

Alleging Kent's Attack Is a Hoax, Day Would Become Party Plaintiff

ECONOMY TO BE POLICY OF NEW COMMISSIONERS

HEADQUARTERS OF DEPARTMENT TO BE AT SALEM

West Will Name Fifth Member of the Board This Afternoon or Tomorrow Morning—Expenses Were Far Too High This Year, Says Executive, and He Promises a Radical Reduction in 1914.

(Herald Special Service) SALEM, Dec. 10.—Governor West announced that \$125,000 was expended this year from the game protection fund of the game department by the former state fish and game commission. The monthly expenditures ranged from \$7,200 to \$18,500, he declared.

"There has been too much money spent for what was accomplished," said the governor today. "By reorganizing the commission, and placing it on a business like basis, expenses will be cut in half next year."

Temporary organization of the commission was effected today by the election of Commissioner Hillyer as chairman and Clifford as secretary. The vouchers of the warden's office are being audited.

The commission today decided to have its headquarters here. The offices of the warden may also be moved here from Portland.

West will name the fifth commissioner today or tomorrow morning at the latest.

SPORTSMEN WANT WEST TO PLACE HALL ON BOARD

URGENT TELEGRAM IS SENT TO CAPITOL

Former Commissioner Charles F. Stone Refuses to Allow a Recommendation for His Reappointment, Saying He Will Not Serve on the Same Committee With Kinney, Whose Retention Caused the Split

Believing that Klamath county is entitled to representation on the state fish and game commission because of



E. B. Hall

the abundance of game and fish in this region, the following telegram was sent to Governor West by the Klamath Sportsmen's Association:

"Klamath Sportsmen's Association, 170 members, today unanimously endorse E. B. Hall for second Eastern Oregon member of the state fish and game commission, and request his appointment by you.

"Our fish and game is our greatest resource, and the excellent work done in the past year will be lost unless we have representation on the board. Klamath county is the most progressive game section, not only of

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STEAMER HAS TO BREAK THRU ICE

UPPER KLAMATH LAKE IS FROZEN, AND KLAMATH HAS A STRENUOUS TRIP FROM PELICAN BAY CAMP

After bucking ice all day long, the Pelican Bay Lumber company's steamer Klamath reached its dock at this end of the lake late last night, ending its last trip on the lake for the year. Navigation on the big pond is now ended.

Bearing James C. Johnson, in charge of logging operations and about eighty men employed under him in the woods, the steamer left Pelican Bay Tuesday morning. In addition, the craft was tows a large load of Christmas trees to be shipped to Portland.

The ice was found in some places to be six inches thick, and in no place was it less than four inches deep. Some of the men, believing the steamer would be unable to reach port, walked ashore across the ice, and came to Klamath Falls overland, arriving at different hours of the night.

Iceland Grants Women Ballot

A bill has just passed the Icelandic Atlantic conferring suffrage to women on equal terms with men. The bill passed for the first time in June, 1911. Now it needs only the signature of the King of Denmark to become a law. It will be presented to him at the next council of state by the minister from Iceland, who represents his country in the Danish cabinet. At the speech from the crown recently advocated woman suffrage in Denmark, it is practically assured the king will sign the bill.

ALLIED ARMIES WILL BE ACTIVE IF FIGHT COMES

MEXICAN SITUATION LIKENED TO BOXER FURS

New Election Will Be Held in Mexico July 14th, Following the Declaring Void of the Last Partial Balloting. Rumors Say Huerta Has Promised to Give Full Consideration to Carranza at That Time.

United Press Service

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 10.—According to confidential information gleaned at the embassies and consulates, in the event of trouble threatening foreigners here, marines from the international fleet moored in Vera Cruz harbor will be rushed here.

It is stated that the United States, France and England have agreed to undertake the protection of foreign property, should disorders come.

They would organize an allied force similar to the one sent to Peking at the time of the Boxer trouble.

As a result of congress declaring the last election void, it is considered possible that Huerta will remain in office for six months, if the revolution does not succeed.

The chamber of deputies has called a new election for July 14th, naming Huerta as president meanwhile.

What appears a partial confirmation of the reports of negotiations between Carranza and Huerta is the story that the Carranzistas are to be given a voice in the attempt to hold a legal election in July, and choose a man satisfactory to all factions.

Explorer's Vessel Is Lost in the Ice



Above is shown Vlademar Stefansson, who left this summer to explore the Arctic region for the Canadian government. Below is Captain Bob Bartlett, commanding the ship Karluk, in which the expedition started.

Advice from the frozen north are to the fact that the party has met with grief. At first it was reported that the vessel went down with all on board, but Tuesday a message said to be from Stefansson conveyed the intelligence that the ship was blown to sea during a storm, with part of the crew aboard, while the remainder went ashore to hunt.

Stefansson, it is said, believed the ship was solidly frozen in before he went ashore. As Captain Bartlett was aboard no anxiety is felt for the sailors.

There is no danger of harm coming to Stefansson's marooned party, as the explorer is acquainted with every northern condition. He has made many discoveries in the frigid zone, and was the first to find the white Eskimo.

COURT CALENDAR FIXED FOR WEEK

TRIAL OF BENSON JOHNS NOW IN PROGRESS — DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST THE SHERIFF IS UP NEXT

Trial of Benson John, an Indian, who is charged by Mrs. Stephen Herlihy with an attempt to commit a statutory crime, is before the circuit court today. C. M. Onell and W. H. Shaw represent the prisoner, and H. M. Manning appears for the state. John, according to Mrs. Herlihy, drew a gun and pursued her. Both were on horseback, and the woman managed to keep ahead of the red

LUMBERMAN MAINTAINS RABBS AND DEFENDANTS ARE TOGETHER TO GIVE THE WARRANTS LEGALITY

until she neared home.

Tomorrow the case of Corkery against Sheriff Low comes up. Low is sued for \$10,000 for false imprisonment, as he kept Corkery in jail over night, believing him to be Chris Conley, wanted for a game law infraction.

Other law cases on the docket follow:

Friday—Maddox vs. Loomis.

Saturday, Martin Bros. vs. Clark et al.

Monday—Graf vs. Adams.

Tuesday—Arnold vs. White.

HOLDING THAT SALIENT POINTS ARE PURPOSELY OMITTED FROM COMPLAINT

Petition to Remove Party Plaintiff in the Suit of Rabbes Against Court, Sheriff, Treasurer and Holders of Warrants Representing Indebtedness Worth in the Aggregate More Than a Quarter Million.

That Henry Rabbes and the defendants in the suit he brought against the sheriff, county court, treasurer and holders of warrants worth more than \$250,000 are in collusion to secure a ruling holding the warrants valid, is the charge made by R. N. Day of the Day Lumber company, who is plaintiff in the majority of suits filed lately to invalidate warrants issued by the county court.

Day's charge is made in a petition to the court in the case of Rabbes vs. Low et al. In this, he asks to be permitted to intervene as a party plaintiff. His allegation follows:

"That the above entitled suit is not in fact a bona fide, or genuine, controversy between the parties therein named, but has been instituted at the instance and request of the defendants as a part of an agreement and plan whereby the parties therein named have wrongfully and unlawfully, and with intent to defraud this intervenor, and every other taxpayer of Klamath county, conspired and conferred together, for the purpose of hampering, delaying and preventing the validity of the pretended warrants enumerated in plaintiff's complaint, and the respective rights and duties of the defendants with reference thereto from being rightfully and properly adjudicated by this court, to the end that the defendants may by manipulation of the pleadings and suppression of material facts, fraudulently impose upon the court to secure some decree which would purport to permit the payment of the void warrants therein enumerated, and by said particular decree and other fraudulent and collusive

Women Outgeneral Coal Barons At Flushing, L. I., a number of society women clubbed together and purchased a barge load of coal. They reduced the price through this cooperative buying \$1.25 a ton from the price of \$7.25 the retailers had been charging.

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LOW LEAVES WITH TWO PRISONERS

SHERIFF IS TAKING CLARK AND JOHNSON TO SALEM TO PLACE THEM IN THE STATE PENITENTIARY TO SERVE SENTENCES

Sheriff Low and Loyd Low left this morning for Salem, taking with them Joseph Johnson and J. Clark, who are to serve indeterminate sentences in the penitentiary. Johnson was convicted of burglary and Clark pleaded guilty to a charge of sodomy.

Pickle, Pretzel, Ice Cream, Student Lunch

United Press Service

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 10.—A pickle, a pretzel and a dish of ice cream—that's what used to constitute the lunch of a Cleveland high school girl. A pint of pure, tuberculin tested milk, a bowl of hot soup and a sandwich—that's the new menu of the majority of Cleveland high school girls for luncheon today.

Strict supervision of high school lunch rooms has worked the change from an unwholesome, digestive destroying diet to a wholesome, health-producing luncheon, without any appreciable increase in cost.

"We don't eat things because we ought to, but because we like to," said Dr. E. A. Peterson, lunch room

supervisor who brought about the change. "That's the theory we have been working on. It's the best psychology to get people to do a thing because it is a pleasure, not because they ought to.

"We made lunch room proprietors put in tuberculin tested milk in place of the milk of a lower per cent of butter fat, and got the girls to drink it by putting up attractive posters advertising it. The hardest item to replace in the girls' menu was the ice cream. Here again we resorted to psychology, and had sandwiches displayed in tempting style, all the while discouraging the eating of ice cream at lunch. Needless to say, the girls do better in their studies on the 'common sense' diet."

Wanted—A Leader

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 10.—Civil service examination headquarters here sounded like a German band barracks today. The toot-toots and ta-ratas came from a score or more of "moosters" who are candidates for the position of leader of the orchestra and band at the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Hughes Recovering

The friends of Miss Ethel Hughes of West Main street will be pleased to learn that she is rapidly recovering

from the recent case of infection which has caused her so much suffering. Some time ago Miss Hughes pricked her finger with a needle, and paid no attention to the slight wound, but it became infected, and has given her a very serious time of it. At one time it was feared that it would be necessary to amputate her arm in order to save her life, but happily that was not necessary.

Visiting His Brother

Mr. and Mrs. Orb Campbell and W. T. Lee autoed out to the home of Mr. Campbell's brother, Will Campbell for a day's visit.

Elihu Root's Peace Efforts Are Rewarded

United Press Service

CHRISTIANA, Dec. 10.—United States Senator Elihu Root of New York was today designated as the man to receive the Nobel Peace Prize for the year 1913. This selection is made by the commission, after careful study of events in all parts of the world.

The award to Root was made because of the splendid work he performed as secretary of war and secretary of state in the work of pacification in Cuba and in the Philippines.

His work in settling the threatened dispute between the United States and Japan this spring and summer was also taken into consideration.

The Nobel prizes are awards from a special fund of \$9,000,000 set aside by the late Alfred Bernard Nobel, which are bestowed annually upon the world's most distinguished men for the year in furthering some notable discovery, invention or movement for the benefit of mankind, and the promotion of fraternity among the nations of the world.

Government May Own Phones and Telegraphs

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 10.—That there is a concerted demand everywhere in the United States for public ownership of the telephone and telegraph systems, and that the government is considering this, was made plain today by Postmaster Albert Sydney Burleson.

For a long while this forenoon the head of the mail service was closeted with President Wilson on the topic. Following this, he said it was being considered seriously, but that there would be no hasty action.

"The questions certainly broad ones, and yet it is plain that there is a widespread feeling that this step is the logical one to succeed the parcels post. The people want the best

methods obtainable, and naturally desire the speediest methods of communication. The president's mind, like my own, is open to conviction, and investigations are being carried on both in this country and abroad, to ascertain the best points concerned in the question. I expect I will have something to say along this line in my annual report. I recently had two long talks with Herbert Basselle, the head of the English postal system on this subject, and was pleased to find that he agreed that steps in the direction of government ownership or control of these utilities must soon be seriously considered. This move would involve the taking over of properties valued from \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000."