Gill and Ross Are Members of Aggies Basketball. Quintet on Tour

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Dec. 19,-The aggie basketball team which left today for a week's barnsforming tour of the northern part of the state before settling down for a hard season, is reported to be in excellent condition, and primed for battle.

of Salem are both assured of ple's money by calling on Repre- section 68, which prescribes the a trial being possible permanent berths on the team, if sentative Roberts of Hood River number and pay of a host of attheir present playing can be tak- to offer prayer, and let the hired taches. This was expected, and en as a standard. Gill has been chaplains go to pot. It was a a special resolution provided for shooting wicked baskets from the good prayer; sincere, devout, the employment of not more than forward position, and Ross is good citizenship—and it was only 10 stenographers, as requested by holding down a running guard 40 seconds long, so that they a joint committee of three memposition consistently. This is his could get at their other work. second year on the Aggie varsity while Gill has yet to play his first varsity game.

the team, is one of the greatest tions, two concurrent resolutions, men ever turned out in Oakland, the reading of the Atlantic-Pacific Cal., high school circles. Stretching six feet six inches into the air, and tippinf the balances at 215 pounds, he is not only one nor's message, and took a forof the biggest men in the confer- mal adjournment, all in an hour ence, and one of the fastest. and 40 minutes by the clock. Last year he made three-fourths! They did one thing that wasn't

other forward position, and Ryan, ica," led by Representative Bel-

the Salem floor about the 12th half-keys. and 13th of February.

#### MAIN MEASURE IS GIVEN TO HOUSE (Continued from page 1.)

courage and forward vision of Oregon to put it through."

The very first thing that the house of representatives did on

House Jumps to Work The house members jumped to the job like 60 terriers after one "Mush" Hjelte, giant center on rat. They acted on nine resoluexposition bill by title, the appointment of a new journal clerk, heard the reading of the gover-

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nances, and to expend their husbands'

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fine training for the future, and afford

them the opportunity of handling their

Christmas is near—a word to the wise

United States National Bank

incomes wisely.

money as they choose.

Stinson, captain, will be at the called for the singing of "Amer- minors are involved.

the same committees throughout. Only one vacancy was found, can be drawn. the post of journal clerk.

House Rules Changed bers each from the house and the

senate. An important resolution to guide the deliberations of the sesbers of the house, limiting all the action to be taken to the two matters called for by the governor's message, the 1925 exposition and the highways, except that all other matters proposed should go through the ways and means com-

Representative Kubli of Multnomah at first opposed this measure, saying that a special committee ought to help handle those matters. But when Kay of Marion spoke for it, telling how competent and necessary the ways and JOINT ASSEMBLY WILL means committee is, and that it would have to pass on all matters of expense, anyhow, and how his friend Kubli was a member with himself, of the committee Kubli agreed with him that the were the boys to do the state the best and fullest justice. He withdrew his objections,

Governor's Message Read At 11:30, after being notified by both houses that they would meet in joint session in the legislative chamber to hear his message, Governor Olcott was brought in, by a joint committee composed of Senators Gill of Multnomah and Smith of Josephine, The governor read his message, taking only a few minutes to get 2 o'clock.

That was union at the speaker's stand. The 90 days. present governor was escorted by tative Lee. They were met at the head of the stairs by another eminent gubernatorial possibility Speaker Bena, who greeted then: with the smile and the hand-clasp of the good sport

Representative Jvan G. Martin

of the approximately 400 points exactly necessary, but it was so of Marion county, has introduced announced that he favored the piled up by the rook squad, and line that it looks like a golden two bills, by request, to correct protection of American capital had the jump on any center in investment of time and money. interesting condition in the ju- invested in this country as against Following the prayer, the speaker dicial procedure for cases where American capital invested in oth-

The law passed last year, re-Crane and Taggart will give good knap of Benton county. When quiring not less than half of all competition for the standing Mr. Bedknap retires rich on his jurors to be women in cases the beet sugar industry had been guard berth. A wealth of mate- legislative salary of \$3 a day, where minors were brought into developed in seventeen states; rial has been on hand all season, he can go after the place filled court for jury trials, provided also that there was invested in it Organization Started at Mcand Bob Hager, coach, has had by the late Mr. Caruso, who never for the optional service of the \$200,000,000 with 95 factories. a hard time selecting the best was a genuine American as the women drawn on all trial juries. It is now producing annually one Benton county legislator is. The Going further and requiring that million tons of sugar or nearly They will be seen in action on house sang it in various keys and only the regular panel of jurors one fourth of the domestic conbe drawn upon until all are dis- sumption and is reclaiming waste The house is organized with the qualified or dismissed, it might land, because the beets will grow exception of one office, as it was leave a number of men still un- where other products will not. for the regular session, with the called after all the women in the The acreage now is \$80,000 and same officers, the same attaches, panel had been disqualified or the farmers raising the crop numrefused to serve, and no others ber 100,000, who give employ-

where Harry McClelland had to The effect is, that if not enough | Given proper protection the be appointed by the speaker to fill women will serve, their places can witnesses argued, the industry One change was made in the person might lie in jatl, or be out and in case of war would make "Slats" Gill and "Pug" Ross convening was to save the peo- adoption of the house rules in on bail, for a long time without

> Compulsory Service Demanded. To correct this matter, alternate bills have been presented. one asking that women jurors be panel, the other asking that the 50-50 requirement be abrogated so that a jury can be secured from any regular panel. It is a taxsaving measure, which ever is adopted, as every continuance costs money and helps to defeat justice. The old law is considered really an unconstitutional measure, in that it may render impossible a speedy trial to any per-

The two measures go to the ways and means committee for jured. the'r consideration, since the house has voted to put all subsidiary action for the session in

# HEAR ARGUMENTS

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and means committee. Similar action was taken in the house earlier in the day. To these committees will be referred all bills and resolutions for recom-

The members of the senate committee are Patterson, chairman; Smith, Eberhard, Staples, Upton. Norblad and Bell.

May Aid Veterans Senator Strayer of Baker introduced senate joint memorial No. 2, memoralizing congress to enact into law a pending bill providing and Representatives Kinney of that a penison of \$72 a month be Clatsop and Lee of Multnomah paid men who served 90 days or more in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during t across to his hearers. The joint the Civil war and who were honsession then immediately dissolv- orably disharged, or who were ed, and the house adjourned until honorably discharged by reason of disability incurred in the service after having served less than

The senate adopted the senate the only avowed, self-confessed joint memorial urging congress to candidate for his job-Represen- pass the McNary Smith reclamation bill appropriating \$350,000,-

## FRANCE IS READY TO ACCEPT NAVAL RATIO

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strength of the various nations. ut simply to get them to agree to stop the ruinous race for naval supremacy. tI was pointed out that America had voluntarily undertaken to scrap ships to the valge of \$300,000,000 and Great Britain had met this proposal by agreeing to duplicateit. Then it was asked what sacrifice was asked what sacrifice was France

to make to compensate these con-

Premier Not Explicit. LONDON, Dec. 19 .- In an interiew tonight wih a representaive of Peuters, Premier Briand is quoted as having said France's standpoint on naval disarmament s unchanged. France is quite ready to come to an understanding on armaments of offense, he said, and she is especially interested in the question of cruisers, torpedo boat destroyers, submarines and defense vessels, which are in-

expensive to build. He ridiculed, says Reuters, insinuations that the French naval plans are against Great Britain. France, he said, would never comete in the building of capital

He added that the reason that had led France to increase her claim for tonnage was not a desire to build capital ships, but to have sufficient of the lighter vessels for coast defense and to keep in connection with the colonies.

## SMOOT IS ACTIVE IN SUGAR TARIFF FIGHT

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ent" by the Fordney bill was the highest imposed in thirty years and that it represented a tax of \$162,000,000 annually on the American people, \$81,000,000 of gar producers. Attention was also called by witnesses that Cuba imported last year \$515,000,-000 worth of American products. and that since economic life of the island depended on its sugar crop, much of this trade would be lost unless the United States

helped rehabilitate the Cuban

sugar industry. Finally it was argued that the clause in the Fordney bill permitted American refineries to import at least three fourths of the normal duty two pounds of sugar for each pound of domestic sugar refined from beats or cane was a violation of the spirit, if not the letter of the reciprocity treaty with Cuba, giving a preferential rate of twenty per cent below the full rate on imports from that country. It also was contended that this was a discrimination in favor of certain American interest sand injurious

Senator Smoot, Republican, Utah, took exception to many of the statements of the witnesses presenting the case for the American company. He declared conditions in Cuba were no worse than those in this country and

the United States testified that

not be filled by men, and the would expand where it could supcases cannot be tried. An accused ply most of the domestic demand the country independent of foreign countries. It also contended that the raising of beets improved farm lands.

represented in the duty, it was assessments. contended that this amounted to only \$1.44 for each inhabitant was worth such an experience.

#### WRECK KILLS TWO.

dent was caused by spreading coming elections. rails. Six other persons were intwo coaches overturned.

Minnville After Service Commission

Members of the Tax Reduction club, recently organized at Mc-Minnville, met in session Monday morning at the Commercial club. with J. C. Cooper of McMinnville presiding and Roy Stockton of Sheridan serving as secretary and

A measure had been prepared troduce to the legislators, declar- fort is being made to secure a where she died. Her parents, ing that the taxpayers of the record crowd. state demanded that hereafter all real estate be assessed at 50 per evening will be given by W. V. tled on the homestead where Mrs. cent of the amount of the 1921

organized December 13 at Mc- 11, 1918, ach of these new citifreman and a mail clerk were Minnville, and, according to J. 11, 1918. Each of these new cit- No. 8, ashore at Porlier Pass, B. fatally injured today in a wreck C. Cooper, president, already five izens has received a special invi- C., tonight was reported battered at Tarsus, eight miles from here counties have been organized, and tation from the American legion on the rocks by a northeasterly of Southern Railway train No. 7 he said that in time every county and the Boy Scouts under whose gale and in danger of going to from Jacksonville for Birming- in the state will be fully organiz- auspices the program will be giv- pieces. The barge had a list of ham and Kansas City. The acci- ed to take an active part in the en.

The engine, tender and phatically against any taxes for follows: a 1925 exposition, believing that

the farmers are having a hard!

The club intends to abolish the public service commission, to re- Hofer, duce military appropriations, cut the number of circuit judges in half, and to repeal the \$100,000

for the tourist association. President Cooper said that if there were a reduction of 50 per mawa band. cent on the assessment of real estate, the farmers might not be opposed to the 1925 exposition.

#### Program is Announced For Americanization Day

An unrivaled program is promised for the night of December 21, according to the American legion which the members hoped to in- the Salem armory and every et- vember 17, 1848, on the farm

That is, if a farm were assessed district. Mr. Tomlinson, whose pioneer of 1853 and who died in at 60 percent of its real value, offices are in Portland, has had 1919. each year and that the industry the Tax Reduction club wanted much to do with the work of aid the assessement to be 30 percent the 210 Marion county foreignborn who have completed their The Tax Reduction club was citizenship rights since November

The program is scheduled to

"Purpose of Assembly," Comenough time without any addi- mander B. F. Pound, Capital post No. 9. Anthem-Solo by Mrs. R. M.

Address: "The Alien Problem," Judge George G. Bingham. Song-"America", by the aud-

National Emblem March-Che-

Address: "Progress of Citizen-ship" W. V. Tomlinson, "Respect to The Flag,"-Ceremony by Salem Boy Scouts.

Benediction-Rev. G. F. Lein-

## LANE PIONEER PASSES

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 19,-Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Bogart, the first committee in charge of the Am- white female child born in Lane ericanization day event. The pro- county, died near here today at gram is of a patriotic nature and the age of 73 years. Mrs. Bowill be held in the auditorium of gart was born near Eugene No-Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Spores, had The principal address of the come to Oregon in 1847 and set-Tomlinson, United States natur- Bogart lived all her life. She was alization examiner for the Oregon the widow of William Bogart, a

#### BARGE GÖES ASHORE

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 19 .-Canadian Pacific railway barge 25 degrees, and 17 cars, loaded with general merchandiss, had Members of the club are em- start at 7:30 o'clock and is as overturned. The salvage steamer Algerine and the steamers Leebro Invocation-Rev. J. R. Buck. and Trader were standing by.

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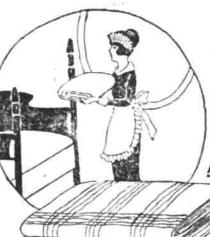
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sale.-Men's Furniture Dept. Cleanup sale of Christmas Slippers .- Balcony shoe 95c Kabo Corset demon-

stration sale .- Ladies' Dept.

Balcony.

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