

LOCK MAGNATES IN JAIL CELLS

PRESIDENT BELIEVES IN SOME POSITIVE ACTION TO CUT OUT TROUBLES

LANDS ON NECK OF BIG INTERESTS

Blames Interlocking Directorates For All of Law Violations By Corporations—Asks For Effective Amendments

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The interlocking of the personnel of directorates of great corporations, banks, railroads, industrial, commercial and public service bodies is the crux of the trust system, in the opinion of President Wilson. He made this plain today in a special address to congress in which he discussed anti-trust legislation.

Discussing evils resulting from such interlocking directorates, the president caustically attacked a group of millionaires who, by reason of enormous holdings of stock in numerous corporations, constitute virtual monopolies. He virtually told congress that it should decide whether big owners of stock in corporation should be compelled to elect in which one of them they will exercise their right to vote on the conduct of affairs.

The president declared emphatically for the creation of an industrial commission and declared that public opinion had finally conquered big business so that the average business man was convinced that "the ways of liberty are also the ways of peace and the ways of peace the ways of success."

He emphatically approved making guilt personal in all suits against trusts. "Every act of business is done at the command or upon the initiative of some ascertainable person or group of persons," he said, "and these should be held individually responsible and punishment should fall upon them and not upon the business organization of which they make illegal use."

The address recites the passage of the currency bill, and continues: "The atmosphere has its atmosphere like everything else, and the atmosphere of accommodation and mutual understanding which we now breathe with so much refreshment is a matter of sincere congratulation. This ought to make our task much less difficult and embarrassing than it would have been had we continued the atmosphere of suspicion and antagonism which so long made impossible the approach to such questions with dispassionate fairness."

"Constructive legislation, when successful, is always the embodiment of convincing experience and of mature public opinion which finally springs out of that experience."

The right invariably triumphs—at least that is the feeling, a man always has when he happens to beat the other fellow to it.

COLEMAN HELD ON PORTLAND CHARGE

Upon the request of a Portland detective, Chief of Police Ed Shaw Tuesday arrested C. E. Coleman upon a warrant charging forgery upon a man by the name of Beck in Portland.

The warrant stated that the defendant had forged a check in the amount of \$40 upon Beck and was brought here by a representative of the police department of the metropolis. Chief Shaw went to the mill where the man was at work and turned him over to the detective.

HUERTA WILL NOT COMMAND ARMIES

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 20.—That President Huerta had abandoned temporarily his plan to take the field in person against the rebels was stated officially today.

The change in program did not please the dictator very well, it was understood, but his cabinet insisted on it. Huerta called the members together unexpectedly about midnight to tell them that he thought he could put the rebellion down if he led his troops himself, and that he proposed to do it. Without exception the ministers objected so vehemently, however, that he finally yielded, at least for the time.

The main reason for his anxiety to check the rebels at this time was said to be that they are approaching Torreon, where there is stored cotton worth several millions, and he does not want it to fall into their hands.

A rumor was current that the president intends to turn over the government to a commission of five Mexicans, himself resigning, and possibly leaving the country.

Archbishop Mora today secured the release from prison of Senator Somelera, national chairman of the Catholic party, and Senator Zepeda, Somelera's partner in the ownership of the newspaper, La Nacion. The paper published an article displeasing to Huerta and its owners were promptly arrested. The archbishop visited the dictator personally in the prisoners' behalf, and to please him Huerta freed them.

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A foul, disagreeable breath, dark circles around the eyes, at times feverish, with great thirst; cheeks flushed and then pale, abdomen swollen with sharp cramping pains are all indications of worms. Don't let your child suffer—Kickapoo Worm Killer will give sure relief—it kills the worms—while its laxative effect aids greatly to the health of your child by removing the dangerous and disagreeable effect of worms and parasites from the system. Kickapoo Worm Killer as a health producer should be in every household. Perfectly safe. Buy a box today. Price 25c. All Druggists or by mail, Kickapoo Indian Med. Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis. (Adv.)

Enterprise advertising pays.

"SAVE DEER," SLOGAN FIGHT BREAKS UP COMMITTEE SESSION

FARMERS FIGHT TO SAVE NATIVE GAME
There is a spirit among the people of eastern Clackamas county to increase the number of deer in that section. The illegal chasing of deer with dogs has decreased greatly within the last two years and an effort is being made this winter by local hunters to kill off the wolves, cougars, and other predatory animals as an additional protection for the deer.

A number of years ago the mountains of the coast range in the eastern section of the county were filled with deer but great numbers were killed by hunters with dogs and by such animals as cougars and wolves. Within the last few months there has been a feeling of slow but steady development among the farmers and ranchers that the deer of the county should be protected. As a result there is they have declared war on predatory animals and hunting with dogs.

CUTS OFF HER THUMB WITH AXE

Willamette Woman Injures Herself Tuesday Morning

Willamette, Ore., Jan. 20.—(Special)—Mrs. Antony Tuor cut the end of her thumb on her left hand Tuesday morning with an axe while splitting kindling. She was taken to the office of Dr. Strickland in Oregon City and the wound dressed. The cut is thought not to be serious.

COURT DISSOLVES RESTRAINING ORDER

Willamette may now collect the three mill levy that was made this year for city purposes.

In the circuit court, Judge J. U. Campbell Tuesday dissolved the restraining order that had been granted against J. E. Jack, county assessor, and the rolls may be turned over to the city for collection.

Sometime ago James Downey brought action in the circuit court asking that the county assessor be prevented from delivering to the city the tax roll for the year and from entering the levy that had been made on the books. He declared that the charter under which the levy was made was faulty and that it was not properly submitted to the city.

The court granted temporary injunction against the assessor until such time as the case is heard. He Tuesday dissolved that order which now frees the hands of the city officials and allows them to get the money that is needed for municipal purposes.

GRANTS DIVORCE

Judge J. U. Campbell in the circuit court granted a divorce decree to Laura A. Childs against C. P. Childs after a hearing upon the charges contained in her complaint.

The less a man has to say the less he has occasion to retract.

Good Roads; How They May Be Built

Hard surface pavement is becoming a common topic these days and there are many questions being asked concerning every phase connected with the proposed improvement.

R. G. McMullen, assistant roadmaster of Multnomah county gives some interesting information as to some of the proposed plans and the manner of procedure.

Mr. McMullen said that the plan is to hard surface all the county roads leading out of Portland, if possible, making complete improvements. They hope to get the work so well under way this year that it can all be finished within two years, but that it can only proceed as fast and as far as the people are willing to sign petitions for it.

All of the proposed hard surface improvements must start in Portland at the end of the present hard surface pavements there. The arterial highways will be improved first, the cross roads and laterals next and it is hoped to complete the work by the end of 1915.

No road will be improved unless it connects other hard surfaced roads except in municipalities where exceptions will be made within the city limits.

Thus any of the incorporated towns may get the improvement on county roads running through them, even though a connection is not made with one or more of the great arteries leading out of Portland, although it is the intention to ignore other roads that may be petitioned for.

Mr. McMullen detailed the matter of procedure as follows: First, there must be a petition from the owners of property on both sides of a county road for a distance of one-half mile, after which the county commissioners may declare a district to be assessed and mark out the lines around the different sections. The next step will be to have the county make maps showing the owners and areas of each tract in the district.

After that a board of appraisers will be appointed to appraise the land values for the amount each owner shall pay, according to the plans made by the county surveyor and the county road master. After that a tabulated report to the county court will be approved or rejected that body.

If it is approved by the court the matter will be advertised for five consecutive weeks in the newspapers and notices posted at each end of the improvement to be made.

For twenty days within the five weeks remonstrances may be made and received, and it will require 51 per cent of the district in area to stop all proceedings. If no such remonstrance is made, or if it is not sufficient the court acquires jurisdiction and may proceed with the improvement. It will then advertise for bids as it may elect, either in sections or miles. When a bid is approved the contract will be let and the work will commence.

The court will decide what kind of pavement may be used under the advice of the road master and the county surveyor.

The very least limit of time between the date of filing petition and letting of contract, provided everything goes smooth, is 70 days. It may

PROSECUTE FALSE ENTRIES OF LAND

PORTLAND, Jan. 20.—Clarence L. Reames, United States attorney, arrived home from Washington, D. C., yesterday and announced that the government would at once take up prosecution of men who have been locating, with false representation as to the title they would secure, people on the grant lands of the Oregon & California railroad, now forfeited to the government.

"I am thoroughly satisfied and assured that this office will be backed up and assisted in every way in these prosecutions by the department of justice and the attorney general," was Reames' statement.

The trip of the past month has been spent almost entirely on this business, Mr. Reames said.

The federal grand jury meets tomorrow, and after a few of the old cases hanging over are disposed of, the locator cases will be investigated. Indictments in these cases are expected within a month. Nearly a hundred men, lawyers, real estate dealers, surveyors, farmers and even homesteaders are among those of every standing of life involved in the investigation.

Mr. Reames left Portland December 16. At Chicago he was in consultation with the United States attorney there and with the postoffice inspectors. He was in Washington 12 days in constant consultation with officials of the land department and with the attorney general.

After leaving Washington, he was in the eastern cities for several days and then swung south through Memphis, Tenn., and thence to Los Angeles. At nearly all the places he stopped, he met with federal officers in regard to the locator cases.

A number of the locator cases are to be taken up in other states, it was reported several weeks ago.

The plan of making assessments upon property has been somewhat described before, but there has been a confused idea of how it is to be done where two parallel roads to be improved are less than half a mile apart. The county commissioners have adopted the Somer system of curves which settles the problem. A halfway line is used and by a system of cross sectioning the cost is assessed in a lessening degree the farther away the property is situated from the road to be improved. The system pertains to street and road extensions and improvements.

Where one road intersects or crosses another the method equalizing the assessment is to draw a line diagonally from the point of intersection and assess in two directions, one way for each road. This plan would give four assessment districts half way to the next road to be improved. All property would pay its share in a lessening degree the further away it is.

One half of the cost will be assessed against the property on either side of a road and the county may pay the other half from the road fund. It is estimated that the cost will be \$10,000 a mile, which would include the construction of expensive concrete culverts.

GET ACTION ON COFFEE HOUSE

BROTHERHOOD AROUSED OVER REPORT OF SUCCESS IN THE OTHER CITIES

WORKS WELL WHERE IT IS TRIED

University Professor Thinks It is a Great Plan and Tells How the Clubs of Eugene and Salem Draw Crowds

Oregon City may, within the next few months have a coffee house upon the order of the ones at Eugene and Salem.

Professor James H. Gilbert of the department of economics at the state university spoke before the Congregational Brotherhood Tuesday night, by request, upon the workings of the plan there. He told how the club rooms were always filled with men and boys spending their leisure hours in reading and playing games, the lunch room in connection, and the working of the employment agency that is now handling a large number of cases every month.

The report from the cities where the plan has been in actual operation and where it has really worked so much interested the brotherhood that a committee will at once begin the campaign for a similar place here.

Three men will be appointed from each of the brotherhoods of the city and three from the commercial club to go into the matter thoroughly to determine whether or not such a scheme would work in the city. The abolition of the saloons, where many of the men and boys used to spend a large part of their time, has necessitated the substitution of some other place and the various organizations believe that the coffee house is the better plan.

The failure of the Y. M. C. A. in the city sometime ago, too, has had its influence in changing the subject around to the new plan and enlisting those in support of such a scheme who would not be in favor of any other plan.

M. D. Phillips, C. Bohlander and L. Adams were appointed on the committee to make a preliminary survey of the field and discover what could be done in the matter.

His Stomach Troubles Over.

Mr. Dyspeptic, would you not like to feel that your stomach troubles were over, that you could eat any kind of food you desired without injury?

That may seem so unlikely to you that you do not even hope for an ending of your trouble, but permit us to assure you that it is not altogether impossible. If others can be cured permanently and thousands have been, why not you? John R. Barker, of Battle Creek, Mich., is one of them. He says, "I was troubled with heartburn, indigestion, and liver complaint until I used Chamberlain's Tablets, then my trouble was over." Sold by all dealers. (Adv.)

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