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government corporations, including the Reconstruction Finance Corp., are going to come under close and constant congressional scrutiny. It was learned tonight.

The House appropriations committee has set up a five-man subcommittee to maintain a watch over those corporations, including not only the big ones, dealing in billions, but also the small and little known ones.

The subcommittee chairman is Rep. George H. Mahon, D. Tex. Mahon said today that the subcommittee will hold its first meeting one day next week for preliminary discussions.

"You can bet," Mahon said, "that in our job we will be more than intellectually curious."

"The first thing we're going to do," Mahon said, "is to re-check the law and find out specifically how far we can go in our assignment. Since this is something brand new, we're going to have to move slowly at first."

"In the past, these corporations have appeared before different subcommittees mainly to justify their administrative expenses. Now they're going to have to come before a single subcommittee each year, not only to justify their administrative expenses but all of their other operations."

"After all, they are handling billions of dollars of public funds and we, who control their purse strings, should keep an eagle-eye on their operations."

COUPLE HELD FOR THEFT CHILDREN

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 9—(U.P.)—A Spokane couple, charged with stealing two children from Albany, Ore., were being held here today on a warrant awaiting extradition.

Earl Schoenfeld, 40, a truck driver, and his wife, Lilly, were held, each under \$1,000 bail. They have waived extradition to Oregon, according to Sheriff George Harber.

The children are Mrs. Schoenfeld's by a previous marriage, but they were awarded to their father at the time of the divorce seven years ago, the sheriff reported.

Clears Up Mystery



Shirley Temple and the character which she plays, Corliss Archer, her first grown-up movie role in, "Kiss and Tell," which comes to the Holly theater, Thursday, have both become national institutions. Shirley, through spectacular stardom as a child, Corliss through her sensational rise to fictional fame as the young heroine of F. Hugh Herbert's magazine stories, and stage play, "Kiss and Tell," has become the year's most looked-for screen event. Others in the cast include Jerome Courtland, Walter Abel, Robert Benchley, and Porter Hall.

MORE SPIRITUAL VALUES, EDITORS TOLD MAIN NEED

Eugene, Ore., Feb. 9—(U.P.)—Spiritual values in human relations were emphasized today by William D. Chandler, associate editor of the San Francisco Chronicle in an address before the 27th annual Oregon Press conference here.

Chandler declared "this is an age of science and our most crying need today is for a science of life, geared to the soul."

The atomic bomb challenges the people of today to do almost instantly the slowest and hardest thing of all, to give up ancient traditions and prejudices, Chandler said.

Philip J. Jackson, publisher of the Oregon Journal, Portland, was elected president of the Oregon Newspaper Publishers' association.

Other officers named included O. G. Crawford, publisher of the Heppner, Ore., Gazette Times, vice president; and George Turnbull, acting dean of the University of Oregon school of journalism, secretary.

What's Doing at U. S. O.

Java club will be held from 9:30 to noon today at Riverside USO with Miss Barbara Randolph as junior hostess. Miss Ina Lucas will entertain during the Twilight Reverie hour at 5 o'clock followed by the Pantry Shelf furnished by the Lady Jaycees. Junior hostesses assisting will be Misses Janie and Irene Hayes and Margaret Sullivan.

A Valentine formal dance will be held Wednesday, 8 o'clock to midnight, music by the navy band. General chairman for the event is Miss Barbara Randolph with Connie Groves in charge of decorations, assisted by Rita Weiss and Pearl and Winnie Brock. Margaret Henry is refreshment chairman.

At a meeting Tuesday night of the Junior Hostess group, Miss Mary Lee Strang was elected president; Barbara Randolph, vice president; and Margaret Sullivan, secretary.

Mine Detector Finds Lost Ring

Washington (U.P.)—Fort Belvoir engineers have found a peace-time use for mine detectors—locating lost wedding rings.

Norman Moore, a civilian employee at the fort, lost his wedding band in a snow bank while pushing a stalled car. After he had incessantly dug for the ring for nearly five hours a couple of engineers came along with a mine detector and found it in a few minutes.

Said Moore, "Thank God! I can go home to my wife now."

Closing time for Classified Ads 8:30 a.m.—Too Late to Classify 12:15 p.m.

Forester Saubert Is Transferred To Cascadia Position

Transfer of Forester Jack D. Saubert to the district ranger position at Cascadia on the Willamette National Forest was announced Saturday by Forest Supervisor Karl L. Janouch. Saubert will be succeeded here by Donald J. Stoner, who now occupies the Cascadia position.

Mr. Saubert, with his wife and two small daughters, will leave here February 18. He has been a member of the timber management staff of the Rogue River National Forest since 1942, and employed by the Forest Service on various Forests of the North Pacific Region since his graduation from the Oregon State College school of forestry in 1935.

Mr. Stoner graduated from Pennsylvania State College and has served as ranger in this region since 1925, with exception of one year's assignment to the New England Hurricane Damage Project. He and his wife will move to the residence on McAndrews road formerly occupied by the Saubert family.

At least one additional pig is raised from each litter when an electric brooder is used, according to A. H. Schulz, agricultural engineer for the North Dakota Department of Agriculture.

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Pest control and spray programs will be subjects of discussion.

Production of blight resistant root stock for pears will be discussed, and orders will be taken for this type of tree.

BIG FIVE URGES ACTION TO HALT WHEAT SHORTAGE

London, Feb. 9—(U.P.)—The Big Five today submitted a resolution to the United Nations urging all nations to take "immediate and drastic action" to prevent a world wheat famine.

The resolution will be brought up before the UNO general assembly Tuesday by either Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin or Prime Minister Clement R. Attlee.

It bore full backing of the United States, Britain, France and China. The soviet delegation supported it, but asked Moscow for formal approval.

Citing grain shortages everywhere, the resolution said the "world is faced with conditions which may cause widespread suffering and death and consequently set back all plans for reconstruction."

Herbert Lehman, director-general of UNRRA, also appealed through the UNO secretariat that action be taken to avert world shortages of wheat, rice and fats "in view of impending disaster facing nations liberated from the enemy."

KLAMATH YOUTHS HELD FOR THEFT

Richard Foust and Kyle Malignard, 17-year-old youths from Klamath Falls, were lodged in the Jackson county jail Friday night after one of them struck police officer Seth M. Bullis, Jr., on the jaw during questioning, according to a report from state police headquarters.

According to the report, the youths were stopped by Bullis at the corner of Sixth and Ivy streets for questioning of the car which they were driving in a reckless manner and which proved to have been stolen from Klamath Falls. The rear license plate of the auto was smeared with mud, the officer said.

As Bullis was questioning the youths, Foust slipped out of the car and struck Bullis on the jaw with his fist and then fled, the report stated. Bullis said he fired three shots over the youth's head, but Foust succeeded in getting away. He was picked up

Sunday, Feb. 10, 1946 MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE—THREE

Largest Turntable Moves Big Engines

Los Angeles (U.P.)—Largest railroad turntable in the United States is the new Union Pacific East Los Angeles facility.

The table is 135 feet long, weighs 175 tons, is capable of turning the longest and heaviest locomotives in existence, cost \$10,000 to build.

The equipment was manufactured in the East and shipped here on three flat cars as a complete unit.

FARMING BRUSH-UP
Moscow, Ida. (U.P.)—Letters from returning servicemen have prompted the University of Idaho to institute a "short course" in agriculture that will brush up future farmers who are establishing homesteads in the Northwest.

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