

Congress Meets
The special session was
just a warmup; big issues
face the regular session of
congress starting Monday.
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accounts.

President Makes Plea for Cooperation

Hendricks Re-elected Attorney

Council Picks Incumbent on Third Ballot

Goodenough Resigns to Stand for Election, Is Beaten for Office

Dr. W. Aubrey Johnson Chosen to Vacancy; City Officers Continued

Paul R. Hendricks won reelection to the city attorneyship last night in a contest with Edwin C. Goodenough, resigned alderman, that required three secret ballots. On the first two ballots the contenders tied 7 to 7 but on the last Hendricks received an 8 to 6 majority. Hendricks has already held the office for two years.

The attorneyship battle was preceded by acceptance of Goodenough's resignation from the council and the unanimous election of Dr. W. Aubrey Johnson, dentist living at 1825 Fairmount avenue, to the vacant seventh ward position. He was nominated by Merrill D. Ohling, other member from that ward.

All other city officers and commission members were continued in office for another year without opposition. They are: Hugh M. Rogers, engineer and street commissioner; Betty Cooper, sanitary inspector; E. C. Bushnell, building inspector; Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, health officer; Miss Elizabeth Lord, park board; Mrs. F. H. Spears, R. J. Hendricks and Miss Mabel P. Robertson, library board; Dr. L. E. Barrick, playground board; Harry M. Levy, Dr. John L. Lynch, Dr. H. H. Olinger, Alderman Fred A. Williams and Clifford R. Parker, boxing and wrestling commission.

Harry Bennett's Daughter Missing

DETROIT, Jan. 4.—(Tuesday)—The Michigan state police reported at 2:10 a. m. today that 17-year-old Trudy Bennett, daughter of Harry Bennett, chief of the Ford Motor Co. service department, has been missing since 6 p. m. Monday.

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BRITISH MA DEFENSE FORCES AT HONG KONG



Capture of Nanking and the advance of Japanese troops on sections of Central China have resulted in massing of British defense forces at Hong Kong, strategic port in South China where Great Britain is heavily interested. This view of the city shows the harbor and, in the distance, the city of Kowloon on the peninsula which forms one arm of the shipping center.

Actress in Suit Asks big Damages

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Filib. Actress Constance Bennett sued James (Jimmy) Fidler, columnist and radio speaker, and several of his sponsors today for \$250,000 damages, charging he libeled her in a broadcast December 28.

'Dead' Man Guilty In Burglary Case

EVERETT, Jan. 3.—(AP)—H. G. Weston held in the county jail here pending transportation to the state penitentiary at Walla Walla on a 15 year burglary sentence, is dead. That is, he is officially dead. He informed Deputy Sheriffs Ray Ryan and Fred Plymale he left his wife and children five years ago after a dispute, and that four years ago man killed on a government construction project in Montana was identified as H. G. Weston. He let it go at that, he told the officers. Shortly before Christmas, Weston said, he called on his family at Manhattan, Mont., and was told to keep on going—he was dead and his wife was drawing a compensation check for his death. She told him, he said, that if he would get a steady job, and settle down where she and the children could join him, they would do so. He cannot get a steady job because he is dead and cannot get a social security number. The information has been turned over to the federal bureau of investigation.

Registration Is Heavy For Winter Term, OSC

CORVALLIS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The heaviest first day registration in the history of Oregon State college, 1937-38, led Registrar E. D. Lemon today to predict a total winter term enrollment of 4000 students.

Funeral Is Held For Forest Man

ENTERPRISE, Ore., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Funeral services for Clarence C. Olson, 40, assistant supervisor of the Walla Walla national forest who died January 1, were held here today.

Expect 10,000 to Apply for Benefit

PORTLAND, Jan. 3.—(AP)—T. Morris Dunne, state unemployment commission chairman, said 10,000 applications for assistance under state and federal unemployment laws would be registered today.

Take Away Bodies Of Correspondents

ZARAGOZA, Spain, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The bodies of three war correspondents killed in Spain were taken to the French frontier tonight after solemn funeral services and tribute from high insurgent army officers.

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Egyptian Deputies Defy King Farouk

CAIRO, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The chamber of deputies tonight defied Egypt's king and in a riotous session voted a lack of confidence in the government he chose to succeed the ousted Nationalist Premier Mustapha Naha Pasha.

Tighten Controls Over Monopolies

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—President Roosevelt indicated today he would ask congress to tighten existing controls over monopoly.

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Ford Asks for New Hearing, Labor Charges

Motor Company Petitions Labor Board; Says Hearing not Fair

Professes Purpose to Obey all Laws; Board Stays Court Appeal

DETROIT, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The Ford Motor Co. asked the national labor relations board today to vacate its recent decision that the company violated the Wagner labor relations act, and the board announced it would defer court action against the company while considering the petition for new hearing.

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City Council Amends Turkey Ordinance by Fixing Killing Range

Slaughtering Must Be 150 Feet From Residential Property; State Complains About Court Street Sewer

The city council's long-fought battle over the poultry slaughtering industry reached another turn last night with passage by an 8 to 5 vote of an amended ordinance intended to keep the business at least 150 feet away from the boundaries of residential, semi-restricted residential and all business zones except class four and unlimited industrial zones.

High Court Denies Plea of Utilities

Tribunal Upholds Ickes Power Grants to Cities; Returns Rate Cases

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The supreme court threw out the challenges of two private power companies to federal financing of public power projects today in a decision Secretary Ickes said would affect \$146,917,805 of proposed construction.

Board Blames Company

The board held the company responsible for violence which occurred at the Ford Dearborn plant May 26. It ordered the company to reinstate 29 men discharged allegedly for union activities and to post notices it was resulting from interference with the United Automobile Workers or other legitimate labor organizations.

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Tompkins, Carney Appointed to Job

PORTLAND, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Appointment of three field examiners in Washington and two in Oregon was announced today by J. D. Ross, Bonneville dam administrator.

Defends Aims 'No Let-Down' Is His Promise

Tone of Message Regarded as Conciliatory by Congress; Foes Wary

Address Is Broadcast Over World; Attacks Abuses of Business

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—President Roosevelt asked the newly convened congress today for legislation to end "harmful" business practices, and appealed to business itself to help in the stamping out.

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Alabama to Vote On Senator Today

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