

WINING BILL MAY BE PASSED

Demand Universal Military Service, Says Senator J. E. Watson.

Washington Bureau. Strenuous efforts are made at the coming extra session of congress to pass the bill for universal military training.

James E. Watson of Indiana, one of the most active proponents of this legislation, said today that congress will pass a universal military training bill at the extra session.

"We have in this country a lot of idle, cigarette-smoking youth who hardly know what the word 'discipline' means. Compulsory military training would improve the quality of the youth of the land."

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SMALL BOY TAKES A LONG JOURNEY

Clayton Stapleton Here From Los Angeles, But Cannot Find Mother.

If the mother or father of Clayton Stapleton, nine years old, will call at Chief Murphy's office information will be given concerning the little fellow, who arrived yesterday morning from Los Angeles.

The lad made the long trip alone. His mother sent him a ticket to Los Angeles and he boarded the train for Butte. When he arrived at the station he looked in vain for his mother and when he failed to find her he commenced to cry.

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CARROLL IS HEAD OF BIG COMMITTEE

F. L. Melcher and J. Oppenheimer With Him on Building and Finance.

Eugene Carroll, chairman, F. L. Melcher and Joseph Oppenheimer compose the members of the building and finance committee of the Young Men's Christian association, bids for the construction of which will be sought next month, according to O. C. Colton, who is in charge of the headquarters in the Silver Bow block.

The three men are prominent in the business and civic life of the city and have a wide understanding of the requirements needed for their committee work and those interested in the Y. M. C. A. work in Butte received with pleasure the news of their election to the important post.

The plans for the building have been radically changed from the general ideas which were broached at first. The changes were made in order to include a much wider scope of activities to be carried on along community lines and social work.

The consulting architects of Chicago have been here twice to consult with Floyd Hamill, the local architect, concerning the plans and it is believed they will be completed in a short time.

Mr. Colton said he believed the final plans will be accepted by the committee within a week and that they had been revised to meet local conditions.

On April 1 the Geoffrey Lavelle home on Washington and West Park streets will be given up by the tenants and it will be razed to make way for the Y. M. C. A. building.

The new building will be a combination of the city and industrial types of Y. M. C. A. buildings. The entire main floor will be devoted to the social departments and will also have an industrial secretary's office.

The industrial secretary's work will be confined to the social phases of the work with the probability of adding outside classes in English and civics for foreign-speaking residents.

The building will also have a luncheonette and eight bowling alleys, as well as a billiard room with 12 tables and a big lounge room which will be possible to utilize as a small assembly in conjunction with moving picture and stereopticon work.

An employment department will also be a part of the industrial secretary's work. The other floors of the building will be devoted to the Y. M. C. A. proper. The gymnasium, pool, places for boxing, wrestling, handball and nearly every branch of athletic activity will be included.

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WITNESS DESCRIBES THE ASSAULT ON JOHN M'NAMEE

Fred A. O'Donnell, Who Was One of McNamee's Party in Visit to Roadhouse, Declares William O'Malley, the Defendant, is the Man Who Struck McNamee on the Head, Inflicting the Blow From Which the Latter Died.

The story of the fatal assault on John McNamee on the morning of Oct. 23 at Smith's roadhouse by William O'Malley, who is on trial for murder before John V. Dwyer and a jury, was told this morning by Fred A. O'Donnell, one of the members of the McNamee party and who was also assaulted and still bears a scar on his head as the result of an attack on him at the time McNamee received the fatal blow. The witness told of leaving Walkerville in the evening at about 8 o'clock in McNamee's machine in company with Fred L. O'Donnell and Dan Hurley. They went to Oregon Springs, where they had a bath and two drinks. The witness said that he drank iron brew and the others small beers. On the return trip they let Fred L. O'Donnell out on Front street, near the corner of Utah avenue, and the rest of the party proceeded to the Three Mile house, where they had a couple of drinks of beer and danced some. They reached the Smith roadhouse a little after 1 o'clock on the morning of Oct. 23 and when they arrived there, according to the witness, they found the O'Malley party in the dance hall. A drink or two was had at the roadhouse and they also danced.

The Row.
When the McNamee party finished dancing the O'Malley party was preparing to leave. The witness said that he was the last one of his party to leave the house, as he had proposed to talk to a friend. As he opened the door to go out the witness said that he heard a woman cry out: "They have caught Roy," meaning Roy Dival, who was one of the O'Malley party. The witness said that he next heard a woman cry out: "Kill him, kill him!" The witness said that he ran out and found McNamee standing near his machine. O'Malley was standing 40 or 50 feet away. The witness said that he heard McNamee say: "There is no use of you fellows getting crazy about this thing."

Just about this time the witness said that he received a blow on the head and another man hit him in the mouth. "As McNamee started to walk to his machine," the witness said, "O'Malley ran up behind McNamee and struck him on the right side of the head." McNamee fell and the witness said that as O'Malley passed him he struck him while he was on the ground. "I am positive that O'Malley is the person who struck McNamee on the head," declared the witness.

Drove Away.
After the assault on McNamee and witness the O'Malley party, according to the witness, jumped into their machine and started away without lighting their head lights. The witness said that McNamee was still on the ground, unconscious and he got Tom Gallagher, the bartender, to come and assist him in removing McNamee to the house, where a doctor was called

and McNamee's wound was dressed, as was also the one he had received. The witness declared that all the persons in the McNamee party were sober and that no trouble, previous to the assault on McNamee, had occurred.

Dan Hurley, another member of the McNamee party, said that he saw a man take the automobile robe from the McNamee car and heard McNamee shout at him to bring it back. The witness said he saw McNamee make a grab for it. The witness said that at the time the headlights on the O'Malley machine were burning, but soon after he saw O'Malley stoop down and then the lights went out. The witness was shown an automobile robe and he identified it as the one which was in the McNamee machine on the morning of Oct. 23.

Hurley was still under direct examination at the noon adjournment.

Hurley Identifies Him.
When court resumed this afternoon the examination of Dan Hurley was continued. The witness said that he saw Fred A. O'Donnell hit on the head. He said that he also saw the same man hit John McNamee on the head. When this man turned around the witness said that he recognized that it was O'Malley who hit both O'Donnell and McNamee. The witness said that he heard some one shout out: "Beat it in this machine; they will never get up." The direct examination was not concluded at a late hour.

Yesterday Afternoon.
A jury was secured yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock and, after a brief opening statement in behalf of the state by Deputy County Attorney E. Pat Kelly, the taking of testimony was commenced. Attorney Kelly in his opening address informed the jury that it would be shown by witnesses in behalf of the state that O'Malley struck the fatal blow and he said that if that were shown the state would expect a verdict of murder in the first degree.

The first witness was Deputy County Surveyor Gordon Howell, who produced a plan of the locality where the murder occurred.

Dr. E. W. Langdon told of treating McNamee when he was brought to St. James' hospital on the afternoon of Oct. 23. The witness said that the man had a scalp wound on the right side and was in a semi-conscious condition. When an operation was performed the witness said that it was found that McNamee was suffering from a hemorrhage of the brain. The injury, the witness said, was probably caused by a blow.

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MANY AT THE FUNERAL OF THOMAS A. WALSH

Hundreds of friends and a profusion of beautiful floral tributes were among the many marks of respect paid to Thomas A. Walsh at his funeral, which was held this morning.

Mr. Walsh was 54 years old, a resident of Butte for 25 years and for many of them manager of and stockholder in the Montana Iron Works. The funeral proceeded from the home of J. H. O'Mara, 940 South Wyoming street, to St. Joseph's church, where a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated. Burial was in the family plot in the Holy Cross cemetery. The pallbearers, who were chosen from among his old friends, the Knights of Columbus and the Woodmen of the World, were Joseph H. O'Mara, John Rowen, T. W. Grimes, James M. Duffy, Terence Cassidy, Frank J. Coburn.

REMOVES GUARDIAN OF HENRY TOBIN

Judge John V. Dwyer today signed an order removing John M. Tobin as guardian of Henry Tobin, a minor.

It is stated that Tobin has left the state and in addition that for 14 years he has not attended to the duties of guardian.

Subscribed for the Post

ENTENTE MINISTERS RETURN TO ATHENS

Allies' Food Blockade to Force Greece Into Line Has Been Partly Raised.

London, March 20—The ministers to Greece of the entente nations have again taken up their residence in Athens. Reuter's correspondent there reports: The discharge of a cargo of wheat destined for Piraeus begins today.

The admission of wheat to Greece indicates the lifting of the blockade which has been in effect for several weeks. The Greek government has made representations that widespread suffering was being caused by the shutting off of food supplies, to which the entente responded that the blockade would be lifted when Greece had complied fully with its demands. The most important of these demands were the transfer of the army to lower Greece and the disbanding of the reservists for the purpose of removing the possibility of an attack by Greek troops on the rear of the allied forces in Macedonia.

MOTION SUSTAINED.

The suit of Steve Match against Rade Milosnich, which has been before Judge McClernan since last Friday, was concluded today when the court sustained defendant's motion for a directed verdict.

Main springs \$1.00, guaranteed. Mayor, lowest priced jeweler in Montana. 11 West Park.—Adv.

THREE LOST BABIES TO FIND GOOD HOME

Three little babies, without father or mother, were removed yesterday from Butte Maternity home to the headquarters of the Montana Children's Home at Helena, where homes will be found for them, according to the R. G. Williams, superintendent of the state where they will have the advantages of other children.

BOONE AND ORR FREED.

Charles Boone and Fred Orr were released of charges of running an automobile, the property of another, when complaining witness asked Justice Kelly today to dismiss the charges.

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