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## Clubwomen's Meeting Opens

Legislators Flock to Capital Assembly of Federation Leaders

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (AP)—Crowds of the country's legislators turned out tonight to meet clubwomen leaders from "back home" who are launching a campaign to "adjust democracy" for human welfare.

Fifteen or 20 Senators and dozens of Representatives were in the group of approximately 500 who trooped to a hotel reception opening the midwinter board meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Saidie Orr Dunbar of Portland, Or., veteran public health worker elected to the federation presidency last May, received the guests. Tomorrow, she will assemble her trustees, State directors, department chairmen and State presidents to plan a three-year program embracing legislation, consumers' projects, citizenship, international relations, fine arts and education.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will address the night session tomorrow on "Clubwomen and Their Responsibility to Democracy."

## Ex-Senator Pope Takes T.V.A. Post

KNOXVILLE (Tenn.) Jan. 17. (AP)—Former Senator James P. Pope of Idaho arrived here today to take over his new job as a director of the Tennessee Valley Authority. Chairman H. A. Morgan met Pope at the railway station and accompanied him to his new office—formerly occupied by Dr. Arthur E. Morgan, deposed as T.V.A. chairman last March by President Roosevelt.

## Society Woman Weds

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 17. (AP)—Miss Constantine Eugenie Johnston, New York society woman, and Jack K. O'Meara, Minneapolis aviator and gliding expert, were married here today.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. —Legislation permitting the city of Los Angeles to give the Federal government municipally owned Reeves Field in exchange for land for park purposes was planned today by Los Angeles County members of the House.

Four California Representatives—Leland M. Ford and Thomas L. Ford of Los Angeles, Costello of Hollywood and Geyer of Gardena—mapped out plans to seek enactment of a bill authorizing the Treasury and Navy departments to enter an agreement with the city providing for the real estate swap. Representative Leland M. Ford was selected

to sponsor the measure.

The plan calls for the Treasury to turn over to the city the property of the Rancho Golf Club, formerly the Ambassador Golf Club, which has been taken in payment of taxes. In return, the city would deed the land on Terminal Island now used as a fleet air base to the Navy Department.

## Autogiro Rooftop Mail Bid Submitted

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (AP)—Eastern Airlines, Inc., submitted the only bid for the world's first regular air mail autogiro rooftop service—a line between the Philadelphia postoffice and the Camden (N.J.) Airport. The company offered to carry mail between these two points for \$3.86 a mile.

The Postoffice Department said the Philadelphia postoffice was selected for the first autogiro rooftop mail service because its roof was constructed for it. The service will be on an experimental basis.