that politicians declare that changes in the Taft cabinet are certainly contemplated. Just what they are to be is not known, but it is believed that the type of men who helped carry out the Roosevelt policies under Roosevelt will be given cabinet assignments. The names of Hitchcock, McVeagh and Dickinson are connected with the rumors that certain cabinet officers are to retire.

Although the rumors conflict and some are taken seriously while others are scoffed at, the politicians here believe that it is safe to predict two things. One is that cabinet changes will soon be made. The other is that the action of Roosevelt will much influence the shaping of national affairs and will influence the administration.

Before Roosevelt returns to America, they declare, the influence will take tangible form.

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Today is the Last Upon Which Taxes May Be Paid Without Penalty—Collections Have Been Good.

The list of delinquent taxpayers will be comparatively short this year and the amount upon which a penalty is to be charged will not be over \$25,000.

The time limit for the payment of taxes without incurring a penalty expires today. After that the taxpayer must put up a penalty of 10 per cent in order to clear himself on the books. Sheriff Jones states that he does not believe the delinquent list will run over \$25,000 out of a total of nearly \$400,000. A certain proportion of this delinquency is of nonresident owners, who have neglected to keep track of the tax-paying time or could not be reached.

Grants Pass to Pave. GRANTS PASS, Oregon, April 5.—This city is preparing for extensive improvements in paving and lighting. A five-year contract has been submitted to the Rogue River Electric company to furnish street lights. All the main portion of the town will be illuminated with cluster lights. An ordinance for paving will be passed by the council for laying 30,000 square yards of hard surface, 25,000 square feet of concrete sidewalk, 7500 feet of curbing and 5000 feet of various size sewer pipes.

To meet the requirements of these improvements the telephone company is putting all wires underground, and the telegraph companies are removing all poles to the back streets.

BOOSTERS MEETING SOON AT WOODVILLE

Woodville-Evans Creek Development League Plan Big Time in Woodville Next Friday—Boosters Invited.

A call has gone out from the boosters of the Woodville-Evans creek district for a mass meeting to be held on Friday, April 8, at 2 p. m. in Woodville. Judge Colvig, Professor P. J. O'Gara and others are on the program to speak. A rousing session is planned.

Every booster in the valley is expected to go down and enjoy the hospitality of Woodville. This is the home of "live ones" and there will be something doing.

\$2,000,000 FOR PARK. (Continued from Page 1.)

already there. **Recognition Gratifying.**

"The government's recognition of the plans we have been making is most gratifying to me. It means the winning of victory out of defeat, building success out of failure. We will proceed with energy and determination with the work of building the road. It will open up this wonderful park to Medford, will mean much to the commercial interests there and give access to the park to thousands who want to visit it."

Crater Lake road, completed, will be 87 miles long. Engineer Heidle will give his time not only to making a survey of the road now planned, but in making a survey of all roads and trails to be constructed at any future time.

HAS NO TROUBLE MAKING ABSTRACT

Oldtimer Has Lived on Original Homestead Since 1865—The Only Transfer of Property U. S. to Perry Foster.

Perry Foster, one of the old settlers of the upper Rogue River section, was in Medford Tuesday for the first time in a year, his business being to settle the matter of the option given by him to the North American Development company on 160 acres of land in section 5, township 35, 1 west.

"I was instructed to come in on the first of the month with an abstract of my property," said Mr. Foster, "and I came. The abstract consists simply of the deed for homestead No. 246, issued by the government of the United States to Perry Foster, dated October 25, 1872, and signed by U. S. Grant as president. That is all there is to that abstract, unless they want to investigate Uncle Sam's title to the land. There hasn't been a mortgage, a judgment nor any change since I settled on the land in 1865 or thereabouts."

HURRICANE SWEEPS SOUTHERN MISSOURI

Macon Suffers Heavy Damage, Many Houses Being Wrecked—Telephone Poles Are Torn From Ground.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 5.—Damage amounting to many thousands of dollars was done by a hurricane that swept Southern Missouri last evening, according to telegraphic reports today from the stricken districts.

Macon suffered the greatest damage, several houses being swept from their foundations and scores of telephone poles being torn from the ground. The electric light plant was put out of commission.

The storm was reported to have been the most severe that has visited that section since the cyclone of 1883, in which dozens of persons lost their lives.

"AD" WRITING TO SOON BE SCIENCE

Professors at Harvard Studying Physiological Effect of Composition Upon Human Race—Twill Develop More Ad Writers.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 5.—Psychologists at Harvard are soon to reduce the art of "ad" writing to a science. According to Professor Charles Sherwood Ricker of the department of psychology the last word in such writing will be spoken in a few days.

He said: "In a few days psychologists will reduce to an exact science the method of composing advertisements so as to obtain the highest number of answers. "Every ad makes a certain impres-

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United States bonds	49,800.00
Medford and other bonds	30,758.32
Bank premises	35,071.14
Premiums on bonds	1,795.87
Due from U. S. treasurer	2,940.00
Cash on hand and in banks	224,204.68
Total	\$707,716.71

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	15,457.01
Circulation	49,800.00
Deposits	592,459.70
Total	\$707,716.71

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