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They Hear All Kinds of Noises

Speaker McArthur Does the Sandalphon Act but Has Ear Turned for Noises Coming from Above

Speaker McArthur and the House had a special grouch on today, so they took a slam at the Supreme Court of Oregon. As a result the Supreme Court library will be closed to the attorneys and others during all House sessions.

Twice during the debate on the sterilization of criminals bill Speaker McArthur startled the House by stopping the proceedings and announcing to the sergeant-at-arms that the noise overhead must be stopped. No one had heard any noise skywards—at least anything unusual, but perhaps someone upstairs had dropped a pin on the floor or moved a feather.

Anyhow, whatever noise it was, the House members suddenly recollected that they had heard it, or ought to have. Hence, when Speaker McArthur requested Upton of Malnomah to prepare a resolution requesting the secretary of state to have the Supreme Court library closed during sessions that gentleman gleefully got the job. Then a few minutes later Olson of Malnomah introduced a resolution, rules were suspended and the House unanimously and with solemn faces adopted it.

The resolution recited that "Whereas the House sessions were seriously disturbed and interrupted, and whereas it was almost impossible to transact any business, etc."

Shortly afterwards Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms Joe Singer accidentally stepped on a cuspidor and had quit a wrestling match with it before he got his bearings again, but no one heard the racket; all were so intently listening to catch a noise from up above.

By adopting Senate concurrent resolution the legislature of Oregon goes on record to Congress as requesting that body to elect United States senators by direct vote of the people; requests Congress to improve the Columbia river and the ports and waterways of Oregon on the Pacific coast; and to conserve the water of the Columbia river for the use of the people. Two bills were passed, one the Mann bill relating to the recording of registering lists of autos by the county clerk, and the other the Appelgren bill limiting the time within which to recover courtesy and dower.

A fight was precipitated over the Hann House bill of last session which was vetoed by the governor, when it came up for action. The committee on roads and highways, to which it had been referred, reported in favor of indefinitely postponing the bill. This bill provides that owners of property abutting on country roads must keep the roads running through their property clear of weeds. Those who favored the bill caused a motion to be made to refer it back to the committee on agriculture, arguing that it should have appropriately gone to that committee in the first place. After considerable debate the motion prevailed with only five members opposing.

No one seemed to know what this vote indicated. Some held that it means a concerted action on the part of the majority of the House to fight Governor West, because of the Governor's threats and ultimatums reported to have been delivered to various members of the House yesterday because of the passage by that body of the Thompson declaration and bill, which he had vetoed. Others held that the vote to keep the bill alive by referring it to the committee on agriculture, indicated nothing more than act of courtesy, and did not presage that the measure would finally be passed over the Governor's veto.

Anyhow, there is sure to be a fight over the bill which it is generally conceded would work an injustice and hardship upon farmers. Opponents of the bill contend that the general public should bear the expense of keeping roads clear of weeds, and it was

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THE LEASE WILL FAIL.

Washington, Jan. 23.—It is reported today that the house committee on Indian affairs will not report favorably on the Taggart bill validating leases of oil lands in the Osage Indian reservation in Oklahoma to the Uncle Sam Oil company. This action will vindicate Secretary of the Interior Fisher's stand in the matter, and no formal report will be made on the charges that the secretary is aiding the Standard Oil company by his activity in the matter.

Trying to Clear up a Bad Tangle

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Dorothy Morgan Hingaby, alleged principal in a child changing case here, and her husband, Lieutenant Charles Henry Slingsby, have been invited to come to San Francisco from their home in Yorkshire, England, and try to clear up the case.

The district attorney's office today wired the Slingsbys, asking them to testify in the case of Dr. W. W. Frazer, of Weaverville, Cal., accused of having aided in the supposed substitution of the Slingsby heir, alleged to have been born dead, for the live child of Lillian Anderson, a Weaverville high school girl. Slingsby is heir to vast estates in England.

The district attorney also wired Mrs. Cutler, of Ukia, Cal., Mrs. Slingsby's mother, for full information regarding a telegram sent her announcing the birth of a baby to her daughter.

ARSON TRUST IS THE LATEST IN CHICAGO

New York, Jan. 23.—Competition has hurt the arson business in New York City. The grand jury which has indicted several property owners and insurance adjusters, alleged to be members of the so-called "arson trust," learned yesterday that a large group of independent operators is responsible for nearly as many fires as is the "trust" itself. Isidor Stein, "Izy" the Painter, who has been the chief source of information regarding recent incendiarism here, promised to give the district attorney the names of the principal "independents."

Abraham Schlichter, one of those indicted, entered a plea of guilty. He begged for mercy and promised to tell the names of 30 persons, not yet arrested, who had allowed members of the "trust" to set fires in their buildings and who received part of the proceeds.

Three Confess in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Three confessions have been obtained by Assistant State's Attorney Johnson in the investigation of the so-called "arson trust." The names of the men were not made public.

Two who confessed are business men who told the prosecutor that because of business reverses, they consented to have their places fired when public adjusters pointed out to them how easy it would be to collect the insurance.

The other man who confessed was a "firebug" who admitted setting fire to two buildings. The loss amounted to \$21,500.

The Mexican Rev.

Guaymas, Sonora, Jan. 23.—Governor Maytorena, of Sonora, arrived here today by boat en route to Hermosillo from Mexico City. Maytorena went to the capital to secure additional troops for a campaign against the rebels in Sonora. It is reported here that this was denied, because the government fears to remove troops from the Mexican gulf states.

Nurse Marries Millionaire.

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—Capping the climax of a romance begun at the bedside of his father, whom she nursed back to health, Norma Anderson, reputed to be the most beautiful trained nurse in San Francisco and Ernest Rochat, son of a millionaire furniture and real estate dealer were secretly married, and are today on their way to Santa Barbara for a honeymoon. The engagement of a couple of weeks was not known here.

The Turks Refuse to Accept It

Revolution Breaks out in Constantinople and Young Turks Say They Will Never Accept the Terms Proposed

Constantinople, Jan. 23.—"We will never surrender Adrianople to the Balkan allies. We do not desire a continuation of the war, but we shall save the honor of the Turkish empire or die in the attempt."

With this declaration here tonight, Mahmed Shevket Pasha accepted the position of grand vizier of Turkey, following the fall of the government of Kamil Pasha, who resigned today with his entire cabinet, when confronted with revolution if peace were declared with the Balkan peoples at the cost of Turkish territory.

Kamil Pasha's resignation as grand vizier followed hard on the heels of word from the Turkish forces at Tchatalja that they had sworn never to surrender Adrianople, and that, unless the powers actively intervene, the revolution means that war will be resumed within a few days at most.

It was semi-officially stated here tonight that Shevket Pasha will immediately establish a military dictatorship to forestall any violence by the Tchatalja troops, who, it is feared, may begin a carnival of blood against all Christians, unless the plan to cede Adrianople and the Aegean islands is quickly and finally abandoned.

Most of the Ottoman people regard the peace terms to which Kamil Pasha's ministry agreed as highly humiliating, and the feeling is general that it would be better for Turkey to go down with honor, fighting to the last inch of Europe, than to tamely submit to cession of the tombs of the caliphs at Adrianople and to the loss of territories which have been Moslem for centuries.

This feeling was voiced by Shevket Pasha, after assuming office, and by Talaat Bey, who was named as minister of the interior in the new cabinet. He said:

"We shall save the honor of the empire or die. The government that countenanced such a shameful surrender as was demanded by the Balkan allies has been overthrown. The change in cabinet means that not all the terms agreed to by Kamil Pasha's government will even be considered. New ground for agreement must be found before Turkey will consent to sheathe the sword. We certainly do not desire to continue the struggle, but we are determined to hold Adrianople at any cost."

CONDITION OF STRIKERS WORSE THAN RUSSIAN PRISONS

Washington, Jan. 23.—Berger declared that the living and working conditions of the New York garment workers are worse than in Russian prisons.

"When your wife or my wife buys a summer shirt waist for \$1.98," he declared, "it is obtained at the price of the lifeblood of the tenement workers."

Diphtheria Stops Trial.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 23.—Diphtheria in the county detention home prevented today the beginning of the trial of Martin Rickett, 14 years old, who shot and killed his father, Daniel Rickett, six weeks ago. He is confined at the home, and the health authorities refused to raise a quarantine to permit his appearance in the juvenile court, where his case is pending.

ALL THE SAME JOSEPH WITH WEST PROPOSITION

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 23.—To get even with the senate for killing off their junket plans, the house voted down the offer of Corwin T. Shank to pay all expenses for members of both houses of the legislature on a jaunt to the state reformatory at Munroe.

Pardoned Political Offenders.

Madrid, Jan. 23.—King Alfonso today granted amnesty to all political offenders as part of the celebration of his birthday.

HAD INFERNAL MACHINE.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 23.—That Carl Reidelbach, alias Warr, actually carried an infernal machine into the central police station here, but that the resultant complaint filed against him is faulty was the contention of Reidelbach's attorneys today when he was placed on trial for the second time before Superior Judge Willis.

Detectives Browne, Fitzgerald and Hosiek, who overpowered Reidelbach and wrested from his his machine, testified today.

Trainload of Insane to New Asylum

Three hundred and twenty inmates of the state hospital for the insane, the largest shipment of insane persons ever known on the Pacific coast, will leave Salem Saturday to be transferred to the new branch asylum at Pendleton. The patients will go by special train provided by the Hariman lines.

All of the patients to go to Pendleton are those who come to the Salem institution from the eastern Oregon counties. The train on which they will ride will consist of one baggage coach, two tourist cars and five day coaches. The coaches will be well equipped for emergency in case any of the patients should become ill or be injured during the trip. About twenty attendants will accompany the patients.

To Banquet the Pencil Pushers

The Capital Journal, to express in a small way, its keen appreciation of the newspaper fraternity generally, will give a banquet at the Hotel Marion tomorrow, Friday, evening at 6:30 to the newspaper men here from other places, and those employed on the local papers. This, of course, includes Murray Wade, the young and bright Oregon cartoonist, who, while doing some other work for The Journal, will also have something to say in one of his talking cartoons concerning the affair.

REBEL LEADER WOULD MAKE TERMS FOR HIMSELF

Douglas, Ariz., Jan. 23.—Following the refusal of federal authorities to accept his peace offer, Frederico Cordova, at the head of 600 well equipped rebels, withdrew into the mountains above Nacori Chico, Sonora, today to remain until spring.

Cordova offered to turn his command over to the federalists to garrison Sonora cities on condition of amnesty for his men and the governorship of Sonora for himself. According to his declaration through envoys sent to Hermosillo, a large force of rebels from Chihuahua will join him in April in a campaign against the larger Sonora towns unless his demands are granted.

Dangerous Crazy Man.

San Jose, Cal., Jan. 23.—His diseased mind charged with a frenzy to kill all whom he dislikes, Edward Deisney, who, with two others, forced the window bars of the dangerous ward in the state insane hospital at Azusa, and escaped, is today terrorizing the countryside about here. His companions were quickly recaptured and hundreds of armed deputies and citizens are today searching for the crazed murderer.

"MERCHANT OF VENICE" NOT TRUE IN MODERN TYPE

New York, Jan. 23.—Claiming it makes members of their race out as avaricious, the Jews here have today forced disuse of Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice" in many of the city schools.

Hot Time Expected in London

House of Lords to Vote Tomorrow on Enfranchisement of Women—Suffragettes gather by Thousands

London, Jan. 23.—Wild scenes in the house of commons are expected tomorrow, when a vote will be taken on legislation granting the ballot to women. The suffragettes have waged stubborn campaign, and the vote to enfranchise women is expected to create even more excitement than that which resulted in the commons adopting the Irish home rule bill.

The advocates of votes for women are confident of success. They profess to see victory for the cause in the stand taken today by Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd George, who was visited by a delegation of 20 suffragette leaders. He flatly announced that he favored enfranchising householders and the wives of householders and pledged the government's support to any suffrage amendment acceptable to the house of commons.

Lloyd George was deeply touched by the story of Mrs. Mary Wood, a member of the delegation. She painted a vivid picture of how she was forced to toil 65 hours a week for a pittance insufficient to support herself and invalid husband.

"The sweet shops are responsible for my husband's condition," she said. "He contracted tuberculosis, he was forced to work in an unsanitary place, and now I am compelled to labor there to earn a living for us both."

CANADA WOULD LEAD GREAT PEACE MOVEMENT

Calgary, Jan. 23.—The United Farmers of Alberta are for universal peace. They are opposed to war and are very much against Canadian naval policies whether they emanate from either of the political parties. They would have Canada lead the world in a great disarmament movement, and so declared in an anti-naval resolution which was adopted by an overwhelming vote just before adjournment yesterday afternoon. In all the six hundred delegates there were but 12 votes against the resolution.

BRAZIL LAUNCHES THE GREATEST BATTLESHIP

New Castle, Eng., Jan. 23.—The largest and most powerful battleship afloat, the Brazilian super dreadnaught, Rio de Janeiro, was launched yesterday from the slips in Elswick. She displaced 27,500 tons and is armed with 14 12-inch and 20 6-inch guns. She is designed to attain a speed of 22 knots an hour.

ONLY 20 YEARS OLD BUT IS A BIGAMIST

Toronto, Cal., Jan. 23.—"A bigamist at 20. You have done pretty fair," was the reflection of Magistrate Denison, regarding Earnest Boyd Burleigh, a youth brought from the central prison to confess that he committed bigamy by marrying Mattie Badgley August 7, Burleigh had married Lillian Gilbert in Calgary early in the summer. Boyd was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

Ungrateful Babies.

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—For threatening him because he would not give them money, after he had kept them in clothing and food for two weeks, Aaron Levy, clerk of a benevolent society, had 11 unemployed men arrested, and they are in jail here today. Levy was guarding several thousand dollars belonging to the society when the men menaced him.

SHIELDS IS ELECTED TENNESSEE'S SENATOR

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 23.—John Shields, chief justice of the Tennessee supreme court, was elected United States senator for the long term on the first ballot here this afternoon. Shields is an independent Democrat.

CUBA MUST BE GOOD

Havana, Jan. 23.—The United States minister to Cuba today presented to President Gomez a note from the United States Department of State, couched in strong and unequivocal terms, demanding that Cuba immediately ratify the Guantanamo naval station treaty.

The note also protested against the alleged revolutionary agitation being pushed by many government officials, including the Cuban vice-president and the Speaker of the House.

Dad Knocks Son out in One Round

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—Two rounds were sufficient here today for Governor Hiram Johnson to deliver a knockout blow to the pugilistic aspirations of his son, Archie, who coveted the title amateur welterweight championship of California. Young Johnson, who is credited with being one of the cleverest two handed boxers on the coast, had arranged to fight for the title here tomorrow night, when the governor stepped in and upset all his plans.

Johnson was scheduled to meet Ernie Clark, Los Angeles' crack boxer, in a three-round bout at the Olympic club's tournament. Archie had trained faithfully, and had pronounced himself fit. Then the governor read of the proposed bout and proceeded to show that "father could go some, too."

The first round was fought over the long distance telephone from Sacramento. Archie was on the San Francisco end. The governor peremptorily ordered that he withdraw from the tournament. Archie protested, but the governor insisted.

Young Johnson was determined to keep his engagement but he reckoned without consideration of opposing influence. Governor Johnson fought the next round with the directors of the club.

"My son shall not fight in your tournament," he told them. "You must call off the bout."

The directors did so, giving failure of the principals to reach the prescribed welterweight limit as the reason.

Friends of young Johnson said today that he was the most depressed individual in San Francisco.

LOADED THE POSTMAN DOWN WITH TINWARE

Aberdeen, Wash., Jan. 2.—Miss Josephine Smith, who is to become a bride Saturday, was surprised to receive many packages of tinware through the parcel post. The scheme was planned by her friends as a new idea in "showers." All sorts of articles of tinware were mailed so that the letter carrier on the route on which Miss Smith lived looked like a belated edition of Santa Claus.

TEN PAIRS OF HOSE GIRLS "STOCKING" UP

Riverside, N. J., Jan. 23.—Beulah Mary Szabelick was discovered with 10 pairs of hose on when she quit work recently, and the firm has lost \$25,000 in silk stockings to date, the 1500 women and girls employed in the Tangle hosiery mills here are today ordered to display their ankles when they leave each day.

GARMENT WORK STRIKERS TRYING TO COMPROMISE

New York, Jan. 23.—The Garment Workers' Union announced today that it would present revised demands to the employers in an effort to settle the strike. It is expected the manufacturers will temporarily accept the demands, pending arbitration.

LIKE A WOMAN'S WONT WAS THIS MAN'S WILL

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—Consisting of but a sentence, will of William D. Bradbury, bequeathing an estate valued at more than a million to his wife, is on file here today.

Portland Girl Weds a Fighter

Miss Fay King Cartoonist for a Denver Paper This Afternoon Married Battling Nelson the Famous Pugilist

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Clicks of moving picture machines furnished the wedding march for the marriage at Hegewisch this afternoon of Oscar Matthew Battling Nelson, former lightweight champion pugilist of the world, and Miss Fay King of Portland, cartoonist for a Denver newspaper. All Hegewisch took a half holiday to witness the event.

When Nelson and Miss King arrived in Chicago this morning they found a reception committee of the residents of Hegewisch at the station to greet them. The committee bundled the couple into a waiting automobile and they were hurried to the Auditorium hotel, where a regal wedding breakfast was served. Miss King spent part of the morning buying her trousseau.

At noon the couple, accompanied by the Hegewisch delegation, returned to that town, escorted by the Rev. Walter Larson, who performed the ceremony, and an imposing array of moving picture operators with their machines.

Hegewisch Is Pleased.

Another rousing reception greeted the pugilist and Miss King when they reached Hegewisch, where the Dane holds the office of honorary mayor.

"Hurrah for Hegewisch's first citizen!" the crowd yelled.

Nelson grinned and stood up in the toupneau of the machine.

"Some bride, eh boys?" he yelled, pointing to Miss King.

The "boys" yelled their approval of the fighters choice and the party proceeded to the Nelson home.

"You see," Nelson told his newspaper friends, "we decided to get married in a hurry. I had a whole lot to contend with as I had to fight to overrule Faye's wishes for more time. Believe me, I had to extend myself more to carry my point than in any ring battle in which I ever engaged. But say, fellows, it was worth while."

As Nelson stepped from the station here he was handed a telegram from his bride's father, Jack King, of Portland. It read:

"Anything you do, Bat, is all right with me. Best wishes for you both, and love to Faye."

"I wonder why Jack didn't include me in that love stuff," said Bat, pulling at his collar. "Anyway, Jack is a good old scout. He's for me, and I'm for him."

TORONTO T O HAVE 21-STORY BUILDING

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 23.—Toronto is to have a 21-story building, Canada's highest, on the northeastern corner of King and Yonge streets. The skyscraper is to cost \$2,500,000 and will be built on Yonge street and 81 feet on King street.

THE PUNISHMENT JUST ABOUT FIT THE CRIME

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—Turning on the gas, Frank Seldor, former musician in a German military band, played hand music on his phonograph until he fell unconscious, and is dead here today. Twenty-three dollars, his entire "savings," he left to a fellow lodger.

VERY SLIGHT ENCOURAGEMENT TO INCREASE THE CENSUS

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 23.—Showing 41 to the credit of the resident, the Orange Bank of West New Haven is today giving a handbook to every person born within the corporate limits of the town.

Grand Vizier Resigns.

Constantinople, Jan. 23.—With the statement that he could not give up Adrianople to the Balkan allies and retain his portfolio, Kamil Pasha resigned today as grand vizier of Turkey. The entire cabinet is expected to follow his example.