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RADICAL LAW BY INITIATIVE PLAN DRAFTED

CALIFORNIA TO BE ASKED TO
SIGN REFERENDUM
AND INITIATIVE

NEW LAW MOST DRASTIC

Would Exclude Aliens From all Agricultural Pursuits in California—China Has Sent Reports to Tokio and Answer Awaited—No Arbitration Plan Awaited, Being Entirely Unsuccessful.

San Francisco, May 20.—A referendum-initiative petition to kill the alien land law which Governor Johnson signed yesterday and substitute an anti-alien law which absolutely will exclude from agricultural pursuits, in California, all aliens ineligible to citizenship, will be in circulation within 10 days throughout the state. This announcement is made by Secretary Yoelt, of the Asiatic Exclusion league after an all-night session of the league. The league opposes the leasing of land as under the present law.

Chinda Sends Reports.
Washington, May 20.—It is predicted by administration leaders that the Japanese bill will be settled or taken to courts before it becomes effective in California in August. The cabinet has discussed the question brought to a crisis by Johnson signing the bill. Bryan reported details of the conference with Ambassador Chinda who today forwarded the administration's reply to Tokio.

It is believed Chinda presented the report favorably disposed toward the national government's action in the controversy. President Wilson and advisers are confident the dispute will never go to arbitration. Advisers say the arbitration committees could only decide whether the California bill violates the treaty with Japan, and could dictate no settlement. A test of the bill in courts or a decision in the supreme court whether the Japanese are eligible to citizenship is believed to be the likeliest solution of the difficulty.

Army Activities Explained.
Secretary of War Garrison today declared the replenishment of the stock of ammunition destroyed by fire some time ago at the Benicia, Cal., Arsenal, was the only reason for rushed handling of munitions at present at some of the Pacific coast stations. He denied any unusual activity in army posts on the coast and asserted routine shifting of troops was the only movement of any body of men at present contemplated. The explanations were drawn forth by reports from the coast that men at the Presidio in San Francisco are working night and day handling ammunition for big guns.

San Francisco, May 20.—If Japan and the United States continue their relations on the same friendly basis which has marked intercourse up to the present, the questions now agitating both countries must be definitely settled without delay. This is the statement of A. Hattori, leader of the Nationalist party in Japan, who is here with the conferees to observe the California situation and to advise Tokio.

"Japan must have an outlet," said Hattori, in discussing the Japanese immigration to California. "The population of Japan has increased by many hundreds of thousands within four years, and the time has come when Japan must settle questions presented by your alien land law."

MISS LUCY B. DODGE.

Late John Bigelow's Grand-daughter Ran Away in London.



BROOKS WILL REPAIR STORE

MODERN BUILDING TO BE MADE
OF IT.

New Front, New Mazzanine Floor
Etc., Promised.

Bids for the reconstruction of the Jay Brooks building on Adams avenue at present occupied by the N. K. West department store, are being called for, and the contract will be let as soon as possible. The entire building will be rebuilt, new entrances with storm doors and lobbies, a change in the front and cornice and a more convenient arrangement of the interior being a portion of the work included in the contract. Block & Bunting, Foley Building, are the architects, and they give assurance that the building will be as modern when finished as up to date building methods can make it.

A steam heating plant will also be installed in the basement, and for the present the one plant will heat the Brooks building and the United States National bank building together. The mazzanine floor in the rear will be changed and an up to date office and fitting rooms will occupy a portion of it. The plans also call for a public drinking fountain and such other conveniences as will add to the comfort and convenience of the customers of the store.

FLAGLER DIES

Millionaire Passes Away After Strenuous Wrestle With Death.

West Palm Beach, Fla., May 20.—Henry Flagler died today after a hard fight for his life extending over several weeks. Heart failure was the immediate cause.

For many hours Flagler was practically moribund. Spurred on by entreaties by Mrs. Flagler, a half score of physicians pressed stimulants on the dying man, and thus for a few hours kept the last vestige of life flickering. Finally the stimulants brought no response, and the millionaire's life went out without hardly a struggle.

CARS RUNNING AGAIN

Under Tentative Peace Terms, Cincinnati Has Car Service.

Cincinnati, May 20.—Cars are operating normally under the peace agreement signed last night by which the union was reorganized. The demands of the men for increase of wages will be arbitrated.

STORY OF DYNAMITE SCANDAL AT LAWRENCE TOLD TO JURY BY CONFESSED TOOL OF WOOD

Wood's Defense Dealt Severe Blow by Evidence of Man of Planted Bombs.

Boston, May 20.—A staggering blow was dealt to the defense of President Wood, on trial for alleged planting of bombs during the Lawrence Textile strike and ordering police to find them and accused the strikers in effort to discredit the strike, when Dennis Collins, co-defendant with Wood, and Atteaux testified for the prosecution.

District Attorney Pelettier opened the court session with the declaration that he stood ready to prove Wood paid John Breen to plant dynamite at Lawrence. Judge Crosby ruled that the testimony Collins might offer would be that of an accomplice and must be independently corroborated.

Collins described the meeting he and Breen had with the two men in a Boston saloon during which one of the men gave Breen a bundle and afterward, he testified, he, carrying the package, and Breen went to Lawrence in different coaches and met there at Breen's undertaking establishment. Collins said the bundle weighed 40 pounds.

The defense admitted Breen planted dynamite but insisted Wood and Atteaux were ignorant of the plans. The defense has so far succeeded in barring all testimony regarding the Lawrence strike, the court upholding the contention that the strike cannot be a part of the alleged crime.

Collins described in detail his movements at Lawrence, how he planted

the dynamite in places indicated by Breen, adding:

"Breen inquired where Joseph Ettor was speaking and endeavored to plant dynamite there but found the hall closed. The first I knew of what had been done was when I saw in the papers that dynamite was found at Lawrence."

"Breen told me," continued Collins, "Wood and his millions were back of him." Collins denied he knew the packages he planted contained dynamite or that he was doing anything criminal.

Collins said Breen instructed him to divide the dynamite sticks into six bundles, covering them with newspaper.

"Breen asked me," said Collins, "If I knew Wood. I told him I didn't, and he answered, 'Well, never mind, it's a good joke anyway.'"

Attorney Hurlburt, representing Wood, refused to cross examine Collins, declaring nothing in his testimony connected Wood with the affair. Attorney Coakley severely cross examined Collins, but the latter stuck to his story. Collins denied he was promised immunity but admitted his attorney had advised him to tell the truth and that the district attorney probably would help him.

Police Inspector Rooney testified he had been "tipped" by Breen in January, 1912, that the dynamite was planted. Rooney said he located it, and arrested several persons.

STEPHEN J. STILWELL.

New York State Senator
Tried on Bribery Charges.



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WOMEN JAILED OVER STRIKES

SILK MILL WALKOUT RESULTS
IN ARRESTS.

Police Arrest Over Fifty Women,
One With Babe in Arms.

Pattison, N. J., May 20.—Three women, one with a baby in her arms, are among the fifty-seven arrested in the vicinity of the Price silk mills where some workers have returned to work. Twelve hundred strikers and sympathizers gathered to watch the returning workers and arrests occurred when the orders to move on were disobeyed.

The woman with the baby was paroled.

PEACE AGAIN TALKED

Balkan States Discuss Settlement of
Final Issues.

London, May 20.—Envoys of the Balkan states met privately today to prepare a request to powers to modify the peace proposals made in behalf of Turkey. Ambassadors of the powers met at the foreign office to discuss the situation especially as to demands of Greece regarding the status of the Aegean Islands, and location of the Albanian frontier.

LODGE CONTRACT LET

Park Keeper's Lodge to Cost \$570, to
Be Built at Once.

While the new bungalow pavilion at the park is being built by Contractor Rush, the park keeper's lodge, an attractive little two-room building in which will be housed the chalet restaurant during the session commencing June 29, will be erected too. Contractor W. C. Kelly was given the contract yesterday evening on his bid of \$570 for the work. These two buildings will add greatly to the attractiveness of the park.

Aviator Crosses to Havana.

Havana, ay 20.—Aviator Parlin, the Cuban, flew from Key West to Havana today, winning the prize of five thousand. Recently he fell into the water while attempting this flight, his opponent winning first prize.

GOLDMAN HER MANAGER UNDER ARREST

SAN DIEGO OFFICIALS ARREST
ANARCHISTIC LEADERS
ON TRAIN.

PROHIBITS NIGHT SPEECH

Emma Goldman and Ben Reitman in
Trouble in San Diego Again Following Their Sensational Affair
Last Time There—Feeling Against Them Keen, Making Arrest Best Move.

San Diego, May 20.—Emma Goldman, Gen Reitman, her manager, were taken from a Santa Fe train at four this morning and lodged in jail. They were advertised to lecture here tonight. The last time here, during the Industrial Workers trouble Miss Goldman was escorted out of town, and Reitman taken to a desert, tarred, feathered, and then released. So far as known no charges will be made against the pair. William Gerke, the advance man, is also arrested.

"These three persons are arrested and being held," said Captain of Detectives Meyers, "because we believe they will be safer in jail than on the streets or any hotel on account of the feeling against them. We will hold them until the situation becomes absolutely quiet. No one will be allowed to see them."

COW CASE IN COURT

Ownership of Certain Blue-Black Cow
at Imbler at Stake.

Justice of the Peace A. C. Williams has under advisement this afternoon the lawful ownership of a certain blue-black cow at Imbler. The plaintiff in the case is E. S. Givens Investment company by Mr. Givens, and though Mr. Tucker of Imbler is the nominal defendant, Messrs. Greene & Sawyer, owners of the Hardscrabble orchard at Imbler, really bear the brunt of the defense. The aforesaid blue-black cow with crumpled horns has no well defined ownership, both Mr. Givens and the Hardscrabble people claiming her, the latter claiming ownership through a commission which they claim. The court has taken it under advisement.

Attorneys Greene, on the one hand and Attorney Sargent on the other, are the lawyers in the case which was heard this morning.

HIGHER RATES SUSPENDED

Interstate Commission Withholds
New Lumber and Shingles Rate

Washington, May 20.—The interstate commerce commission has suspended until November 29 the proposed increased tariffs on lumber and shingles from North Pacific points to Minnesota and the middle western states.

More Nominations.

Washington, May 20.—President Wilson has sent to the senate the following nominations: Harry Kelly, to be register of the land office, and Abraham Hugel, to be receiver of public moneys at Lewistown, Mont.

Ill, Now Improving.

Mrs. Atkinson of South La Grande is improving after a short illness of a serious nature.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC IN OREGON ALARMED OVER BOMB THREATS

Roseburg, May 20.—Receiving information from Eugene some time ago to the effect that members of the Industrial Workers were alleged to be planning to blow up a bridge on the Southern Pacific May 19, Southern Pacific officials maintained an armed guard at every railway bridge and trestle between Portland and Ashland last night. All engineers were

instructed to run slowly over every bridge.

Authorities at every station along the line were notified of the alleged threat.

According to Assistant Superintendent May at Eugene an officer notified the Southern Pacific he had received a tip to the effect a bridge would be blown up.

MAN KILLED AT NORTH POWDER

North Powder, Ore., May 20.—(Special)—Cut into hundreds of pieces by an eastbound engine, the remains of a stranger were brought into North Powder late this afternoon. There is no way to identify him as there is no piece of the man large enough to determine his age or size. According to the engineer the stranger was sitting on the track and was not seen by the engineer or fireman until too late to stop. A coroner's inquest will be held here at once.

WEDDING AT CHIEF'S HOME

Ed Donohue and Miss Florence McLachlin United in Marriage.

Last evening, with only immediate relatives present, Ed Donohue, prominent Elk, Moose and Knights of Columbus member, and Miss Florence McLachlin, daughter of Chief

Occupies New Home.

Dr. R. E. L. Holt has moved into his new home on Adams avenue just opposite the hospital. It was built this year.

Visiting in Portland.

Geo. H. Currey left last evening for Portland on business matters.