

PORTLAND PHONE STRIKE PROBABLE

Union, in Session at Late Hour, Expected to Order Tie-Up Tomorrow.

RECOGNITION, RISE, ISSUES

Negotiations With Company Broken and Electrical Workers and Girl Operators Said to Plan Walkout Sunday.

Indication last night pointed to a strike of union employees of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company.

That service of the company as to business and residence connections, is to be tied up, so far as the union employees are concerned, looms as a probability.

At a late hour, members of the Electrical Workers' Union, with which the telephone operators are affiliated, were in session, a strike vote being under consideration.

It was unofficially announced that, in all probability, the vote will order a strike for midnight, Sunday, when the present wage scale expires.

Recognition of the operators' union, but recently organized, is a big issue in Portland, and, in addition, there is a demand for an increase in rates of pay.

Until yesterday morning officials of the union from Seattle, San Diego and Fresno had been here negotiating with the company officials over the questions involved, but, upon orders received by them, the men broke off negotiations, and it is feared a tieup will result.

QUOTA IS NEARLY REACHED

Bend Has Raised \$94,250 of Its Allotment of \$100,000.

BEND, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—With the report of the city volunteer soliciting committee for today still incomplete, Bend's total subscription for liberty loan bonds mounted to \$94,250, which is \$750 short of the total quota for the city of \$100,000.

Rev. J. E. Snyder and Merton B. De Long passed Thursday in the rural districts, where they raised \$2700. At Sisters the sawmill was closed in order that the men could subscribe to the loan. It is believed Bend will raise her quota by Saturday night.

BAKER COUNTY TAKES SPURT

Rural Communities Begin to Report Substantial Subscriptions.

BAKER, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Richard Montague, of Portland, spoke at the first Baker bond meeting tonight. It was apparent that all of those who heard him will become ardent workers for the success of the loan.

The campaign was continued throughout the county tonight with meetings at Keating, Sparta, Hereford, Unity and elsewhere. Conducted by speakers sent from Baker.

At Huntington last night Mrs. Alexander Thompson made such a strong appeal that she was subscribed at a meeting without any attempt at solicitation.

At the conclusion of a meeting held at Muddy Creek, a committee was appointed to begin soliciting subscriptions immediately. Other meetings are scheduled to be held at several places at Pocolombias, North Powder and Austin. A rally will be held at Wingville Monday night.

The rural communities, which had hitherto remained out of the campaign, are now reporting heavy subscriptions. The mark in Baker is above \$100,000.

FARMERS WON'T BUY BONDS

"Let the Bankers Do It," Is Response to Appeals.

GRASS VALLEY, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Farmers in Grass Valley do not believe they should subscribe to the liberty loan. Those interested in the campaign have sent an urgent appeal to Portland for speakers and people to explain to the farmers that they are needed to buy liberty bonds, that they may sell their wheat.

"Only the rich should buy liberty bonds," is the answer the farmers here make to appeals. "Let the bankers do it. It is no burden of ours. The Government price of wheat is too low and they made it impossible for the farmers to sell wheat."

At a meeting in Grass Valley \$200 in liberty bonds were bought and the total to date is \$12,700.

HOOD RIVER WAGES CAMPAIGN

Subscriptions for Liberty Bonds Now Total \$30,000.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Hood River subscriptions to the second liberty loan have reached \$30,000. Local bankers and business men in charge of the drive decided today that this figure will be doubled before the end of the big drive.

With members of 15 soliciting teams visiting orchardists in their fields and at their homes, in interest in the bond campaign is becoming more marked locally. All of the teams are meeting with success.

The bond campaign will be pushed in the Dee Glat orchard district and among the Oregon Lumber Company employees at Dee next Sunday.

BOND SALES REACH \$235,700

Aberdeen Has Raised 30 Per Cent of Total Allotment.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Liberty loan sales today were \$27,000, bringing the total for the county to \$235,700. Aberdeen has subscribed \$185,000 or 79 per cent of her quota of \$235,000. Hoquiam has subscribed \$105,450, or 39 per cent of her quota of \$270,000.

The upper county towns of Montezuma and Elma have subscribed \$28,950, or 15 per cent of their quota of \$189,000.

Millworkers Raise \$1200.

TILLAMOOK, Or., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—An enthusiastic liberty bond meeting was held at the Coast logging camp, six miles south of Tillamook, today. The committee motored to the camp, where they were guests at dinner. Oscar Fursuet, of Portland, explained the bonds, while Senator Walter Dimick, of Oregon City, spoke of the urgent need of the Government for

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PERSONAL MENTION.

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C. Reamer, of Pendleton, is at the Oregon.

C. H. Barnett, of Wasco, is at the Oregon.

Billy Culbert, of Corvallis, is at the Oregon.

R. H. Holmes, of Echo, is at the Park.

M. L. Barnett, of Seaside, is at the Perkins.

Joseph Hunt, of Gardiner, is at the Nortonia.

R. N. Luck, of Pendleton, is at the Imperial.

D. E. Hunter, of Bend, is at the Portland.

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C. F. Kallish, of Boston, is at the Multnomah.

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James Harris, of Forest Grove, is at the Perkins.

Mrs. L. Smith, of Astoria, is at the Seward.

George E. Prine, of Denver, is at the Seward.

J. W. McCulloch, of Ontario, is at the Imperial.

F. D. Peabody, of New York, is at the Portland.

R. S. Hurd, of San Francisco, is at the Portland.

Grace Ayres, of Stevenson, Wash., is at the Palace.

Don A. Smith, of Kellogg, Idaho, is at the Perkins.

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C. N. Weller, Jr., and Mrs. Weller are at the Eaton.

Fred Greene, of Stevenson, Wash., is at the Palace.

Mrs. W. E. Burke, of Newberg, is at the Ritz.

Mrs. George B. Bingham, of Salem, is at the Imperial.

Mrs. W. E. Summers, of New Bridge, is at the Ritz.

A. B. Smith and Mrs. Smith are at the Washington.

A. L. Queen, of San Francisco, is at the Washington.

Charles R. Duffy, of Kalama, Wash., is at the Ritz.

Mrs. A. R. Rennie, of Kelso, Wash., is at the Washington.

E. A. Nelson, of Minneapolis, is registered at the Nortonia.

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America's "Battle Hymn."

St. Nicholas.

"Mrs. Howe," said James Freeman Clarke, "why do you not write some really worthy words for that stirring hymn?"

"I have often wished to do so," she replied.

"Let us tell the story of the writing of the Nation's song as her daughters have told it in the biography of their mother."

"Waking in the gray of the next morning as she lay waiting for the dawn the words came to her."

"Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord—"

"She lay perfectly still. Line by line, stanza by stanza, the words came sweeping on with the rhythm of marching feet, pauseless, resistless. She saw the long lines swinging into place before her eyes, heard the voice of the Nation speaking through her lips. She waited till the voice was silent, till the last line was ended; then sprang from bed, and groping for pen and paper, scrawled in the gray twilight the "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

"And so the Nation's song was born. How did it come to pass that the people knew it as their own? When it appeared in the Atlantic Monthly, it called forth little comment; the days gave small chance for the poetry of words. But some poets in the real world of deeds had seen it—the people who were fighting on the Nation's battle-

fields. And again and again it was sung and chanted as a prayer before battle and a trumpet call to action. A certain fighting chaplain, who had committed it to memory, sang it one memorable night in Libby Prison, when the joyful tidings of the victory of Gettysburg had penetrated even those gloomy walls. Like a flame the words flashed through the prison. Men leaped to their feet, shouted, embraced one another in a frenzy of joy and triumph, and Chaplain McCabe, standing in the middle of the room, lifted up his great voice and sang aloud:

"Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord—"

"Every voice took up the chorus, and Libby Prison rang with the shout of 'Glory, glory, hallelujah!'"

A Masterpiece.

The Hun officer who had been taken prisoner offered his gold watch in exchange for his life being spared, and as he insisted on it, the two "Jocks" who were his captors were nonplussed. However, one of them said that whoever told the biggest lie was to have the watch, and if the prisoner could beat them in the story-telling he was

13 Lbs. Sugar \$1.00

100-lb. Sack Dry Granulated Sugar \$7.65

100-lb. Sack Cane Sugar \$7.85

2 1/2 lbs. Cube Sugar... 25c

2 1/2 lbs. Powdered Sugar... 25c

For Cooking, Frying, Cake Making

COTTOLENE—Small 50c, medium 95c, Large \$2.35

CRISCO—Small 40c, medium 75c, Large \$1.45

COMPOUND—No. 2 65c, No. 5 \$1.00, No. 10 \$1.90

PURE LARD—No. 3 85c, No. 5 \$1.50, No. 10 \$2.65

WESSON OIL—Small 35c, Medium 65c, Large \$1.30

Every One Means Saving

Two lbs. Large Prunes... 25c

Three lbs. Popcorn... 25c

One lb. English Walnuts... 20c

One lb. Fancy Cut Macaroni... 10c

Two lbs. Lentils... 25c

Three bottles Vinegar... 25c

Three bottles Lemon Extract... 25c

Three bottles Vanilla Extract... 25c

Two boxes Shinola... 15c

One box Ball Bluing... 5c

Two dozen Clothespins... 5c

One large bottle Ammonia... 5c

Two cans H. & G. Asparagus... 25c

Two cans Van Camp's Soup... 20c

One large can Van Camp's Beans... 25c

Two cans Pimientos... 25c

One large bottle Salad Oil... 35c

One can Old Hickory Syrup... 10c

Three cans American Sardines... 25c

One pkg. Wax Paper... 25c

TACOMA STRIKE DUE AT 12

Telephone Linemen and Operators Want \$5 and \$2.75 Daily.

TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 19.—Tacoma's strike of telephone linemen and telephone operators is scheduled for midnight tonight. About 190 telephone girls and 200 linemen are involved in Tacoma.

Manager Schlarb, of the Tacoma system, says the company is not recognizing the new union of operators, and had no intention of conceding its demands. He said the company has negotiations on with the Electrical Workers.

The Tacoma strike is taking place simultaneously with strikes in other cities of the Coast. Electricians demand \$5 a day for eight hours work; operators are asking \$2.75 a day.

RISE NOT TO STAY STRIKE

Vancouver Telephone Operators Expected to Go Out.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—A reported increase of \$1 a week for all telephone linemen and telephone operators will not stay the proposed telephone strike, and a large number of the 21 operators employed at the local exchange will go out when the strike is called, it is believed.

No official announcement of the increased wages has been made, but the operators generally understand that they are to receive it, dating from October 1. Not all of the Vancouver telephone girls are members of the union.

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EAT MORE FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Mr. Herbert Hoover asks the American public to eat more fruit and vegetables and in this way conserve the non-perishable products so that they may be shipped to our allies. The tempting array of fruits and vegetables we are showing this week should make you want to eat them without being told.

- ONE BOX KING APPLES \$1.50
ONE BOX JONATHAN APPLES \$1.75
BANANA APPLES \$1.25
ONE BOX KING OF ORANGES NOW AT, PER DOZEN \$1.25
LEMONS NOW AT, PER DOZEN \$2.25
SIX POUNDS SWEET POTATOES FOR \$2.25
ONIONS FOR \$2.25
TEN POUNDS POTATOES FOR \$2.25
POTATOES NOW, PER SACK \$2.25
PEET'S PINE TAR SOAP, PER BAR 5c
BUTTER, PER ROLL 95c and \$1.00
OLEO, PER ROLL 65c and 70c

WEEK-END SPECIALS

- FOUR LBS. NO. 1 MACARONI (slightly broken) 25c
FOUR LBS. NO. 1 SPAGHETTI (slightly broken) 25c
THREE BARS LARGE IVORY SOAP 25c
TEAM BORAX SOAP 25c
NINE-LB. SACK PURE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR 80c
NINE-POUND SACK FARINA 65c
ONE PACKAGE ATMORE'S MINCEMEAT 10c
ONE BOTTLE SNIDER'S CATSUP 20c
ONE-POUND BOX J. B. POWER BRAND COFFEE 20c
TWO E. C. CORNFLAKES FOR \$2.25
ONE DOZEN EGGS IN ONE BAKING, PER PKG 10c

MEATS FOR THE WEEK

- BEEF
Shoulder Beef, per lb. 10c
Pot Roast, lb. 15c
Shoulder Steak, 15c
Round Steak, lb. 17c
Shank Bone, lb. 8c
VEAL
Veal Stew, per lb. 15c
Shoulder Veal Roast, 17c
Leg or Loin Veal Roast, 20c

FRESH DRESSED CHICKENS

- Bacon Backs... 38c
English Breakfast Bacon... 40c

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Flour

- One Barrel Hard \$10.30
Wheat Flour... 15c
One Sack Valley \$2.50
Flour for... 65c
Small sack Graham Flour 65c
Small sack Whole Wheat Flour... 65c
Small sack Cornmeal... 65c

Breakfast Foods