

Officers Rap Road Houses At Dorris

Seven Speakeasies Raided. \$1,500.75 Paid in Fines. Nab Drunken Drivers.

(By B. LONG, Dorris)
DORRIS, Calif., Jan. 5. (Special)—The City of Dorris was enriched today by \$1,500.75 paid in fines. Seven speakeasies and road houses were raided by the city officials and charges of possession and sale of intoxicating liquors were entered against the proprietors.

The first on the docket was E. W. Pearl, proprietor of a pool hall owned by John Wise, a member of the city council. Pearl pleaded guilty and was fined \$200 or given the alternative of 200 days in jail. Robert O'Farrell, who operates a pool hall, pleaded guilty and was given the same sentence. Lawrence Johnson, owner of a pool hall, pleaded guilty and was given the choice of paying \$200 or languishing 200 days behind the steel bars.

E. Gustafson and Ross Lundrick, owners and operators of pool hall, pleaded guilty and were allowed the privilege of staying out of jail 200 days by paying a \$200 fine.

"Saw Dust Pile" Closed

H. B. Anderson, who owns a two-room house adjoining Jackson's service station was manufacturing home brew. Anderson (Continued on Page Two)

BAR COMMITTEE IS APPOINTED

At the suggestion of a number of attorneys, and on motion of E. L. Elliott, Circuit Judge W. M. Duncan has appointed a committee of five from the members of the Klamath County Bar association to study the rules of court and the advisability of a few changes in the rules.

Members of the bar association who have been appointed on the committee by Judge Duncan are: C. F. Stone, Claude McCulloch, W. S. Wiley, William Ganong, and U. S. Ballentine.

Among the changes which have been suggested is a proposal to have the judge provide a law and motion day to be held weekly or every two weeks, at which time motions would be presented.

It has also been suggested that at stated intervals the judge call the docket.

The advisability of requiring attorneys to submit authorities when submitting motions to the court, or of having their motions overruled when submitted without authority being cited will also be discussed by the committee.

According to a previous practice in the Klamath county circuit court, attorneys who contemplated asking impeaching questions of witnesses were required to first submit the questions to the judge. The advisability of reviving that practice will also be taken up by the bar association committee.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Jones will leave Friday for Salem, where they will spend several weeks on pleasure and business.

YES, TODAY'S HAMMERS IN CONGRESS

Senate
Debated anti-war treaty.
Passed bill authorizing highway construction under sub-treasury in New York City.
Passed bill authorizing establishment of federal narcotic farm.

House
Passed first deficiency bill carrying \$5,128,000.
Passed several minor war department bills.

Extra Session of Congress Said To Be Inevitable

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7. (UP)—An extra session of congress to consider farm relief and tariff revision is inevitable. President-elect Hoover was told today by senate and house leaders.

Those who conferred with Hoover said he indicated a desire to keep "hands off" the legislative situation and refused to express an opinion concerning it until he is in the White House.

Burton Sees Hoover
Senator Burton of Ohio after a conference late this afternoon with Mr. Hoover said that his "personal opinion was that an extra session was inevitable."

"House leaders interested in farm relief are opposed to its passage at this session," Burton said, "and the senate has a great amount of business, to be impossible that any farm relief measure be passed at this session."

Not to Interfere
"Then there is a widespread opinion that regarding any important piece of legislation the president to execute this legislation should be the president during its passage. All these things taken together seem to indicate an extra session."

Earlier in the afternoon Representative of Connecticut, similarly informed Mr. Hoover of the legislative situation and predicted that the president-elect would interfere in no way while Mr. Coolidge is in the White House. Senator Hoover is understood to have spoken in a similar vein to the president-elect.

Four Months' Session
Tilden said the special session should be called about the middle of April and that it should be able to complete farm relief and tariff legislation in three or four months.

Mr. Hoover began consideration today of the composition of his cabinet and also informed leaders he desired as simple an inauguration as possible.

Senator Burton declared after his conference with the president-elect that to date no one had been selected for the cabinet.

Charge Man With Dickerson Killing
CORVALLIS, Jan. 7. (UP)—Murder in the first degree was the true bill returned against Lanza Bryant by the Benton county grand jury today.

Bryant is charged with the death of Lewis (Bill) Dickerson, Oregon State college student and football coach, following a fight December 19, in which Dickerson was stabbed. He died three days later. The fight was said to have been over Miss Mae Troxell, Corvallis waitress.

Bryant is in the Multnomah county jail in Portland, where he was taken when local authorities suspected students of planning to attempt to lynch him.

CAR DRIVERS STRIKE
MILWAUKEE, Jan. 7. (UP)—The taxicab strike here had reached a partial settlement today and service has been mostly re-established with the greater number of cabs now on their routes.

Plan For Armory Presented To Court

Klamath Irrigation Office Asked To Move. Street, Dennis Appointed.

Commissioners Silas O. bencham and Charles R. Williams, new county officials, got their first experience in giving attention to the wishes of others and the general program of a day in county court when they sat with Judge Fred R. Goddard as the new county court Monday afternoon.

A very important matter brought up was the attitude of the county toward securing an armory here for the battery. Accompanied by a large delegation of taxpayers, Captain Walter Abbey presented his case to the new court, asking that the Legion building be remodeled and an addition added for use as an armory, all of which is agreeable to Legion members. Speaking for the measure were R. C. Grossbeck, W. C. Mellan, commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars; Representative, A. M. Collier; Captain Alfred D. Collier; commander of the Legion post; Lieutenant D. E. Van Vactor, H. S. Moe, Ted Gilchrist, Ed Van Allen and Captain J. H. Carnahan, commander of the Spanish-American War Veterans.

Court Friendly to Plan
The court expressed a friendly attitude toward the plan.

FIRST AGENT IS PROMOTED

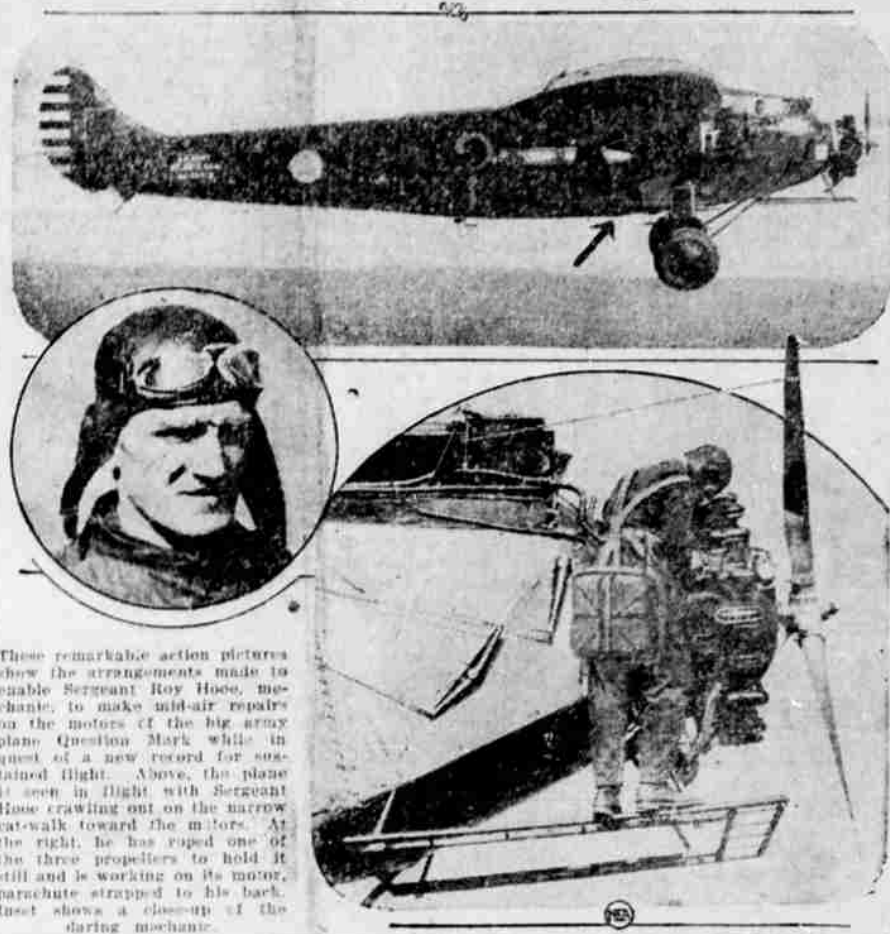
Word has been received by the local officers of the Southern Pacific of the appointment of T. A. K. Fawcett as assistant general baggage agent for the S. P. with headquarters in San Francisco.

Mr. Fawcett is well known around Klamath Falls and was stationed here in 1907 and 1908. He was the first railroad agent in this city and had charge of the boat landing where the freight was brought up the river in the old Linkville district. He is succeeding E. B. Crandall, former agent. The appointment was made by R. B. Carson.

The Long, Long Trail!



Mechanic Is Unsung Hero of the "Question Mark"



QUESTION MARK IS FORCED DOWN AFTER OVER 150 HOURS UP

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 7. (UP)—A man outlasted motor in the greatest sustained flight aviation has ever recorded when two faulty engines forced the army monoplane Question Mark to earth late today after more than 150 hours in the air.

The crew apparently could have withstood the grind indefinitely but the motors failed so completely that the ship could not hold altitude.

Men Hysterical
The five men who stepped from the cabin in which they had made history for more than six and a half days, were rather hysterical in the first few minutes that the crowd surrounded them, but showed no ill effects of their flight.

When the ship touched the runway for a perfect three points landing at 2:07:01 p. m. it put an official finish to the record breaking trip that had started last Tuesday, exactly 150 hours.

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Records Broken By Army Plane Question Mark
By United Press
By remaining in the air continuously for 150 hours, 56 minutes and 16 seconds, the trimotored army Fokker plane Question Mark shattered the following records:

American refueling endurance—27 hours, 15 minutes, 56 seconds, set by Lieutenants Lowell Smith and Paul Richter at San Diego, Calif., in 1922.

World refueling in flight—60 hours, 7 minutes, set by Adjutant Louis Crook and Sergeant Victor Groenen, Belgium, June 2, 3 and 4, 1928.

World record for heavier-than-air sustained flight—65 hours, 25 minutes, set by Johann Rissler and Wilhelm Zimmerman, Germans, July 5, 6 and 7. The Germans set the mark without refueling, however, and officially hold the record for a non-refueling sustained flight by heavier-than-aircraft. By passing the mark the Question Mark remained in the air longer than any other aircraft, including the Graf Zeppelin, which stayed aloft 111 hours in a flight from Friedrichshafen, Germany, to Lakehurst, N. J.

LOCAL COUPLE WRITE BALLAD OF MELODIES

"The Sea of Memory," a new ballad which promises to have a nation-wide sale, is written by June F. Grimes and Kathryn Bryan Brantun, both of Klamath Falls.

The musical setting tells of a man standing upon the shore and looking at the beauty of the rolling and tossing waves. Chimes from an old church peal out with haunting melody.

A ship nears port and over the waters float softly the echo of the "Seamen's Song." Again he hears the chimes of the bells and again the song; though these soon cease, he dreams on, and his thoughts drift out upon "The Sea of Memory."

It is a beautiful story and is well told. The music carries the thought and inspiration of the poem to a marked degree, and it is just the kind of a selection that fits present-day musical desires.

Telephone Rate Probing League Formed by States
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 7. (UP)—First steps in what is planned as a nation-wide war against advancing telephone rates was taken by representatives of more than a dozen municipalities of the Pacific coast here today.

A permanent organization known as the "Telephone Investigating League of America" was organized and will consist of a charter membership of utility experts from Utah, Nevada, California, Washington, Oregon and Idaho.

The league adopted a measure opening membership to any county, municipality or state rate agency in the nation. Each will be allowed one delegate, to be named by the state legislatures.

The executive committee instructed its secretary, W. D. Lane, of Seattle, to draft a memorial to be presented to congress by the league asking a telephone investigation by a U. S. senate committee instead of the interstate commerce commission.

The senate committee will be asked to investigate the matter of rates, franchises, service and determine the rate-finding power of municipalities. It also will be asked to discover the relationship between the American Telephone company, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, the Western Electric company, and all other subsidiaries of the parent concern.

John M. Mann, of Portland, was elected president of the league. Thomas J. Kennedy, Seattle, E. K. Murry, vice-presidents of Washington; J. J. O'Toole, Portland, vice-president for Oregon and Jess Stephens, of Los Angeles, vice-president for California.

Utah, Arizona, Nevada and Idaho vice-presidents will be selected by the permanent executive committee.

Michigan Supreme Court Upholds Law

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 7. (UP)—The Michigan Supreme Court today upheld the new habitual criminal law and affirmed the lower court's sentence of Fred Palm, referred to as the "Pint of Gin" flier.

Palm was convicted of possessing a pint of gin after the new criminal code was enacted. The state offered testimony to show that he had been convicted of six felonies and under the new law, four convictions on such charges, make life terms mandatory sentences.

Initial Council Of Year Is Held

Appointments Made, Reports Heard, Bid Awarded, Contracts Let At Meet.

The first meeting of the city council for the year of 1929 was held last evening. The time was taken up with reports for the past year, applications for licenses for this year's business, discussion and acceptance of new ordinances. Committees for city work were appointed.

Five new city officials took oath of office at the meeting. Mayor T. B. Watters was sworn in for his second term of office. Other new officers included U. S. Ballentine, police judge; Lena Dennis, city treasurer; and William Butler, third ward councilman, and Clifton Richmond, fourth ward councilman.

\$150,000 Sewer Bonds Sold
Bids for the purchase of sewer bonds for the amount of \$150,000 were read and discussed. The bid submitted by the American National Trust Co. was accepted by the council. Plans for the 2nd sewer unit were submitted to the council for approval. The unit covers the territory in the California avenue district. The plans will be studied and brought up at a meeting in the future.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars, through Commander W. C. Mc (Continued on Page Six)

DEMPSEY ACTS FOR RICKARD

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Jan. 7. (UP)—Jack Dempsey will take up the loose threads of "Tex" Rickard's interests here, including promotion of the Stribling-Sharkey fight scheduled for Feb. 27. It was announced by G. H. K. Carter, associated with Rickard in the Miami Beach Kennel Club where the bout will be held.

Among the projects planned by Rickard which Dempsey will push to completion are a horse racing plant and a Jai Alai fronton, Carter said.

The race track was to be built on one of the man-made islands lying in Biscayne Bay, off Miami Beach.

One of Rickard's representatives is now in Spain studying Jai Alai which is a fast game popular in that country. Rickard planned to erect the fronton adjoining the greyhound racing track which opened New Years Eve.

PLAN DUNDEE, FIELDS BOUT

CHICAGO, Jan. 7. (UP)—Promoter Jim Mullen announced tonight he will attempt to sign Joe Dundee, welterweight titleholder for a championship bout with Jackie Fields. The match would be staged in Chicago.

Flapper Fanny Says:



Though her beauty speaks for itself, the saxophone girl has to toot her own horn.

Indian Affairs Committee Plans Criminal Charges

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7. (UP)—A sensational investigation of Indian affairs, which has been going on almost unnoticed since early last summer, suddenly developed sensational proportions today when it turned to the famous Jackson Barnett case.

It revealed that criminal proceedings have been contemplated against high government officials and it was charged that these proceedings have been halted, apparently without explanation, by others equally high.

Former Secretary of Interior

Albert B. Fall, already defendant in criminal proceedings growing out of the Teapot Dome oil case, and Indian Commissioner Charles Burke were named as the officials against whom charges of conspiracy were to be launched.

Attorney General Sargent, former Secretary of Interior Work and Solicitor General William D. Mitchell were said to be responsible for stopping proceedings.

Burke made a counter charge (Continued on Page Six)