

Hold Up Walker Decision

ROOSEVELT ASKS COURT FOR RULING

May Delay Decision on New York Mayor Until After Elections.

WALKER IN NEW MOOD AT HEARING

Denies He Influenced Granting of Franchise to Bus Company; No Excitement Shown.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Albany, N. Y., Aug. 12 (AP)—

Possibility that Governor Roosevelt's decision on the outer charges against Mayor James J. Walker of New York City may be delayed until after next November's election developed today when Roosevelt announced he would withhold his action until after question of his removal powers went to the courts.

Shortly after the morning session of the Walker hearing, now in its second day, the governor stated he would not pass upon the mayor's case until the supreme court had had an opportunity to determine the legality of a writ of prohibition, demanded by George Donnelly, secretary of the Bronx chamber of commerce.

Meets Aug. 19
The supreme court does not meet until August 19.

Donnelly, rebuffed in three courts, today obtained from Justice Harold J. Hinman of the appellate division of the supreme court, an order instructing Mr. Roosevelt to explain his jurisdiction. The governor directed Attorney General John J. Bennett Jr., to prepare argument on the legality of the action.

Bennett, leaving Governor Roosevelt's office after a five minute conference, said:

"The governor sent for me immediately and told me to notify Justice Hinman that he would show no discourtesy to the court and would withhold his decision until the courts had passed upon his authority."

Roosevelt Hears Detail
Walker in a new mood denied to Governor Roosevelt at today's session of the executive hearing into his majority administration of New York City that he influenced the granting of a franchise to a bus company in which his friend State Sen-

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KNIGHTS WILL HOLD PICNIC AT WALLOWA

The Knights of Pythias of Union and Wallowa counties will meet in their annual district picnic at Wallowa on Sunday, Aug. 14. This is an established annual affair for the district, and is an event looked forward to by the local knights. The lodge at Wallowa will act as host and will furnish coffee and cream for all. A varied program of music, special stunts, baseball game and other items has been prepared. A local team has been practicing regularly under the leadership of Irwin Moss, captain, and figures on meeting any opposition.

The picnic will be held in the grove below the town of Wallowa. Members are urged to turn right off the highway just after crossing the bridge over the Wallowa river and before reaching Bear creek. A sign probably will be erected at the entrance.

Fall From Tree Causes Fracture

Nikolas Holdenreich fractured his pelvis bone this morning when he fell from a cherry tree near Summerville. He was picking cherries when he lost his balance and crashed to the ground.

Mr. Holdenreich was brought to the Grande Ronde hospital where the bone was set. He will probably be confined there for several days.

Thomas Smith Is Sentenced to Jail

Thomas G. Smith, arrested by the police Wednesday after an accident in which his car was backed into another parked machine, was taken before L. Denham, justice of the peace, yesterday. He was charged with driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and serve 30 days in the county jail.

Mixed Foursomes, Lunch Postponed

Mixed foursomes and an afternoon luncheon scheduled for Sunday at the La Grande country club have been postponed until Aug. 28, because so many members are away on vacation trips, it was announced today.

Regular sweepstakes will be played at the golf course Sunday.

Bus, Auto Crash; Three Dead And Fourth May Die

Collision on Pacific Highway Near Castle Rock; Car Swerves Into Path of Northbound Stage.

LONGVIEW, Wash., Aug. 12 (AP)—Two persons were killed outright, a third fatally injured and a fourth may die as the result of a collision on the Pacific highway near Castle Rock early today between a stage and a passenger car.

The dead are:
R. M. (Mack) Higgins, age, about 35, Portland.
Jane Abraham, a daughter of Lewis Abraham, Alki Beach, Seattle.
Mrs. Jean Noble, Portland.

The injured:
Mrs. Hazel Harrington, Portland, broken back and her son, Bert, age 12, broken leg.
All were passengers in Higgins' car. Higgins and his niece were instantly killed. Mrs. Noble died in a Longview hospital shortly after the accident.

The collision occurred about one quarter mile south of Castle Rock at 3 a. m. Andrew Harvill, driver of the northbound stage, told Highway Officer A. B. Little he was just getting under way after stopping at a railroad crossing when he saw the Higgins car approaching from the north. He dimmed his lights and just then the Higgins car swerved across the road directly in front of the bus which crashed into the right side of the sedan and sent it hurtling into the ditch.

Name Mrs. Frees On State G.O.P. Committee Post

PORTLAND, Aug. 12 (AP)—T. C. Elliott, of Umatilla, chairman of the Republican state central committee, established offices here Thursday and announced the names of the 15 women who will compose the feminine division of the executive committee during the campaign.

The women on the committee are: Mrs. Lee Davenport of Portland; Mrs. O. B. Mount, of Baker; Mrs. F. O. Northrup, Portland; Mrs. Donald Pague, of Seio; Mrs. C. E. Runyon, Portland; Mrs. W. H. Savage, Corvallis; Mrs. F. J. Chambers, Eugene; Mrs. B. B. Soule, of Salem; Mrs. Ella Hirsch, Portland; Mrs. Elizabeth E. Pettinger, Oswego; Mrs. Arthur Brilau, Chiloquin-Klamath; Mrs. R. E. Boncourt, Portland; Mrs. H. G. Sarpola, Astoria; Mrs. Phil Gevurtz, Portland, and Mrs. Norman Frees, of La Grande.

Will Complete Lewiston Road To State Line

WALLOWA, Ore., Aug. 12 (Special)—Word received in Enterprise is to the effect that the north road leading from Lewiston, Idaho to Enterprise is to be completed at once insofar as the state of Washington is concerned. The state made additional appropriations at the last legislature and new contracts have been called for and let that will assure the grading and eventually the graveling of this highway practically to the state line, says the Sun.

There will remain a few miles for Wallowa county to complete as its share of the work but it is almost sure that this road will become a certainty within the next two years. It has been advocated and fought for by both Wallowa county and Lewiston and Clarkston people for a number of years. First the forest service graveled a section through the forest to which the county later added many miles, providing a graveled highway to Flora and several miles beyond toward Paradise. Washington pushed their highway as far this way as Anatone and later graded and surfaced several miles on toward the Grande Ronde. There has remained a stretch of approximately 23 miles between the ends of the two highways that has been very rough.

Lumbermen Ask Modification Of Anti-Trust Law

Western Pine Association Also Seeking Legislation Authorizing Industrial Self-Government.

PORTLAND, Aug. 11 (AP)—An immediate move to seek modification of the anti-trust laws to permit agreements to regulate lumber production will be taken by the Western Pine association. This step was agreed upon at the semi-annual meeting of directors of the association here yesterday.

Besides urging modification of the laws to permit regulation of production, the lumbermen seek legislation authorizing industrial self-government whereby an appropriate part of any given industry may adopt rules of practice binding upon the entire industry.

Speakers declared the present methods of sawmill production are not sound and should be regulated to balance output with market demand.

Tax Reduction Sought
One of the first objectives, it was declared, is general tax reduction. The substitution of property tax on timber for a system of yield or income tax was demanded.

Readjustment of working hours weekly in order to provide employment to the full, normal personnel was another point in the program adopted by the lumbermen, who also

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SUMMER WARMTH DUE TO RETURN

Weatherman Says More Heat in Store For Oregon; Mercury Higher

If the weatherman's prediction is accurate and if all other signs are borne out, the unseasonal cold wave that gripped Oregon last Monday night, is about at an end. In the forecast today at Portland, the weatherman held out hopes for a return to "summer weather" this weekend, and predicted fair and warmer weather Sunday, with fair weather tomorrow.

Local indications point to an end of the cold wave, also although the minimum temperature last night was 45 above, the same as the night before. The difference, however, was that the mercury was several degrees higher at 7 a. m. this morning than at a similar time Thursday, and yesterday's maximum—in spite of cloudy weather—was 70 above.

The sky was partly cloudy this morning with the sun warming up the valley intermittently.

The chilly weather of the last few days was not so welcome to many people of the valley, although men working in the harvest fields, etc., found the coolness very acceptable.

Baker, Ore., was the coldest spot on the U. S. weather map Thursday morning with a minimum of 35 above—just three degrees above freezing point. Minima in the upper 30s were recorded in Wallowa county, also.

OREGON WILL BENEFIT FROM BIG CONTRACT

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 12 (AP)—A series of furniture contracts to approximate \$1,000,000 in orders over a period of six months, the material to be constructed in Oregon by Oregon workmen, have been let by Montgomery Ward & Co., according to an announcement today by William Q. Bateman, manager of the local office of the company.

The award of contracts within the state was said to follow an enlargement of the policy of the store.

Specifications for this furniture call for home-grown timber, including use of veneers, manufactured within the state; frames for upholstered furniture pieces, milled within Oregon, and all types of Oregon hardwood.

Skull of Haden Clarke Displayed

MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 12 (AP)—The bullet-pierced skull of Haden Clarke, writer and mysteriously slain fiance of Mrs. J. M. Keith-Miller, was brought into the courtroom today at the trial of Captain W. N. Lancaster for Clarke's murder.

The skull, along with alldes brought parts of the head were shown before the jury and spectators by Dr. M. H. Tallman, defense witness.

Lancaster, charged with slaying Clarke as an act of jealous retribution after the author replaced him in the affections of Mrs. Keith-Miller, peered intently at the skull.

Mrs. Keith-Miller was not in the courtroom when the skull was shown.

Grain Crops Decline

RIOTING AND BURNING REDDENS MUCH OF SOUTHERN PART OF SPAIN TODAY

By Rex Smith (Associated Press Staff Correspondent)

MADRID, Aug. 12 (AP)—Rioting and burning reddened much of Southern Spain today as the government laid plans to punish General Jose Sanjurjo, leader of Wednesday's abortive rebellion, and his followers.

One man was killed and three wounded at Santa Fe when civil guards dispersed a group which burned the Agrarian casino. One workman was killed in a political fight between laborers and employers.

A civil guard was killed at Seville when a mob attacked the jail.

At Seville, cordons of soldiers were posted around religious houses, and heavy guards patrolled the streets.

In the towns of San Lúcar and

Asnalcollar, mobs set fire to the churches, but the fires were put out by citizen volunteers.

In Santiponce a mob attacked and beat the mayor. He was rescued by a group of town hall guards.

A line of guards was stationed around the building of the newspaper Las Provincias at Valencia to protect it from mobs and General Li-queine rushed from Switzerland by airplane to take charge of a menacing situation.

Mobs burned a convent at Albalcin and a church at Santotomas, near Granada.

The death penalty was demanded today by some Southern Republican leaders for General San Jurjo. Director of Public Safety Mendendez announced a special judge had been designated to preside over the trial.

July Weather Is Blamed For Drop In Oregon Yield

PORTLAND, Aug. 11 (AP)—A decline in condition of Oregon's grain crops, with yield prospects reduced materially since July 1, is indicated in the monthly report of the United States division of crop and livestock estimates, issued today.

"July weather has been extremely variable and the effect on crop condition has been equally so," the report said. "Winds have resulted in a general drying out... and cold night temperatures have been detrimental to crops. Throughout the principal winter wheat section weather during the past month has been hot and dry, resulting in a material reduction in winter wheat yields from the forecast

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GIRL DIVERS SCORE SWEEP FOR AMERICA

Dorothy Poynton, of Hollywood, Springs the Unexpected in Winning

GEORGIA COLEMAN IN SECOND PLACE

Makes Third Clean Sweep For United States in Olympic Games Diving Competition.

OLYMPIC SWIMMING STADIUM, Los Angeles, Aug. 12 (AP)—Thrilling a near-capacity crowd of 10,000 persons with four graceful performances, Miss Dorothy Poynton, pretty Hollywood girl, today won the women's high diving championship of the tenth Olympiad with a total point score of 40.28.

Miss Poynton provided the unexpected by defeating Miss Georgia Coleman, Los Angeles, winner of the Olympic springboard diving title. Miss Coleman finished second with 35.56 points.

Miss Marion Roper made it a third clean sweep for the United States in the Olympic diving competition for first, second and third places. Americans had previously taken the first three positions in the men's and women's springboard championships.

Miss Roper was awarded 35.22 points for her third place in the field of seven contestants.

Others scored as follows:
Miss Ingeborg Sjoquist, Sweden, 34.52.
Miss Ingrid Larsen, Denmark, 31.98.
Miss Etuko Kanakuru, Japan, 31.86.
Miss Magdalene Epply, Austria, 29.78.

Young Democrat Leaders Visiting This City Today

To organize Young Democratic clubs in each county in the state, William P. Goelitz, president of the state league, and John J. Greden, chairman of the committee on publicity, have taken 2300 miles and visited in 22 counties in Southern and Eastern Oregon. They are in La Grande today conferring with Democratic leaders and the young people who recently organized a Young Democratic club in this city.

The league was organized at a state-wide conference in Portland on April 16 for the purpose of organizing young people in governmental affairs and to further the ideas and principles of the Democratic party. It will be a permanent organization, they state, and a state council, consisting of one young man and one young woman from each county and college in Oregon, is now being formed.

The state-wide victory banquet is the next activity of the club which will be held in Portland on Saturday, Sept. 17, at which time Will Rogers will be the principal speaker. On election night they also will hold a rally.

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WOULD GIVE EACH STATE ITS CHOICE

President Goes Beyond Republican Platform in Liquor Declaration.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12 (AP)—A presidential call for prohibition reform and a promise to beat down the economic "hurricane" leads Republicans into the 1932 campaign.

A tensely expectant audience of Republican leaders in vast Constitution hall heard Mr. Hoover last night in his speech of formal acceptance of renomination for far beyond his party platform and demand a new order of liquor control.

"I cannot consent to the continuation of this regime," said the president solemnly.

There was applause. But the Republican hosts who had frequently interrupted Mr. Hoover's challenges to Democrats on their tariff and house records seemed surprised. It wasn't the same applause.

Hoover, as the man whose hair was greyed considerably in four years of presidential care, concluded his carefully prepared address, Senator Fess of Ohio, long a prohibition champion, was applauding with the rest. A moment later he gave his benediction to the prohibition suggestion.

Mr. Hoover proposed as a "common ground" for "all reasonable people" that:

"Each state shall be given the right to deal with the problem as it may determine, but subject to absolute guarantees in the constitution of the United States to protect each state from interference and invasion by its neighbors, and that in no part of the United States shall there be

MAKES ACCEPTANCE OF RE-NOMINATION

Hoover Defends the Federal Farm Board and its Huge Stabilization Activities.

By Francis M. Stephenson
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Japan Stands Ready To Defy the League

TOKYO, Aug. 12 (AP)—Recognition of Henry Pu-Yi's government in Manchukuo by Japan was declared today by the foreign office spokesman to be nearer because the government learned that the report of the League of Nations inquiry commission will contain findings and recommendations utterly unacceptable to the Japanese.

As a result of the reports character, the spokesman said, the government feels strongly that early recognition of the Pu-Yi regime is necessary to show the world that Japan is determined to maintain her stand in Manchuria.

No Depression In Sight For Carey

NEW YORK, Aug. 12 (AP)—Max Carey, manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National league, today was reappointed for a one-year term by the club directors, who compensated him on his work and raised his salary.

Fire Proof Trees Is Latest Plan

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 12 (AP)—South Carolina plans to prevent forest fires by growing fire proof trees. The trees, red alder, will not burn and their foliage is fireproof too, according to State Forester H. A. Smith.

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