

Senate Cites Hutcheson, 12 Others

Justice Dept. To Get Cases For Action

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate today voted contempt citations against Maurice A. Hutcheson, international president of the Carpenters Union, and 12 other hazy or fugitive witnesses in its Rackets Investigating Committee's hearings.

The action sends the cases to the Justice Department for handling like any other criminal charges. That is, the issue will be presented to a grand jury. If indictments are returned, the defendants will be entitled to a jury trial.

Conviction of contempt of Congress is punishable by up to a year's imprisonment and \$1,000 fine.

The 13 contempt citations were approved in a single 87-0 roll call vote.

Sen. John L. McClellan (D-Ark.), the Rackets Committee chairman, asked his colleagues either to back up the committee in these cases or to disband it.

Refused To Answer

The contempt accusation against Hutcheson was based on his refusal to answer questions about his financial dealings. He refused also to answer questions as to whether he misused union funds for his own benefit.

Hutcheson challenged the committee's authority to ask such questions. He did not invoke the Fifth Amendment.

Others cited included Tony Accardo, an alleged Chicago gangster, and Pete Licavoli, Detroit and Tucson, Ariz., racketeer.

Licavoli was cited for failure to respond to a subpoena.

A citation against Ernest Spark High, publisher of the AFL Spotlight, a New York labor newspaper, was on similar ground.

The citations against Accardo and the nine others accused them of attempting to thwart the committee by frivolous use of the Fifth Amendment.

Others Identified

The committee identified the men as follows:

Joseph Atuppa, Elmhurst, Ill., an officer of Local 450 of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees and Bartenders Union, Chicago.

Joseph Divarico, "a notorious Chicago hoodlum and convicted counterfeiter."

Sam Battaglia, "a Chicago hoodlum with a long police record and a close associate of Accardo."

Marshall Caifano, Chicago, an Accardo lieutenant with a long criminal record.

John Lardino, Oak Park, Ill., brother of Danny Lardino, who was the administrative director and supervisor of business agents for Local 393 of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees and Bartenders Union, Chicago.

Ross Prio, Chicago, another Accardo lieutenant.

Jack Cerone, Elmwood Park, Ill., a former chauffeur for Accardo and "presently a major racketeer figure in the Chicago area."

Abraham Teitelbaum, a Chicago attorney and former labor relations counsel for the Chicago Restaurant Assn.

Local Union Stands Behind West Council

Members of Lumber and Sawmill Workers Local 2949, Roseburg, have voted unanimously to reject a special Western Council dispensation which would have allowed them to sit out any strikes or forego paying any strike assessments.

Henry Weber, business agent, said the vote was made Saturday night at a regular union meeting. The local had several months ago voted against any strike.

The Western Council of LSW is in the process of wage negotiations with employers. The council represents nine western states.

"We don't anticipate any strikes in this area," Weber said. He said the union members attending the Saturday meeting voted 100 per cent to stand behind the Western Council.

IWA Will Seek Wage Increase

PORTLAND (AP)—A wage increase for its 45,000 members will be sought in September, the International Woodworkers of America announced Saturday night.

Last spring the union agreed to extend its contract without a wage increase because of the lumber market slump.

However, a union official said Saturday night that recent lumber price "justify a wage increase."

The union will open negotiations here Sept. 16 with the Lumbermen's Industrial Relations Committee and the Door Manufacturers Industrial Committee, chairman of the union's Northwest Regional Negotiating Committee.

Sept. 18 the union will meet with the Weyerhaeuser Timber Co., Nelson said.

Just how much of a raise the IWA will ask, Nelson refused to say. That, he said, will be up to union officials who will poll members.

Stack Of Bills Await Congress Before Windup

WASHINGTON (AP) — A stack of bills, some of which could provoke floor battles, today confronted a Congress anxious to go home and campaign for the fall elections.

Leaders were shooting for adjournment by the end of this week, but there were several issues that could prevent them from hitting that target.

The House undertook a mammoth job by listing 35 bills for possible consideration today under procedure requiring two-thirds vote for passage.

In this group was a controversial labor control bill which has passed the Senate. This measure was given slight chance.

Another bill up for action on a take-it-or-leave-it basis was a watered-down housing bill which has passed the Senate in a different form. Its fate was uncertain.

Civil Liberties Bill

The Senate, meanwhile, was due to tackle legislation aimed at over-correcting the effects of certain Supreme Court decisions in the civil liberties and antitrust fields.

This potentially explosive debate could tie up the Senate for some time and possibly delay adjournment.

Another issue likely to strike sparks in the Senate is the nomination of W. Wilson White to be an assistant attorney general in charge of the Justice Department's new Civil Rights Division.

The Senate Democratic Policy Committee has cleared 106 bills for Senate action. However, many of these are minor and some may not be called up.

One major bill awaiting Senate action is a \$3,518,000,000 foreign aid money bill. The House has passed an aid bill totaling \$3,078,000,000.

Eisenhower's six-point program for Middle East stability, presented last week to the United Nations General Assembly, got a warm reception in Congress. The administration official said the President plans to tell congressional leaders they can show their support for it by voting maximum aid funds.

However, senators who have battled foreign aid in the past may try to cut the Senate total.

A number of other appropriations bills in the works cover water projects, military construction and a variety of other federal programs.

Bill Awaiting Action By House

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House faces a decision on what to do about a bill that would boost payments to some 12 million persons now drawing Social Security benefits.

The question before the House is whether to accept amendments adopted by the Senate in a move to avert a possible veto by President Eisenhower.

If acceptance is voted without sending the bill to a Senate-House conference, the measure will go to the White House.

The House on July 31 passed a bill to grant a 7 per cent increase in benefits. The vote was 375-2.

The Senate last Saturday approved a similar 7 per cent benefit boost in passing a Social Security bill by a 79-0 vote. However, the Senate pared increased federal grants to the states for four public assistance programs to 197 million dollars.

As approved by the House these grants would total 288 million. The programs are for the needy, the aged, blind, and disabled and dependent children.

Sen. George A. Smathers (D-Fla.), sponsor of amendments cutting the public assistance grants, said he was certain their adoption would prevent a veto.

Young Driver Cited After 2-Car Smash

A 17-year-old Roseburg youth was cited Sunday afternoon by city police for violation of his learner's permit and for failing to yield the right of way at a cross street after a collision with another vehicle.

He was identified as Clarence Edgar Lemon, 2747 W. Langensburg St. Police reported he was traveling south on Jackson St. and hit a car at the Sykes Ave. intersection driven by John Henry Lenaman, 67, of 713 NW Garden Valley Blvd.

There were no injuries. The Lemon car was extensively damaged when it hit the rear fender and bumper of the other vehicle. About \$200 damage was done to Lenaman's car, police reported.

Trailer's Whip Upsets Tow Truck On Highway

Victor Joseph David, 46, of Medford, smashed up a pickup truck he was towing when his car started to whip as he descended Roberts Mountain hill about 6:30 p.m. Sunday.

State police reported the accident occurred about 200 yards from the crest of the mountain on Highway 99 as David was driving south.

His station wagon and the pickup bounced off the guard rail after hitting the road's shoulder, swinging both vehicles around. The pickup turned over on its right side and was heavily damaged, police reported. It had to be towed away.

David was unhurt in the accident. He was driving about 35 miles an hour, he said, when the vehicles started laboring.

LABOR BILL KILLED

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House killed the Kennedy-lives labor control bill Monday.

Republicans led a protest against the procedure under which the bill came to the floor allowing little debate and no amendments.

The Senate passed the measure two months ago by an 88-1 vote.

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Herman Kierdorf Gives Himself Up; Mum On Burning

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP)—Herman Kierdorf, former Teamsters Union official sought for two weeks in the fire death of his unionist nephew, gave himself up Sunday night and said: "I have nothing to hide."

Other than that, his most frequent remark in interviews with police and newsmen today was "No comment."

The 68-year-old ex-convict and one-time business agent for a Teamsters local, surrendered to authorities at a drive-in restaurant by prearrangement.

"I'm happy to have it over with," he said. "I'd like to cooperate, but being innocent, I don't think I could be connected."

Kierdorf, who vanished Aug. 4, refused to say where he had hidden.

He was sought on a warrant charging him with possession of a gun with a silencer. He vanished the same day his nephew, Frank Kierdorf, 56, stumbled into a Pontiac hospital with burns over 85 per cent of his body. Frank died four days later.

Police believe Frank, a Flint Teamsters business agent, was burned while setting fire to a Flint dry-cleaning shop.

Earlier Michigan Atty. Gen. Paul Adams called the missing Herman the key to the mystery.

But today, Adams said he had no immediate intention of filing a charge against Herman in connection with the dry cleaning shop fire.

Frank Kierdorf told police before he died that he had been burned deliberately by two men. But police said their investigation disproved his story.

Herman insisted Frank, an ex-convict like himself, had not torch himself, accidentally or otherwise.

Oregon Traffic Toll Hits Six For Weekend

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Four persons died in automobile crashes on Oregon highways Sunday and two more were killed early today, raising the state traffic toll to 12 this month and 253 this year in the Associated Press tabulations.

Gary Nakanashi, 15, of Seattle, and Keyoe Hirai, 75, of Nyssa, Ore., were killed about 7:15 this morning in a two-car collision on Highway 201 near the Adrian labor camp, south of Nyssa.

Others in the accident were injured but details were not immediately available. The roads were slick from rain this morning.

The Sunday victims were Stanley Obert, about 40, Bend; Robert Riley, 36-year-old Springfield inventor and merchant patrolman; Mrs. Charlotte Tower, 71, Portland; and Earl J. Heeb, 51, Troutdale.

Injuries Fatal

Obert died Sunday night after his car ran off a forest road near Pringle Falls, southwest of Bend. He had been at a barbecue and was on his way home when he drove off the road and hit a tree.

State police said Obert got out of the car and was picked up about 15 minutes later by friends also returning from the barbecue. His apparent injury was a nose bleed. On the way to the hospital, however, Obert slumped over in the seat. He was pronounced dead on arrival at a Bend hospital.

A doctor said it appeared Obert may have suffered a heart attack.

Riley, an inventor of note who had patented a mechanical duck decoy, died when a Springfield police car chasing a speeder collided with a third automobile east of Springfield.

Rodney Brester, a Springfield policeman, was driving the patrol car, which collided with an auto driven by Gerald P. Wilson, Eugene. Brester suffered non-critical injuries. Wilson and three passengers were unhurt.

Mrs. Tower, a pedestrian, walked into the path of a car in North Portland. It was the 21st traffic death of the year in Portland.

Heeb was injured fatally in the crash of a car into a tree just off the Mt. Hood highway near Orient, east of Gresham. Three passengers were injured in the wreck.

The July traffic death toll was increased to 41, worst this year, with the late report of the Aug. 3 death of Anna Sundquist, 71, San Francisco, who was injured July 12 in an automobile-motorcycle collision in Washington County.

Rescuers Have Difficult Time During Search

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Said Suter, in describing the crew's adventures: "We took off down Donegan Creek. It was really rough, with no trails. It was steep and extremely brushy."

"Hap O'Day (Roseburg radio station KYES announcer) fell off a cliff and sprained his leg later in the afternoon. That slowed down the party, but he ran onto her tracks after about three hours. We kept losing them, then finding them."

Radio Out of Order

"We couldn't contact base camp with our walkie-talkie radio after we found her because the antenna was broken off. So Bob Horn (Douglas County reserve deputy) and I started to walk out to meet other searchers at Jackson Creek Road, as we had arranged to do before we left camp. But we had only one light and the going was too rough, so we gave up trying to reach the road."

"Meanwhile, the other members of the party repaired the radio and contacted base camp."

Describing Mrs. Hawks' condition, Suter said she was "awfully shaky" and added that her legs were so sore that she "could barely stand up." But other than that, he said she seemed to come through the long ordeal in good shape.

Mrs. Hawks was taken out of the canyon on a stretcher about 7:15 a.m. Sunday, said Suter. Her removal was delayed until daylight because of difficulties stemming from the darkness.

She met her husband, Max, and son, Max Jr., 17, at Tiller. Then the Hawks family drove to their Jackson County home, where Mrs. Hawks went to bed to get in some long-delayed sleep.

Blood Donors, Response Poor Among Groups

Response to an appeal to civic groups, churches and business houses for pledges by prospective blood donors has been poor, Mrs. Robert Franks, Douglas County Red Cross blood recruitment chairman, reported today.

About two weeks ago, the Red Cross asked for community support of the blood program in preparation for a stop of the organization's bloodmobile at Roseburg Elks Lodge Aug. 25-26.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce, First Presbyterian Church, First Conservative Baptist Church, First Church of God and the Kiwanis Club have come up with 34 pledges, Mrs. Franks said.

Definite appointments for blood donations are needed to conform with a new procedure of scheduling donors. At the donor's appointment time, his name will be called by a receptionist. By that method, it's hoped that donors can plan their day better, and long waiting periods should be eliminated, Mrs. Franks said.

Donors must be between 18 and 60 years of age, weigh 110 pounds and be physically fit. Persons who have had surgery or who became mothers in the past year won't be accepted; neither will persons who have had jaundice or malaria attacks in the past two years.

Appointments may be made by phoning Mrs. Franks or Mrs. Walter Britell.

Search Reveals Woman Lost In Mountain Area

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Other women from the Shady Cove-Medford area served sandwiches and a campfire-heated coffee throughout the search.

The campsite was donated to the search effort by John Davis, Tiller, who had set up camp there earlier.

Mrs. Hawks last was seen just north of the camp, across the timber access road which runs east and west past the camp.

More than 26 hours later, at about 7 p.m. Saturday, Douglas County Deputy L. A. (Louie) Suter came across Mrs. Hawks in Squaw Creek canyon about five miles northeast of the camp. Mrs. Hawks had propped herself against a log and was sleeping.

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FESTIVAL BOOTHS — Approximately 17 booths, sponsored by various organizations, were set up at Second Street between Main and Oak during the annual Myrtle Creek Fall Festival. The booths opened after the parade Saturday morning and closed late Sunday evening.

Parades, Rodeo Features Of MC Fall Festival

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Rosie Cleveland came in second. The pony express race was won by Frank Zimmers, also of Myrtle Creek.

Bill Wimberly won the boy's race both days. Saturday, a team led by Queen Genevieve won first place in the baton race and the team of Frank Zimmer won Sunday.

Suffers Head Injuries

The rodeo events were marred Sunday when Jack Lowery of Madras was thrown against a fence and suffered head injuries. He was taken to a Myrtle Creek hospital and is expected to be released in several days. Hospital officials described his condition today as "good." Lowery was bareback riding at the time of the accident.

The three days of entertainment started when booths opened at 1:30 Friday afternoon. Other Friday activities included a community band concert, musical program and coronation of Queen Genevieve Shelton.

Saturday the festival got under way with the parade through downtown Myrtle Creek. A children's show followed the parade and the



RODEO RIDER — A rider in the annual Myrtle Creek Fall Festival rodeo "lets her buck" as he rides the animal to the ground. Participants from Eastern Oregon took part in the rodeo which was held Saturday and Sunday afternoons. (News-Review photos by Darrell Maddox)

A cowboy breakfast Sunday morning and the rodeo during the afternoon brought the event to a close.

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