

Bill in Congress Asks Study of Plan For Profit Sharing

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Legislation calling for a Congressional study of profit sharing between employers and employees as a means of avoiding labor strife was introduced today by Rep. Clare Boothe Luce (R-Conn.).

Mrs. Luce's measure would direct the House Ways and Means Committee to complete studies on the subject which were started several years ago.

Senator Eastland announced he will ask for immediate action in that chamber on President Truman's request for legislation for fact-finding boards in labor disputes.

The Luce bill calls on the Ways and Means Committee to report to the House upon all existing profit-sharing systems with a special view to:

1. The completion of an authentic record of experience;
2. The consideration of what advisable contribution, if any, may be made to the encouragement of profit-sharing by the federal government, including the grant of compensatory tax exemptions and tax rewards;
3. The consideration of any other recommendations which may prove desirable.

Mrs. Luce's bill declared that "the prevalence, persistence and intensity of strikes and labor disputes are symptoms indicating that the establishment of a new principle of relationship between labor and capital... is urgent if industrial peace is to be restored and maintained." It added:

"A fair and equitable distribution of the fruits of industry is a basic condition of a just and healthy capitalism."

Foresees Demo Suicide

Senator Wiley (R-Wis.) asserted in a statement that while Congress was in recess "the nation has been bumbled and fumbled into the worst strike chaos in a quarter of a century."

He called for legislation to "make unions responsible for illegal acts" and to set up "compulsory arbitration machinery to be used as a last resort to forestall strikes in vital industries."

Wiley said the administration by its actions has "prepared the way for its own suicide—for its own elimination from the national scene." He predicted election of a Republican House next fall and election of a Republican President and Senate in 1948.

Lead Uncovered in Murder of Three American Officers

NUERNBERG, Jan. 15.—(AP)—U. S. Army criminal investigation agents indicated yesterday they had uncovered a lead in their inquiry into the deaths of three military government officers in the eight-day-old mystery at Passau near the Austrian border but kept a tight censorship over the details.

Even the names of two of the victims were being kept secret officially, but they were reported unofficially to be Maj. Everett S. Coffin, of Washington, D. C., of the Passau military government detachment, and Capt. Adrian Wesseler of New Rochelle, N. Y., from the Regensburg military government detachment. The third victim was identified as Lt. Stanley Rosewater of Omaha, Neb.

The inspector general's office is reported directing the investigation into the case in which the three men were beaten to death while asleep in a house at the edge of Passau, and the house burned.

One officer in charge of security in the Passau region cautioned against concluding that the three officers were slain by the Nazi underground, declaring that no evidence had been found to justify such an assumption.

Guards have been doubled around officers' billets in the Passau area, officers living alone have been moved into hotels in the town and curfew regulations have been tightened for German civilians who are permitted on the streets after 10:30 P. M. only if they have special passes. All American troops in the area have been ordered to carry arms at all times.

Deadline for Election Of Teachers Noted

School boards throughout the county have until March 15 to re-elect their teachers this year to positions for next year. And



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teachers have until April 1 to accept or not be hired for next year, Mrs. Lula C. Gorrell, county school superintendent, said today. This is done in accordance with state law.

A change in requirements for emergency teaching certificates also was noted by Mrs. Gorrell. Teachers who have not attended at least 12 quarter hours in an institution of higher learning, beyond the requirements for high school graduation, must attend summer school at least two weeks this summer, or not retain their teaching certificates. Requirements for teaching certificates had been relaxed during the period of the war emergency.

Coast Assn. Sets Tourist Lure Fund

COOS BAY, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Directors of the Oregon Coast Association have voted a \$11,800 budget to entice tourists to the area, emphasizing a "seashore-for-health" slogan.

Promotion plans include (1) 80,000 copies of a three-color coast travel guide, (2) a coast magazine for association members, (3) a sports fishing guide, and (4) a publication telling coast legends and history.

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 16.—(AP)—Americans will break all travel records this summer, William G. Oves, president of the Northwest Tourist Association, predicted yesterday.

Oves, assistant secretary of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce, said he looks for tourists to spend about fifteen billion dollars in 1946.

Oves was a speaker at the convention of the association which plans a campaign to attract tourists to the Pacific Northwest.

Extension of federal all-risk crop insurance to other crops as soon as possible has been advocated by the state conference of AA committeemen.

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Doenitz' Lie That British Sank Own Ship Is Exposed

NUERNBERG, Germany, Jan. 16.—(AP)—An affidavit by Grand Adm. Karl Doenitz introduced before the International Military Tribunal yesterday exploded the German myth that the British liner Athenia was sunk by the British themselves in 1939 in a plot to push the United States into the war. Thirty Americans were among 113 passengers lost.

Great Britain demanded the conviction of Doenitz, successor to Adolf Hitler as Fuehrer of Germany, as a "murderer" for U-boat attacks on helpless sailors in lifeboats and for ordering the ruthless shooting of commandos.

The affidavit, signed by Doenitz on Nov. 17, 1945, said the Athenia was sunk by the German submarine U-30 on the day Britain entered the war. On board were 1,500 passengers, some of them Americans. German propaganda at the time tried to lay the blame on Winston Churchill.

Bolestering the case against Doenitz, Lt. Cmdr. Karl-Heinz Moehle, a German submarine commander who sank 20 allied ships, testified against the Admiral, asserting that he did not want to be blamed for his former chief's order to shoot up lifeboats.

As the prosecution denounced Doenitz, the cold, aloof Admiral dropped his pose of indifference for the first time and cursed and defended himself in mutters with other defendants in the dock.

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Cougar Basketeers Down Huskies, 48 to 37

PULLMAN, Wash., Jan. 16.—(AP)—The Washington State Cougars defeated the University of Washington basketball team 48 to 37 last night, after having bowed twice to Washington previously on the Huskies' home court.

FOREST GROVE, Ore., Jan. 16.—(AP)—In a rough game that failed a total of 39 fouls for both teams, the University of Portland basketball team defeated the Pacific University squad 51 to 37.

Transfer of Rights to Wives of Vets Proposed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Senator Magnuson (D-Wash.) wants the GI Bill of Rights to grant wives of totally disabled war veterans the same training and educational rights it gives veterans.

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Rommel War Note Found in Helmet

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Three-year-old Bruce Perloff, toying with the German helmet he's been given as a souvenir pulled off a strap and uncovered a secret message probably dispatched by the one-time commander of the Nazi Afrika Corps, Marshal Erwin Rommel.

"Look, Mommy," Bruce told his 20-year-old mother, Edith. She inspected and saw a three-by-five scrap of tattered paper marked "Important dispatch."

One side of the paper she found the words, partly illegible because of wear and tear: "Josef M. Seldfurt, commanding officer, 551st tank reserve, Afrika Corps," and then in German: "Nicht effendong," which in English means "do not open."

Under these words was drawn a crude swastika.

On the other side, it said in English "repel British counter-attack at..." but there the paper was torn. Under the tear the words "El Alamein" appear.

In one place, the paper says "If retreat is necessary the next defense line is at..." and again the paper is worn through.

At the bottom of the page, two initials, E. R., are marked in heavily and beside them is a swastika.

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Listen to KRNR at 6:55 on Friday morning for a more complete and later listing.

Miscellaneous and furniture selling starting at 7 o'clock in the evening. We have an iron baby crib, complete with mattress, a beautiful prewar davenport with springs in excellent condition with a silk striped extra nice covering, an oil cook stove. One party is selling out their complete household, consisting of a mohair davenport and chair, a carved golden oak antique bedroom suite with commode, bed and dresser, another bedroom set with dressing table, both with springs and mattresses. This is very nice furniture. Also garden tools and carpenter tools. Some oil cans, an oil drum, a fish rod, cream can, oil brooder, plow, pump, a gong, some galvanized clothesline wire, 2 corn shellers, a small and large one, a good hot water tank, cellophane, scoop spade, hay fork, barn broom, a tire and rim. Special—A Thor trolling outboard motor in perfect condition. Of course there will be much more by Friday evening. A crane toilet complete and electric washer. Don't forget, we sell furniture and miscellaneous at 7 o'clock in the evening. Livestock at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

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