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## COOLIDGE VETO OF POSTAL BILL IS SUSTAINED

**Vote Cast Today Followed Failure of Opponents to Recommit It.**

## ONE VOTE IS MARGIN

**Friends Claim Enough to Sustain Him—Cattle, Farm Interests Come Next.**

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Coolidge's veto of the postal pay bill was sustained today by the senate.

The vote was 55 to 29, or one less than the two thirds majority necessary to pass the measure over executive disapproval. With the veto sustained, salary increases now are dependent upon the enactment of the pending administration measure to advance pay and postal rate simultaneously. Many senators predict that this measure will fail of passage at this session.

Among those voting to override the veto were Senators McNary and Stanford of Oregon.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Coolidge's veto of the postal increase bill was a direct issue today in the senate, with administration leaders apparently holding sufficient strength to sustain it.

A test upon the question came last night when two more than the necessary one-third vote to prevent over-riding of the veto were mustered in favor of a motion to recommit the bill to the post office committee. The motion was lost, 30 to 52.

Friends of President Coolidge insisted that they not only would be able to hold their full strength on the vote that must come today by four p. m., but that they would draw some votes from those opposing the motion to send the bill back to the committee. As soon as this vote has been taken, Muscle Shoals automatically will become again the unfinished business, and the administration measure embracing the pay increase with a raise in postal rates, must take its chance on the calendar with other general legislation. There are true predictions that it will fall of passage at this session.

**Four Farm Aid Bills**  
The bills pending in congress to deal with co-operative marketing of farm products were up for analysis and judgment today by the delegates attending the third annual convention of the National Council of Farmers Co-operative Association.

The executive committee of the council already has gone on record as opposed to any further legislation upon the question at this time, and it is the purpose of leaders of the movement assembled here to formulate definite policy with regard to the pending bills. These include the McNary-Haugen, the Curtis-Aswell, the Norris-Sinclair and Capper-Williams measures.

A move to have the conference petition congress for a federal trade organization by certain of (Continued on page two)

## FIRST FULL BONUS IS PAID TO WIDOW

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The first check for an insurance policy paid up under the new bonus law was handed today to Mrs. Irene C. Crisp, of Washington, widow of Lieutenant Fred W. Crisp, killed by a motor truck last August at Oahu, Hawaii. It was for \$1,533.

A war veteran who has become totally disabled and who carries life insurance with the government may recover the entire amount of insurance, the supreme court of the United States ruled today.

The decision was rendered in the case of Dewitt T. Law, a Montana veteran, who lost an arm and leg. He was rated totally disabled. The veterans' bureau refused to pay his insurance.

## WIDOW OF GOMPERS SUES FOR ESTATE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The will of Samuel Gompers was contested today in District of Columbia court by his widow, Mrs. Gertrude Gompers, who charged undue influence by Mr. Gompers' son, Samuel J. Gompers, or others. The will left to the widow only the minimum allowed by the law.

## YEGG ARTIST RETAKEN

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) CLEVELAND, Jan. 6.—Jackie Boehm, described by the police as one of the cleverest safecrackers in the country, was arrested here today as a suspected member of a gang which has recently blown a dozen safes here. Recaptured several years ago in Cheyenne, Wyo., after breaking jail here, Boehm picked the pockets of a detective of his keys and watch and leaped from the moving train.

## CHICAGO GANGSTERS BOB UP

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) CASTLE ROCK, Colo., Jan. 6.—Sheriff McKissick today said he expected to go to the James ranch in Jaco Canyon, near here, to serve warrants of arrest on Louis (Diamond Jack) Allicie, chief lieutenant of the late Dion O'Bannon, Chicago gang leader, and Frank Gusenberg, said to be a member of O'Bannon's former gang.

## PLANES ENROUTE SOUTH

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) MEDFORD, Ore., Jan. 6.—The government planes flown by Lieutenants Kelly and Miller, which arrived here from Roseburg yesterday afternoon, took off for the South at 1:40 this morning. Despite the soft condition of the landing field, the aviators experienced no trouble other than being forced to take off on the race track at the fair grounds, where the aviation field is located.

## DAILY AUTO TRAGEDY

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 6.—Mrs. Helen Gillen of Blackriver station, near Seattle, was instantly killed and Clarence Gillen, her husband, was injured when an automobile in which they were riding overturned on the icy pavement near Camp Lewis, 18 miles northeast of here, today.

## ECHO OF MCGOY CASE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—The county grand jury today opened its inquiry into charges of attempts to tamper with the superior court jury which recently convicted Kid McCoy, ex-pugilist, of manslaughter in connection with the killing of Mrs. Theresa W. Mora here last August.

## METHODIST PREACHER ELECTED UMATILLA SHERIFF OPENS TERM WITH DOUBLE PRAYER SERVICE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) PENDLETON, Ore., Jan. 6.—The Rev. R. T. Cookingham started his term of office as sheriff of Umatilla county yesterday morning with a prayer service in his office. Later his friends and backers gathered with the new sheriff in the court room upstairs and another prayer meeting was held.

## SENATOR CONTEST THREE CORNERED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Another protest against the seating of Senator Smith W. Brookhart of Iowa, is in prospect, reports the states of Luther A. Brewer of Cedar Rapids, who for a time was a candidate for the place in the last election, having announced notice would be served on Mr. Brookhart of his intention to contest. The contest, it was announced, would be based on charges of frauds and irregularities in the election and upon Senator Brookhart's expressions regarding the Russian government. Daniel F. Steck, Senator Brookhart's democratic opponent, has also announced he will contest the election.

## PROPOSAL FOR NEW DEBT PLAN ONLY INFORMAL

**French Minister's Letter to U. S. Merely Makes Suggestions.**

## HAS NO NEW IDEAS

**Situation Warrants No Action—Allies Will Confer in March in Belgium.**

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The French debt situation appeared to have resolved itself again today in a waiting attitude upon the part of the Washington government for possible light on the suggestions of the refunding arrangement presented in the memorandum of the French Finance Minister Clementel.

While examination of M. Clementel's "personal and unofficial" communication to Ambassador Herriot has not altered the attitude here to accept it as a hopeful sign, it has on the other hand disclosed no concrete proposal for refunding the French debt that might offer a definite foothold for further advances from Ambassador Herriot. It was believed any decision as to a formal request by the treasury secretary for specific details from M. Clementel in his suggestion would be held in abeyance. It was said definitely at the state department that the informal French suggestions did not warrant the calling of a special meeting of the American debt funding commission to take them up.

**Allies To Confer Again**  
PARIS, Jan. 6.—Plans for an international conference at Brussels next March, to which the United States probably would be invited to send a delegate, are declared to have been formulated by Winston Churchill, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, who is due to arrive here this evening at the head of the conference of allied finance ministers which opens tomorrow.

Mr. Churchill, it was said, will present his proposal to the allies for a conference during private conversations which he will hold with other heads of delegations. He already has an appointment with M. Clementel, French minister of finance, tomorrow, to discuss, it is understood, the general subject of debts. It is believed that the British chancellor will undoubtedly go over plans for the proposed conference at that time.

**Big Conference At Hand**  
PARIS, Jan. 6.—The inter-allied financial conference begins today, in fact if not in form. With the official opening set for tomorrow, Premier Theunis, Belgium is having a conversation with Premier Herriot this afternoon, and it is understood that the British chancellor of the Exchequer and the French and Italian finance ministers are also to have a preliminary consultation at which the question of inter-allied debts will be discussed.

Notwithstanding the American attitude, it is believed in competent circles that conference notably the British, are determined to push the debt problem in unofficial conversations in the hope of at least abridging future work toward a definite solution. It is likely that Winston Churchill, the British Chancellor of the Exchequer, and his colleagues will devote most of the time for the next week to these conversations, the greater part of the conference, either being dealt with or sent to sub-committee early in the meeting.

At the conference, proper, optimism prevails that it will close its labors next week with a general agreement which will clear the financial atmosphere.

The great rock in the path of the conference is America's insistence upon payment of her occupation army costs and damage claims against Germany out of the Dawes plan proceeds, a claim which Great Britain contents. Both sides are declaring they will not yield, but inasmuch as the French and Belgians side with the Americans, observers think it may be difficult for the British to maintain their point.

A solution which finds favor would be to fix a lump sum for the American claims and to arrange for its payments over a long period of years so as to make a slight drain on the reparations pool as possible.

## MANY MENTIONED FOR CABINET JOB

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Coolidge today for the second time within a year set about finding a new attorney-general.

Harlan F. Stone, New York attorney, selected as head of the Department of Justice nine months ago after the retirement of Harry M. Daugherty, was given appointment yesterday by the president to the Supreme Court, succeeding Justice McKenna, who resigned because of advanced age.

A dozen names are being mentioned for the attorney generalship, but there are no indications officially that President Coolidge has reached a decision in the matter. Mr. Coolidge and Stone were class mates at Amherst college.

While the nomination of Stone to the Supreme Court will be confirmed in the senate, there will be opposition.

Senator Edge, republican, New Jersey, who sought unsuccessfully to retain Walter D. Van Riper as assistant United States Attorney in New Jersey, said he would oppose Mr. Stone's confirmation.

## LATEST ANGLE OF McCLINTOCK CASE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Chief Justice Harry Olson of the Municipal Court of Chicago, today at the coroner's inquest into the death of William McClintock, the "millionaire orphan," asked Coroner to exhumate the body of his brother, Dr. Oscar Olson, who died a few years ago.

Judge Olson, the chief investigator of the investigation of the death on December 4, of young McClintock, who left his fortune by will to William D. Shepherd, foster-father of young McClintock, testified to various circumstances surrounding the death of Dr. Oscar Olson, Mrs. Emma McClintock, mother of the orphan, and her son.

Judge Olson then asked that the inquest be continued two or three months to allow time for the states' attorney to continue his investigation and to permit of the exhumation of the body of his brother.

## BOYS INVESTIGATED BY CITY POLICE

George Ritchie and Ray Schmeier, both of Portland, were arrested last night by Officer Rausch, and were held today for investigation. The boys were driving a Ford car registered under the name of E. W. Beeman of Gervais, Oregon, and bearing a California visitors' permit made out to Colby W. Sanborn. The boys claim that they were asked by Sanborn to deliver the car at Portland. Their story is being investigated by the police.

## RURAL TELEPHONE COMPANY MEETS

Stockholders of Garden Valley Mutual Telephone Company met in annual session at Garden Valley Monday afternoon. In addition to routine business transacted, an assessment of \$2.25 was levied against each member to pay expense of maintenance in addition to the regular exchange service of \$7.50 for 1925. These amounts are now payable to the treasurer. The following officers were elected: president, J. Irwin Pace; vice president, R. H. C. Wood; secretary-treasurer, R. A. Calhoun; directors, R. S. Hutton and Peter Sinclair.

## FACES OREGON CHARGE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) SALEM, Ore., Jan. 6.—A requisition from Governor Pierce upon the Governor of Utah for the extradition of Vincent A. Saddle, wanted in Multnomah county on a child stealing charge, has been honored, says a telegram received today from the Utah executive.

## SEEK FRUIT STANDARDS

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 6.—Standardization of berries and small fruits after the manner in which standards have been established on apples will be sought by the Northwest Cannery Association, which is holding its eleventh annual convention here. A committee has been named to work out details.

## JOINT INSTALLATION BY CHIEFS AND SQUAWS THURSDAY EVENING

The regular meeting of the Umpqua Chiefs will be held tomorrow at the office of A. T. Lawrence. The meeting is very important, and a full attendance is urged. On Thursday evening a joint meeting and installation will be held by the Chiefs and the Squaws at the K. P. hall. The squaws will install the officers for the Chiefs, and the Chiefs the officers of the ladies' organization. A banquet and social time will also be enjoyed, plans having been made for a dance and games. The members of the band, and the drum corps, and their wives are invited.

Justice of the Peace James H. Dearing, well known Oakland resident, was a business visitor here for a few hours today.

## H. G. WILSON PLEADS NOT GUILTY; TRIAL TO OPEN MARCH 17

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 6.—Horace Greely Wilson of Roseburg, former superintendent of the Klamath Indian agency, pleaded not guilty in federal court today to a charge of violation of the Mann act, and his trial was set for March 17. Wilson is charged with having accompanied a woman to Virginia where he is alleged to have married her, while his wife remained in Roseburg.

## KIWANIS ADD 4 NEW MEMBERS

A very interesting luncheon was enjoyed by members of the Kiwanis club today. Four new members were added, Bert Wells, Prof. Campbell, principal of the high school; M. F. Middleburg and B. L. Eddy, Forest Supervisor Carl B. Eddy spoke on his recent visit to southern California and his visits to Kiwanis clubs in that state. Guy Cordon spoke on his hobby, which is the reservation of slightly wooded tracts throughout the county to be held as parks and recreation spots for the future. W. C. Harding, president of the club, outlined in detail the working program for the year of 1925.

## ADVANCES GREAT PLAN FOR MOVING OREGON'S TIMBER

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) SALEM, Ore., Jan. 6.—Advocating federal aid in the department of the coast ports of Oregon, Washington and California to prove an outlet for millions of feet of private and government owned timber now rotting in the forests for lack of outlet to market, I. N. Day of Portland, former state senator, is today in conference with Governor Pierce, seeking to have the chief executive call a conference of the governors of three states and representatives of the various port commissions to be held in Portland January 9.

Mr. Day's idea of the conference is to formulate a resolution to be submitted to the legislature of the states concerned memorializing congress to authorize an immediate survey of the Pacific Coast ports to which the timber is adjacent development is owned by the government program which would provide an outlet for the timber now going to waste.

His plan does not contemplate inclusion of the Columbia river or other major coast port projects in the development.

Fifty of the timber areas adjacent to the ports needing such development is owned by the government according to figures compiled by Mr. Day, who asserts that private interests and state taxpayers have contributed more to these port projects than the federal government.

Development of these ports would result in the construction of railroads connecting the timber with the harbors and outside markets, Mr. Day declares.

Governor Pierce said this afternoon that there is little doubt that he will call a conference of the governors of Oregon, Washington and California with various commercial bodies and coast port commissions to meet in Portland, and said he would call a legislative program for the development of ports on the Pacific Coast to enhance the movement of timber. The governor expressed himself favorably to the proposed conference and said he in the day he would decide definitely whether the call would be issued.

## PROMINENT DIVINE DIES

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) CINCINNATI, Jan. 6.—Arch Bishop Henry Moeller, fourth Bishop of Cincinnati and the third to attain Metropolitan rank since the election of the diocese approximately 199 years ago, died last night.

## GUGGENHEIM SERIOUSLY ILL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Daniel Guggenheim, financier and a director of the American Smelting and Refining company, is seriously ill here.

There has been little change in the condition of Attorney W. W. Cardwell, who has been quite ill at his home for several weeks. He is suffering severely from bronchitis and complications.

## BOND SYSTEM NEEDS CHANGE

**City's Method of Handling Improvement Bonds Will Be Revised.**

## TO CALL ELECTION

**Special City Vote Will Be Taken in Spring to Bring Charter to Date and Make Amendments.**

Ways and means of paying the city's bond obligations due February and May of this year, were brought before the city council last night and referred to the committee in charge of city finances for consideration.

City Treasurer Thomas stated that Series 9, amounting to \$8,000 will be due next month, and that Series P, amounting to \$6,400 will be due on May 1. These are improvement bonds and are fully covered by property, so that the city eventually will be out no money, but must provide funds to meet the payments when due.

The city bond payment system is rather weak, and the new administration plans on making several changes to permit the more efficient handling of the law.

Under the present plan when streets are paved or sewers constructed, the property owners have the right to apply for the bonding of their property, so that the payment can be stretched over a year period. If the payments are kept up promptly there are no difficulties, but where payments are allowed to go delinquent, the city is required to keep up the interest payments, and finally foreclose liens, which sometimes results in carrying a heavy burden, and considerable loss.

It is proposed to amend the charter to provide penalty and interest where payments are allowed to go delinquent, and also to provide for foreclosures in the circuit court and a circuit court title so that the city can sell the property and give a merchantable deed, which will not only take care of the bond fund, but will protect the city on its property taken in on liens.

Until this is done, however, funds must be diverted from other places to meet the deficiencies, until the delinquencies can be disposed of. Treasurer Thomas reported that parts of Series I, Series K, and Series L, called in 1920, 1921 and 1922 have not been submitted for payment, and that the city has \$6,150 on hand to meet those bonds, which amount to \$7,800.

Complaints were made by E. H. Seltz, and E. D. Lewis concerning the overflow from catch basins, drains and sewers. The recent excessive rains and floods have caused overflows, which have damaged the property of each, and they asked that action be taken to prevent a recurrence. These streets department will look into the trouble and make such repairs as are needed.

A petition asking for a light at the corner of Blakely and Benson streets, was read and referred to the committee on electric lights.

A petition of C. H. McClung, for permission to build a retaining wall on his Cobb street property was referred to the street committee.

The health and police committee was given further time to report on its plan for handling the city dump grounds.

The proposed amendments on the Laurelwood street No. 2 and Spruce street paving, were read and adopted, and the ordinances placed on first and second readings.

Assessment ordinances for Chapman street and Madrone Avenue were read third time and passed.

The county court's offer to use the county road crew in constructing the city's portion of the road to Umpqua Park addition charging only the actual cost, was accepted. The court has an air compressor operating its drill on the rock work and the county prisoners are doing the labor, so that the cost is being materially reduced.

A weak spot in the Deer Creek bridge was reported and immediate repairs authorized.

City Attorney Wimberly was authorized to investigate a number of proposed charter changes and submit them to the council at some future meeting. It is proposed to call a special election some time during the early spring, for the purpose of making needed changes in the charter, particularly in reference to the improvement bond provisions, and the law for taking in outside territory, the latter change being made to permit special elections to be called for that purpose instead of waiting until a regular election is now provided. Several other changes are also needed, and several provisions should be eliminated among them being one providing for the licensing of saloons, a statute still upon the charter and a statute still upon the charter and a statute still upon the charter.

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## JEFFERSON ROBERTS MYRTLE CREEK, DEAD

Jefferson Davis Roberts, born on South Deer Creek, 3 miles east of Roseburg, Dec. 23, 1862, died at his home at Myrtle Creek Jan. 1st, 1925, aged 61 years, 8 days. He was a son of Joseph and Elizabeth Roberts. In August 1885 he was married to Miss Noona Whitt and spent most of his life at Myrtle Creek.

To this union were born four children, Leslie L. Roberts, Portland; Floyd Roberts, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Vera Smith, Myrtle Creek; and Mrs. Jennie Cardwell, deceased. He is also survived by his widow and three sisters: Mrs. R. S. Ingrau, Roseburg; Mrs. Dollie Price, Fruitland, Wash.; Mrs. Vera Neal, Eugene. Besides his relatives he leaves a host of friends to mourn his loss.

## UNIONIST FOUND BULLET RIDDLED

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 6.—His body riddled with bullets, Samuel Pace, secretary of the Ewen Colliery local union of the Pennsylvania Coal company, was found dead on a street in Pittston early today.

Pace, one of the 11,000 miners to strike in the Pittston district for the past five weeks, was on his way home after attending a union meeting.

## MELROSE GRANGE INSTALLS OFFICERS

The Melrose Grange met at the Grange Hall Saturday evening, January 3, at 8 o'clock, at which time installation of new officers was held. Those to receive office were: W. Alice Goff, master; Kate Conn, overseer; Ethel Busenbark, lecturer; James Conn, steward; Ernest Johnson, assistant steward; Caroline Frederickson, chaplain; Mabel Busenbark, treasurer; Wm. Sandstrom, secretary; Allan Busenbark, gate-keeper; Pauline Hanson, Ceres; Dorothy Busenbark, Potomac; Margaret Busenbark, Flora; Fern Busenbark, lady assistant; Grace Conn, musician. R. A. Busenbark acted as installation officer, and Alice Busenbark as assistant. The meeting was an open one for the entire neighborhood, and at the close of the ceremony, the home economic committee served hot chocolate and chicken sandwiches to those present. On Thursday evening of this week, the grange will be paid a visit by George Palminter, the state master of granges. Mr. Palminter is from Hood River, and visits the different granges of the counties in this state, in his spare time from regular work, so all members, and anyone interested in grange work are urged to attend the meeting, and meet Mr. Palminter. On Saturday evening, January 10th, the grange will hold a pie social. A good program is being prepared and those who are planning to attend are assured of an interesting evening.

## CITIZEN POLICE OF PORTLAND TO FEEL JURY PROBE

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 6.—Presiding Circuit Judge Morrow in giving the new grand jury its first instructions, today suggested that an investigation of the "Portland Vigilantes", voluntary citizen police.

Judge Morrow pointed out that one citizen had recently been wounded by vigilantes, and had been wounded by vigilantes.

"These men are usually without police experience and often without military experience," he said.

"They are not police officers or deputy sheriffs.

"They are amenable to the chief of police and not subject to discipline as the regular police officers."

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## BOYS WILL HOLD CONFERENCE IN CITY JAN. 16-18

**Annual Older Boy Conference for Southern Oregon Coming Here.**

## DELEGATES COMING

**Eugene Plans on Sending Big Delegation to Meeting and Hopes to Secure Offices.**

The annual older boys' conference will be held in this city on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, January 16, 17 and 18, and plans are now being made for the entertainment of the over 100 delegates, who are expected to number between fifty and seventy-five.

This conference is held annually in southern Oregon, this district including the territory between Eugene and Ashland, west of the mountains. It is a conference for boys from 15 years of age upward, and its purpose is both inspirational and educational, giving the boys a keener insight into personal responsibilities of a moral character. The churches, Y. M. C. A. and schools have been working in cooperation in this movement which has had a rapid growth, and which has been found to be of great benefit.

Representatives of Bible schools, Y. M. C. A., and high schools of the various cities within the district, will be in attendance, and it is expected that there will be approximately 150 boys at the various sessions.

An effort is made in these conferences to give the boys an opportunity for self expression. They learn the value of organization, conduct their own business affairs, and have an inspiration and guidance the words and ideas of some of the leading men of the state who are brought to these conferences to aid the boys in every possible way.

Among the out-of-town speakers will be W. A. Kearns, director of athletics at the Oregon Agricultural college; J. C. Meahan, assistant general secretary of the Portland Y. M. C. A.; U. G. Dubach, dean of men, at the Oregon Agricultural college. These speakers are all men of state-wide repute, and will be able to bring to the boys messages of much benefit to them.

In addition to the out of town speakers there will be short talks by local men.

The arrangements for the conference are in the hands of M. S. Hamm, who has appointed a number of committees to assist him in the work. These committees are already active, and have completed the greater part of the general plans for the conference.

Friday morning and afternoon will be given over to registration and the boys' election of officers for the coming year.

On Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock, a banquet will be given at the Methodist church, with toasts by the boys and a short talk by one of the visiting speakers. Special music will be provided also.

The Baptist church has been selected as the conference church. (Continued on page two)

## "PILL" BURNED KIMONA WHERE MRS. SCOTT SAT ON IT; WASN'T JAZZBO'S CIGARETTE AT ALL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) ALPENA, Mich., Jan. 6.—After a steady cross-examination of charges and denials, the Scott divorce trial was expected to swell into full futisim today when Mrs. Edna Scott faces continued cross-examination by attorneys for her husband, Frank D. Scott, co-respondent from the eleventh Michigan district since 1914.

"It seems to be the army against congress," she remarked yesterday, "and you know who won in 1918."

A softer note found its way into the marital dissonance in letters introduced into the records—letters written by Mrs. Scott to her congressman-husband, following their separation. One said: "I want you to come back to me. I will be willing to help you pay off your gambling debts to Mr. Moore, and we can start again. I have 15 cents."

"We have split over nothing. There has been undue influence. A virtue has swept over our little nest and ruined us. We were always happy—happy until the day we parted. I want you to come back—"

The testimony yesterday swept over wide territory: The Scott's Washington apartment, Jamaica, where "liquor and cards were given them upon landing," to Detroit and Lake Orion, nearby, scene of an alleged "palama party," and to a New York hospital, where, according to Mrs. Scott, she underwent a serious operation with her husband absent.

At yesterday's hearing Mrs. Scott donned the pink kimono brought into the records by direct testimony of Congressman Scott and revealed to the court the tiny hole that had been burned in it by a cigarette. Mr. Scott had said the burn resulted when "Jazzbo" an army officer, had his arm about Mrs. Scott in the Scotts Washington apartment.

Mrs. Scott donned the kimono to show that the burn resulted when she sat on a lighted cigarette. "I mended it, you see, Judge," she said, as she indicated the scorched hole in the garment.