

2ND MISSION COMES FROM PHILIPPINES

Body Headed by Senate President Quezon Reiterates Demand for Independence.

That the Filipino people are in earnest in their demand for immediate independence is indicated by the coming to the United States of a second Philippine mission to work for independence. Coincident with this announcement the War Department received a cable from Manila stating that the all-Filipino legislature had adopted resolutions reiterating its plea for immediate independence.

The second mission, like the first, is composed of the leading men of the islands and will work in the United States not only for immediate independence, but also to bring about "better understanding, greater confidence and closer economic relations between the United States and the Philippines."

The mission is again headed by Manuel L. Quezon, president of the Philippine Senate, who is well known in America, having been for six years resident commissioner to the United

in the islands. Senate President Quezon recently referred to Osmena as "the greatest Filipino since Rizal."

The personal relations between Osmena and Quezon are probably without a parallel in modern politics. They have been the leading political figures in the islands for 12 years, yet there has never been the slightest indication of rivalry between them. Throughout their college life as well as their long political service each has refused to be a candidate for any position that the other aspired to.

During the years Quezon was the Philippine delegate in the American Congress he won the esteem and confidence of both the Republican and Democratic sides of the chamber. Whenever he spoke he was assured of a good attendance. One of the official short hand reporters once declared Quezon used the purest English of any member of the House.

Osmena, as president of the Nacionalista party, is the leader of the national movement for independence. "Osmena is the premier 'de facto' of the Philippines," said a leading Filipino



Senate President Manuel L. Quezon.



Speaker Sergio Osmena.

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Both Osmena and Quezon have been consistent advocates of Philippine independence, yet when the occasion demanded it they have never hesitated to champion the cause of America's good intentions toward the Filipino people.

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Congress is considering legislation which will perpetuate our war-built merchant marine.

Until this is done the ships we have should not be sold to face conditions which, prior to the war, resulted in the decline of our merchant marine to insignificance.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of School District No. 26, of Malheur County, State of Oregon, that the ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING of said District will be held at the School Building; to begin at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. on the third Monday of June, being the 21st day of June, A. D. 1920.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing one Director and School Clerk and adopting a Budget and the transaction of business usual at such meetings.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1920.

ATTEST:
C. C. HUNT, District Clerk.
E. M. DEAN, Chairman Board of Directors.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LAND OWNERS OF THE KINGMAN COLONY DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

The annual meeting of the land owners of the Kingman Colony Drainage District will be held at the School House in said District on Saturday, June 12, 1920, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of electing one Supervisor, and to conduct such other business as may lawfully come before the annual meeting.

FRANK D. HALL, Secretary.

REFUGE FROM SUDDEN STORM

Easily Constructed Shelter Which Should Have Place on Every Public Picnic Ground.

There is not much pleasure to be had in the woods if no shelter is near when rain threatens at any minute. Many picnics are broken up by showers which last but a few minutes, simply because there is no way to protect the food or to keep dry until the squall passes over, writes C. L. Meller, Fargo, N. D., in Popular Mechanics Magazine. A shelter, such as illustrated, will take the discomfort out of walks and picnics, and will induce people to tempt the weather more often, since they know that protection is within easy reach.

A dead tree, the trunk of which is still quite sound, makes an excellent start for such a shelter. It should be cut off about ten feet from the ground, care being taken to make the saw cuts as even as possible. It may be necessary to erect scaffolding to make this cut properly. After the cut surface is worked smooth, eight rafters are fitted into the top of the trunk. The rafters are 12 feet long, four of them being two by four inch timber, and four, four by four inches. They are supported at the outer end by four by four inch posts, driven into the ground and extending eight feet

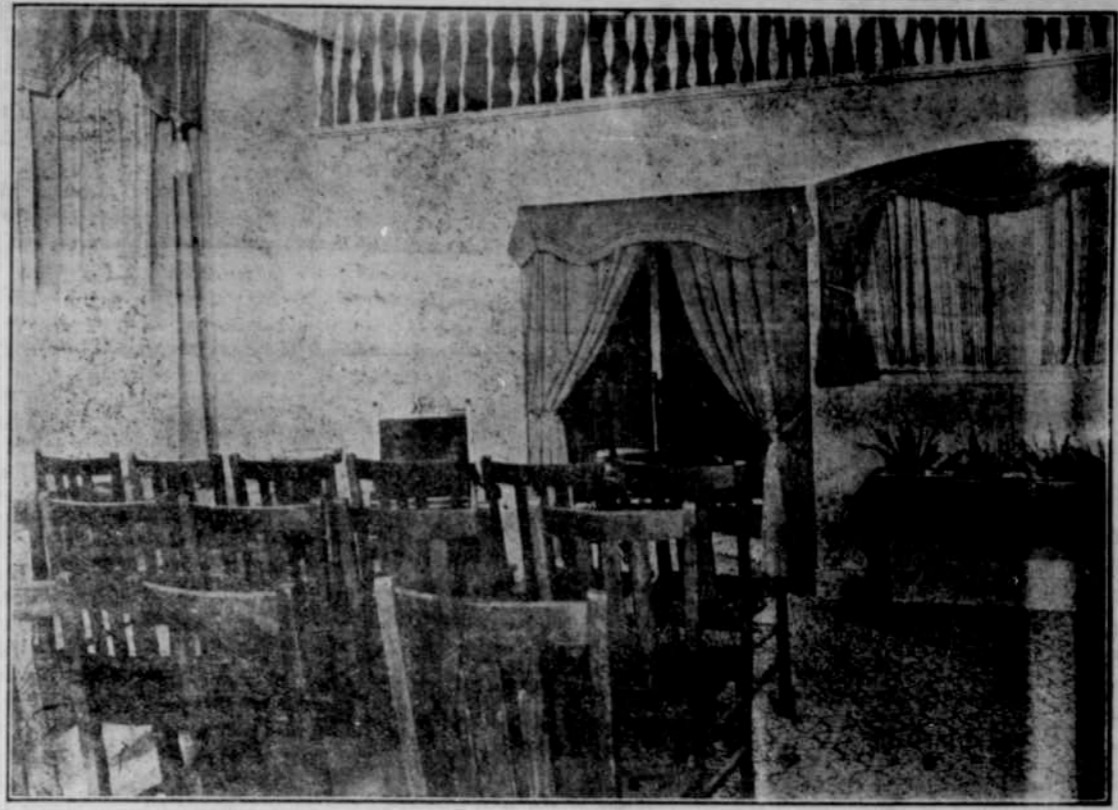


Picnickers Have Little Fear of Passing Rainstorms When a Substantial Shelter is Near to Protect Clothing and Food.

above it. The four by four inch rafters should be fitted into the log first, the two by four inch being added later. Upon this framework, which forms an octagonal, umbrella-shaped structure, seven-eighths inch boards are nailed to form the roof. This may be covered with shingles or some roofing material.

For greater comfort, a seat built around the trunk may be added, and other seats may be built near it. The whole structure should be finished in a dark, neutral brown, with just a touch of white trimming. If the roof is stained a moss-green, the color scheme will be in harmony during all seasons of the year, with the prevailing colors throughout the surrounding woods.

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NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of School District No. 26 of Malheur County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of said District will be held at School Building, on the 21 day of May, 1920, at 2 o'clock in the P. M., noon to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The total amount of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning June 30, 1920, and ending on June 30, 1921, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amount to be received from the county school fund, state school fund special district tax, and all other moneys of the district:

BUDGET	
Estimated Expenditures	
1. Teachers' salaries.....	\$16,010
2. Furniture.....	400
3. Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, curtains, etc.....	600
6. Repairs of schoolhouses, outbuildings or fences.....	500
9. Transportation of pupils.....	1600
11. Janitor's wages.....	650
12. Janitor's supplies.....	150
13. Fuel.....	600
15. Water.....	20
16. Clerk's salary.....	50
18. For the payment of bonded debt and interest thereon, issued under Sections 117, 144 to 148, and 422 of the School Laws of Oregon, 1917.....	800
19. Rent.....	180
20. Deficit from previous year.....	5,000
21. Incidentals.....	200
24. Total estimated amount of money to be expended for all purposes during the year.....	\$26,760

Estimated Receipts	
From county school fund during the coming school year.....	\$2255
From state school fund during the coming school year.....	475
Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming School year.....	5,000
Total estimated receipts, not including the money to be received from the tax which it is proposed to vote.....	\$7,730

Recapitulation	
Total estimated expense for the year.....	\$26,760
Total estimated receipts not including the tax to be voted.....	7,730
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax.....	\$19,030
Dated this 30 day of May, 1920.	

Attest:
C. C. Hunt, District Clerk
E. M. Dean, Chairman Board of Directors.
First Publication June 4.
Last Publication June 18.

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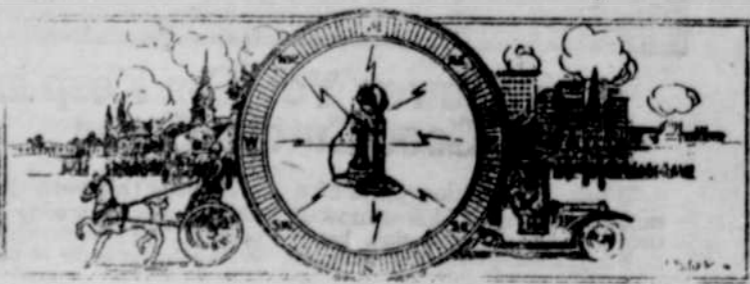
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