LABOR STRENGTHENED BY BRITISH COLONIES

President Wilson Asserts Delegates Will Help U. S.

CONVENTION HAS MESSAGE

Recommendations of Conference Must Be Submitted to Our Own Government for Ratification.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 21.—That British colonies having power in the league of nations general labor conference will prove a source of strength to the United States "instead of an embarassment" was asserted in a cable message from President Wilson explaining recent changes in the labor covenant, read at the American Federation of Labor convention here today by Samuel Gompers.

In this message President Wilson also asserted he believed changes in the labor covenant were "not substantially important, inasmuch as every labor convention adopted by the conference must be submitted to our own government for ratification," thus leaving the "choice of acceptance or rejection in our hands."

After first setting forth in detail the changes—which are similar to those already published and indorsed at yesterday's session of the convention—the president then proceeded to reply to a point raised in a cable sent him by Mr. Gompers.

This point, according to the president's reply, now appears in the treaty of peace under article 405.

President Gives Views.

"I am convinced," read the president's message, "that except for changes in wording which do not affect the substance and spirit of those before mentioned' they remained the same.

"Second—Likewise your protocol to article 19 has been transferred to the body of the treaty under article 405. The 'resolutions' adopted by the commission do not appear in the treaty, inasmuch as they were merely proposals of separate delegations and no part of the report as unanimously adopted for incorporation in the treaty.

"Third—A number of changes of form have been through the draft convention to make it conform in phraseology with the covenant of the league of nations as redrafted by the league of nations commission. For example, the words 'the high contracting parties' now read 'members' and other similar unimportant changes.

"Fourth—On April 11 at the plenary conference which adopted the report of the labor commission, Sir Robert Borden made the following remarks:

"'This convention is linked in many ways by its terms to the covenant of the league of nations and I think it desirable to make it perfectly plain that the character of its members and the method of adherence should be the same in the one case as in the other.'

Resolution Is Adopted.

"He then offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted by the conference:

"'The conference authorized the drafting committee to take such amendments as may be necessary to have the convention conform to the covenant of the league of nations in the character of its membership and in the method of adherence.'

"In pursuance of this resolution the following changes were made:

"'Article 1 of your committee's report, together with the first two clauses of your article 35, together with article 36, have been combined as article 387 of the treaty to read:

"'A permanent organization is hereby established for the promotion of the objects set forth in the preamble. The original members of the league of nations shall be the original members of this organization and hereafter membership of the league of nations shall carry with it membership in the said organization.'

"As you doubtless have in mind, the changes have the effect of giving the British dominions and colonies separate representation on the general conference. When you give your final judgment on the importance of these changes, I earnestly urge you to entertain the following considerations:

"1. That Borden could not go back to the Canadian people, who occupy a position of considerable importance in the industrial world, and tell them that they were not entitled to representation on the general labor conference at Versailles.

Changes Held Unimportant.

"2. That the changes did in fact bring the labor convention into harmony with the league of nations covenant.

"3. That the changes are not substantially important, inasmuch as every labor convention adopted by the conference must be submitted to our government for ratification. Thus, the choice of acceptance or rejection lies in our hands, irrespective of the constitution of the general conference.

"4. That the problems of the chief British colonies and dominions are much more like our own than like Great Britain's, so that their representation will be a source of strength to our point rather than an embarrassment.

"5. That in my opinion the changes do not introduce any weakness or threat of any particular weakness into the labor provisions. They will stand, thanks to your efforts and guidance, as one of the progressive achievements of the peace conference, something from which peoples the world over may take courage and hope and confidence in a better future.

"I am sure that you will agree that nothing could be more fatal to these first aspirations than any failure to indorse these provisions. I count upon your support and sponsership."

HUNS WOULD ENTER LEAGUE

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of the uncompleted portion of the Austrian treaty.

According to a Berlin dispatch Friday night the German note to the peace conference cites 12 instances in which the covering note of the allied reply to the Germans announced concessions which are not contained in the altered text of the peace treaty.

PARIS, June 21.—The reported formation of a coalition cabinet in Germany under Dr. Eduard David with Count von Bernstorff as foreign minister gave rise in conference circles today to the expectation that the new ministry would attempt to obtain modifications of the peace conditions before finally consenting to sign.

Dr. David Chauvinistic.

Dr. David has been known as a chauvinist socialist and more conservative than Scheidemann, but less compromised by public utterances to a rejection of the treaty than the former premier.

PARIS, June 21.—(By the Associated Press.)—The official copies of the peace treaty, to be signed by representatives of Germany and the allies, now are being prepared in the office of the general secretary of the peace conference, according to the Echo de Paris.

Each of the allied representatives whose names must appear on the document has been asked formally for specimens of their signatures and their seals.

DEMONSTRATION IS EXPECTED

Measures Taken for Safety on Day Peace Treaty Is Signed.

VERSAILLES, June 21.—Officials of the foreign ministry and military authorities attended a meeting at the local prefecture of police today to arrange for adequate police measures on the day the peace treaty is signed. The authorities visited the palace this afternoon and examined the plans for police protection. It was decided to modify the plans considerably. Preparations for policing in and around the palace must be completed by Tuesday.

ANOTHER FLIGHT PLANNED

Handley-Page Expected to Start Across Atlantic Today.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., June 21.—The Handley-Page bombing plane, piloted by Vice-Admiral Mark Kerr, probably will start from Harbor Grace at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning on an attempted flight to the Irish coast, it was announced here tonight.

NEWILL WINS; BONDS LOSE

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that some of the better residence districts gave the most favorable votes for the bonds. Alameda led in this respect with a vote of 65 to 30 in favor of the issue. Rose City district voted 81 to 57 in favor of the bonds, while Laurelhurst cast 61 "yes" votes, as against 35 "no" votes.

Vote in North Light.

Among the unexpectedly light votes that came as a surprise was the James John district, which was scheduled to have profited much through passage of the bond measure. But 21 votes were cast in the district on the bond measure and 6 of these were "no."

There was remarkable lack of interest in the election in many voting precincts. Interest seemed at lowest ebb in the more central districts, where little in the way of improved facilities are needed. A few of the outlying districts cast very small votes, too. At the Benson Polytechnic school but 10 votes were cast for directors and but 8 on the bond issue. All of the latter were against the bonds. At the Atkinson school the total of ballots for directors was but 14. Nine voted here on the bond issue, eight of them disapproving the issue. At Willbridge and Linnton, among the disinterested outlying districts, 10 and 15 votes, respectively, were cast.

Failure Is Deplored.

"The success of the bond issue would not have enabled us to make permanent provision for housing the children during the coming school year," said Clerk Thomas of the board of education last night, "but it would have assured proper housing during the succeeding year. Undoubtedly the board will act favorably upon the report of the buildings and grounds committee, which recommends the erection of 14 portable buildings and the division of three rooms in permanent buildings, giving 17 additional rooms for the next school year.

"The report of the committee was based upon recommendations and estimates prepared by Superintendent Grout, and this action would have been necessary in any event, as permanent buildings contemplated under the bond issue could not have been erected in time for the opening of the school year.

"The question of a special election to submit an increased tax levy proposal to the voters will have to be passed upon by the board. There is a strong sentiment the country over against bond issues for school purposes, and now that the people of Portland have gone on record in that regard, it will be necessary to see what else can be done toward properly caring for children of school age in this city."

Mr. Newill States Position.

"I have to go on that board and learn something," said Mr. Newill last night upon being informed of his election. "I am not going into office with any intention of tearing things up. I will not be a party to the use of taxpayers' money for publicity work for officers who are elected by the people, and especially when those who are opposed have to pay their share.

"I want to do the best I can for the school children of Portland, and the best I can to save the taxpayers' money through wise expenditures. I want first to obtain a full knowledge of the board's affairs, as well as a thorough knowledge of administration of the schools themselves. My campaign was an open one and I will go into office without prejudice of any kind."

The complete vote of the 72 election districts into which the city had been divided follows:

Polling Place—	Drake	Newill	Tomasini	Yes	No
Chapman	23	59	18	24	62
Davis	14	10	6	6	24
Old Couch	28	71	55	42	87
New Couch	37	67	39	37	72
Atkinson	6	7	1	1	8
D. C. Warren M. Co.	22	44	7	20	42
Home Telephone Of.	11	8	6	7	14
Lewmsdale	22	24	12	13	36
Courthouse	19	11	7	10	19
Ladd	20	13	13	7	24
Economy Cleaners	17	43	28	22	50
Shattuck	18	30	29	15	42
Commercial High	12	15	7	10	15
Failing	29	25	4	13	37
Holman	38	17	8	9	41
Terwilliger	9	13	4	6	19
Fulton Park (New)	8	11	6	9	12
Capitol Hill	10	13	4	15	8
Lincoln High	45	54	19	26	79
Woodstock	22	15	20	11	30
Eastmoreland	8	8	6	11	9
Lents	17	42	17	31	42
Woodmere	15	32	25	27	29
Arleta	28	42	48	36	68
Ainsworth	22	61	15	34	49
Lincoln High	47	53	23	23	83
Woodstock	60	32	21	36	59
Creston	18	25	25	21	37
Kellogg	27	33	7	29	41
Franklin High	20	44	17	29	37
Richmond	53	74	20	49	87
Clinton Kelly	45	63	35	48	74
Brooklyn	18	18	30	6	55
Stephens	24	22	8	4	52
Allen	54	23	14	11	48
Lambert & Sons	7	11	3	8	13
Buckman	63	67	25	36	95
Benson Polytechnic	1	9	.....	.....	8
Karns	37	47	24	38	56
Hawthorne	40	48	31	34	58
Garage, East 28th	50	77	34	45	93
Sunnyside	58	150	26	62	105
Glencoe	38	53	31	42	67
Laurelhurst	34	50	19	61	35
Glenhaven	10	13	7	11	16
Mount Tabor	13	16	4	13	15
Mills Open Air	32	58	11	30	56
Montavilla	37	84	23	28	86
Rose City Park	61	59	21	81	57
Kenedy	13	13	8	13	18
Vernon	18	39	22	21	54
Highland	53	54	21	28	72
Albina Homestead	18	25	13	15	37
Thompson	19	57	20	26	47
Eliot	65	41	58	41	120
Shaver	16	26	11	11	35
Irvington	66	98	47	80	113
Holladay	43	51	30	27	84
Alameda	30	43	24	65	30
Fernwood	40	53	22	54	53
Woodlawn	30	32	5	20	41
Ockley Green	63	28	18	28	77
Jefferson High	37	47	42	56	73
Kenton	6	19	15	18	10
Peninsula	27	35	12	28	44
Portsmouth	46	53	18	54	58
Central	26	26	3	48	17
James John High	16	10	3	13	6
North	21	17	2	20	17
East	3	12	4	10	8
Linnton	.....	13	2	10	5
Willbridge	6	.....	4	1	5
Totals	2001	2607	1268	1870	3276

NON-CITIZEN INDIAN ALLEGED WHITE MAN

Football Coach and Movie Actor Before Federal Court.

'LONESTAR' DIETZ ON TRIAL

Testimony as to Birth and Early Life Expected to Prove Government Case.

SPOKANE, Wash., June 21.—Charged in a federal grand jury indictment with registering under the draft as a non-citizen Indian when in reality he was born of white parents, William Henry "Lonestar" Dietz, football coach and moving picture actor, will be called for trial Monday morning in federal court here.

Testimony as to the birth and early life of Dietz is expected to be heard, as the government has called a number of witnesses who knew Dietz' family in Wisconsin to give testimony that he never was an Indian and assumed the role in later years, after he grew up.

Depositions from other Wisconsin residents have been received for presentation at the trial. Among them are two from Clarence H. Dietz and Leslie J. Dietz of Madison, sons of John "Cameron Dam" Dietz, now in prison at Waupon penitentiary, Wis., and alleged cousins of "Lonestar" Dietz. Mrs. Leana Lewis of Lodi, Wis., wife of Frank Lewis and the divorced wife of the late Sheriff William Wallace Dietz, is here to testify. It is expected she will testify as to whether or not she is the mother of the defendant.

"Lonestar" Dietz formerly was coach of the Washington state college football team. During the war he coached the Mare Island team. He is said to be a graduate of Carlisle Indian school.

BOLSHEVIK CLUBS RAIDED

NEW YORK POLICE SEIZE TON OF PRINTED MATTER.

Radical Organization Headquarters Yield Much Valuable Data for Investigating Committee.

NEW YORK, June 21.—Nearly a ton of printed and written matter, in which the Lusk legislative committee investigating bolshevism hopes to find much valuable data on radical organization and methods, was seized here today by police and state troops in simultaneous raids on headquarters of three radical organizations.

The places raided were the New York headquarters of the Industrial Workers of the World, the offices of the New York Communist, a newspaper edited by John Reed, which is the official organ of the "left wing" socialists, and the Rand School of Social Science.

Radical sympathizers were found at all three places, but they offered no resistance and no arrests were made.

The raiders attached much importance to a receipt book listing contributors to the "left wing" movement.

A poster on the wall of the office appealed for contributions to the Communist, describing it as "the paper that in America enunciates the communist principles and wholeheartedly supports the bolsheviki of Russia and the spartacans of Germany."

Pamphlets addressed by Nicholai Lenine to his "comrade" also were found.

NEW WAGE SCALE ASKED

Oregon City Carpenters Want $6.88 to Conform With Portland.

OREGON CITY, Or., June 21.—(Special.)—A meeting of the local carpenters' union was held Wednesday evening, at which time it was decided to increase the scale of wages to conform with that of Portland. The local scale is $6 a day and the Portland scale is $6.88, and the local men say that contractors are unable to obtain the necessary number of workmen here and import men from Portland, who are paid the city scale.

The Oregon City carpenters declare the action is unfair.

SALEM BOY HURT IN WRECK

Ted Howard Badly Injured in Motorcycle Accident.

SALEM, Or., June 21.—(Special.)—Ted Howard, 15 years old, is in a critical condition at the Salem hospital as a result of a collision today in which a motorcycle, an automobile bus and a trolley car figured.

Howard was riding a motorcycle at State and Twelfth streets when he collided with a motor bus of the Marion hotel, which threw him in front of the passing street car, when his left arm and left leg were fractured and he was badly bruised about the head. He has a chance for recovery.

CAR NEAR LONG PLUNGE

Mistake in Gear Shifts Nearly Causes Accident.

An automobile driven by Mrs. J. V. Burke, 695 East Burnside street, narrowly escaped plunging over the bridge across the Mount Hood electric railway at east 82d street Friday night. Mrs. Burke shifted the gear into reverse instead of forward, and the car began backing when she turned on the gas.

The machine stopped about six inches from the edge of the bridge, which is about 50 feet high. Mrs. Burke and her daughter were in the car at the time.

SEATTLE TRAIN WRECKED

Four Coaches Ditched, but No One Injured.

LINCOLN, Neb., June 21.—The through Seattle-St. Louis passenger train on the Burlington railroad, due at Lincoln at 12:15 Sunday morning, was wrecked late tonight a short distance east of Aurora, 70 miles west of Lincoln. A dispatch from Aurora says four coaches left the track, but so far as known no one was injured.

The cause of the accident and amount of damage is unknown.

Mines Filling With Water.

GRASS VALLEY, Cal., June 21.—Pumpmen left their posts in virtually all the mines here today and the workings slowly are filling with water. This was the eighth day of the strike of more than 1000 gold miners, who are demanding an additional 50 cents a day pay.

Oil Investment Information

Absolute Robbery and Long Chances *vs.* Safe and Sane Money-Making Opportunities

Perhaps the greatest essential industry in modern progress is the production, refining, distribution and utilization of oil products. Like coal, iron, copper or gold, it is substantial, but by far the most profitable of all natural resources, owing to the small overhead expense involved in oil operations after the initial expenditures.

This is the age of oil, with an unprecedented growing demand and the world's visible supply of high-grade oil decreasing at an alarming rate. Few people have even a primary knowledge about oil, and the bulk of them are under the impression that all that is necessary is to drill a hole in the ground and, if you are lucky, you will strike oil and independence. In view of the fabulous profits of successful operators and the general ignorance of the public, human leeches using fake stock companies as bait, are robbing the unsophisticated with oily generalities and gushy liquid gold promises. Millions of dollars are being charmed from the people through cheap stocks which go to fatten a horde of Rufus Wallingfords.

Thousands of companies have been formed that have for their sole assets some cheap, worthless acreage near some legitimate operations. These never get beyond the stage of rig on the ground or promise to drill. Others go further and, to make a showing, actually drill on ground where it would be just as sane to drill for iron, gold or ivory. These two classes are absolute 100 per cent bunko.

Another class with perhaps faith and honesty are drilling where they have some of the superficial indications of oil, which may or may not mean anything. This optimism and inexperience is just as disastrous to the stockholder as the bunko net. Again, others drill on the flanks of proven ground, which is in the real majority of instances also doomed to failure, as the ring of dry holes around the 1600-acre Burk-Burnett pool evidence and the artesian wells surrounding the famous Salt Creek pool show.

Even with a perfect geological dome, syncline and anticline, seep-gas, saturated shales and sandstones and good indications, it is a far cry to absolute natural essentials for the existence or the practical production of oil. The formation of oil requires prehistoric conditions similar to the formation of coal, or, in other words, the concentration of a great bulk of animal or vegetable matter which has been distilled by water and chemical actions. After a multitude of these favorable conditions, the problem of the extent of the feeding ground, which may not have area enough to feed a dome or cause a sufficient concentration of oil to make it commercially practical, or again, the oil may be too deep or too widely distributed to extract with profit. Further, the character of the underground structure must be such as to give the oil an opportunity to migrate to the line of least resistance at the bottom of the drill hole. The gas pressure must also be strong and evenly distributed to bring about this result. Shales or sands with small porosity or saturation space cannot be prolific producers.

In view of the multitude of considerations that spell failure in the oil business, there is only one absolute certainty, and that is proven ground, which, however, by the time it is proven, is so valuable that the small investor has no chance to get the benefit of it. As an illustration of proven ground, will instance the Salt Creek dome in Wyoming. Inside an escarpment containing 3400 acres there have been 250 wells drilled in every part of the dome. In every instance the drilling logs show the same uniform underground structure and in every instance have the wells come in with a uniform and consistent production. In proven ground it is merely a mathematical problem of what the ground will produce, which is based on the thickness of the oil-bearing stratas, the average saturation space of the same denoting the volume of oil. For instance, with oil-bearing stratas 100 feet thick and a porosity of 25 per cent, one-fourth of this space would be oil. The next problem is the recoverability of this oil, which is based on gas pressure, migration conditions and practical experience of wells that have been producing for years. In ground proven to this extent the profits on an acre of ground are just as demonstrable as that in any other industrial venture and can be computed to within a very small margin.

Anyone bearing the above general information in mind may save themselves some money in the future when they are approached with glittering oil propositions. Nothing is a cinch in oil unless it is absolutely proven ground of high grade, and then the element of honesty of administration, adverse legislation, litigation and other unforeseen things may wreck the most perfect opportunity in which there may not be a visible flaw.

It is seldom in even a long lifetime that one gets a chance to buy in a vastly profitable and flawless venture from an investment standpoint. Unfortunately, in their stock buying the people of Portland have been handed gold bricks, and in many years of residence here I do not recall a single offering with real merit and safety. That they are skeptical and suspicious is the outgrowth of experience with all kinds of promotion sharks, and viewed in the light of past offerings, they are justified in stepping on anything presented on general principles.

The people of Portland have been trained in a slow 4-to-8% run along investment lines. Many of you will not understand a language or business that eliminates per cent and talks double your money, or 5, 10 or 50 to 1 for money invested without taking any more risk than in any standard business. Now don't jump at the hasty conclusion that here is where the curtain goes up giving you a chance to get into a big thing on a shoestring and that you are going to have an opportunity to get rich quick. The offering I have to make is in no sense humanitarian, but business. Further, it is very doubtful that you can get any of it in case it looks good. In brief, I have bought a one-tenth interest in the Chappell Oil Company of Wyoming and Texas on a basis of real money, and lots of it. My arrangement is an option to pay until the first well comes in, and whatever I have paid for I get. I will be candid and state that I cannot, owing to the short time before me to complete the option, take it all. So someone can have some of it on the basis that, after they have received the equivalent of $3 for every one invested, they are to pay me 50% of the future profits. Further, they are to give me the first opportunity to buy their holdings in case they sell.

The Chappell Company is a Wyoming concern incorporated for $1,000,000. None of their stock has been, is or will be on the open market. Their holdings and development are as follows:

Forty acres in the heart of the Salt Creek dome absolutely surrounded by production of the biggest kind in the history of oil. The Midwest owns the Salt Creek dome, with the exception of two school sections and several small tracts. Our lease is from the Midwest Company on a straight 25% royalty basis. While there have been no transfers in this dome, it is hard to get a line on values there, but the Midwest has made arrangements with the state of Wyoming to pay them $3,000,000 for the right to take the oil from a school section. Eccles, with a 160-acre tract adjoining our holdings, has been offered $2,000,000 for the same. The biggest producer of high-grade oil in the world is in the Salt Creek dome. Its production has been 1000 barrels an hour at the rate of $1.50 per barrel, which makes the income from this well around $40,000 a day with an overhead expense of three men as watchmen, about $20 per day. Salt Creek has one well that has produced around 1,500,000 barrels and is still active. It has at least 15 wells that have produced over a half million barrels and are still gushing. Original stock in the Midwest Company is worth around $188, that sold in 1912 for 25 cents.

E. T. Williams' wells on 40 acres outside the escarpment on the edge of the Salt Creek dome are worth $23, to $1 first invested. This is what our neighbors are doing and the values they represent. We have the same thing. On the Salt Creek property we have a rig, machinery and buildings all paid for and will drill as soon as Texas conditions permit. For complete information about Salt Creek, which verifies the above data, Bulletin No. 670, Geological Survey, by Wegemann, report for 1917 on Salt Creek, can be seen at public library.

In the Big Muddy field, the second biggest producer in Wyoming, the Chappell Company, has 160 acres surrounded on every side by big production. This lease was also procured from the Midwest Company. In this field, like in the Salt Creek, there are around 250 wells with never a failure of commercial production. Our neighbors there are the Meritt, Glenrock, Midwest and Humphries, and the value of their stocks and holdings is fabulous. On the Muddy property we have one of the finest outfits in the field and a well down 2000 feet.

In Texas the Chappell has 10 acres in the heart of the Burk-Waggoner field, the last big pool discovery, four miles north of the Burk-Wagonner field, the last big pool discovery, four miles north of the Burk-Wagonner pool. To be exact, we are 1670 feet east of the Burk-Wagonner well, 900 feet northeast of the Thrift No. 2, 1600 feet north of the Golden Cycle, with the Texas Chief, the biggest well in Texas, 2400 feet to the north of our holdings, and some big wells directly to the east of us. In other words, we are surrounded, close up on all sides, by the best producers in Texas. For this 10 acres we paid $12,500 per acre as a bonus to drill, and must pay a 50% royalty besides. This ground is estimated to have a productiveness of from 250,000 to 500,000 barrels per acre. Oil in the Texas pools sells for $2.40 a barrel. On the Texas holdings we have a well that is down to the oil sands, 1750 feet, and the work of standardizing has begun, according to a telegram received Friday. Two other rigs are up on this ground and the rotary drill has been moved from the first well and drilling is in progress on the second hole. When this first Texas well comes in, which is only a matter of hours, my option expires, and no more stock can be had. Experience has shown that with a well coming in, the stock has in every instance jumped from 5 to 30 times its former value. The Burk-Wagonner is selling at 33 times its former price.

Any one of the three leases in the three biggest proven pools in the world would be a big asset for a company; the three combined are unusual assets. As to the management of the Company, look at Bradstreet and see who Dr. Howard Weber is and what his position and rating is in the oil world. He is president of our Company and has given his time, money and experience to get Chappell on the map. He personally is drilling 38 wells in the Burk-Wagonner pool and has been offered a profit of $2,000,000 on his holdings there.

Our secretary, Mr. Durham of Casper, is one of the best land and oil lease lawyers in the west, having for years been U. S. land commissioner, handling the oil leases for the government. M. U. Weber, the son of the president, is manager and was brought up around oil derricks and knows all that can be known about the practical end of the business. Other officials of the Company are: W. C. Nichol, publisher of the Daily Province at Vancouver, B. C., and W. C. Gregory of Pocatello, who was identified with the late Senator Brady in big operations. All of the men connected with the Company are of exceptionally high standing. They are all giving their time and energy to the development of the Company without compensation. As they own the Company, anyone interested in a small way will get a square deal, as they would naturally take no action that was not to their own interest.

In conclusion, will state that no one is asked to put up a cent until they have convinced themselves that the venture is exactly as represented. Any investigation they desire to make I will pay for, even to a visit to the properties, if things are not exactly as alleged. The only misrepresentation possible is the underestimating of the real merits of the proposition.

This is a matter that you can realize cannot be delayed, as at any time a telegram may come stating that the Texas well is in, which automatically closes my option and prevents anyone getting any of this holding.

For full information, call at Room 415 Railway Exchange Block, Marshall 3422, or white P. O. Box 530. F. F. LISCHKE.

GIRLS TO PICK BERRIES

ONE THOUSAND WOMEN AND GIRLS WILL DO BIT.

Group Camps Housing 50 Persons Planned to Care for Field Workers.

One thousand women and girls of Portland and vicinity will help harvest the great loganberry crop which the Willamette valley is going to produce this year, according to plans being made by Mrs. Bruce Scott, head of the women's department of the United States labor bureau, Third and Oak streets. The women and girls will be formed into groups of 50, each group under the leadership of a competent woman as director. Already ten of the groups have been formed, consisting of 50 each, and ten more groups will have been formed by July 1, when the women pickers will take the field.

Camps will be established where the women are to pick, the growers arranging sleeping and eating quarters. All quarters are being inspected by Mrs. Scott and conditions for the pickers will be better than they ever have been before. Camps are to be established in the following localities: Cornelius, Gervais, Gaston, Salem, Brooks, Sheridan, Gresham and Newberg. In most of these localities several camps will be established, making 20 in all.

This is the first time that the group plan has ever been tried for women in Oregon, although last year boys' camps were formed with success. The crop of loganberries is exceptional this year and the pay for pickers will be the best ever known, 2 to 2½ cents per pound.

The general labor situation is reported well balanced, with plenty of jobs open for those who are willing to leave the city. A strong demand for loggers and sawmill men continues and the haying season is just starting, calling for men on the farms. The harvest season will open about July 1 and from then until October 1 the labor bureau does not anticipate any oversupply of labor.

RAILWAY MAIL MEN COME

Brotherhood to Meet at Eugene to Form Adjustment Board.

EUGENE, Or., June 21.—Members of the Brotherhood of Railway Mail Clerks, numbering between 100 and 150, representing a section between San Francisco on the south and Portland on the north, will meet in Eugene tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of forming a system board of adjustment. Many delegates arrived tonight and a large number from both the north and the south are expected to arrive tomorrow morning.

The meeting will be called at 1 o'clock and may be continued over until Monday. G. I. Maston of Pocatello, Idaho, regional director for the brotherhood, arrived tonight with the advance guard to arrange for the meeting. He said that the brotherhood on this coast is making an unprecedented growth. It is not a question of soliciting members, he said, but a problem for the headquarters to keep pace with the demand for charters, membership cards and the details that go with the organization of new locals.

SCIENTISTS PICK LEADER

Coast Society Elects J. C. Merriam President of Body.

PASADENA, Cal., June 21.—Dr. John C. Merriam, noted paleontologist and member of the faculty of the University of California, was elected president of the Pacific division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science here tonight at the conclusion of a three-day convention. All who have been holding office, except the president, will continue another year.

The 1920 convention city was not selected, the choice being left to the executive committee, which will make an announcement in a few days. Invitations were received from Portland, Tacoma, Tucson, Ariz., and Salt Lake City.

A new society, to be known as the Pacific Coast branch of the American Association of Museums and to be affiliated with the Pacific division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, was organized. Dr. Frank S. Daggett of Los Angeles was elected president.

CLUB LEADERS TO CONFER

State Head Calls Meeting at Corvallis Next Month.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, June 21.—(Special.)—County boys' and girls' club leaders from all parts of Oregon have been called to meet in conference June 25-July 1, by H. C. Seymour, state club leader. O. H. Benson, national club leader, is expected to be present from Washington.

The following leaders will attend: Frank Sexton, Klamath; R. E. Morris, Jackson; Wilfred Brown, Douglas; E. R. Peterson, Coos; Floyd L. Senter, Lane; John W. L. Smith and Mrs. M. L. Fulkerson, Marion; Miss R. P. Snedeker, Clackamas; Esther Calkins, Multnomah; E. Morgan, Wasco; P. M. Nash, Linn; A. C. Strange, Baker, and N. C. Maris and W. C. Hoppes, state department of education.

School Head Goes East.

C. A. Whitney, assistant school superintendent, has gone to Milwaukee, Wis., to attend the annual convention of the National Education association, which opens June 28. He will devote his attention to industrial education and expects to be gone several weeks, during which he will visit his former home in Republican City, Neb. W. C. Alderson, county school superintendent, State Superintendent of Public Instruction Churchill and a number of other delegates from Oregon are planning to attend the convention.

Pigeon Shooter Weds.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 21.—(Special.)—W. E. Martin, who claims to be the champion live pigeon shooter of Oregon, and Nellie Edna McNaught, both of McMinnville, Or., were married here today by W. S. T. Derr, justice of the peace. Martin exhibited a number of medals in substantiation of his claims.

Nevada Bishop to Speak.

Bishop Hunting of Nevada arrived in Portland last night and will speak at St. Stephen's Episcopal church this morning at 11 o'clock. The bishop is touring the northwest in behalf of the $20,000,000 fund the Episcopal church proposes to raise for furtherance of its activities. He will speak this evening at 7:45 o'clock at St. David's church and tomorrow will meet with clergy and laity in conference over the big fund campaign and kindred matters.

Work on Tualatin Disapproved.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 21.—Proposals that the government clear the channel of the Tualatin river in Oregon were rejected by the board of engineers for rivers and harbors in a letter received yesterday by Senator McNary. An engineer who investigated this project, it was said, reported adversely.

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