

# DRAFTING RULES FOR OPENING UP OF WATERPOWER

### Regulations for Licensing Users of U. S. Waterways for Power Will Be Very Complicated.

Washington, July 23.—Regulations for the administration of the federal act opening up the country's vast waterpower resources to private development are now being drafted. As soon as they are completed, the waterpower commission, composed of the secretaries of war, interior and agriculture, will hold hearings on them.

The commission, of which Secretary Baker has been appointed chairman by President Wilson, will hold its first meeting immediately upon Secretary Payne's return from Alaska about August 5. The hearings on the regulations will be pushed as speedily as possible so that the waterpower legislation, which has been 10 years in the making, can be put into effect without undue delay.

### Draw Tentative Draft.

The tentative regulations are being drawn up by a special committee of the War, Interior and Agricultural departments. It is composed of Major General Enoch H. Crowder representing the War department; O. C. Merrill, waterpower expert in the forestry service, who has been designated executive secretary of the commission, and H. A. Stabler of the Interior department.

Members of the committee say the regulations will be extensive and that they probably will be announced in series, with open hearings on each group before they are made final. Those relating to form and condition of application for survey permit or license will be the first announced. The most difficult problem involved in drawing up the regulations, members of the committee say, is that of establishing a uniform system of accounting for licenses as required by the act.

### License For 50 Years.

Under the waterpower bill the commission is empowered to issue licenses for a period not exceeding 50 years. The licensee will pay to the government reasonable annual charges in an amount to be fixed by the commission. Upon the expiration of any license the government, if two years' notice in writing has been given by the commission, will have the right to take over and operate any waterpower development after payment of the net investment of the licensee in the project or projects taken, not to exceed the fair value of the property plus such reasonable damages, if any, to property of the licensee as may be caused by the severance therefrom of property taken.

In cases where such notice has not been given the government also will have the right to take over upon mutual agreement with the licensee any property developed under the terms of the bill subject to the payment of the net investment.

### Cities Pledge Support to Great Lakes Water Route

Detroit, Mich., July 23.—Pledges of support in the effort to obtain an open waterway from the Atlantic to the Great Lakes were received today from a score or more of cities throughout the middle west and south by the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater congress, in session here.

Senator Miles Poindexter of Washington, who pictured the transportation needs of the west, and J. W. Shorttill of Omaha, Neb., who presented the view of the middle western farmer, were speakers, today.

### Japanese Merchant Sailors Reject Geneva Covenant

Tokio, July 23.—Officers and engineers of the Japanese mercantile fleet have informed the government that they will not abide by the decisions affecting officers and engineers taken at the international seamen's conference at Geneva. The men took this step, they announced, because they were not invited to the congress.

### Will Teach Theological Students to Play Games

New York, July 23.—Union Theological seminary today announced the establishment of a department designed to teach ministerial students how to play boys' and girls' games, knowledge of which is considered loyal to the church. A physical director, formerly a boys' secretary in a Y. M. C. A., has been secured as instructor.

### Mrs. George Bass Chairman of Demos Woman's Division

Chicago, July 23.—Mrs. George Bass of Chicago, chairman of the woman's bureau of the democratic national committee, has been made chairman of the woman's division of the party's national campaign committee, she announced today. Mrs. Bass will open democratic national woman's headquarters here in a few days.

### French Soldier Attacked by Germans at Berlin Hotel

Paris, July 23.—A French soldier was insulted and attacked by a crowd of Germans in Berlin and forced to take refuge in a hotel, according to a dispatch to the Paris newspapers from the German capital today.

An inquiry into the incident has been begun, the dispatch says.

### Villa and 100 Men Heading for Coahuila, Says Report

Mexico City, July 23.—General Villa and his forces, said to number 100 men, are heading toward Coahuila, according to statements of deserters, as reported by Gen. Jacquin Amaro, chief of operations at Chihuahua. The rebels are described as poorly equipped.

Lighting Fixtures—Burgess Grand Co.—Adv.

## Pocatello, Ida., Has Gain of 64.2 Per Cent In Its Population

Washington, July 23.—Pocatello, Idaho, 14,961; increase 5,851, or 64.2 per cent.  
Albany, Ore., 4,840; increase 565, or 13.2 per cent.  
Corvallis, Ore., 5,752; increase 1,200, or 26.4 per cent.  
Fairmont, Minn., 4,630; increase 1,672, or 36.5 per cent.  
Rochester, Minn., 13,722; increase 5,878, or 74.9 per cent.  
Drumright, Okla., 6,460; incorporated since 1910.  
Brawley, Cal., 5,392; increase 4,511, of 512 per cent.  
Calxico, Cal., 6,223; increase 5,426, or 680.8 per cent.  
El Centro, Cal., 5,464; increase 3,854, or 239.4 per cent.  
Monterey, Cal., 5,479; increase 556, or 11.3 per cent.  
Phoenixville, Pa., 10,484; increase 259, or 2.4 per cent.

## Police and Army Men Wreck Many Sinn Fein Residences

London, July 23.—About 2 o'clock this morning Caltra, near Ballinasloe, Ireland, was visited by police and military who wrecked many houses in the town, including the Sinn Fein hall, which was burned to cinders of "up Tuam" according to a message from the Press association's correspondent in Ballinasloe today. There was much shooting, but no loss of life is reported.

The slogan, "up Tuam," evidently refers to Sunday night's incident when Tuam was sacked, the sacking being charged against police as a reprisal for the murder of two constables by a mob.

## U. S. Trapshooters' Team in Olympics Makes 547 Score

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Trach shot the last 30 targets with a severely cut trigger finger.

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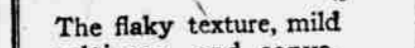
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## French Troops Start March to Damascus to Enforce Pact

Beirut, Syria, July 23.—French troops, in view of the failure of King Feisal of Syria to begin execution of the ultimatum terms, began a march on Damascus yesterday. They encountered no opposition and are proceeding toward Aleppo.

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## Wyoming Leads U. S. in Number of Persons Having Bank Accounts

Washington, July 23.—Three western states—Wyoming, Montana and Idaho—led all others on May 4 in the number of bank depositors per 1,000 population, according to figures compiled today by the comptroller of currency. Wyoming heads the list with 394 depositors for each 1,000 persons in the state, Montana ranking second with 349, and Idaho third with 293.

Eleven other states had the following ratio per 1,000 population: Pennsylvania, 289; Colorado, 280; Oregon, 275; Minnesota, 271; Iowa, 262; Virginia, 259; Vermont, 255; California, 248; South Dakota, 244; Maine, 239; and Texas, 236. Alaska and Hawaii ranked lowest, with 30 and 24 depositors, respectively, for 1,000 inhabitants.

The average for all states was 190 per 1,000, or one deposit for every five and one-half persons in the country. The total number of depositors on May 4 was 20,380,000. Of this number 8,065,000 were time or savings accounts.

Have Root—Print It.—Beacon Press.—Adv.

## Mrs. May Wright Sewell, Organizer Federation of Women's Clubs, Dies

Indianapolis, July 23.—Mrs. May Wright Sewell, aged 76, internationally known educational and culture worker, died at her home here last night. She was the widow of Prof. Theodore Lovett Sewell, also prominent in educational work. Mrs. Wright was an organizer of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the International Council of Women, of which she was honorary president, and the National Council of Women. She was the American commissioner in the International Woman's League for Permanent Peace.

Death was due to her advanced age.

## 2,500 Silk Weavers to Quit Work in Paterson Mills

Paterson, N. J., July 23.—A strike of approximately 2,500 broad silk weavers in Paterson mills has been called to take effect at the close of the work day next Monday, the workers' representatives announced today. The walkout, it was stated, is ordered as a protest against wage cuts which range from \$3 to \$13 a week.

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Regular 1.50 to 2.00 Quality

Of fine lisle and mercerized lisle in all styles; bodice top with ribbon shoulders and cuff knee; regulation top with shell edge or plain tailored band finish, in tight or loose knee style; flesh and white in almost all sizes; very special, each, at **1.19**

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Exceptional Values

Of very fine light weight lisle in tight and loose knee styles; neck finished in plain tailored band, half open front and drop seat; some have the little cap sleeve for cool days; sizes are not complete; very specially priced, **59¢** each, at

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- Mavis Toilet Water, worth 1.25, special, **98¢**
- Azurea or La Trefle Perfume, worth 1.75, **98¢**
- Jicky Perfume, worth 2.00 per oz., **98¢**
- Cutex Compact Maniure Set, worth 60¢, **49¢**
- La Bonita Coconut Oil Shampoo, worth 50¢, at **39¢**
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**July Clearance Sale of Summer Blouses**

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Embroidered voiles in tie-on effects and short sleeves, edged with narrow pleatings.

Overblouses of voile, trimmed in Filet insertion and Val. laces on collars and sleeves.

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**Collars**

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In plain colors or striped effects; finished in fringe ends or tassels; add a touch of color to your summer frock; special Saturday, ea., **1.98**

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**Hammocks**

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- 18—10.00 values, at **8.00**
- 10—7.50 values, at **6.00**
- 36—5.00 values, at **3.95**

**Couch Hammocks**

- 16 Hammocks, at **16.50**
- 16 Hammocks, at **22.50**
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