

QUICK ACTION IS SOUGHT BY GOVERNMENT

Supreme Court Debate On Gold Clause Brings Uneasy Moment

LEADERS CONFIDENT

Adverse Decision Would Up Present Value For Bonds

By RICHARD L. TURNER Associated Press Staff Writer WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—(AP)—Quick congressional action to escape what administration spokesmen called possible "chaos" was proposed in Washington today as a likelihood should the supreme court overrule the Roosevelt monetary program...

Administration Confident Even though a probable month of suspense remains before the nine high justices hand down their decision, a bid here was given to much of the news of the day. In Wall Street news declined sharply, but later stiffened. There was a rush of "gold trust" bond buying, but the bond market generally was irregular...

Values May Up A decision against the government gold man, in short, that gold bonds and contracts would be worth—in present devaluated currency—160 percent of their face value. The result would be to increase the outstanding public and private debt from around \$100,000,000,000 to \$160,000,000,000...

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WEATHER NEWS

Saturday was another real wintry day with the maximum going to but 40. Rainfall for the day, 7 a. m. to 10 p. m., totaled .14 of an inch. The rest for the week-end is:

OREGON: Unsettled with snow and rain or snow west portion today and Monday, continued cold; shifting wind off the coast. LOCAL STATISTICS: Minimum temperature Saturday, 30 degrees; maximum temperature Saturday, 41 degrees. Precipitation, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m., .14 of an inch. Willamette river feet. Wind from south.

SUSLAW TIDES: Sunday high, 84 a. m., 8:23 p. m.; low, 12:47 a. m., 2:14 p. m., Monday, high, 8:01 a. m., 8:25 p. m.; low, 3:25 a. m., 3:18 p. m. Tuesday, high, 8:55 a. m., 10:25 p. m.; low, 3:01 a. m., 4:15 p. m. Wednesday, 9:51 a. m., 4:15 p. m.; low, 4:54 a. m., 5:04 p. m.

his Week's Contest Of Forum Offers Easy Way To Win Prize; Topics Wanted

By MARIAN LOWRY In a brief time has there been any a contest in the housewives' domain as being conducted this week. A Contest for Contest Topics is a general theme for the event this week. Cash prizes are to be given for best suggested nine topics to be used in the forum.

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AIDS ROSSON!



Ralph Savage Schomp, named as second assistant graduate manager for the Associated Students of the University of Oregon.

FLAX ACREAGE FOR THIS AREA SOUGHT

New York Company Asks To Take 1,000 Acres In Lane County

William Einzig, former state purchasing agent, Saturday wrote the Champeaux Paper company of New York, requesting them to purchase a 1,000-acre flax allotment to Lane county, in addition to the flax acreage already contracted in this state by that company. F. L. Chambers, Eugene, announced Saturday night...

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Miss Brockman To Play Solo Today

Miss Frances Brockman, talented young violinist of Eugene, will appear this afternoon with the Portland Symphony orchestra as its featured player in the matinee performance at the Portland civic auditorium.

Burns In Jail For Alleged Forgery

Ralph Barnes, who lives on route 1, Eugene, has a job on a SERA project, but it looks like he will be unable to go to work this week. He was in the county jail Saturday unable to raise \$1000 bail imposed on him by Justice of the Peace Johnston to hold him for trial on a charge of forgery.

Merchants Donate Toboggans To Club

Six toboggans have been presented to the Eugene Obidian club to be used at the slides at White Beach playground. It was announced by club officials Saturday. The toboggans were donated by merchants.

PRO AND CON OF WIDENING WAIT COUNCIL

East Eleventh Group is Declared Opposed to Loss of Trees

BEER LICENSES UP

West Eleventh Through Street Project is Given Backing

Consideration of remonstrances against a proposal to widen East Eleventh avenue and recommendations on beer license applications will feature the deliberations of the city fathers at the first 1935 meeting of the city council at city hall Monday night.

Tree Loss Fought

In the Eleventh avenue controversy, the council will be deluged with petitions, one group remonstrating against any plan to widen East Eleventh street and the other advocating establishment of West Eleventh avenue as a stop street.

Grange Favors Plan

The Eugene Grange board is to present a resolution, urging the widening of the street for the purpose of creating it a through street, thus acting to curtail the many accidents at intersections of this street. Councilman E. W. Zumbach has proposed establishing the entire length of Eleventh avenue as a through street...

Fire Loss Here In 1934 Reported To Be \$103,653.16

Fire losses during the year 1934 totaled \$103,653.16, upon which insurance amounting to \$63,533.96 was collected, the annual report of the fire department, released Saturday, revealed. In 1933 the total fire loss was \$22,000.31 with \$21,040.91 insurance collected.

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Production Must Be Controlled To Miss Ruin, Compton

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—(AP)—Complete disintegration of the lumber industry was predicted today by Dr. Wilson Compton, manager of the National Lumber Manufacturers association, unless production control is continued.

Without control of production, Compton said, the forest products industries are threatened with "competitive pressure" which will return "sweat shop wages," force "disintegration" and "waste the forest resources."

On the other hand, he said, direct federal regulation and "eventually public ownership," may possibly follow if NRA should remove "deliberate adjustment of production to consumption."

"The vast but widely scattered forest products industries, due to financial and competitive pressure, have been for many years under the severe handicap of continuous actual or threatening over production," Compton said in a statement today enlarging on a report he submitted to the national industrial recovery board hearing on general price conditions.

RENNIE DAM DRIVE RENEWAL PROBABLE

Project Held Feasible as Part of President's Power Program

A renewed drive in the interest of the \$1,000,000 Rennie dam project on the McKenzie river was forecast here Saturday by chamber of commerce officials who declared that with the president favoring such projects as unemployment relief measures the time appeared ripe to push the project.

As soon as the perplexing problem of locating the chamber offices can be settled, a meeting of the Rennie dam committee of the chamber, headed by Dr. H. W. Titus, probably will be called. H. E. Cully, secretary, said Saturday.

This committee will obtain latest information on the status of the project in Washington and will put an intensive campaign designed to "sell" surrounding cities on the project. This campaign is expected to include mass meetings in such cities as Albany, Lebanon, Brownsville and other towns at which Eugene representatives will outline the proposal and explain the advantages of such a power development to the entire area.

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Sullivan told officers he was driving east on Eleventh and turned out to miss a car coming west on Eleventh. He turned too far and struck the pole on the south side of Franklin, doing considerable damage to his car, he said. He received cuts and bruises about the face and a passenger in his car, Kenneth Barton, also of Goshen, received cuts and bruises.

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It has generally been understood by democrats here that the position would go to F. L. Armitage, but Mr. Stauffer said Saturday he was circulating his petition just the same. Another democrat, Oren Davis, also has been mentioned for this post.

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DEFENSE PLANS SEVEN QUERIES OF HAUPTMANN

Reilly Prepares for Short Stay on Stand by Defendant

STATE IS CONFIDENT

Expects Prosecution Will Waive Quizzing of Mrs. Hauptmann

By JOHN FERRIS Associated Press Staff Writer (Copyright, 1935, by the Associated Press.)

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Jan. 12.—(AP)—Bruno Richard Hauptmann's witness stand fight against the electric chair, his lawyer announced tonight, will consist of answers to seven questions—and six of the answers will be "No."

Hauptmann's wife, Anna, will follow her husband to the stand, and the defense expects the state "to accord her the same consideration the defense has shown Mrs. Lindbergh, mother of the baby for whose murder Hauptmann is now on trial.

Blanket Denial Outlined Said Edward J. Reilly, Hauptmann's chief counsel, tonight: "I think we shall ask Hauptmann only seven questions. The questions, and their expected answers, are: "1. Did you kidnap the Lindbergh baby? A. No.

"2. Were you in Hopewell, N. J., the night of the kidnaping? A. No. "3. Did you make the ladder (which the state contends was used in gaining admission to the Lindbergh nursery)? A. No.

"4. Did you go up that ladder to kidnap the Lindbergh baby? A. No. "5. Were you in New Jersey the night of the kidnaping? A. No.

"6. Did you write the ransom notes? A. No. "7. Where did you get the money that was found in your garage? A. From Isador Fisch."

Reciprocation Expected Although Hauptmann's direct examination, as outlined tonight by his counsel, might require hardly more than a minute, the cross-examination by the state is expected to take longer.

Reilly did not indicate what testimony Mrs. Hauptmann would give. It is expected to be corroborative of Hauptmann's account as concerns Isador Fisch, the man Hauptmann has insisted gave him the ransom money which was found last September in Hauptmann's possession.

In expressing hope that the state would give her the same treatment that the defense accorded Mrs. Lindbergh, Reilly recalled that he had waived cross-examination because "we do not believe a mother's grief should

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R. S. Bryson Named As Staff Member Of Cities League

Appointment of R. S. Bryson, formerly city recorder, as a member of the staff of the League of Oregon Cities, was approved Saturday at a meeting of the executive committee at Portland, it was announced Saturday night by Herman Kehrli, director of the bureau of municipal research at the university.

Mr. Bryson has been in the office at the university since last Monday, but announcement of his appointment was held up pending official action of the executive committee, Mr. Kehrli said.

Mr. Bryson will receive inquiries at the local office. "The league feels great satisfaction at securing the services of Mr. Bryson and believes it will be of material value to the cities of the state," Ormond R. Bean, Portland, president of the league board, said Saturday. "With his wide experience in municipal affairs and his keen judgment on city problems, he will be able to render real service through his association with the league."

Mr. Bryson will be located at the Eugene office of the league on the campus.

Argentines Declare Excuse Not Enough

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 12.—(AP)—Leading Buenos Aires newspapers today assailed as unsatisfactory Bolivian's explanation of the slaying by Bolivian soldiers of an Argentine standing on Argentine territory.

Both La Nacion and La Prensa demanded complete clearing up of the circumstances surrounding the death of Anacleto Quispe at the hands of Bolivian troops who, dispatches from the town of La Quisica said, crossed the border in an effort to recruit conscripts for service in the Chaco.

HOOVER HOME AGAIN

PAOLO ALTO, Cal., Jan. 12.—(AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover returned to his Stanford campus home here today after a brief "private business mission" to Chicago. Paul Sexton, secretary of Mr. Hoover, said there was "no political significance" to the trip, that it was on purely private matters.

REPRESENTING LANE COUNTY!



SAAR PLEBISCITE TO BE HELD TODAY

SAARBRUECKEN, Saar Basin Territory, Jan. 12.—(AP)—A ding-dong, rough-and-tumble campaign, in which Adolf Hitler and his Nazi regime were the main issue, at an end, the Saar tomorrow will choose its future national allegiance.

The plebiscite, the last of 12 issuing from the World War, will be held exactly 15 years and three days after the treaty of Versailles went into effect.

Experts call it by far the most important consultation of public opinion resulting from the late Woodrow Wilson's famous doctrine that all peoples have the right to decide as to the rule under which they wish to live.

Through Wilson, it was recalled, the United States is responsible for giving the 700,000 residents of this rich industrial region their opportunity to choose among continuance of League of Nations government, reunion with Germany or union with France.

With the voting less than 12 hours away, unbiased observers tonight gave Germany an edge on the balloting.

Government Asks Cutten Be Barred

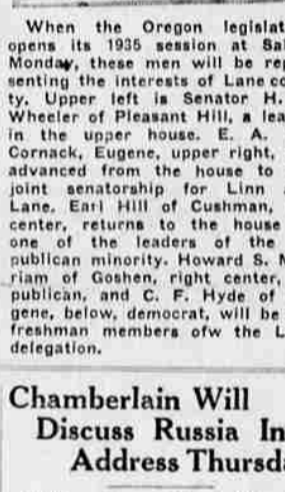
WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—(AP)—The government's plea that Arthur W. Cutten be barred from the grain exchanges was accompanied today by charges that the mild mannered, dapper little Chicagoan "is the biggest speculator in history."

Evidence that the Hoover administration was concerned over the activities of Cutten, almost a legendary figure on La Salle street, was laid before the grain futures commission which is hearing the charges against the plunger.

Snow Blamed For Highway Accident

ALBANY, Ore., Jan. 12.—(AP)—Alfred Abraham, Benton county farmer, was in a serious condition here tonight from skull fracture suffered when his automobile crashed from the Albany-Cornville highway in a snowstorm last night.

It was believed the snow blinded him and caused him to miss the turn. The car was demolished. He was brought to a hospital here. While his condition was satisfactory tonight, it still was serious.



Chamberlain Will Discuss Russia In Address Thursday

William Henry Chamberlain, for many years correspondent in Russia for the Christian Science Monitor and an authority on that country, will address students, faculty and townspeople at the University of Oregon next Thursday, January 17 at 1 o'clock in Gerding hall. It was announced here today by Karl W. Outhouse, dean of personnel and chairman for the assembly.

Mr. Chamberlain only recently was transferred from Moscow to Tokyo, and at the termination of his career in Russia wrote a series of amazingly frank and daring articles on Russia for the Christian Science Monitor. He has carefully analyzed conditions in modern Russia and his address is expected to be the most outstanding of any to be given at the university this term.

While in Russia, Mr. Chamberlain wrote several books on different phases of life in that country.

TREE PLANTING PLANNED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—(AP)—Four million trees will be planted next spring, it was announced today, as a start on the forest service's vast shelter-belt designed to sweep from Canada to the Texas Panhandle. The American Tree association declared that 25 of 30 planting areas had been selected tentatively, each calling for planting of 130,000 trees in strips five miles long and ten rods wide.

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PROBLEMS BIG, SMALL FACING SALEM SESSION

Education, Highways And Liquor Expected to See Fights

WELFARE SHIFT UP

Bus and Truck Law Due to Bob Up Again; Variety Is Unlimited

By SID KING

Specific legislation, embracing highways, education, social and economic welfare, agriculture, liquor, counties and cities, chain stores and many other subjects will be placed before Oregon's legislators when they convene in Salem for their 40-day session at three dollars per day Monday.

Headed by Governor Charles H. Martin's program, the legislative calendar is expected to be packed with items ranging from unimportant but necessary laws to issues packed with dynamite for legislators, both new and old.

Every session sees hundreds of bills dropped in the house and senate hopper. During the session four years ago there were 403 new measures enacted and two years ago, legislators ground through 403 new laws. Veteran legislators have expressed the view that at least 500 bills would appear this year.

Education Questions Up Of primary interest to Eugene and Lane county will be legislation effecting higher education and particularly the university. The proposal to restore approximately \$500,000 to the budget of higher education, making possible salary increases, greatly needed on the campus, is regarded as highly necessary here and activity of the legislature on this matter will be watched closely by local citizens.

In this same field is the suggestion to inaugurate the county unit system in high schools, this being a likely recommendation in Governor Martin's plan. The governor is understood to favor this plan and he may urge it in his message to the legislature.

Toll Fight Certain Highway legislation will center on the governor's plan to use federal funds for bond debt retirement, thus releasing state funds for new construction. This plan, if approved by the legislature, will greatly stimulate

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SNOW AND POLICE DEFEAT JOBLESS

PARIS, Jan. 12.—(AP)—A snow storm combined with massed battalions of police broke up a march of discontented jobless persons on the capital in defiance of the government's prohibition of demonstrations today.

There were skirmishes in which a number of heads were cracked, but no fatalities.

The marchers, estimated to number 1,200, never reached the chamber of deputies, which was their goal, but were scattered by police at the meetings at widely separated halls in the city.

Cries of "Work or bread!" and the chant of the internationale accompanied the charges of demonstrators on massed police in suburban Paris. Red workers from communist strongholds in the capital and suburbs were among those wounded in the clashes with police.

Most of the paraders seemed to escape the weather by boarding street cars.

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