

LABOR TURNS DOWN
RUSSELL'S PROGRAM

Resolution for Recognition
of Soviet Defeated.

GOMPERS FACTION WINS

Unions Agree to Enter Politics
This Fall to Elect Friends
of Organized Workers.

CINCINNATI, June 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—Adoption of a program calling for a non-partisan political campaign this fall to elect the friends of organized labor and an overwhelming defeat of the radical forces that favored recognition of the Russian soviet government marked the closing session today of the American Federation of Labor convention.

Labor's political stand was adopted without discussion, including a resolution calling on all union men and women to enter more actively into politics with the purpose of "ultimately controlling the machinery of our national government" by capturing the republican and democratic parties, but the Russian question stirred up spirited debate that was ended only on account of the parliamentary maneuvering of yesterday having shut off the flood of oratory.

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The declaration against the soviet was the third taken by the federation and was a victory for the administration forces led by President Gompers, who, in a formal statement tonight, declared the action on the Russian question "of great significance" because "not a single local union has been overlooked by the propagandists for soviet brutality and autocracy."

The federation's political campaign, as favored by a committee report that was adopted provides that the general conduct of the campaign should be left to the executive committee of the federation.

The approach of the die adjustment apparently made the delegates refrain from doing and finally they hurried the end by directing that unfinished committee reports be incorporated in the convention proceedings and, as required, that such be taken by the executive committee.

Committee Reports Indorsed.

This was regarded as tantamount to blanket endorsement of the committee reports, the only one of importance that was not presented being that of the special policy committee on industrial court laws, which was certain to condemn such legislative enactments.

Oliver Branch Sent Farmers.

Efforts by organized labor to join with the farmers in a mutual benefit fund was approved by the convention in adopting a committee report directing the council to continue to do "what it can in furtherance of such educational work as will acquaint the farmers with the issues that not only affect the wage workers but the farmers as well."

Institute Will Convene

EMINENT MEN TO CONSIDER
INTERNATIONAL ISSUES.
Publicists, Diplomats and Other
Students of World Affairs
Coming to Convention.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., June 24.—Public lecturers from at least five foreign countries, 15 distinguished Americans as leaders of round-table conferences and a general membership of 300 publicists, diplomats, officers of the army and navy, college presidents and professors will compose the personnel of the next annual meeting of the Institute of Politics, Dr. Harry A. Garfield, chairman of the institute, announced here.

BRIDAL PAIR SENTENCED

Chinaman and White Wife Ordered to Leave County.
AUBURN, Cal., June 24.—Sam Lee, Chinese, and his white bride, Ruth Thomas Lee, pleaded guilty before Justice of the Peace Davis to a violation of section 869 of the penal code, which forbids acts outraging public decency. They were sentenced to six months each in the county jail, but sentence was suspended until Tuesday to enable them to leave the county.

CABINET OFFICERS
WANT NEW RIGHT

Upper House Likely to Start
Quizz in Return.

READY TONGUES NEEDED

Change Declared Liable to Force
Choice of Lawyer Type for
Department Chiefs.

BY ROBERT T. SMALL.
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WASHINGTON, D. C., June 24.—(Special.)—The suggestion that the Harding administration may ask congress to grant members of the cabinet the privilege of floor immunity of the senate has caused no end of speculation as to just how the plan would work out, and the effect it would have upon the future scheme of government.

There is no question but under the plan there would be a closer liaison between the executive and legislative branches of the government, and perhaps a better understanding all around.

Cabinet Members Attacked.

Some members of the cabinet have been openly attacked on the floor of the senate and house and Secretary Hughes has taken up the cudgels in declaring that as a result of the direct primary system congress was never at so low an ebb as today.

U. S. PRISONERS MOVED

Federal Agents Take Men From
Aberdeen to Tacoma.
ABERDEEN, Wash., June 24.—(Special.)—Five men arrested here by federal agents, were taken to the Pierce county jail in Tacoma today by a deputy United States marshal to await action of the federal grand jury on the charges that they had conspired to kidnap Sam Brodsky, Lewis Burns, George Santez and Harry Vail were bound over to the grand jury on narcotic charges, and Harry West was accused of carrying mail for revenue stamps.

RODENTS DESTROY GRAIN

Squirrels Do Much Damage in
North Powder District.
HAINES, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—Farmers from the North Powder district here to purchase squirrel poison, report that ground squirrels are doing much damage to growing wheat and other grain. While most sections report that the pest has been accomplished in adding ranches across the Columbia down the Columbia river highway.

PENDLETON SAFE BLOWN

Cracksmen Return and Do Second
Job, Carrying Off \$700.
PENDLETON, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—Safe-blowers came back to town yesterday and succeeded in blowing another safe. This time the vault at the Smythe-Lonegan Ice & Cold Storage plant near the O-W R. & N. yards was blown at 3 o'clock this morning. Nearly \$700 was obtained in checks and currency.

3-YEAR-OLD BOY DROWNS

Child Falls Into Creek and Dies
Before Aid Arrives.
ABERDEEN, Wash., June 24.—(Special.)—Billie Purdy, 3-year-old son of Reald and Mrs. Guy Purdy, Tacoma, fell into Falls creek at Lake Quinalt and was drowned last night. A hurried call was sent to Dr. Melville of Hoodsport, who left immediately with a lung motor, but the child was dead when he arrived.

Highway Section to Open July 15.

HOOD RIVER, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—Residents of the Underwood, Wash., orchard district, here yesterday on business, said the Cook section of the highway will be opened July 15.

NEW BUILDING DEDICATED

McMinnville Is Proud of Fire Relief Association.
McMINNVILLE, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—The formal dedication of the new Oregon Fire Relief association building by the laying of the cornerstone took place this afternoon in the presence of 250 spectators. H. L. Toney, president of the commercial club, was master of ceremonies. Music was furnished by the Walnut city band. Prayer was offered by Professor Northrup, vice-president of the association. Mayor Houck spoke, expressing thanks and pride of the city in this institution as a home product, as

NEW LAND SUIT FILED

JAPANESE HOLDINGS IN KING
COUNTY CONTESTED.

Two Seattle Companies Named
as Co-Defendants in Con-
fiscation Action.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 24.—The fourth suit in King county for confiscation of land alleged illegally held by Japanese was filed here yesterday by Prosecuting Attorney Douglas.

The defendants are J. T. Kusumi, S. Hayashi and the Japanese Commercial bank of Seattle. The land involved is the two acre tract north of Seattle. Co-defendants named are the Western America Realty company and the Enterprise Investment company, both of Seattle.

Title to the tract was originally taken by the Western America Realty company according to the complaint. This company, it is alleged, transferred its holdings to the Enterprise Investment company and then served notice of intention to disincorporate. The Enterprise company, according to allegations, leased the land to the two Japanese and mortgaged it to the Western America Realty company. The final step in the transaction would be, according to the assertion of Deputy Prosecuting Attorney E. D. Colvin, for the mortgage to be assigned to the Japanese.

No money changed hands in the transaction and the Japanese were in possession of the land throughout its course, said Mr. Colvin.

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Furthermore, cabinet members in going before congress would have to take their chances in the rough and tumble of legislative debate. They will have to submit to cross-examination or "heckling," as the case may be, and will have to be mastered by the floor art of the House.

Formal Address Unlikely.
To grant cabinet officers merely the same privilege that the president now holds, of formally addressing congress, would hardly change the existing relationship. Any formal communication cabinet member desires to send to congress can, through the courtesy of any senator, be read into the Congressional Record.

Considered from every angle, the new plan offers limitless possibilities. Will congress, after hearing and cross-examining officers, reserve to itself the right to vote censure or confidence in a particular head of a department? If given vote of censure, would the cabinet officer resign?

Under the new system would the cabinet officers be drawn somewhat away from his allegiance to the president and feel virtually an equal responsibility to congress?

Free Speech Favored.
President Harding has said that cabinet officers have the right to freedom of speech—the expression of individual views, such as Secretary Weeks announced in regard to the prohibition law. He said because the views do not happen to coincide with those of some members of the senate or house of representatives, the president does not feel he is called upon to censure his official family. Under the new system, would congress arrogate to itself the right of censure?

With cabinet officers being subject to congressional call and cross-examination, would a president feel called upon more and more to select his cabinet from men trained in the halls of congress? Two of President Harding's cabinet were in the senate—Messrs. Fall and Weeks. Secretary Weeks served for a time in the house.

Debating Ability Needed.
If not taken from congress, would not a president be tempted to gauge his cabinet material by the ability of the men under consideration to handle themselves well in debate, and would this not materially change the type of cabinet officers? Would not the lawyer type come into full possession of the executive branch, as he always has had of the legislative?

The no-question but that the privileges of the floor would be helpful to cabinet officers in many instances. Secretary Hughes would have deemed it the highest privilege to have been permitted to explain in the senate the various treaties adopted at the Washington arms conference, and he would have been delighted to answer every question fired at him. Secretary Hughes would have made a great impression upon the senate, and he undoubtedly could have shortened the debate and expedited action on the various pacts.

Business Men at Disadvantage.
Other cabinet officers who have devoted their lives to business and have no gifts of oratory or debate might not fare so well on questions affecting their particular departments. All department heads, however, without exception, are said to favor the plan of hearing congress in its den.

The new arrangement would be a step in the direction of a responsible ministry such as exists in England, but probably would never go so far as that. There is a feeling all around, however, that popular government will take a step ahead when members of the cabinet can be impeached on the floor of congress.

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\$3,000,000 Loan Body Formed.

OLYMPIA, Wash., June 24.—(Special.)—With a capitalization of \$3,000,000, the Northwestern Livestock & Dairy Loan company of Seattle was incorporated today at the secretary of state's office. The purpose of the corporation is to cooperate in development, spread and growth of dairying, livestock raising and agriculture by providing finances and credits. Incorporators are Calvin Phillips and John P. Hartman.

Harbor Survey to Start.

OLYMPIA, Wash., June 24.—(Special.)—The plant of the St. Helens Tie & Timber company, which has been closed down for several weeks on account of the high water, is expected to resume operations within the next few days if the water continues to fall. The mill is located on Savies Island and makes a specialty of cutting ties and timbers. Its daily output is 40,000 feet of lumber and employment is given to 35 men.

Naval Recruiting to Resume.

EUGENE, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—The naval recruiting station will be reopened in Eugene soon, according to information just received by Postmaster Campbell from Lieutenant R. E. Kerr in charge of recruiting in this district. There has been no naval recruiting office here for more than two years.

Drug Peddler Taken to Prison.

Shakespeare Walker, negro, recently convicted in federal court of having dealt in narcotics in violation of the Harrison act, was taken to McNeil Island penitentiary yesterday by Frank Snow, deputy United States marshal, to serve a 15-month sentence.

Masons Lay Cornerstone.

MARSHFIELD, June 24.—Chadwick Masonic lodge of Coquille today laid the corner stone of its new temple with appropriate ceremonies, which were attended by Masons of all degrees from all parts of Coos county and southwestern Oregon. A. J. Sherwood of Coquille, represented the grand lodge of the state and Rev. W. E. Couper of Marshfield was prominent in the ritualistic requirements. Following the

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