

RAIL OWNERSHIP URGED ON NATION

Labor Convention Goes on Record for Plan.

FURUSETH SCORES CAPITAL

Education and Law Declared Misused by Rich.

ESCH-CUMMINS ACT HIT

Portland Machinist Calls Measure Tragedy in Industrial and Financial Legislation.

DENVER, Colo., June 22.—The convention of the American Federation of Labor today reaffirmed its stand for government ownership with democratic operation of the railroads, and directed its executive council to draw up proposed legislation designed to give the workers through government regulation equal rights and privileges with capital in organized enterprises.

The convention sustained the action of the resolutions committee in striking out of the resolution a phrase that would have put organized labor on record as declaring for "government control and democratic operation of all industries organized under corporate grants and privileges."

Matthew Well of Chicago, president of the Photo Engravers, sought to settle the question by referring it back to committee, with instructions to separate the railroad from the general declaration in favor of government ownership of all basic industries.

Mr. Well declared that the minority report was capable of misinterpretation, and that inclusion of both propositions might give enemies of labor opportunity to misrepresent labor's attitude. He denied that the resolution was "socialistic," because it provided for participation of both capital and labor equally in profits of industry.

BOND HOUSE RECEIVER ASKS FOR \$30,562

W. D. WHITCOMB WANTS HIS FEE OF \$9855.

Expenses of Administration Are Placed at \$10,707 and Fee of \$10,000 Asked for Counsel.

A petition by W. D. Whitcomb, receiver for Morris Brothers, Inc., to Federal Judge Wolverton filed yesterday places his expenses and remuneration as receiver at \$30,562.26 covering expenses of administration, attorneys' salaries and personal salary.

CAR PLUNGES INTO RIVER

Oregon Woman Killed in Mishap Near Livingston, Mont.

LIVINGSTON, Mont., June 22.—Mrs. Ed Zeller, aged 20, residing 39 miles east of Portland, Ore., and Almira Zacher, aged 11, a resident of Hill, N. D., were killed this afternoon when a tourist automobile driven by the husband of the dead woman plunged over a 50-foot cliff into the Yellowstone river. The accident occurred eight miles east of Livingston, and according to Zeller, who swam to safety, a broken part in the steering control caused the plunge.

MALICE DENIED BY I. W. W.

Centralia Slayers Promise Good Behavior to Reduce Terms.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., June 22.—(Special.)—The seven I. W. W. boys yesterday served 25 to 40 years in state prison for the Centralia armistice day murders declared today that:

CROWD ROUTED BY LEPER

Chairs in Courtroom Overturned in Disorderly Exit.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 22.—Three minutes after counsel for Lin Pook, suspected Chinese tong murderer, announced in a crowded courtroom that his client, who sat near by, was a leper, the courtroom was cleared of all save the judge, court officers, prisoner and attorney.

CHERRY PICKERS SOUGHT

5000 Declared Wanted to Help in Harvest Near Salem.

SALEM, Ore., June 22.—(Special.)—Call was sent out by growers here today for 5000 pickers to help harvest the cherry and loganberry crops, which will come on simultaneously next week.

NEWSPAPERS CUT PRICE

Detroit News and Journal Will Be 2 Cents Hereafter.

DETROIT, June 22.—A reduction to 2 cents a copy within a radius of 50 miles and effective June 27, was announced today by the Detroit News and the Detroit Journal. The new subscription rates are based on "anticipation of further savings in the cost of production."

SOVIET SUSPECTED OF SEIZING SHIPS

Papers Declared to Indicate Russian Plot.

RAID REVEALS EVIDENCE

Department of Justice Expects Results in Month.

CONESTOGA LIST GIVEN

Elias M. Zimmerman Is Among Crew That Disappeared When Navy Tug Vanished.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Plans for the seizure of American vessels at sea and their diversion to Russian soviet ports were revealed, New York police officials announced today, in documents seized a year and one-half ago in a raid made by them on the headquarters of the United Russian Workers of the United States and Canada.

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Detective Sergeant Gegan, chief of the bomb squad, who made the raid, declared federal officials were notified of the seizure but that he did not know whether any action had been taken.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—

Department of justice officials expect to complete within a month the elimination process in seeking to solve the mystery of the disappearance of the steamer Hovvitt and the crew of the schooner Carroll A. Deering. With several government agencies at work, officials said today the various possibilities could be run down in that time.

EX-OFFICER IS CONVICTED

Acceptance of Bribe for Release of Alleged "Bunko" Man Charged.

LOS ANGELES, June 22.—Walter Lips, former chief of the Los Angeles fire department and deputy sheriff, was convicted of bribery late today by a jury in the superior court here.

WOMAN INCINERATED BY BLAZE AT HOME

HOUSEWIFE LIVES WHILE HER BODY IS AWAY.

Body of Mrs. and Among Ruins of Residence of Mill Worker Mile From Elma, Wash.

ABERDEEN, Wash., June 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. Frank Smith, 47 years old, was burned to death in a fire of unknown origin, which completely destroyed the Smith residence on a chicken ranch one mile north of Elma at 5 o'clock this morning.

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MEXICANS MEET IN LIVELY SKIRMISH

SOLDIERS CLASH WITH BANDITS NEAR BORDER.

LAREDO, Texas, June 22.—Two soldiers from the garrison at Nuevo Laredo were killed and four others wounded in a fight late yesterday near Hualachito with 75 bandits under the command of Colonel Delgado and Luis Manero, according to reports today.

SALES DIRECTOR ACCUSED

Henry B. Miller, Once With Federal Fleet Corporation, Under Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 22.—Charges against Henry B. Miller, ex-director of surplus sales for the Emergency Fleet corporation, have been preferred by federal investigators, it was stated today by Frank M. Silva, United States district attorney here, who said the reports submitted to him would be referred to the federal grand jury.

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Wilhelm, Ancient Rival, Humbled, 1 Up.

MATCH GOES FULL 36 HOLES

Failure to Sink Putts Undoing of State Champion.

TITLE IS NARROWED TO 8

Schmidt, Von Elm, Don Stein, Egan, Griswold, Watson, Willing Still in Running.

No golf tourney is quite complete without a surprise or two as Russell Smith of the Waverley Country club, an ex-northwest champion and ex-Oregon state titleholder yesterday took it upon himself to provide one by humbling Rudolph Wilhelm of the Portland Golf club, who is present Oregon state champion and also an ex-northwest titleholder, by a score of 1 up.

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