

I. W. W. CLEANUP IS MADE IN ABERDEEN

Radical Library and Paraphernalia Seized.

TWO SUSPECTS JAILED

Second Raid in Two Days Nets What Is Believed to Be All Equipment in City.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—The charter of the Aberdeen local I. W. W. library of radical textbooks, a quantity of mail addressed to members and a supply of membership buttons, cards and other material of similar nature were seized by the Aberdeen police in a raid upon the Northern hotel, 316 East Washak street.

In the confiscation of this property, on premises adjoining those raided Thursday, the police believe they have gained possession of practically the entire equipment of the Aberdeen I. W. W. local. No arrests were made in yesterday's raid.

Part of the literature and documents were found in a knapsack in the hotel office and part in a room upstairs. That I. W. W. activity here was in no way suspended by the world war is evidenced by the date of granting the charter to the Aberdeen local, given on that document as March 12, 1917. It is signed by Thomas Whitehead, national secretary and treasurer, and the members of the general executive board.

Thomas Sparks, living west of Oakville, has been arrested because of advocacy of the I. W. W. cause. He is married and has a family of five children.

A Schafer Brothers' camp logger, whose last name is Murphy and who stated that he was an I. W. W. and proud of it, was arrested at Montezano today.

RADICALISM IS FOUGHT

GOVERNOR HART POINTS TO AMERICANISM DUTIES.

Vancouver Painters and Moose Lodge Pledged to Work for Punishment of Guilty.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—The Vancouver Commercial club at a special meeting sent a telegram to Governor Hart concerning the Centralia shooting. In reply Governor Hart sent the following message:

"The governor thanks you for your message. He invites you to examine our criminal syndicalism and sabotage statutes; also asks that you support your prosecuting attorney in gathering evidence for enforcement of these laws. Use your influence to see that there is no evasion of justice. Send properly-equipped representatives to teach real Americanism where it is most needed. Send principled matter to the same places. Urge enforcement of deportation laws and give particular attention to your schools."

The Vancouver brotherhood of painters, decorators and paperhangers has adopted resolutions pledging use of every effort to punish any person who aligns himself with any un-American movement.

The Moose Lodge, No. 649, has adopted resolutions denouncing any society advocating policies of radicalism.

SMITH EAGER TO TALK

CENTRALIA I. W. W. SECRETARY EXPECTED TO CONFESS.

Letter From Prisoner's Sister Who Had Sons in Army Thought to Be Causing Remorse.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Important admissions relative to the armistice day tragedy are expected from Britt Smith, secretary of the local I. W. W., now held in the city jail on the charge of participating in the crime. Smith asked repeatedly today for an interview with Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Cunningham and was interrogated by that official this afternoon.

"Britt Smith hasn't made any confession yet," said Prosecutor Cunningham tonight, "and he hasn't said that he wants to. Since he received a letter from his sister, living near Tacoma, he has been anxious to talk."

Mr. Cunningham paused here and added significantly: "Britt Smith's sister had sons in the army overseas. It is thought that the letter from Smith's sister, probably appalled by the horror of the deed, has served largely to awaken remorse within him, and Prosecutor Cunningham intimated that his prospective testimony will be of the utmost importance."

11 JAILED AT SOUTH BEND

Five Suspected I. W. W. Discharged; Evidence Insufficient.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Eleven men who admitted either having I. W. W. cards or being affiliated with the I. W. W. were fined \$100 apiece and got 30 days in jail today in the court of Police Justice Martin Walsh of Exton. All of the men are Finns and all but one are subject to deportation. Five were discharged because of insufficient evidence.

The hearing was the result of raids made yesterday by the sheriff and city officers of Raymond on I. W. W. resorts. Today eight more suspects were brought in from the Siler Mill company's logging camp on North river. The Raymond poolhall in Exton had had its license revoked as an I. W. W. resort.

SUSPECTS HELD AT ROSEBURG

Three Believed to Be I. W. W. Are Taken From Box Car.

ROSEBURG, Or., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—W. A. Browning, aged 38; Henry Kay, 39, and Frank Smick, 25, who were beating their way southward in a boxcar, were taken from the train here tonight by Southern Pacific Detectives Cottrill and Rogers and turned over to the sheriff. Browning, who appears to be the leader and an I. W. W. organizer, had a large amount of literature in a pack and

carried an I. W. W. card showing that he had paid dues as a member of Union No. 406 to January 1, 1920.

The pack also contained a large quantity of I. W. W. stickers, leaflets and pamphlets. Browning was armed with a Colt army special automatic gun and the pack contained 20 rounds of ammunition.

All three of the men claimed to have come from Pasco. Browning had in his possession a pawn ticket bearing a Seattle date, so his story is doubted by the detectives. While the men disclaim connection with the disturbances at Centralia Armistice day, District Attorney Neuner has filed a complaint against them and will make a thorough investigation.

POSSE OUT AFTER I. W. W.

Armed Men Leave Chehalis to Round Up Three Suspects.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Late today a detachment of nearly a dozen men, armed for business, left Chehalis by auto for the north fork of the Newaukum above the Agate neighborhood to effect, if possible, the capture of three I. W. W. who are said to be encamped in the woods above the Chehalis and Centralia city water intakes.

No trace of the expedition had reached town late tonight.

PROSECUTORS TO UNITE

RADICALS TO BE TRIED UNDER SYNDICALISM ACT.

TACOMA Jail Overcrowded and Hammocks Strung to Provide Sleeping Quarters.

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 15.—Steps for the cooperation of the federal government with the prosecuting attorneys of western Washington were announced tonight as the latest move in the prosecution of alleged members of the Industrial Workers of the World now held in the city and county jails here.

Concerted action on the part of the government with Pierce county was arranged through a conference between Frederick R. Conway, assistant United States attorney, and W. D. Askren, prosecuting attorney.

All evidence secured by the government will be furnished the authorities in Western Washington counties, it was announced.

In passing initial prosecution to the county officials, it was learned that under the state syndicalism act a stronger case could be made out than could be brought under the present federal statutes.

Warrants were issued today by United States Commissioner Brockway against alleged radicals now held in jail, charging them with conspiracy to destroy the government of the United States. The warrants tonight had not been served, however, it was learned, and the statement would not be until the state has first determined on its course of procedure.

The county jail tonight is overflowing with prisoners and hammocks are being strung in the jail corridors to provide sleeping quarters. The city jail is equally crowded and with two arrests tonight the total syndicalism outfit reached 86.

A message to the federal authorities from South Bend stated that 12 alleged I. W. W. had been arrested there this afternoon and that 15 additional arrests were expected tonight.

STRIKERS GET TERMS

SHIPYARDS TO STAY CLOSED UNTIL RADICALS LEAVE.

President Todd of Company Charges Workmen Induced to Slow Up Production.

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 15.—C. W. Wiley, president of the Todd Drydock & Construction company, today insisted from San Francisco an ultimatum to the 6600 striking employees of the company.

Mr. Wiley demanded to leave the matter of an 8-cent an hour wage increase to arbitration and declared the yards here will remain closed until all outside interference of union leaders is eliminated in Tacoma and until radical trouble makers at the plant are discharged.

The dictum from Mr. Wiley informed the unions that the yards have enough work to continue for a year and a half, but that they will remain closed until efficiency can be increased and high construction costs reduced.

Mr. Wiley charges that conscientious workmen at the yards were induced not to do a normal day's work and to slow up production in general.

SEATTLE WANTS SUBWAY

Plans for System to Cost \$5,000,000 Submitted to Mayor.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 15.—Plans for a system of subways and elevated lines for street car traffic in the business section were submitted today to Mayor Fitzgerald by Thomas P. Murphy, superintendent of the city's car lines.

Murphy says the rapid growth of Seattle has made it necessary to find means without delay for handling traffic in the downtown district. Plans proposed involve expenditure of more than \$5,000,000.

Rev. O. W. Taylor to Preach.

Rev. Oswald W. Taylor, rector of Grace Memorial Episcopal church, Irvington, who has been absent in the east, attending the general convention of the Episcopal church, held in Detroit, Mich., plans to preach in the Episcopal church today, both at morning and evening services.

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OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Prehistoric mounds 10 miles north of Corvallis explored this week by J. E. Horner, professor of history at the college, revealed many interesting facts relative to the life of the ancients. Professor Horner is making a systematic study of prehistoric ruins and is gathering a collection of relics for the college museum.

The Davis mound, so named because it is one-fourth mile south of the George Davis farm, is situated on the bank of the Muddy. The second mound explored, the Mangie mound, is on the G. F. Mangie farm.

The first mound is said to be five feet high and 100 feet in diameter. W. C. Looney of Corvallis, who accompanied Professor Horner, bored a hole into it five feet deep. Charcoal, ashes, bones and other relics were found. A hundred yards to the north of the Davis mound were found arrowheads and pestles.

The second mound on the Mangie farm had more the appearance of a kitchen midden, according to Professor Horner. It was queerly situated on a hill. It abounds in arrowheads of all descriptions, according to the explorers.

The Davis and Mangie mounds are said to be the only evidences of prehistoric times in the immediate vicinity. Further upstream, however, on the Muddy river there are said to be evidences of a similar kind.

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GRANTS PASS LAND SOLD

Transfers Indicate Revival of Demand for Property.

GRANTS PASS, Or., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—During the past few days a number of real estate transfers have been made pointing to a revival in real estate values. O. B. Stewart, builder of the Oxford hotel in this city, who sold and left for California about eight years ago, has returned

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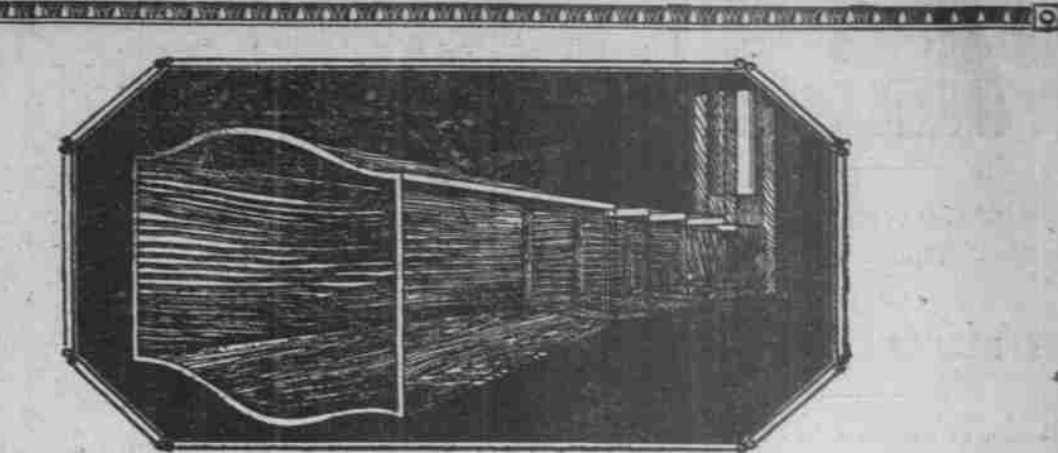
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