

Sabotage, Strikes Aimed At Leopold

BRUSSELS, Belgium. — (AP) — The railroad track from Leige to Paris was cut during the night near Charleroi. Trains were considerably delayed.

It was the 27th sabotage action reported since King Leopold's return to Belgium on Saturday.

About 10,000 workers laid down their tools in two large metal plants in the Charleroi area.

Last night in Brussels newsmen of Leopold were booted in two theaters.

In Liege, 8,000 workers of the Cockerill steel plant left work this morning and the strike movement slowly spread to all industries in the area.

In Antwerp, where pro-Leopold demonstrations were scheduled for Thursday evening, the socialist burgomaster banned meetings of more than five persons on the streets.

Later reports from Liege said that 5,000 miners had joined the strike and large forces of gendarmes were patrolling the center of the city. Nails had been spread on some streets to puncture tires of passing vehicles.

Charges Fly In Marine Hero's Suit Against Wife

LOS ANGELES. — (AP) — Edward F. Boozer, 34, former Marine hero who has sued his wealthy wife for \$500 a month separate maintenance, was accused by her of adultery.

Mrs. Joyce Primrose Boozer, 40, heiress to a \$5,000,000 Illinois cattle and farm fortune with a \$100,000-a-year income, amended her divorce action yesterday.

She charged that Boozer, who has a 100 percent disability rating, "at various places, apartments, motels, hotels and rooms, did commit adultery with various, numerous and sundry women whose names and identities are not known at this time."

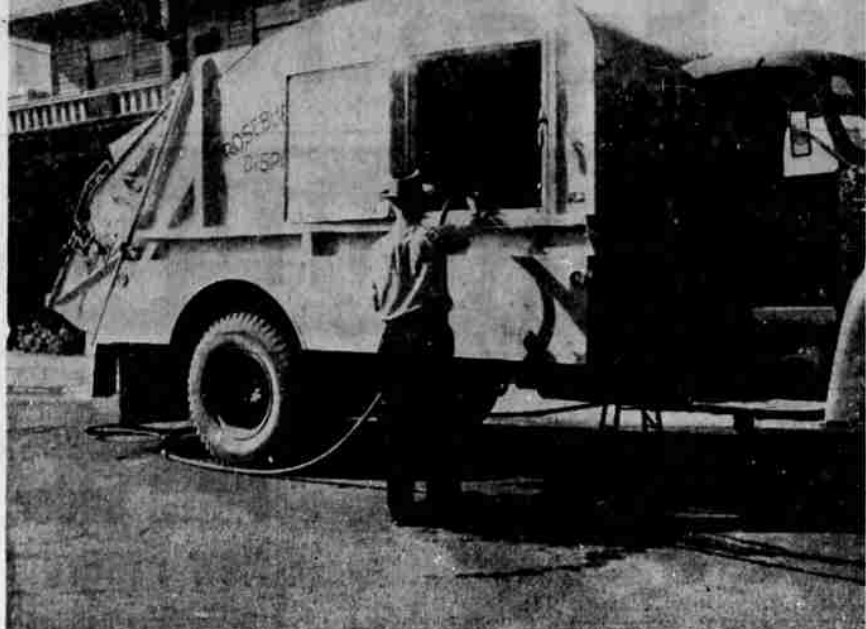
Boozer's plea for separate maintenance, in answer to her divorce suit, claims that his government pension is inadequate. He accused his wife of infidelity.

She charged in her new complaint that he beat her head against the floor, pulled hair from her head, threw hot coffee in her face, struck her with a telephone and threatened to kill her.

New Zealanders Force To Aid Americans In Korea

AUCKLAND, New Zealand. — (AP) — Prime minister Sydney Holland told the House of Commons New Zealand has decided to send an artillery combat force to fight in Korea.

It was not immediately announced how many men the government hoped to enroll for the overseas task.



DOUSES FIRE — When contents of the Roseburg Garbage company's truck caught fire Tuesday, the truck was rushed to the fire department, where Volunteer Fireman Walt Fredrickson quickly put out the flames. (Staff photo.)

AFL And CIO To Unite Efforts

WASHINGTON. — (AP) — The AFL and CIO have made their first formal agreement to work together in politics, legislation, and international policy.

A permanent AFL-CIO unity committee was created. Perhaps in a month or two, it will hold other meetings to consider practical machinery to settle inter-union quarrels and to study proposals for "organic unity in the American labor movement."

The committee also plans, sooner or later, to bring the United Mine workers and other outside unions into the discussions.

As expected, "organic unity" — or real merger of the AFL and CIO — is definitely not just around the corner. The news of immediate importance is that for the first time in the history of their rivalry, the AFL and CIO top commands have proclaimed to the county and to all their 14 million members: "We will work together."

In part, this amounts to an official sanction of AFL-CIO cooperation that has been increasing in various fields — sometimes on a local level almost secretly.

Four Nations Offer U.S. Aid To Fight Korean Reds

ANARA, Turkey. — (AP) — Turkey has offered 4,500 fully armed troops to fight the Communists in Korea.

Officials said these men would not be a token force, but a trained hard-hitting military unit. They would be equipped with American arms received under the current U. S. Military aid program.

Qualified sources in London said Britain was ready to offer a small ground force for combat in Korea. They said an important factor was British desire to let Americans know they were fighting alone.

Thailand has already offered 4,000 officers and men and Bolivia 30 officers.

Worker Suffocates Under Flood Of Cottonseed Hulls

QUANAH, Tex., — (AP) — Harry H. Duckworth, 61, suffocated when buried under eight feet of cottonseed hulls.

Rescuers shoveled 25 minutes before they could reach Duckworth, trapped by the cotton seed as it sloshed into a mill seed house when he was working.

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Local News

Son Is Born — Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mack are parents of a son, Donovan Leslie, born Tuesday morning, July 25, at Sacred Heart hospital in Eugene. The baby weighed eight pounds fourteen ounces. This is the Macks' second son. Their other boy is named Jonny. Mr. Mack is a reporter for the News-Review.

Daughter Is Born — A daughter, Christine Loretta, weighing four pounds six ounces was born to L. Lewis M. Moore, USN, and Mrs. Moore, at the Naval hospital, Mare Island, Vallejo, Calif., July 8. Lt. Moore is serving at the line school, Newport, R. I. The Moores have two other children.

Visit in Roseburg — Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pearson and son, Gary, of Bend, spent the weekend in Roseburg as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Oederkirk. Mr. Pearson is a brother of Mrs. Oederkirk and Vera Washington of this city.

Accepts Position — Edward L. Long, formerly with Umpqua Plywood corporation, has accepted a position in the accounting department of the new \$2 million Mutual Plywood corporation of Eureka, Calif. Mr. Long is a director and stockholder in the new mill. He will assume his new duties Aug. 1. Mutual Plywood has just begun production and is reported to be one of the largest and most modern plants in the industry.

Daughter Is Born — A daughter, Elizabeth Jean, weighing seven pounds twelve ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale L. Maddox in Corvallis recently. The Maddox also have a three-year old daughter, Rebecca Ann. Mr. and Mrs. John Maddox of Lookingglass are grandparents.

Picnic Dated — Melrose Grange annual picnic will be held Tuesday, Aug. 1, at Umpqua park at 7 p.m. Icecream and coffee will be furnished by the Grange. Members and their families are asked to attend.

Home From Vacation — Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Edwards and daughter, Linda and Mrs. Edwards' mother and sister, Mrs. Roscoe Sanders and Miss Zelda Sanders, have returned to their homes in Stockton, Calif., where they visited Mrs. Sanders' mother-in-law, Mrs. M. A. Bee. Mrs. Bee has been very ill, but is reported slowly improving. From Stockton, the Roseburgers went on to Tamarack lodge at Ebbetts pass for the remainder of their vacation. Mrs. Edwards is a member of the News-Review office staff. Mr. Edwards is employed at Carstens Furniture company.

Mrs. Chidester Returns — Mrs. Pearl Chidester, mother of Mrs. Fuller Johnson of Roseburg, has returned to Roseburg, following a trip to San Francisco to visit in other daughter, Mrs. Donald Connor, and family.

Wounded South Koreans Slain By Reds, Medic Says

U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEAD-QUARTERS IN KOREA, July 26. — A 26-year-old Korean doctor told a news conference today that North Korean Communist troops shot and killed "hundreds" of wounded South Korean soldiers in two Seoul hospitals after the Reds entered the republic's capital.

The doctor, whose name was withheld for security reasons, said he left Seoul July 14, sixteen days after the Reds occupied the city.

He said many South Koreans told him they had seen the bodies of the wounded after they were reportedly shot at the hospitals.

The doctor reached this headquarters Saturday.

He said about 50 foreigners in American uniforms were exhibited in Seoul as prisoners while he was there.

Every house in Seoul, he said, must display pictures of Kim Il Sung, North Korean Communist leader, and Joseph Stalin.

Convicted Negro Denied Stay Of Execution

JACKSON, Miss., July 26 — (AP) — Chief Justice Harvey McGehee Tuesday denied Willie McGehee, convicted Negro rapist, a writ of error which would have stayed the Negro's execution Thursday.

Chief justice McGehee did not say on what grounds the petition was dismissed.

McGehee's attorneys contended in the petition and in a hearing before the chief justice yesterday that false testimony convicted the Laurel, Miss., Negro of raping a white Laurel housewife in November 1945.

They refused, however, to present any supporting evidence.

McGehee has been convicted of the crime three times. The first trial was set aside by the state supreme court, the second by the U. S. supreme court.

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