

SENATOR TOWNSEND STICKS TO HIS POST

United States Senator Refuses to Leave His Seat at a Time of National Crisis to Campaign for Re-election.

On account of the important measures pending at Washington and the critical state of national affairs, United States Senator Charles E. Townsend will be unable to make any personal campaign for re-nomination, except, perhaps, for a few days before the primaries. And this in face of an active and aggressive campaign being made against him.



UNITED STATES SENATOR CHARLES E. TOWNSEND On Duty at Washington While Friends Look After Campaign.

For this reason, the Senator is compelled to refuse the many urgent requests to visit various sections of the State in the interests of his own campaign. His friends have, however, taken up the burden of the contest for him, and a voluntary committee of fifty has been organized to present the Senator's candidacy so that his own time may be given to the people's interests. This committee is now sending out an address to the voters of the state as follows:

Dear Sir: Detroit, August 19th, 1916. Charles E. Townsend was the first United States Senator from Michigan to be nominated directly by the people. He has fully justified their faith and we urge his re-nomination and election. The United States Senate is of supreme importance to all who believe in the principles of the reunited Republican party. The Senate will be close to a Republican President and House in 1917. The success of Republican policies, therefore, demands the strongest in the Senate, men of experience, of judgment and of proved ability. Mr. Townsend has proved himself to the people of Michigan and the country in both House and Senate. He is the trusted friend of two great Republican Presidents, he was spokesman on the floor of the House for their most important progressive measures. He fought for freedom of debate against the reactionaries of his own party. He has stood uncompromisingly for protection to American industries and labor, scientifically administered. As a leader of the Republican minority in the Senate he has not hesitated to denounce incompetency, diplomatic blundering or extravagance in the Democratic regime. He is one of the members of the Senate most regular in attendance and has helped shape some of the most important legislation of the last six years. He has been indefatigable in the interest of citizens having business with or requiring the aid of the government. The people of Michigan need the experience, ability and statesmanship of Senator Townsend at Washington during the crucial years that are at hand. We hope you will do everything in your power to further his re-nomination and election. Very sincerely yours, TOWNSEND SENATORIAL COMMITTEE.

PRIMARIES, AUGUST 25.

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Ex-Governor Fred M. Warner recently, in a Washington interview, on being asked whether he was a candidate for the Senate, replied: "There is only one man for the position, and that is Senator Townsend."

The importance to the country of Senator Townsend remaining at Washington has been forcibly demonstrated in the last few weeks. His recent temporary reply to the vicious attack made by Senator Walsh upon Justice Hughes attracted the attention of the whole country. A few days later Senator Townsend voiced the protest of a whole people against the maintenance of unannounced Northern military in Mexico to do police duty, merely as a cloak to cover the administration's failure to put the rear army in readiness for that purpose. His castigation of the other day of the southern industries which employ child labor was vigorous and so apt that it challenged the attention of the country and helped to pass the anti-child labor bill over the opposition of many southern Senators.

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TO CONTROL STRIPE RUST.

Regulation issued by the Bureau of Plant Industry. (Prepared by United States Department of Agriculture.)

The department of agriculture is taking steps to prevent the spread of the very serious stripe rust of cereals (*Puccinia glumarum*) recently found in this country, but thus far known to occur only west of about the one hundred and fourth meridian. The bureau of plant industry and the federal horticultural board have arranged that no samples of seed collected in this area shall be distributed by the department to points east of the one hundred and fourth meridian in the United States or to foreign countries until all such seed has been inspected and, if necessary, given the following treatment: The seed is soaked five hours in water at 82 degrees F., followed promptly with a ten minute immersion in water at 120 degrees F.

This regulation is considered necessary because the spores and living hyphae of the rust not infrequently occur within the outer layers of the seed tissue. Seed thus infected, when planted, may start centers of infection in the field or nursery and thus lead to the establishment of this destructive rust in localities where it is now unknown.

No effort should be spared, the cereal specialists say, to prevent the shipment of suspected seed out of the territory where such seed is intended for planting. Wheat from the region under suspicion, when shipped for milling purposes, probably does not figure so prominently as a factor in the distribution of the rust, though no carrier can give absolute guaranty against the spread of this rust along the right of way. It is urged that all farmers east of the one hundred and fourth meridian avoid purchasing for seed any wheat known to have been grown west of that meridian. County agents or other agricultural officers should inform growers of the danger likely to result from planting seed the source of which is not known to them. When it is absolutely necessary to ship seed out of the region in question such seed should first pass through the hands of some person, preferably the plant pathologist or the state botanist, capable of passing upon its freedom from rust. Owing, however, to the practical impossibility of detecting infected seed in any samples subjected to infection it is urgently recommended that such seed be given the above recommended thermal treatment as a possible means of preventing the development of the rust from infected kernels. Samples sent for examination by specialists should be mailed in containers which can be hermetically sealed. These containers should be opened under conditions which make the distribution of any rust spores or rusted seed impossible. It is requested that officers of state agricultural experiment stations and other state agricultural officials give this matter special attention.

Training Blackberry Canes.

Blackberry roots live for many years, but the canes, with the exception of two varieties, bear only in their second year, says the American Agriculturist. After the fruiting season, therefore, they are cut out and burned. The one-year-old canes may usually be left to themselves throughout the winter. Not more than three or four new canes are left to each plant, and the others are thinned out at the same time as those which have fruited.

In some cases it will also be desirable to train the plants in order to facilitate cultivation as well as to prevent damage by winter snows. A wire trellis may then become a profitable investment. The simplest form consists of a single wire attached to posts set at intervals of from fifteen to thirty feet in each row of plants. The canes are tied to this wire about two and one-half feet above the ground. Another method is to nail crosspieces to the posts and stretch two wires from the ends of these.

A Turkey House.

This house will accommodate seventy-five little turkeys. The doors are made of wire netting, as is the front of the house. The window is also covered with netting and is without glass. The roof can be made of any material you like, says Mrs. Emmett Crosslin in Farm Progress.

When my turkeys begin to hatch I bother them as little as possible, as the quieter they are the less likely they are to get out of the nest. I give them a grain of black pepper and some crushed eggshells when they are a day and a half old. Then I feed them hard boiled egg and some fine crumbs of corn bread. I continue this three days, then feed some green onion tops, corn bread sprinkled with cayenne pepper and clabber that has been heated till I can squeeze the whey out. I feed this till they are six weeks old, then begin to give them table scraps, corn and plenty of water.

Making the Pruning Cuts.

The method of cutting when pruning apple trees is very important. The best advice is to cut every branch, whether large or small, as close as possible to the part from which it is taken. Never leave stubs, for stubs will not permit the healing over of the wounds, but may induce decay. Make all cuts smooth and close.

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Arabian Horses to Be One of Feature Attractions at Michigan State Fair



MISS ESSIE FAY AND HER SUPERB EQUINES, ARABIA AND DON M'DONALD.

ONE of the features of the Michigan State Fair, which will be held at Detroit Sept. 4 to 13, will be an equestrian act in which two well trained Arabian horses will give a wonderful exhibition. These horses are most intelligent equines and give a remarkable performance.

New Roads and Sidewalks Built.

New roads and sidewalks are being constructed at the Michigan State Fair grounds under the supervision of G. W. Dickinson, general manager of the exposition. The sidewalks are being built of crushed stone which is being covered with oil, the contents of a tank car being used for this purpose.

Old Soldiers' Day, Sept. 5.

W. Dickinson, general manager of the Michigan State Fair, announces that the old soldiers will be guests of the State Fair management on Tuesday, Sept. 5. A special patriotic program will be given, including concerts by bands, addresses, daylight fireworks and flights by aviators.

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