

SOCIALISTS OUSTED, REGULAR PRATTURNS

Five New York Assemblymen Formally Expelled.

"JOBBERY" PROTEST RISES

"Outrage at Albany Clarion Call to People to Rally for Revival of Ancient Liberties."

ALBANY, N. Y., April 1.—The five socialist members of the state assembly—Louis Waldman and August Claessens of New York, Samuel A. Dewitt and Samuel Orr of the Bronx and Charles Solomon of Kings county—were expelled from the lower house of the legislature today by an overwhelming majority.

The next step in the fight against the socialist party, characterized as a "traitorous party" by the assembly judiciary committee, will be taken in the legislature tomorrow.

Bills designed to carry out the recommendations of the judiciary committee, that appropriate legislation be enacted to the end that hereafter no party, group or political organization in which a lesser, more acceptable member, or whose principles, policies or programme are responsive to or determined by an organization, national or state, composed of persons not members of the electorate of the nation or state, shall be privileged to occupy the position of a political party on the official ballot of this state, are expected to be introduced.

Appeal to Courts Unlikely.

Legislative circles tonight were discussing the statement given out today by Louis Waldman and Charles Solomon in which they said "the workers by whom we were elected must and will be heard. If the people are to be driven from the ballot box, where shall they go?"

Reports from New York that the socialists would appeal to the courts were given little or no attention, most members of the assembly declaring that the courts could not review the action of the assembly in voting to deny seats to the five assemblymen because, they said, "the house is a jury of its own members and its decision is final."

Vote Fellows Wrangle.

Voting came after 23 hours of oratory, parliamentary wrangle and filibustering.

Owing to the fact that the men were expelled after midnight March 21, there could be no special elections to fill their seats in the assembly unless an extraordinary session of the legislature is to be convened.

Voting began at 9:38 A. M. today. Louis Waldman, the first voted on, was expelled. The 28 August Claessens, who was socialist floor leader, was ousted, 116 to 28.

The vote on Charles Solomon, who last week was arrested in Philadelphia for alleged disorderly conduct at a mass meeting called to protest against the ouster proceedings here, was 116 to 28.

The vote in Samuel A. Dewitt's case was 194 to 40.

Assembly Chamber Crowded. The chamber was crowded with spectators from the time the assembly convened at 10:20 A. M. yesterday and long after the session. Many of the visitors remained throughout the night and heard the assembly record its verdict.

Waldman and Solomon remained at the capitol throughout the deliberations. Both appeared to be highly amused at the proceedings and smiled frequently. The other three men under fire were not present.

The first chapter of the story in the expulsion of the socialists was written January 7, 1920, in a resolution which the legislature convened for its regular 1920 session. Immediately after Speaker Sweet had been re-elected he ordered the five socialist assemblymen before the bar of the house and told them that a resolution to suspend them from participation in the business of the assembly pending an investigation of their loyalty was to be introduced and that they would be allowed their "day in court."

Precedent is Established. The resolution was offered by Majority Leader Adler. Hearings were begun January 20, after the judiciary committee had been appointed and had organized, with Louis M. Martin, republican, of Onondaga as chairman. A notable array of attorneys headed by Attorney-General Charles D. Newton, appeared for the state, while Morris Hillquit, Seymour Steiner, Gilbert E. Roe, S. John Block, William Karlin and Walter Nelles appeared for the suspended assemblymen.

Twenty-four days were consumed in the hearings. By its action the assembly established a precedent altogether unique in the legislative history of the United States, as never before has an entire party delegation been elected from any legislative body.

Treason has been committed in the New York assembly by republicans and democrats, with few honorable exceptions," says a statement issued today by Louis Waldman and Charles Solomon, two of the expelled socialist assemblymen.

"A bi-partisan combination has overthrown representative government. The representatives of a political party have been driven from the legislative halls solely because their platform was distasteful to the political opponents."

"The constitution has been lynched and the perpetrators of this outrage must be brought to justice. The spirit of the mob breathed in the assembly debate throughout the weary hours. Under the leadership of Speaker Sweet, man after man openly incited to violence."

was the fruit of contemptible political jobbery. The Albany outrage is the culminating step in a series of assaults on our popular liberties which will jolt the people into a new political consciousness.

"The socialist party refuses to regard the act of the assembly as more than a mad manifestation of fear of the growing political power of labor. It will not be swayed from its historic course and mission. With greater faith and vigor than ever it will go on agitating, educating and organizing the workers for peaceful social change."

Fight is to Continue. "Socialists will not be goaded into violence or driven underground. These have never been the methods of socialism. Always and everywhere it has waged its fight in the open and where this opportunity has been denied it has ceaselessly fought for political democracy."

"We shall go back to our districts with complete confidence. The people who sent us here know us and they will speak their sovereign will in overwhelming numbers."

SOCIALIST APPEAL EXPECTED
Action of New York Assembly Held Far From Final.

NEW YORK, April 1.—The five socialists evicted from the New York assembly today will appeal to the supreme court and if necessary to the United States supreme court. S. John Block, state chairman of the socialist party, announced here tonight. He said counsel for the socialists, of which he is one, would meet in a day or two to determine whether an immediate appeal to the supreme court should be made.

"The fact that action was taken by a majority of the assembly does not establish the constitutionality of that action in any way," he said. "In fact, the action of the assembly was an invasion of the constitutional rights of the voters of the five districts the expelled assemblymen represented, as well as of the five men themselves."

Samuel Orr, one of the deposed assemblymen, said: "It is needless to say that this will not abolish socialism. An idea can never be abolished. The Kaiser and the czar tried it and failed miserably in the attempt."

"We may have failed in Albany, but the people of New York state and the nation in general have been fully aroused by this use of naked power by the officials temporarily trusted with the power of the government."

EX-SOLDIERS VOICE PROTEST
Albany Ouster Declared "Act Opposed to Democracy."

MINNEAPOLIS, April 1.—Resolutions condemning the action of the New York state assembly for expulsion of the five socialists today were adopted here by the first state and northwestern district convention of the World War Veterans, and the convention voted to send a telegram to the assembly declaring the expulsion an "act opposed to democracy."

Another resolution adopted branded universal military training as "Prussianism" and urged the state legislature would have a tendency to encourage war. The resolution protested against any form of universal military training or conscription except in time of war.

CALAMITY, SAYS C. E. HUGHES
Action Held Blow at Standards of True Americanism.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Charles E. Hughes today registered his regret over the expulsion of the socialists from the New York state assembly as "a serious blow at the standards of true Americanism and nothing short of a calamity."

"Those who make their patriotism a vehicle for intolerance," he continued, "are very dangerous friends of our institutions."

MILK CUT 2 CENTS HERE
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more milk than is now being used and in this way to a great extent compensate the producer and dealer for the reduction in price now recommended.

Grass is Declared Abundant. That the producer, as represented by the Oregon Dairyman's league, committees at its recent meeting that milk should be taken to the consumer at a wholesale rate than at present, for the reason that the next three months cover the abundant grass period, when production will be cheaper and the flow greater.

We are also of the opinion that the dairymen's problems, have not yet reached the state of perfection in handling the situation, as shown by the low percentage of purity of product produced through their surplus plant, also in the method of drawing new members into the organization, which has no means for their product, but simply tending to swell this surplus, which adds to the loss of all members of the league and is one of the main factors in keeping up the price of milk to the consumer. This condition may be improved by the league striving and using its best endeavor to better educate its members and employes as to the great importance of cleanliness and striving to maintain the highest standards of a reliable position held by Oregon dairymen's products of milk for the consumer.

We are also of the opinion that the deal between distributors is a position, by using their best abilities in the distribution or delivery of the milk and handling it to stand a share in the increasing price of milk to the consumer.

out in the price to the consumer located in the state, is \$2.60 a hundred, while the price of a similar grade of milk is \$2.30 a hundred, a difference of 30 per cent in the consumer's pocket.

In view of the recognized fact that dairymen command a full supply at this rate, and that we are in a position to pay for this disparity of rates, save that dairymen can sell their surplus milk at \$2.60 per hundred and have found themselves able under present general market conditions to command \$2.30 per hundred in Portland, it seems to your commission that the difference of 30 per cent can easily absorb a reduction of 70 cents per hundred to the producer, which will permit a reduction of 15 cents upon the price to the Portland consumer. That is, that the rate to the distributor should be \$2.20 gross, the producer and the distributor each receive a share of the surplus, in which the public is not concerned, and for which each has competent facilities.

Furthermore, in view of the fact that the means and methods of distribution are susceptible of, and are being, relatively improvement and are subject far more than in the production end of the industry to scientific management, and in view of the fact that advanced management of the larger bulk should make for a greater saving; and in view of the promise in June of an enlarged market due to the influx of over 100,000 tourists for several days.

Your commission believes that the distributors should absorb another 5 cent of reduction, making a total of 2 cents upon the quart to the consumer until July 1, 1920.

Two Extension Lectures Tonight. Two Oregon Agricultural college extension-lecture series will be given tonight, one at the central library and the other at the east-side library. Professor W. F. Brown will talk on "Insect Enemies and Plant Diseases of Our Fruit and Their Control" at 8 o'clock in room A central library. Professor E. S. Fitts will talk on "Feeding, Care and Management of the City Cow" at the east-side library at 8 o'clock.

FISH TREATY ATTACKED

A. E. REAMES, MEDFORD, RAPS STATE SENATOR THOMAS.

Contract Should Have Been Made Public Before Signing.
Asserts Angler.

The recent agreement between Rodger Macleay and sportsmen's associations over the fishing in the Rogue river is attacked by A. E. Reames of Medford, who declares that the people's rights have been sacrificed away by State Senator Thomas and the sportsmen's organizations. Mr. Reames, in an open letter in the Medford Mail-Tribune, wants to know why the contract was not made public before it was signed.

Mr. Reames, who is one of the best-known steelhead anglers in the state, waxes hostile over the contract and the manner in which it was handled by his fellow-townsmen, Senator Thomas.

"Until this secret contract was put through," asserts Mr. Reames, "there was a plain understanding that a measure should go on the ballot in the fall election according to commercial fishing in Rogue river."

Mr. Reames charges that the very organizations which were to have supported the measure in the fall election have been induced to lend their signature to the contract under the belief that it will give the desired protection. It will now take an immense amount of work and a lot of extra money to have the measure relievise these institutions of an obligation under a contract which they were misled into signing.

Mr. Reames objects to the contract recognizing the importance of the Macleay investments at the mouth of the river. He asserts that when Mr. Macleay bought the cannery, commercial fishing had been closed by law. The process was to take an option on the cannery and after lobbying a bill to permit commercial fishing, the cannery was bought.

According to Mr. Reames, Mr. Macleay endeavored to engage his professional services and when Mr. Reames refused, Mr. Reames declares that Mr. Macleay threatened to spend \$100,000 to subsidize every newspaper in the state and take the steelheads as well as the salmon.

"Y. W." REACHES \$20,000
ONE-HALF OF REQUIRED SUM OBTAINED TO DATE.

Contributors Speak in High Terms of Work Done by Association for Portland Girls.

One-half of the \$40,000 needed by the Young Women's Christian association has been raised. The workers will go forth today with renewed determination, trusting that a large percentage of the remaining \$20,000 will be in sight when the returns are reported at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Although Mrs. E. P. Northrup's team is still in the lead, that of Mrs. William Wheelwright yesterday took the honors for the largest sum turned in for the day. With her workers she was able to report \$1375 in contributions.

"I wish I could make a big pledge to your drive," said a working girl to Mrs. Northrup yesterday, "but unfortunately I can only spare this dollar, which I would like to spend for a year's membership, for I get so much comfort and pleasure out of the Y. W. C. A. departments of the Y. W. C. A. This same spirit is shown by many of those who are contributing small amounts and all who are making larger donations speak in the highest terms of the good work done for the girls of Portland by the association."

Tea was served to the workers yesterday as they came in from their pilgrimages to all parts of the city. Mrs. George N. Woodley acted as hostess, assisted by Mrs. Stewart.

Following is the standing of the teams: Mrs. William Wheelwright, \$2142; Mrs. R. T. Bishop, \$462; Mrs. E. P. Northrup, \$2486.50; Mrs. John Pearce, \$254; Mrs. Willis Dunaway, \$1309.75; Mrs. G. B. McLeod, \$309; Mrs. L. W. White, \$561.50; Mrs. W. J. Ball, \$441.50; Mrs. H. L. Geary, \$518.25; Mrs. O. W. Mielke, \$500.25; Mrs. Walter J. Holman, \$786.75; Mrs. Chris A. Bell, \$862.75; Mrs. M. L. Smith, \$265, and the "Flying Squadron," \$6826.

VETERANS TO MEET HERE
700 United Spanish War Soldiers Expected April 6.

Approximately 700 United Spanish War veterans will be in Portland April 5 for the big meeting to be held in the veterans' hall in the courthouse for the post department commanders of the state and the committee members of the Oregon Agricultural Association. H. V. Reed, commander of Scout Young camp, has completed arrangements for the entertainment, which is to include a regulation arm "feed." The camp will be inspected by Department Inspector Tichenor.

Among those to be present are L. W. Hyde of Hillsboro, one of the four national officials of the veterans; A. T. Prater, department commander, commander, with A. M. Southwick and C. W. Brant, his department adjutant and quartermaster, from Salem, and Ed S. Houker, junior vice-commander of Albany and delegation.

Lumber Company Incorporates.
VANCOUVER, Wash., April 1.—(Special.)—Articles of incorporation have been filed at Olympia by the North Fork Lumber company, with a capital stock of \$100,000. This company will lease over the timber and property of the North Fork Logging company. The trustees are

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