

WEATHER
Unsettled with rain and snow today, clearing Mon.; temp. below normal; Max. Temp. Sat. 47, Min. 31, river 5.4 feet, rain .37 inch.

EIGHTY-SECOND YEAR

SOONS RETURN TO FACE LARGE SESSION TASKS

Flood of Proposals Likely All Aimed at Solving 3 Main Problems

Meier may Deliver Couple Of Special Messages Ere Week Closes

Oregon's 90 legislators will return to work here tomorrow, intent on cutting state costs, providing other sources of income to replace the three-mill property tax and doing something for the tens of thousands of unemployed men in the state.

Lacking dominant leadership in either house, it may well be expected that the ensuing six weeks will be filled with a variety of proposals, out of which will emerge a more or less homogeneous program to meet the three major objectives sought by the great majority of legislators.

Two special messages, one dealing with the proposals of Commissioner Thomas for power regulation and the other having to do with operation of the state industrial accident commission, may be delivered during the week by Governor Meier. The executive's message on the power situation is said to be ready and to include recommendations that the seven-point program of Mr. Thomas, announced last week, be adopted.

Two bills expected to be dumped into the hopper early this week involve a revision of the motor vehicle license code. One of these bills will provide for a biennial license fee of \$3 on passenger automobiles, plus an increase of one cent per gallon in the gasoline fuels tax. The other measure will provide for a flat annual license fee on passenger vehicles, with no increase in the present gasoline fuels tax. Both of these bills will provide for an increase of the existing fees imposed on trucks.

Still other legislation scheduled for consideration this week will have to do with the operation of the state fish commission. Legislators said this department was overburdened with expense and that drastic economies were necessary. John Veatch, a member of the fish commission and close personal friend of Governor Meier, has been requested to submit some recommendations to the legislature. It has been proposed that the duties of the director of hatcheries be taken over by the master fish warden.

The unemployment situation in Oregon will be discussed at a public hearing to be held here tomorrow afternoon, following adjournment of the two houses. Two bills dealing with this subject already have been introduced, while others are being drafted and will be ready to dump in the hopper when the legislature reconvenes.

ROOSEVELT TO ACT ON DEBT QUESTION

HYDE PARK, N. Y., Jan. 14 (AP)—President-elect Roosevelt is ready to take prompt action in the complicated field of foreign relations as one of the first steps in giving America its "new deal."

International problems predominated the week of intensive study just concluded by Mr. Roosevelt. He threw an unperceived veil of secrecy about the parleys with Secretary of State Hoover, Secretary of State Stimson, and Secretary of State Clegg, and the diplomats of the diplomatic corps of other days, but there is no doubt he moved for early action.

It is only a question here whether developments on the economic conference, war debts and disarmament may be expected before or immediately after March 14 when the new democratic administration takes command.

In absolute seclusion today at the family estate, Mr. Roosevelt applied himself to a stack of mail and to the sorting out of books he will take with him to Washington.

Slayer of Wife Faces Death in Electric Chair

MARSHALL, Ill., Jan. 14 (AP)—A man charged with the slaying of his wife, Margie, was sentenced today to death in the electric chair.

"I got tired of always finding the sink full of dirty dishes," Moor said. During his trial he testified that "God told me to shoot her; I heard him."

Hit-Run Suspect is Caught by Johnson After Wild Pursuit

A. N. Paulson, Victim, Injured but Slightly; Kenneth Walker Arrested After car Piles up on street Parking

SWIFT action of Paul Johnson, Salem civil service chairman, combined with the willing cooperation of a passing motorist, led to the arrest of Kenneth Walker, 19, of route seven, alleged hit-and-run driver whose old model touring car bowled over A. N. Paulson, 40, of the Mission house, at State and High streets early last night.

REALTORS TO FIGHT DEFICIENCY CLAUSE

Oregon Association Meets Here, Adopts Articles Of Incorporation

Realtors from Corvallis, Albany, Woodburn, Portland, Tillamook, Salem and other Oregon cities, perfected organization of the Oregon Association of Real Estate Boards at the chamber of commerce here last night by adopting articles of incorporation. The meeting was devoted largely to talks on real estate problems.

The realtors directed a special committee to confer with legislators relative to eliminating deficiency judgments in foreclosures. On the committee are Leo M. Childs, E. B. Grabenhorst, E. A. Miller and J. D. Sears of Salem, and Charles Walters of Corvallis. Leading the group of addresses, W. H. Ross of Portland discussed real estate ownership and responsibility of the realtor for defense of real estate. He depicted the realtor as a new attaining professional status. Other speakers were Rep. William L. Graham, president of the Portland Realty board, and Mrs. Keller, of the Women's Realty board, Portland, and Commissioner Johnson.

General sentiment of the meeting was of optimism for the future of the real estate business. J. F. Ulrich of Salem, president of the state association, said:

FAKE U. S. MONEY FLOODING MEXICO

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 14 (AP)—The republic of Mexico is flooded with \$2,500,000 in spurious American money, much of which may have been carried into Mexico through the San Diego-Tijuana port of entry, it was revealed tonight by the Tijuana chief of police, Miguel Santa Cruz.

A statement, sent to a Tijuana newspaper by the bank of Mexico, Mexico City yesterday placed the loss at \$2,500,000 after a check of all banks in the country and a dispatch to Santa Cruz from the Mexican secret service advised him to keep close watch on the Tijuana border, suspected of being the scene of importation of the false coin.

Spurious American dollars, said to have been made from lead and tin, have been found in Tijuana in unusual quantity lately, Santa Cruz said, and whether or not most of the counterfeit is taken into the country through the Tijuana port, the flood of spurious money has reached nation wide proportions in Mexico, he said.

FAKE U. S. MONEY FLOODING MEXICO

SPURIOUS American dollars, said to have been made from lead and tin, have been found in Tijuana in unusual quantity lately, Santa Cruz said, and whether or not most of the counterfeit is taken into the country through the Tijuana port, the flood of spurious money has reached nation wide proportions in Mexico, he said.

Legion Opposes Banks Snowfall Is General Find Fosberg's Body Luxury Tax Is Backed

as rapidly as they struck the ground.

The Dalles and Eugene reported light falls. At Klamath Falls snow began falling today after several days of clear weather. Half an inch of snow fell at La Grange.

DROWNS IN SLEWAW EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—The body of Ted Fosberg of Portland was recovered today from the Slewaw river, not far from the place at Mapleton where his overturned rowboat was found December 26. Coroner Poole went to Mapleton to investigate.

WOMEN TAKE ACTION PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—The Portland Federation of Women's organizations, meeting here today, adopted a resolution endorsing the luxury tax on cosmetics, malt extracts and tobacco proposed in the Oregon legislature by Representative Hannah Martin of Salem.

The organization also went on record as approving every means of reducing government expense.

EDITOR HELD VIOLATOR MEDFORD, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—The Medford post of the American Legion, through its executive committee, announced tonight that it would present to federal and state authorities, evidence in an "effort to halt vicious and seditious propaganda spread by L. A. Banks, editor and publisher of the Medford Daily News."

Slayer of Wife Faces Death in Electric Chair

MARSHALL, Ill., Jan. 14 (AP)—A man charged with the slaying of his wife, Margie, was sentenced today to death in the electric chair.

"I got tired of always finding the sink full of dirty dishes," Moor said. During his trial he testified that "God told me to shoot her; I heard him."

MINE CONGRESS SESSION DRAWS LARGE CROWDS

Organization Effected With Betts of Eugene Head; Districts Active

State and Federal aid for Industry to be Sought; Group Optimistic

The intense and growing interest in mining, especially gold mining, drew 200 people to the chamber of commerce yesterday when the Oregon Mining Congress was formed. Mining engineers and muckers, hard rock miners and workers of placer claims appeared from all portions of the state, particularly from mining sections of Jackson, Josephine and Lane counties of western Oregon and from Baker county in eastern Oregon.

Called to order in the morning by George Jennings of Eugene, committees were named to effect an organization, with B. K. Lawson of Cottage Grove and Portland chairman of committee on permanent organization. Dr. E. W. Laselle, Portland, chairman committee on resolutions; W. B. Dennis, Carlton, chairman committee on bureau of mines; Robert M. Betts, Eugene, chairman of committee on school of mines. Committee groups met during the lunch hour.

The following officers were elected when the assembly convened in the afternoon: R. M. Betts, Eugene, president; B. K. Lawson, Cottage Grove, vice president; E. G. Harlan, Eugene, secretary-treasurer.

Officers Elected By Many Districts

District officers were elected as follows:

Eastern Oregon: vice president, J. C. Bowen, Baker; directors, John Lang, Haines, and John A. Arthur, Baker.

Southern Oregon: vice president, Carl Ludwig, Grants Pass; directors, Dr. J. F. Reddy, Medford and Ben Barnett, Grants Pass.

Multnomah county: vice president, W. W. Elmer; directors, Fred Cook and P. R. Hines, all of Portland.

Southwestern Oregon: vice president, L. A. Lillioviest, Marshfield; directors, William Wann, (Turn to page 3, col. 1)

HEADS UP PLAN FOR INAUGURAL

Hugh T. Nelson, executive secretary of the Roosevelt inaugural committee, is shown at his desk in Washington, where he is planning the details of the ceremony for the induction of President-elect Roosevelt March 4. A senate sub-committee has recommended an appropriation of \$40,000 to cover cost of the inauguration.

OPEN SEASON UPON ELK IS SUGGESTED

Farmers Want Relief From Nuisance; Silverton to Get Trout for Pond

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—A delegation of sportsmen and stockmen from Milton-Freewater, Ore., appeared before the state game commission at its regular meeting here today and asked that the commission do something to remove the menace of too many elk in the Walla Walla valley and other parts of eastern Oregon.

C. E. DeMaris, pioneer cattlemaster of the Walla Walla valley, acting as spokesman, told the commission he had to quit the cattle business because he found it too expensive to repair fences broken by elk.

Sportsmen here saw a possibility of state game fish hatcheries, and declared an open season on elk this year. They have been protected the year around. Elk were also reported to be numerous in the point of being a nuisance in the Oregon coast country.

Matt Ryckman, superintendent of state game fish hatcheries, reported to the commission that he has received 1,000,000 trout eggs from California of the variety coming from Scotland's famed Loch Leven.

The Loch Leven trout is said to thrive in sluggish water, and Ryckman said he believes they will be a valuable complement to (Turn to page 3, col. 1)

TECHNOCRACY HELD DREAM OF OSTRICH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—Technocracy was said in the house today by Representative Black (D., N. Y.), to suggest "the dream of an ostrich after a former dinner in a scrap iron heap."

"Technocracy," Black said, "is a word of terrific misapplication, power covering a multitude of miscalculations."

"It does a scientific snake dance right under the hardboiled brow of Nicholas Murray Butler. It is the great Columbia racketeer—a flood of dithering young scientists waddered when this great world was all about and finished by giving the world the jitters."

"They poured into a sausage making machine some Marxian philosophy, Mussolini rantings, single taxism, Volstead gin and it all came out under the name of technocracy."

"These mechano-Messiahs have equaled in their thinking the intellectual accomplishments of congress in the balmy days of the dregs."

Hole Burned in Residence Roof

When E. J. Willard, 1066 North Fourth street, returned home from the theatre last night, he found the house badly smoked up, the attic soaking wet and a hole letting the snow fall through the roof. Fire striking in a wood-lift had burned into the attic of the one-story structure and attacked the composition shingle roof, which threw out a dense cloud of smoke.

Firemen believed the damage was not great.

Snow Blankets Salem; More in Outlying Areas

Snow blanketed Salem in a white mantle last night for the second time this winter and in the outlying upper districts covered the ground to a depth of three inches and more.

Flurrying occasionally earlier, the snow suddenly filled the air with huge feathery flakes just after 9 o'clock and continued falling for an hour and a half. The ensuing half snow, half rain gradually melted the ground layer to inch-deep slush.

Unsettled weather with rains and snows are forecast for today.

Jury in Bibeau Case Deadlocks

SEATTLE, Jan. 14 (AP)—Deadlocked after nearly eight hours of deliberation, the jury of 12 men and two women hearing the case of John T. Bibeau, charged with first degree murder for the slaying of Alfred T. Elliott, was locked up for the night shortly after 11 p. m.

Deliberations will be resumed tomorrow morning after breakfast.

CURRENCY BILL TO BE STUDIED BY COMMITTEE

Expansion to be Considered Seriously With Hearing To be Called Soon

Bankruptcy law Reform is Taking Shape; Garner Promises Action

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—Currency expansion emerged from the legislative shadows of the house today with the promise that the proposals would be heard before the banking committee in the near future.

The rising support for such measures was recognized by Chairman Steagall of the banking group in telling newspapermen that testimony would be heard for and against it. However, he doubted that any such legislation would go through at this session.

The house judiciary committee was entangled with the technicalities of bankruptcy bills which are designed to relieve both hard pressed individuals and corporations.

Delay Criticized in Bankruptcy Reform

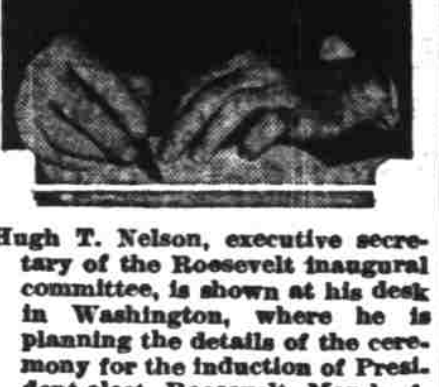
Once their form is agreed upon, early house enactment is expected. President Hoover has called upon congress to enact such legislation. Committee members were disappointed at the delay but felt they would smooth out knotty points in time for the house to vote on the LaGuardia and McKeown bills next week. Speaker Garner today promised quick house action on the measure, stipulating they be carefully drawn to carry out their purpose of taking some of the heavy pressure off debtors.

Prominent among the currency expansion proposals is a bill by Representative Busby (D., Miss.), to issue an additional three billion dollars in currency.

The bill is one of those which Steagall's committee will take up and Busby said he felt the chairman's view that the legislation would not pass this session was wrong.

Heatings on a bill to issue additional silver currency have been slated before the coinage committee, headed by Representative Somers (D., N. Y.).

Madame Speaker Good Housewife



Although she owns the distinction of being the first woman speaker of the state legislature in the history of North Dakota, and possibly in the history of the United States, Mrs. Minnie D. Craig demonstrates that she is still a good housewife. She is shown at the unpolitical job of drying dishes in her home at Bismarck, N. D.

BAUGHN'S TRIAL TO START ON TUESDAY

Extra Jurymen are Drawn; First Criminal Case For W. H. Trindle

Trial of William H. Baughn, alleged slayer of Roy Robnett of Detroit, will get under way before Judge L. H. McMahan at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, and will mark the first criminal trial in circuit court for the new district attorney, William H. Trindle.

Baughn is alleged to have slashed Robnett fatally last November 12 at the Robnett home near Detroit over a trivial matter in connection with signing papers for securing license to an old automobile.

Among the chief witnesses for the state at the trial will likely be Robnett's sister, Mrs. Olive Schocker, who lived with him, and Baughn's young son, Stanley Baughn, who also lived at the Robnett home. Both these were witnesses to the knife-slashing, as result of which Robnett died a few hours later.

For the trial, and in order to expedite selection of jurors should the regular panel fall short, 18 extra jurors were drawn by Sheriff A. C. Burk and County Clerk Boyer, as follows:

E. R. Knight, Riverview; Elmer A. Kurz, Liberty; Antoine DeJardin, East Geneva; Henry G. Carl, Salem No. 9; Alta Haberly, South Silverton; Genevieve Bonnell, Silverton No. 9; George W. Brown, Waconah; Donald Richer, Turner; B. R. Lausch, Salem No. 1; Hettie Richter, Salem No. 5; Minnie L. Trullinger, East Woodburn; Peter C. Freres, Mehama; Gertrude C. Beach, West Woodburn; W. L. Robbins, Marion; Harry Briske, Monitor; Henry W. Dunagan, Central; Howell; George S. Higgins, Croisan; R. H. Whitworth, Butteville.

CHINA PROTESTS AT JAPANESE INVASION

GENEVA, Jan. 14 (AP)—As leaders of the special assembly of the League of Nations were arriving to resume their efforts for a conciliatory settlement of the Manchurian dispute, Dr. W. W. Yen notified the league today that China reserved the right to offer armed resistance to Japanese military action in the area of Shanhaiwan.

Japanese troops, the Chinese minister asserted, have "taken an unlawful advantage of the special Adjutant General George A. White has conducted affairs of the national guard, as had been reported.

The post did go on record favoring "a complete and impartial investigation of the removal of Colonel Libby, the commander announced.

CLOSE VOTE LIKELY ON PHILIPPINE BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—A vote so close that two or three ballots may decide whether the Philippines are to be given their freedom was predicted tonight by senate leaders after hours of vehement oratory for and against overriding President Hoover's veto.

The decision, which rests solely with the senate, since the house has passed the pending measure over the chief executive's veto, is expected by Tuesday and possibly may come Monday.

A single republican—Vandenberg of Michigan—arose in today's debate to defend President Hoover's action in disapproving the bill, while two others of the president's party and three democrats ripped into Mr. Hoover's arguments with gusto.

Senator Robinson of Arkansas, democratic leader, led the move today to override the president. He was joined by Senator Bingham (R., Conn.), chairman of the territories committee, who described some parts of the president's veto message as "misleading" and "unfair."

Bridge Party is Held Up, Bandit Pair Takes \$100

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—While eight persons were playing bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cohn here tonight, two robbers broke in, held up the players, took about \$100 from them and escaped.

The victims were unable to make an immediate report to police. The robbers had cut the phone wire.

Albany, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—On his first day as Albany's new fire chief, Oliver Butts made a run to his own home to put out a fire. He also directed the ladders to extinguish blazes at the residences of V. L. Calavan, retiring mayor, and City Councilman C. H. Wieder.

Jacksonville Irate Over Alleged Incendiary Acts

MEDFORD, Jan. 14 (AP)—The cough of a pneumonia-stricken babe at midnight led to the discovery of an incendiary plot to burn the home of Earl Bryant in Jacksonville Thursday night; and a discarded copy of the Humboldt Times, published in Eureka, Cal., led to the arrest today in Crescent City, Cal., of Nick Kayl, 65, on a charge of attempted arson, state police revealed tonight. Kayl is held in the county jail.

State police allege that Kayl, owner of the house in which the Bryant family live, bored a hole in the wall and then stuffed the partition, a mass of inflammable material, including pitch chips and oil-soaked yarn, with one end protruding from the aperture, as a trick. Kayl is then alleged to have ignited the yarn wick, and fled in his auto to his home in Crescent City.

Mrs. Bryant, shortly after midnight Thursday, was awakened by

HEADS UP PLAN FOR INAUGURAL



Hugh T. Nelson, executive secretary of the Roosevelt inaugural committee, is shown at his desk in Washington, where he is planning the details of the ceremony for the induction of President-elect Roosevelt March 4. A senate sub-committee has recommended an appropriation of \$40,000 to cover cost of the inauguration.

Car Theft Leaves Family Stranded

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. McAllister left the Grand theatre at 9 o'clock last night, intending to drive with their three small children to their home at Shaw. But the car they came in, a touring hearing license number 131-171, was gone, they discovered. The machine was registered to C. L. McAllister of Shaw.

TIRE THEFT REPORTED

Theft of an automobile tire and disc wheel from the Tallman piano store, 12th and Mill streets, was reported to city police last night.

SNOW BLANKETS SALEM; MORE IN OUTLYING AREAS

Snow blanketed Salem in a white mantle last night for the second time this winter and in the outlying upper districts covered the ground to a depth of three inches and more.

JURY IN BIBEAU CASE DEADLOCKS

SEATTLE, Jan. 14 (AP)—Deadlocked after nearly eight hours of deliberation, the jury of 12 men and two women hearing the case of John T. Bibeau, charged with first degree murder for the slaying of Alfred T. Elliott, was locked up for the night shortly after 11 p. m.

CHINA PROTESTS AT JAPANESE INVASION

GENEVA, Jan. 14 (AP)—As leaders of the special assembly of the League of Nations were arriving to resume their efforts for a conciliatory settlement of the Manchurian dispute, Dr. W. W. Yen notified the league today that China reserved the right to offer armed resistance to Japanese military action in the area of Shanhaiwan.

CLOSE VOTE LIKELY ON PHILIPPINE BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—A vote so close that two or three ballots may decide whether the Philippines are to be given their freedom was predicted tonight by senate leaders after hours of vehement oratory for and against overriding President Hoover's veto.

BRIDGE PARTY IS HELD UP, BANDIT PAIR TAKES \$100

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—While eight persons were playing bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cohn here tonight, two robbers broke in, held up the players, took about \$100 from them and escaped.

JACKSONVILLE IRATE OVER ALLEGED INCENDIARY ACTS

MEDFORD, Jan. 14 (AP)—The cough of a pneumonia-stricken babe at midnight led to the discovery of an incendiary plot to burn the home of Earl Bryant in Jacksonville Thursday night; and a discarded copy of the Humboldt Times, published in Eureka, Cal., led to the arrest today in Crescent City, Cal., of Nick Kayl, 65, on a charge of attempted arson, state police revealed tonight. Kayl is held in the county jail.

Madame Speaker Good Housewife



Although she owns the distinction of being the first woman speaker of the state legislature in the history of North Dakota, and possibly in the history of the United States, Mrs. Minnie D. Craig demonstrates that she is still a good housewife. She is shown at the unpolitical job of drying dishes in her home at Bismarck, N. D.

CHINA PROTESTS AT JAPANESE INVASION

GENEVA, Jan. 14 (AP)—As leaders of the special assembly of the League of Nations were arriving to resume their efforts for a conciliatory settlement of the Manchurian dispute, Dr. W. W. Yen notified the league today that China reserved the right to offer armed resistance to Japanese military action in the area of Shanhaiwan.

CLOSE VOTE LIKELY ON PHILIPPINE BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—A vote so close that two or three ballots may decide whether the Philippines are to be given their freedom was predicted tonight by senate leaders after hours of vehement oratory for and against overriding President Hoover's veto.

BRIDGE PARTY IS HELD UP, BANDIT PAIR TAKES \$100

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—While eight persons were playing bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cohn here tonight, two robbers broke in, held up the players, took about \$100 from them and escaped.

JACKSONVILLE IRATE OVER ALLEGED INCENDIARY ACTS

MEDFORD, Jan. 14 (AP)—The cough of a pneumonia-stricken babe at midnight led to the discovery of an incendiary plot to burn the home of Earl Bryant in Jacksonville Thursday night; and a discarded copy of the Humboldt Times, published in Eureka, Cal., led to the arrest today in Crescent City, Cal., of Nick Kayl, 65, on a charge of attempted arson, state police revealed tonight. Kayl is held in the county jail.

CHINA PROTESTS AT JAPANESE INVASION

GENEVA, Jan. 14 (AP)—As leaders of the special assembly of the League of Nations were arriving to resume their efforts for a conciliatory settlement of the Manchurian dispute, Dr. W. W. Yen notified the league today that China reserved the right to offer armed resistance to Japanese military action in the area of Shanhaiwan.

CLOSE VOTE LIKELY ON PHILIPPINE BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—A vote so close that two or three ballots may decide whether the Philippines are to be given their freedom was predicted tonight by senate leaders after hours of vehement oratory for and against overriding President Hoover's veto.

BRIDGE PARTY IS HELD UP, BANDIT PAIR TAKES \$100

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—While eight persons were playing bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cohn here tonight, two robbers broke in, held up the players, took about \$100 from them and escaped.

RED SPEARS OF CHINA ADVANCE 33,000 STRONG

Motley Army Congregates Near Kaili; Attack is Imminent, Report

Shanghai Chamber Advises Renewal of Boycott on All Japanese Goods

TOKYO, Jan. 14 (AP)—Chinese troops, numbering 33,000 and known as the "Red Spears" and "Big Swords," have been concentrated in the region of Kaili, in northeastern Jehol, the Rengo (Japanese) news agency reported today.

The Rengo correspondent at Tungling, across the Manchurian border from Jehol, said these troops included a motley array of volunteer bands and the remnants of the army of General Su Ping-Wen, which was dispersed in North Manchuria last month by the Japanese. The dispatch said the volunteer General Chu Ching-lun was in command.

Japanese asserted the Chinese force was preparing to attack 140 miles northwest of Mukden. The Japanese were making adequate dispositions of their forces to meet any attack.

All Sino-Japanese battlefronts were reported quiet today although there were indications of further hostilities.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 14 (AP)—The greater Shanghai chamber of commerce, representing the majority of local Chinese business interests, called today for a revival of the boycott against Japanese goods.

This boycott was advanced by the Japanese as one of their reasons for attacking Shanghai a year ago. It resulted from the Japanese occupation of Manchuria, which began in September, 1931.

A circular sent to all commercial and industrial guilds, the chamber of commerce said the boycott had been relaxed and urged that it be made effective again.

All Reported Quiet in Jehol Sector

"There are only two ways China can oppose Japan," the chamber statement said. "They are by boycott and guerrilla warfare. Shanghai, being the nation's leading commercial city, should set the example by intensifying the boycott and simultaneously assisting Manchurian volunteers."

Dispatches indicated that everything was quiet at Chinwangtao and Shanhaiwan, where the Chinese and Japanese armies have faced each other with a river between them since the Japanese occupied Shanhaiwan January 3.

Chinese dispatches told of the massing of formidable Japanese forces on the eastern border of the province of Jehol. A Japanese column, the dispatches said, was continuing its march on Lingyuan, one of Jehol's principal cities.

CHINA PROTESTS AT JAPANESE INVASION

GENEVA, Jan. 14 (AP)—As leaders of the special assembly of the League of Nations were arriving to resume their efforts for a conciliatory settlement of the Manchurian dispute, Dr. W. W. Yen notified the league today that China reserved the right to offer armed resistance to Japanese military action in the area of Shanhaiwan.

CLOSE VOTE LIKELY ON PHILIPPINE BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—A vote so close that two or three ballots may decide whether the Philippines are to be given their freedom was predicted tonight by senate leaders after hours of vehement oratory for and against overriding President Hoover's veto.

BRIDGE PARTY IS HELD UP, BANDIT PAIR TAKES \$100

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—While eight persons were playing bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cohn here tonight, two robbers broke in, held up the players, took about \$100 from them and escaped.

JACKSONVILLE IRATE OVER ALLEGED INCENDIARY ACTS

MEDFORD, Jan. 14 (AP)—The cough of a pneumonia-stricken babe at midnight led to the discovery of an incendiary plot to burn the home of Earl Bryant in Jacksonville Thursday night; and a discarded copy of the Humboldt Times, published in Eureka, Cal., led to the arrest today in Crescent City, Cal., of Nick Kayl, 65, on a charge of attempted arson, state police revealed tonight. Kayl is held in the county jail.

CHINA PROTESTS AT JAPANESE INVASION

GENEVA, Jan. 14 (AP)—As leaders of the special assembly of the League of Nations were arriving to resume their efforts for a conciliatory settlement of the Manchurian dispute, Dr. W. W. Yen notified the league today that China reserved the right to offer armed resistance to Japanese military action in the area of Shanhaiwan.

CLOSE VOTE LIKELY ON PHILIPPINE BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—A vote so close that two or three ballots may decide whether the Philippines are to be given their freedom was predicted tonight by senate leaders after hours of vehement oratory for and against overriding President Hoover's veto.

BRIDGE PARTY IS HELD UP, BANDIT PAIR TAKES \$100

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14 (AP)—While eight persons were playing bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cohn here tonight, two robbers broke in, held up the players, took about \$100 from them and escaped.