

SUPREME JUSTICES UPHOLD BURLESON

Majority of Court Holds He Acted Within Rights.

BERGER'S PAPER IS ISSUED

Withdrawal of Mailing Privileges, Sustained in Lower Court, Again Approved.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 7.—Authority of former Postmaster-General Burleson to withdraw second-class mail privileges from any publication which violated the act through printing articles "tending to create insubordination or disloyalty" in the military or naval forces was upheld today by the supreme court.

Associate Justices Brandeis and Holmes dissented. The court sustained the supreme court of the District of Columbia in refusing to issue a mandamus order compelling restoration of the privileges to the Milwaukee Leader, of which Victor Berger was editor. The Leader in its appeal was joined by the New York Call.

"Whatever injuries the editor suffered were the result of his own choice," declared Associate Justice Clark, who, in reading the majority opinion, recited excerpts from the newspapers as submitted by the government. "These articles were not designed to secure a modification or repeal of the law, they were intended to stir up opposition to them and internal strife."

Withdrawal Right Maintained. Authority to grant the classified privileges, the justices held, carried with it authority to withdraw them. He declared it an impossibility for the postal authorities attempting to scan each issue of a newspaper submitted to the mails to determine whether it violated the law, as supporting the postmaster in making his order cover "the indefinite future."

The criticism that the "due process" clause of the constitution was violated was declared unsupported in view of the hearing held by Mr. Burleson.

Associate Justice Brandeis took issue with the majority upon practically every point. Justice Holmes "concurred in substance" in Mr. Brandeis' opinion.

It was inconceivable, Justice Brandeis said, that congress intended to confer on the postmaster-general authority which amounts practically to an absolute censorship over the press and he recalled an attempt to give such authority had been defeated in congress.

Authority Held Usurped. "The postmaster-general concedes in his brief," he continued, "that congress did not confer the various absolute authority practically to deny circulation to any publication which in his opinion is likely to violate any postal law. I cannot believe that in establishing postal classification in 1879 congress intended to confer on the postmaster-general authority to issue the order complained of."

"If under the constitution administrative officers may as a mere incident of the peace time administration of their departments be vested with the power to issue such orders as this, there is little of substance in our rights and in every extended governmental function lurks a new danger to civil liberties."

MISSING FARMER SOUGHT

Reward of \$100 Offered for Trace of Earl Lewis.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 7.—(Special)—No trace has been found of Earl Lewis of Kelso, Wash., who disappeared from Ridgefield February 13. A reward of \$100 has been offered by Mitchell Lewis of Kelso for information leading to his whereabouts.

Lewis is part Indian, 23 years old, farmer by occupation, 5 feet 8 1/2 inches tall, weight 155, medium build, black hair and eyes, dark complexion, scar back of left ear. He wore khaki trousers, red jersey sweater and brown hat without a cord. Sheriff Thompson is sending circulars broadcast in an effort to find the lad.

STILL IS NEAR CHURCH

Moonshine Plant in Vancouver Has Large Capacity.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 7.—(Special)—A still with large capacity has been operating within 10 feet of a church on Twenty-sixth street and was found Saturday by Sheriff Thompson, but the operators had flown.

They left the still, made of a copper wash boiler, full of mash ready for distillation; also four barrels of juice ready to cook into whisky, and two of prune juice, and two other stills which had been discarded.

The moonshiners had caramel for coloring and evidently had just got through distilling the juice from four barrels, as they were empty and had been full.

Obituary.

EUGENE, Or., March 7.—(Special)—Mrs. Sarah F. Osburn, pioneer of 1853, died at the Harrisburg hospital yesterday at the age of 90 years. She was born in Indiana and came across the plains with her parents from Iowa, settling near Monroe, Benton county. She was married in 1853 to Alfred Orton. Her husband died in 1881. In 1885 she moved to Eugene, where she was married in 1887 to W. T. Osburn. Mrs. Osburn was related on her father's side to the famous scout, Kit Carson, and on her mother's side to General Robert E. Lee of Virginia, and the Marllocks and Harlows, near Oregon pioneers. The funeral will be held at Harrisburg tomorrow.

SALEM, Or., March 7.—(Special)—Israel Wood, aged 95 years, died at the state hospital here late last night. Mr. Wood was a veteran of the Indian wars and was committed to the hospital from the Old Soldiers' home at Roseburg in the year 1918. He was a native of Michigan, but had resided in the west for many years. Mrs. Alice Culp, a daughter of Mr. Wood, was notified of his death today. She resides at Richland, Wash.

EUGENE, Or., March 7.—(Special)—John Byars, long a resident of this county, died at his home near Alvadore Saturday night at the age of 83 years. He was a civil war veteran and member of the Masonic lodge and Presbyterian church.

SALEM, Or., March 7.—(Special)—Daniel Webster, past department

commander of the Grand Army of the Republic for Oregon, died at his home here last night after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Webster was born in Ohio in 1843, later moved to Wisconsin and thence to Oregon. During his residence in Salem he served as justice of the peace for more than 13 years, and had always taken an active interest in civic affairs of the community. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias and Elks lodges of this city. He came to Oregon in 1895. Mr. Webster is survived by a daughter, Miss Julia K. Webster of Salem.

OREGON CITY, March 7.—(Special)—Mrs. Amelia Langford, formerly of Oregon City, but recently making her home at the residence of Mrs. Thomas Johnson at Willamette, died this morning. Mrs. Langford at one time lived at Vancouver, Wash. She was a native of Pennsylvania, and was born 31 years ago.

CORVALLIS, Or., March 7.—(Special)—Henry Wortham, who has been in the drug business in this city for 35 years, died this forenoon at the home of his cousin, J. D. Golden. He was 64 years old and died of heart trouble. Mr. Wortham was a bachelor. He came here from Mississippi in an early day and for the past 25 years has been connected with the firm of Graham & Wortham.

YOUTH STILL IS MISSING

RAY STAGER'S DISAPPEARANCE IS UNSOLVED.

Theory Boy Has Been Kidnaped Is Advanced, Although Police Give Report Slight Credence.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 7.—(Special)—No word has been received



Ray Stager, Vancouver boy, who is strangely missing.

from Ray Stager, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stager of 1119 Harney street, since his disappearance Friday evening. He rode out of his home yard about 5 o'clock, and Nelson Steele, deputy sheriff, saw him on his wheel on Thirteenth street going west.

There is a suspicion that Industrial Workers of the World may have kidnaped the boy. The father is a bridge foreman and is working for the railroad near Seattle. He wired today to his wife that he would be here tomorrow morning to assist in the search for his missing son.

Young Stager had not left home when the automobile accident occurred at Sixteenth street and Kauffman avenue. He may have gone to the yard to get grain for his rabbits, and been locked in a car and taken from the city in a freight train. The river bank was searched for several miles downstream. The boy wore a khaki or brown-colored shirt, gray knee pants, black stockings, brown shoes and a green and white "jazz" cap. He wore no coat.

The case is one of the biggest mysteries ever known in this city. Stager's disappearance was announced in all of the churches yesterday and in the schools today. He was scheduled to play a game of baseball Saturday on a vacant lot, and he may have started for the game when he left home. His bicycle was a red Hambley, repainted black, with box handle bars.

Federal Aid Held Assured.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., March 7.—The reclamation service today assured Senator McNary that steps will be taken at once to co-operate with the state of Oregon in an examination of the Owyhee irrigation project for which the Oregon legislature recently appropriated \$5000.

W. W. Chapin Seeks to Be Envoy.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., March 7.—W. W. Chapin, formerly part owner of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, and now publisher of the Oakland, Cal., Enquirer, has become a candidate for minister to Belgium with substantial backing in California and one or two western states.

Bergdoll Investigation to Be Asked.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 7.—Investigation of the escape of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft dodger, will be called for in a resolution to be introduced the first day of the new session by Chairman Kahr of the house military committee.

One House Member Never Absent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 7.—One member of the house, Representative Ricketts of Ohio, demoted, answered all of the 52 rollcalls of the old congress, equalling his own record in the 64th congress, never before achieved.

War Finance Head Chosen.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 7.—Appointment of Eugene Meyer Jr. of New York as director of the war finance corporation was urged upon President Harding today by Senator Calder of New York. He formerly held that position.

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WHITE HOUSE WATCH SET

PICKETS TO BE STATIONED IN INTERESTS OF DEBS.

"Political Prisoners" to Be Subject of Activities by Socialist Party, Says Leader.

BOSTON, March 7.—The White House will be picketed by socialists in connection with the campaign to be conducted at Washington in the interests of amnesty for Eugene V. Debs and others whom they designate as "political prisoners." William Fliegenbaum of Chicago, speaking for the executive committee of the socialist party in session here, said today no conflict with the authorities in carrying out the picketing plans was expected, as it was understood the Washington police did not interfere in "peaceful picketing."

"We will not try to break into jail, but we will go to prison if necessary to emphasize the fact that Debs and others still in jail should be released," he added.

The executive committee set June 25 as the date for the national convention of the party at Detroit. The committee discussed the proposal to affiliate with the communist internationals and it was decided to present the subject of international relations to the national convention in four alternative propositions, which are:

"First—That the socialist party renew its application for membership in the communist internationals on the basis of complete acceptance of the 21 points of affiliation.

"Second—That the party renew its application with the reservation that we accept no binding formula for the administration or reorganization of the socialist party and retain complete autonomy in matters of membership, organization, tactics and domestic affairs.

"Third—That the socialist party co-operate with the socialist parties of other countries in the formation of a socialist internationals upon a basis of no formulas and the internal autonomy of national parties.

"Fourth—That the socialist party consider its paramount duty is to build a powerful revolutionary socialist organization in this country. It is therefore resolved to devote all of its energy and resources to this task."

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By Winston Churchill

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