

Gen. Groves, Wallace to Face Probers

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 - (AP) The house un-American activities committee decided today to question former Vice President Henry A. Wallace and Lieut. Gen. Leslie R. Groves late this month in its investigation of reported wartime uranium shipments to Russia.

The committee's decision was made known by Rep. Nixon (R-Calif.).

Groves, wartime head of the Manhattan atomic energy project, was questioned by the committee last month. He said at that time that Wallace had never "pressured" him to let the Russians have atomic information or materials.

Wallace requested a public hearing after Radio Commentator Fulton Lewis, Jr., mentioned his name in discussing reported shipments to Russia.

The committee has invited Wallace to testify on January 24 and General Groves on January 25.

At his first appearance, Groves told the committee Wallace never applied pressure on him in connection with the atomic energy project.

The committee made no announcement as to whether it will again question Racy Jordan, former air force major who claimed uranium shipments to Russia cleared through the air force field at Great Falls, Montana, while he was stationed there.

Wallace has called the Lewis report the "sheerest fabrication" and demanded a chance to testify in his own behalf.

Jordan's story has been termed "inherently incredible" by Rep. Harrison (D-Va.) a member of the committee.

Farmers Told Gorse Control Job for State

If Marion county farmers want to get rid of gorse as a weed control project, it will have to be done by the state department of agriculture, the district attorney informed the county court Monday.

The means of financing weed control, as petitioned last week by 355 persons, is still in doubt.

District Attorney E. O. Stadter, Jr., said gorse is not classified as a weed for purposes of a county control district, such as may now be set up by the county court.

The other plant involved in the petition is tansy ragwort.

The report said further study is needed to determine whether the court may appropriate necessary money from the general fund or whether a tax levy outside the 6 per cent limitation must be voted by the district, if formed.

Trade Bureau Election Slated

Salem Retail Trade Bureau will elect officers and reorganize for another year at a luncheon meeting Tuesday noon in the Marion hotel. The meeting is open to all members.

Members will select four directors and four officers for posts which have been occupied the past year by James R. Beard, president; James Mosolf, vice president; John Adlon, secretary; and Fred McKinney, treasurer; Ralph Schlesinger, Reynolds Allen, Hollis Huntington and Earl Heider, directors.

Heavy Snow Provides Problems in Salem Area



Oregon's winter weather, no longer just an annoyance, has brought a serious situation. The pictures above record some of the effects the white storm had on Salem Monday. At left above is a downtown street, the snow piled high by graders into the gutters, preventing cars from parking at the curb. Top right shows the 15th street junction south of Salem with highways packed with snow, making

edges indiscernible and slowing traffic to a cautious snail's pace. At bottom left is the East State street business district between 12th and 13th streets, the snow piled high on the curb in front of business houses after the walks had been cleaned. Fear of heavy snows crashing downtown marquee prompted supporters as in the photo at bottom right. (Statesman photos).

Valley Briefs

Hayesville—The Hayesville Woman's club will meet Thursday at 1:15 p. m. for a dessert luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. C. Mennis, 5010 Portland rd. Fern Morgan is in charge of the program.

Salem Heights—The Salem Heights Community club will meet Friday night, January 20, at 8 p. m. at the community church here. The Tri-unit home extension will meet at the community hall Thursday at 1:30 p. m. The theme will be on giving clothes a professional look.

McMinnville—Norman R. Charlette, navy chief machinist's mate, husband of Mrs. Diane E. Charlette of McMinnville route 2, is slated to return to Norfolk, Va., on January 27 following a cruise in the eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean areas.

Turner—The Turner Farm Bureau Center has cancelled the meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 17, due to weather conditions.

Detroit—Ruskin Smith is to be taken to the Veterans hospital in Portland today for treatment.

Liberty—The Liberty Farmers Union, has cancelled its meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 17,

due to the weather conditions. Notices will be sent on later on the next meeting.

Four Corners—The Four Corners home extension unit meeting scheduled for Tuesday, January 17, has been postponed to Monday, January 30, at 1:30 p. m., with the same topic, hostesses and leaders.

Spring Valley—A meeting of the Spring Valley Sunshine club, set for Wednesday, January 18, has been postponed until further notice.

Jefferson—The Friendly Garden club postponed its meeting from last night to Monday night, January 23, due to the death of Mrs. Mary Powell, mother of President Alfred Powell.

Jefferson—Mrs. and Mrs. W. R. Winslow of Greens Bridge district, were visited last week by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Brown of Sharps, Ia. The Browns and Winslows date their friendship back to the days of their youth in Iowa.

Silverton—Loyal Guards Sunday school class of the Methodist church will hold its meeting at the home of Mrs. A. H. Smith at 403 Jersey st., Thursday, January 19, at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. William Arthur is president.

Detroit—Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilson and family have returned from a three weeks trip to Kansas, Colorado and Idaho where they visited relatives.

Valley Obituaries

Veronica Foltz — Miss Veronica Foltz, 79, died Tuesday in a Salem hospital. She had been a resident of Mt. Angel since 1920 coming here from Jordan.

Recitation of the rosary will take place Tuesday, January 17, at St. Mary's church here at 8 p. m. Funeral services will be held at St. Mary's church on Wednesday morning, January 18, at 9:30 o'clock with the Unger funeral home in charge.

Miss Foltz has resided in Mt. Angel with her brother, Joseph Foltz. In addition to him she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Rose Bender of Mt. Angel, and Mr. Apollonia Zimmerman of Sublimity.

WSWS MEETS — CLEAR LAKE—The WSWS met at the home of Mrs. T. C. Mason with Mrs. Chapin leading the devotion and study period. The spring rally will be held at Monmouth on February 1 and those wishing to go may contact Mrs. Evans.

Detroit—The Detroit Civic club has delayed a January 18 meeting to next month.

Enroll in Music Course

Statesman News Service — Enrollments in a music education course given by Maude Garnett from the University of Oregon are now open. This course is given every Monday for ten weeks at the Albany high school. Its purpose is to teach teachers how to teach music in the elementary grades.

Recent improvements have been made at the school house. The grade school annex building is being insulated. The driveway to the gymnasium was gravelled during the Christmas vacation, and a sump pump was installed in the boiler room to aid in drainage.

Jefferson Club Hears Plea for Polio Drive Funds

Statesman News Service — Twenty-four members were present at a meeting last week of the Jefferson Woman's club to hear Ida Mae Smith, retired educator of Salem, speak on the United Nations plan. Mrs. Fay Wright, president of Marion county polio chapter, spoke on the March of Dimes beginning this week. The club voted to contribute \$10 to the March of Dimes and take a collection for the fund at the January 25 meeting. The date of the guest night supper was changed from February 7 to February 8. Mrs. A. W. Pierce's name was presented for membership.

The next meeting will be on January 25 when Miss Marion Bowen, Marion county public welfare administrator from Salem, will be guest speaker. Hostesses will be Mrs. S. H. Goin, Mrs. Paul Smith and Mrs. Henry Thiessen.

Altar Society Plans Card Party Friday

Statesman News Service — The Altar society of St. Thomas Catholic church met last week at the home of Mrs. Mary Seborowski. The society will sponsor a public card party Friday night in the city hall, with pinocle, "500," prizes and refreshments planned.

Mrs. Frank Martin, Miss Mary Donohue and Mrs. Charles Sarver attended a party at the church hall in Albany last week honoring the second birthday of the Albany chapter of the Catholic Daughters of America.

GRANGE DELAYS MEET — The Marion County Pomona grange, which was to have met Wednesday, January 18, at Ankeny, has postponed the meeting to February 15.

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Mrs. J. Pfeifer Heads Silverton Altar Society

Statesman News Service — Mrs. John Pfeifer was installed as president of the Silverton Altar society at a meeting last week in the parish hall. The Rev. John Walsh, pastor, installed the new officers which also included Mrs. Henry Wellman, vice president; Mrs. Robert Martin, secretary, and Mrs. Frank Spies, treasurer.

Mrs. Pfeifer named standing committees for the coming year. During the social hour, after the business meeting, the Rev. Walsh read a short account of the life of Saint Genevieve, and Mrs. Henry Wellman gave a reading. A cake, donated by Mrs. Pfeifer, was won by Mrs. Nick Frank.

Hostesses were Mrs. Gregory Schemel, Mrs. Orville Volker, Mrs. Cletus May, Mrs. Al Seifer and Mrs. Ed Zollner.

Church Women Sew on Robes

Statesman News Service — The women's council of the Liberty church of Christ held a meeting last week at the church and worked on baptismal robes. A lunch was served at noon following a business meeting. Present were Mrs. Arthur McClellan, Mrs. Fred Robertson, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. Paul Scharn, Mrs. Elery Parrish and Mrs. Gerald Knipper.

The next meeting will take place on the night of January 26 at the church.

Salem Woman Speaks Before Jefferson Club

Statesman News Service — The Talbot Woman's club held a 1:30 p. m. luncheon last week at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Finlay with Mrs. John Finlay as co-hostess. Mrs. C. A. Ratcliff of Salem was guest speaker, speaking on "Summer Days in England." Guests were Mrs. Ratcliff, Mrs. A. B. McManus, Mrs. Behrens, Mrs. George Brown.

CAR FIGURES — DETROIT — (INS) — The entire population of the United States could go riding in automobiles at one time. The Automobile Manufacturers association explains there is one passenger car available for each 4.4 persons. One passenger car is in operation in the country for each 1.4 families.

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