

Local News Briefs

New Rule For Fans—Fred Wolf, high school principal, has ruled that no one shall leave the high school gymnasium between periods of basketball games being played there. Wolf says he does not wish to appear dictatorial in the matter, but that complaints from the U. of O. extension classes being held in the school nearly every night of the week make some ruling to keep noise at a minimum necessary. He says he has required that students stay in the gymnasium and believes those not connected with the school should be willing to cooperate in an effort to keep the extension classes running smoothly.

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Urges Immunizations—All school children must appear at the Salem center of the county health unit for toxin-anti-toxin immunizations now that immunization clinics have been discontinued in the schools, reiterates Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, county health officer. Any school child may appear at the health center on North High street, next to the senior high school, at 8:30 o'clock any Saturday morning.

Dollar dinner every night 5:45 to 8 at the Marion hotel.

Sheelar Loses Trial—A Justice court trial yesterday afternoon resulted in a verdict for the defendant in the case of Sheelar vs. Martin. The case resulted from an automobile collision between a machine driven by Mrs. Carrie Martin and Mr. Sheelar and it was for damages to Sheelar's machine that suit was brought against Martin. A sum of \$225 was asked in the action.

Old Time Dance—Castilian hall tonight. Good music, good floor. Public invited. Admission 25c and 50c, 8:30.

Adams Goes East—O. D. Adams, state director of vocational education, left here Friday for Washington where he will join other members of a committee appointed by Secretary Wilbur to study the various phases of vocational training. The committee is composed of prominent educators from all sections of the United States.

Dance Mellow Moon Sat.

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Speeders Numerous—Apparently in a hurry to get in out of the cold, a number of speeders were arrested by local police Friday. Leroy Lutz of Woodburn, was fined \$5 for this offense. Others arrested were Joe Fainter, 1529 Madison street; Bernard Kulan, 77 South Commercial; Harold Goodrich, 715 South 12th.

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Case Continued—The circuit court case of Smith vs. Jensen which was supposed to have been tried by jury Friday, was moved to the end of the docket. Yesterday Judge Kelly attended to a bit of criminal business while today he will listen to motions and demurrers, and will set dates for trial on the January docket.

Get your Eveready Freestone Anti-Freeze at Capital Motors Co., Inc. 350 N. High street.

Willis Knight Agency announces its opening January 11, 1930. See adv. in this issue.

Annals Distributed—Copies of the 1929 Clarion high school annual have been sent to 20 high schools in the state under direction of Ruth Chapman. A letter with each book stated that the local school desired more friendly relations with other high schools in the rivalry field.

We have plenty of 16-inch wood, \$5.50 cord delivered from car; \$6.25 cord from stock. Cobbs Mitchell Co. Phone 313. 349 So. 12th.

Play Try-outs—Try-outs for the Snikpoh one act play, "Dear Departed," started Friday and will be finished the first of the week. Mrs. Grace Hockett is coaching the play, which will be given during the assembly period January 29.

Dance every Sat. Hazelgreen.

Butterville Men Visits—M. A. Pierson and Louis Racette, members of the school board at Butterville, were callers Friday at the office of the county school superintendent. A Mr. Hite of Butterville accompanied them.

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To Plead Monday—Melvin Blanton was arraigned before Judge Kelly in circuit court Friday on a charge of non-support. He will enter a plea at 10 a. m. Monday.

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Miss McKecher in Portland—Miss Cecil McKecher, English teacher at the high school, is spending the week end at the parental home in Portland.

During the Jan. sale we have corsets with inner bells, values to \$5.00, specially priced \$3.45. Howard Corset Shop.

G. O. P. PEACE PROGRAM FIXED

Senator McMaster Accorded Promise of Future Job To Appease Him

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Senator McMaster, of South Dakota, one of the rebel western independents, upset the harmony program for the republican organization in the senate today with a stout protest against naming him for the place of the interstate commerce committee in favor of Senator Hastings, of Delaware, his junior in service.

The independents have won recognition in the appointment of Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin to the powerful finance committee, and in other major committee assignments. With this in mind, they decided after a conference late in the day that if McMaster should be promised the next vacancy on the interstate commerce committee, they would not oppose the newly revised organization setup.

Path Cleared for Approval of Lineup

The promise has been made to McMaster and tonight the path seemed clear for final approval of the party's committee lineup tomorrow.

The faction split republicans did unite long enough at the party's conference today to elect unanimously Senator McNary, of Oregon, assistant to Senator Watson, of Indiana, as floor leader. It was Senator McNary who finally worked out the complex organization program which composed the sharp differences among the independents, the "young guard" and the old guard.

The present program places Senator LaFollette on the finance committee, and also gives another member from the northwest representation on this committee—Senator Thomas, of Idaho, a member of the "young guard."

Refer Assignments Back

After Senator McMaster today, Senator Howell, of Nebraska, another of the western independents, moved that the new republican committee assignments be referred back to the committee on committees, with instructions to place Senator McMaster on the interstate commerce committee.

The old guard regulars, who were not pleased by the appointments to the finance committee of LaFollette and Thomas, immediately voiced their resentment. There followed a general discussion of whether seniority, geographical location, or politics was to be followed in the committee assignments.

Senator Phillips, of Colorado, one of the old guard, countered with a motion to refer all the committee assignments back for reconsideration with instructions that only the rule of seniority be followed. This it was argued, would place Senators Metcalf, Rhode Island, and Goff, West Virginia, in line for the finance committee ahead of LaFollette and Thomas.

Fess Outranks Goff

Howell declares angrily that the Senator Fess, of Ohio, became aroused. He called attention that if Senator Goff was going to be allowed to have three major committee assignments, including finance and foreign relations, he would demand the same. He asserted that he outranked Goff.

An adjournment was taken about that time and after some of the party veterans had talked over the situation there was a general feeling that the new organization program would be put through tomorrow as it stands.

Senator McNary succeeds Senator Jones, of Washington, as assistant party leader. Senator Jones resigned when the chairmanship of the busy appropriations committee came to him.

FIRE IN FAMOUS U. S. CAPITOL



Fire, which threatened for a while to seriously damage the Capitol, seat of Congress, was brought under control after a hard battle. The loss, mostly from smoke and water, has been estimated at \$3,000. The flames started in the studio of Charles Moberly, artist, high in the historic building, adjoining the dome. Photo shows interior scene of the charred wreckage of valuable old documents and files in the Capitol.

ROW CONTINUES ON SUGAR RATE

Tariff Controversy Rages in Senate With Smoot Taking Major Part

By D. HAROLD OLIVER Associated Press Staff Writer WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(AP)—The controversy over the sugar tariff raged in the senate today with both republican and democrats demanding an increased duty and a leader of the republican independents contending for retention of the present levy.

After disclaiming the making of specific charges against the National City bank, Senator Smoot, republican, Utah, declared an investigation of the methods employed by that institution in "gaining control" of many Cuban sugar mills would establish information "which the stockholders of that company and the public are entitled to know."

In one of his most vigorous speeches of nearly three decades in the senate, the veteran chairman of the finance committee denounced the New York banking house for disseminating "propaganda" against an increase in our sugar tariff because they allege it will be harmful to the "poor Cubans."

"The insincerity of their interests in the Cuban people," he asserted, "is obvious when we remember that they had no hesitations in putting the 'thumb screws' upon them when the opportunity presented."

Senator LaFollette, republican independent, of Wisconsin, in a lengthy address, opposed the proposed increase in duty in the pending bill from 1.75 to 2.25 cents a pound on Cuban raw sugar on the ground that it would place a great burden on consumers, benefit American sugar farmers but little, increase the profits of sugar growers in American insular possessions and fail to increase domestic production.

Senator Broussard, democrat, Louisiana, the only other speaker during the day, urged adoption of the house rate of 2.40 cents against Cuba. He said the Coca Cola company and an association of soft drink bottlers had paid for telegrams to members of congress from soft drink dealers over the country protesting against a raise in duty, and that one of the dealers in Linden, Louisiana, had "forged" the names of housewives in that community to telegrams of this nature.

Indications at the close of the day's arguments were that a vote would not be reached on the sugar item before Tuesday. A session was called for tomorrow, although this usually is a senate holiday.

made out and presented to the court, appointments will be made. It is planned to have the appointments completed during the January term of the court, Mr. Boyer said Friday.

In selecting the five persons to serve on each election board, it is planned to submit names of younger persons this year because it is believed that they will be more adept in compiling the votes. Several precincts have been handicapped in the past by having persons quite old as clerks on election boards and the long hours of counting has proved too much for them.

It is also planned to have the boards equal as to parties, Boyer said. Both democratic and republican voters are to be placed on each board, he said. The pay this year is the same as in previous years, three dollars for each member of the board. "The pay is not large," the county clerk pointed out, "but it is considered a patriotic duty to serve on an election board."

Prince and Bride Close Festivities

ROME, Jan. 10.—(AP)—The prince and princess of Piedmont rounded out six days of festivities for their marriage at a gala performance in the Rome opera tonight. The performance was attended by nearly all the visiting royalties and princes and princesses. It began at 8:15 p. m., earlier than usual, presumably to allow the bridal couple to escape in a royal train or automobile to the hunting lodge of San Rossore near Pisa.

Humbert and Marie Jose kept the actual hour of departure to themselves.

Rain fell today for the first time since the arrival of the princess on Sunday and put a damper on a parade held by the municipal authorities in front of the quinal this afternoon.

Before the rain started Italian army aviators staged a great show in the sky. Minister of Aviation Balbo took up the Swedish Prince William for a flight during the maneuvers. The airplanes described the letters of the word "Italia" in trailing smoke and then formed the monogram "I. M." for Crown Prince Humbert (Umberto) and Princess Marie Jose.

The prince and the princess will really begin their honeymoon when they leave for San Rossore, escaping the burden of official ceremony that has hung over them like a pall since their wedding on Wednesday. From San Rossore they later will go to Turin, official residence of the prince and receive the city's official welcome.

Frankness of Woman at Senate Quiz Causes Much Laughter Among Audience

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(AP)—An outspoken young woman today charged the senate lobby committee with playing politics in its investigation of Cuban sugar interests and precipitated a battle of words which raged for more than two hours.

Mrs. Gladys Moon Jones, Washington publicity representative of the United States Sugar association, took advantage of every opportunity to express her opinion of the committee. Laughter frequently swept the crowded committee room.

In a statement placed into the record, she asserted that "apparently the two chief purposes of the so-called lobby committee have been to create political difficulties for President Hoover and to whitewash the 25 years' activities in Washington of the domestic sugar interests."

She also charged that the committee had violated the fourth amendment of the constitution by obtaining correspondence from her office files.

Started at first by the woman's frankness, members of the committee soon began to chuckle and then joined in the general laughter that greeted her thrusts at them. Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, who seldom smiled during the hearings, burst into laughter a number of times.

It was the first time a woman had been questioned at length and Mrs. Jones proved one of the most outspoken witnesses examined during the lobby investigation.

As the session was nearing an end she told the committee that it had treated her nicely.

"Your treatment of other people on the Cuban side," she added, "has made me act this way." The committee adjourned today until Tuesday. Then it will question the situation with the board," Dr. Klein said.

The United States bureau of education is now making a survey of institutions of higher education in Arkansas and is planning a similar survey in Kansas. Oregon would be the third state to enlist the assistance of the government.

A survey of federal lead grant colleges has just been completed by the bureau.

STOCK MARKET IS UNSETTLED

Advances Halted for Most Part Among Quotations On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—(AP)—The stock market faltered today, as short covering appeared to have been completed for the moment. Without the unwilling aid of the "Bear" crowd, pools were unable to follow up yesterday's advances. Speculators generally remained apathetic, and the volume of trading barely approximated yesterday's turnover, sales totaling 2,386,190.

Announcement by U. S. Steel that unfilled orders during December increased nearly 300,000 tons, carrying the total close to last year's peak of April 30, failed to generate much enthusiasm, as orders were evidently permitted to pile up while operations were reduced. The weekly business reviews reported signs of a gradual upturn in industrial activity, particularly steel, but said that weather conditions had been unfavorable to retail trade.

Share prices generally fluctuated uncertainly and in narrow ranges. The Standard Statistics Co., index of 90 leading stocks showed a decline of 6-10 of one point. Steels were generally firm, while utilities were inclined to react after yesterday's advance, entering in that group. U. S. Steel sold up more than two points, then sagged, closing up only 1/2.

CLUB LEADERS TO HOLD CONFERENCES

Three county-wide conferences for leaders in boys' and girls' 4-H club work will be held here on February 8, March 15 and April 12, each to begin at 10 o'clock in the morning, and continue through the rest of the day, reports William W. Fox, county club leader.

There are approximately 100 club leaders in the county and an invitation will be extended each to meet to consider problems brought up by the individual leaders and to learn of various phases of club work. Preparation for the local fair and state fair will also come under consideration.

H. C. Seymour, state club leader, will attend each of the county institutes, according to present plans. The meetings will be held at the chamber of commerce, through courtesy of C. E. Wilson, secretary, who has given use of the large committee rooms for the occasions.

ELECTION BOARDS ARE BEING PICKED

A list of judges and clerks to serve on election boards of Marion county's 74 voting precincts during the primary election to be held in April is being compiled this week by U. G. Boyer, county clerk, by order of the county court. When the list has been

CRASH KILLS DOZEN

NEW DELHI, India, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Twelve people were killed and fourteen injured when the Peshawar express collided with a freight train at Clutterbuckan. Several passenger coaches were telescoped.

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Obituary

Nelson
Died at the residence, 1853 N. Capitol street, January 10, Gloria Darlene Nelson, 5 years. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson, sister of Donella Nelson. Also survived by grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nelson of Salem; grandmother, Mrs. A. Nelson of Texas; aunts, Mrs. Gladys Storkman of Woodland, Calif. and Mrs. Marika Martin of Salem; uncles, Walter, Carl and Frank Hansel of Salem. Funeral announcements later from Clough-Taylor company.

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