

CONFINE EFFORTS TO RAISING TAXES AND JOB RELIEF

SALEM, Jan. 3.—The special session of the 37th Oregon legislative assembly, called by Governor Julius L. Meier one week prior to the regular session, opened here today with organizations complete and ready to start the long siege of two sessions immediately after hearing the governor's message.

While members of the house of representatives voted last night to confine their activities in the special session to tax matters and unemployment relief only, for which purpose the governor called the assembly, the senate failed to vote on the issue after a lengthy debate. The action at the caucuses, however, is of an unofficial nature and expresses the sense of the two houses only. It was pointed out.

House and senate members both declared, however, that the consideration of these two big subjects, including the cause or necessity for tax relief, could be expanded and might go as far as consideration of the state budget, which if done would prolong the special session to its maximum of 20 days. Consideration of the 20 vetoed 1931 bills, which automatically fall into the hopper, would also come under the business of the special session.

Only formal action was required for organization at the opening of the legislature today, as all positions were filled by nomination at the two caucuses last night. Earl Snell of Applington and Fred Kiddle of Island City, were unopposed for the offices of speaker of the house and president of the senate, respectively.

Other business of the pre-session house caucus was the election of chief employes of the house. In the only two counties, Mrs. Charles Lowe of Salem won over Mrs. Lotta Smith, former Marion county representative, and A. A. Taylor, Portland, for calendar clerk, and Redney Keating of Portland was elected assistant chief clerk over Mark McAllister of Salem.

Fred Drager as chief clerk; Elbert Bede, reading clerk; Joseph F. Singer, sergeant-at-arms; Rolle Southwick, doorkeeper; and William McAdams as mailing clerk, were all elected unanimously. All have been holding these positions for many years, the record perhaps going to Singer, who has been doorkeeper for the Oregon legislature for 24 years, in addition to being a United States senate doorkeeper during five sessions of congress.

Preliminary organization was rapidly effected with Frank Longenecker, speaker of the 1931 legislature, as temporary chairman and James H. E. Scott of Umatilla as secretary. All major senate officers were elected according to state, but there were upsets in three secondary offices. John P. Hunt of Woodburn, Mrs. Elizabeth Ghies of Woodburn and Millard P. Hardisty of Seneca were unanimous choices, respectively, for chief clerk, assistant chief clerk and reading clerk. All are veterans of previous sessions. Mrs. Zelpha Burns of Portland, for many years secretary to Senator Gus O. Mosser, was elected calendar clerk, receiving 26 votes out of 29 cast.

Notable among the upsets was the retirement of Col. W. G. D. Mercer of Salem as sergeant-at-arms, an office he has held, with the exception of one term, for over 20 years. His advanced age caused a majority of the senators to request a younger man, and Mercer's name was withdrawn in caucus by Senator Charles K. Spaulding of Marion county, who had nominated him. Allan Wheeler of Lane county, son of Senator H. R. Wheeler, who was assistant at the 1931 session, was elected to the office.

Stanley Satchwell of Salem was elected mailing clerk, defeating in caucus Lane Morley of Salem, who had the post two years ago. H. C. Brice of Washington county, for several sessions senate doorkeeper, voluntarily withdrew because of injuries received in a recent automobile accident, and James Kyle of Portland was elected.

Senator W. H. Sawyer, Democrat, of Baker, presided over the caucus deliberations and was temporary president of the senate prior to the election of Senator Kiddle. Strayer appointed Senators Dunne, Brown and Burke as a committee on credentials; Dunn, Wheeler and Mann as a committee on permanent organization, and Franciscovich and Brown as a committee to escort to the senate chamber Chief Justice John L. Rand of the supreme court, to swear in the new members.

HOOPER RESTED, RESUMES DUTIES WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Apparently rested by his longest vacation in several years, President Hoover returned to his White House desk early today to resume work on the problems that will fill the few remaining weeks of his administration.

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MOLLISON GREETES FLYING WIFE



J. A. Mollison, who has flown the Atlantic himself, was just one of many thousands who assembled at Croydon Aerodrome, London, to greet his wife, Amy Johnson, on her return from Capetown, Africa, after completing a record-breaking flight between London and Capetown. (Associated Press Photo)

Society and Clubs

Edited by Eva Nealon

Legion Dance Ends Holiday Season

A grand finale to two weeks of social festivity, the American Legion dance, was held last evening at the Oriental Gardens and attended by a large audience, which brought into the coffers of the organization a good sum, which will be donated to the Medford schools' kitchen fund.

The party was arranged as a benefit to aid children in the schools, who are not getting the proper amount of food at home and for whom some provision must be made at school. The Parent-Teacher association of the city has been handling the problem in a very able manner and appreciates all contributions, which will make possible a more extensive program for the promotion of child health through proper foods.

Tea at Jaqueline Home

The tea given by Mrs. E. H. January Sunday for the pleasure of her daughter, Miss Kate, was one of the lovely events of the holiday season. A musical program, given during the afternoon was very much enjoyed and included: Violin numbers by Miss Beulah Gore, who returned yesterday to the University of Oregon, and a piano number by Miss Marian Moore, local musician.

Miss Gore played "Meditation" from Thalby by Massenet, and "Poem" by Fildich. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. George Andrews. Miss Moore's number was "Alp-Wein" by Godowsky.

The work of the two young musicians was greatly appreciated and enthusiastically received by 30 guests invited to the January home.

Butler Entertains At Card Party

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Butler were hosts during the holidays at their home on Hillcrest road at a pleasant bridge party for 16 guests. Motion pictures, taken of the Christmas party in the Butler home were also shown and added an interesting feature to the evening.

There were four tables of bridge in play and prizes awarded Mrs. John Moffatt and J. F. Lawrence.

Alan Parley Returns To University

Alan Parley, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Carley, left this morning for the University of Oregon to resume his studies, following the holidays here. He made the trip north by motor with friends from Ashland. He is now a junior at the university and plays a prominent part in campus activities, according to reports from Eugene.

D. E. Walker Gave Birthday Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Walker entertained at their home west of Phoenix, Friday evening, December 30, with a birthday dinner party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ward, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright and children, Delmar and Carmen, and the host and hostess.

Chapman Hosts at Holiday Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Chapman were among local people entertaining at dinner New Year's day. They were hosts at their home in this city to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lay and son Paul, and daughter Ruth, of Medford; Mrs. Alice Ulrich of Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ulrich and son Russell of this city.



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FOREST SERVICE GAVE MANY JOBS IN RECENT YEAR

Rogue River national forest specialized in rendering as much relief to the unemployed as was possible within the limit of funds allotted to the department during the past year, according to a report made by officials at the headquarters here. The program provided temporary employment for approximately 350 heads of families, resulting in relief to over 1,000 people.

The improvement work accomplished included three lookout houses constructed at Robinson Butte, Buck Peak and Stella Mountain, also four-room log ranger residence, log office and log barn, all at Lake of the Woods; three-room ranger residence, garage and woodshed at Pelican Bay, and an office at Union Creek. Sixty-nine miles of roads were included in the developments, with 16 miles on the Umpqua divide-Woodruff Meadows; three miles, Tabis Mountain; two miles, Robinson Butte; three miles, Lodge Pole-Gore Ranch; eight miles, Tallowbox Mountain; 12 miles, Beaver Creek-Applegate; and 25 miles, Clover Creek-Dead Indian. Seventy miles of trails were completed during the season, and 17 range stock watering places constructed. The materials and supplies needed for all of the construction work were practically all purchased through Medford and Klamath Falls concerns.

Lighthousekeepers Are Found Frozen

DUNFREVILLE, Ont., Jan. 3.—(AP)—The frozen bodies of Richard Foster, Mohawk Island lighthouse keeper, and his son, James, were found on the beach, near Lorraine, yesterday. They had been missing since December 15 when they closed the lighthouse for the winter and attempted to make their way to the mainland.

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Ralph Klein Returns To Stanford University. Ralph Klein, who spent the holidays here as guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Klein, left yesterday by motor for the south to resume his work at Stanford university.

Dinner Club Has Pleasant Evening. Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Tyree were recently hosts to members of their dinner club at their home, Glenn Oak court. Covers were arranged for 12 and dinner was followed by bridge.

Musical Appreciation Class Postponed. There will be no meeting at the Y. W. C. A. this evening of the music appreciation class, Miss Laura Drury announced this morning.

Mrs. Lemmon Entertains. Mrs. Wilma Lemmon was hostess Sunday evening at a party given at her home, to which she invited 12 guests. Refreshments were served at midnight.

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NEW FILM AUTHOR WRITES SO MUCH NEEDS 3 NAMES

HOLLYWOOD—The ranks of writers in Hollywood too prolific to publish all they write under one name have gained another in Philip MacDonald, an amusing young Englishman who publishes under three. MacDonald specializes in detective and mystery tales under assumed names, and uses his own for the occasional novel of a more serious nature. During the past six years, in which he has written for a living, he has produced about 27 volumes, giving him a fair start on the record of the late Edgar Wallace. In pictures MacDonald will devote his time to Producer Merian Cooper, whose specialty is adventure, novelty and mystery films. He is unique in his aversion to publicity, a fact that should win favor with Producer Cooper, who makes pictures as secretly as possible. MacDonald's aversion is only partly for business reasons. His quantity production necessitates the use of three names.

One of his names is Anthony Lawless, but the other he pleads to keep secret because of the fun it gives him—especially when an English critic who slays the work of MacDonald and Lawless commends the style of his "third self." "The only place an author should see his name," he reflects, "is at the head of a book, for that is the only place it means anything. The rest of it is just sauce for the vanity." "And why the public should be more interested in artists—not that I'm one—than in architects and bankers I can't see. It is a sign of decadence, I think. When Greece and Rome became soft, that was when they showed the greatest adulation for artists. A virtile, young nation hasn't much time for the arts—it keeps artists in the kitchen, where they belong, and throws them a few pennies now and then." "We should all be segregated, locked up in cages away from the rest of the world," he suggests humorously.



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