

ORGANIZED LABOR TO KEEP OUT CHEAP LABOR

Delegates From Over Northwest Assemble Here to Prepare Plans to Keep Out Undesirable Immigrants.

Labor organization delegates are assembled today at the Multnomah Hotel to formulate plans for combating attempts that may be made by transportation companies to bring immigrants to this coast from Europe upon the completion of the Panama Canal.

The meeting will last three days and every phase of the immigration question, particularly as to its effect upon labor, will be thoroughly discussed.

The meeting was called to order by R. O. Rector, delegate from the Central Labor Council of Portland and chairman of the committee appointed some time ago by that body to draft a report to be presented to the immigration conference now in session, called by the local central labor council.

Plans Formulated. The most important feature of the committee's report are the following suggestions, intended to safeguard the interests of labor on the Pacific coast and in the Rocky mountain states:

"First—The conference to form a permanent organization to carry on the work by the conference.

"Second—The conference to work for the passage of more effective legislative laws.

"Third—The conference to assist in every possible way the work of those unions who are now engaged in organizing labor from southern Europe.

"Fourth—The conference to devise ways and means to reach the press of Europe and the trade unions of Europe in its endeavor to present the actual land and labor conditions existing on the Pacific coast and in the Rocky mountain states; also to devise other possible means to reach the workers of Europe to offset the misleading statements of steamship agents and emissaries of manufacturers, who are working for an influx of cheap labor."

Members of this committee are R. O. Rector, chairman; Ben Osborne, L. A. Schmeitner and Ed Rosenberg, secretary.

"I do not think we will go to the extent of the famine letter sent out last year," said Mr. Rector this morning, when asked what, in his opinion, would be the result of the conference. "But we believe it well to take steps now to oppose movements that may be started to induce a lot of undesirable and cheap labor, especially from southern Europe. We do not need that class of labor on the coast and believe it would be wrong to induce such people to come here on promises of milk and honey. These people are not in position to go into the country to buy land and develop it; for the immigration records show that they haven't the money."

Educators Taking Fare. Mr. Rosenberg said it has been learned that some steamship companies are preparing to carry emigrants from southern Europe to the Pacific coast on the installment payment plan, which would make it possible for them to come out here by paying very little for their ticket until after they have earned the money here.

In issuing its call for the conference the Central Labor Council extended invitations to the Reed college, the Oregon Agricultural college, and the Washington State Agricultural college at Whitman, and all have appointed delegates.

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GRAND PARADE DRAWS BIG CROWD

Parade Is Held at Noon; O. W. Br. S. S. Colusa to Take Cargo to Panama; Due to Arrive in July.

(Special to The Journal.) Union, O., June 5.—The fifth annual meeting of the Union Livestock Show association opened here today under favorable auspices, with large crowds in attendance from Baker, La Grande, Elgin, North Powder, Cove and other points in Union and Baker counties. Cows will be further represented Saturday by its celebrated "milk-seed band."

Several hundred head of stock, embracing some of the finest animals in eastern Oregon, are on exhibit. The contest for the fine sterling silver grand champion cup presented by the O. W. B. & S. company is very spirited, as this beautiful prize is conceded to be easily worth \$500 to the horse that wins it. Professor E. J. Idings, of Moscow, Idaho, reputed to be one of the best judges of stock in the United States, is judging the exhibit.

The big parade began at 12:30 o'clock today, and the track program opened at 1:30. Motion picture men from Portland are on hand to snap-shoot the many events. The racing program this afternoon includes a five-eighths mile dash, ladies' relay, free-for-all race, gentlemen's relay, 2:30 trot, quarter-mile dash, five-eighths cowboy race, Shetland pony race, chariot race, Roman race. Similar programs will be given tomorrow and Saturday. Special events are added in the way of bucking horses and other wild west features, music races, mulligan races, and the like, to keep the crowd constantly amused.

So numerous are stock entries that the stall room has been filled to its capacity, and extra quarters had to be found for the overflow, despite the fact that 40 new stalls were lately added. In fact, the present show beats all records for attendance, exhibits and general interest and enthusiasm.

REFUSES TO ACCEPT SERVICES OF ATTORNEY

When Judge Tazwell of the municipal court this morning attempted to force E. C. Von Klein to accept the services of a legal firm he positively declined to accept.

When Von Klein was first brought into court Monday, Judge Tazwell strongly intimated that he should have an attorney and that the court would appoint one if the prisoner wished, but the man declared against police court lawyers.

Ethel Newcomb, the woman who charged Von Klein with swindling her out of much jewelry and money, is scheduled to arrive Sunday evening from Chicago. If she arrives then, the preliminary hearing may be held Monday morning in the municipal court, as Von Klein states he is ready for it.

Another woman made her appearance yesterday, claiming Von Klein swindled her out of \$12,000 by promising to marry her daughter. This woman gives the name of Mrs. Webber. She came from Chicago. She tells a weird story of how a man supposed to be Von Klein chloroformed her and her daughter, then took the money and skipped.

HUNDREDS OF BABIES BEING JUDGED TODAY

So many babies are entered in the eugenics contest being conducted today at the Multnomah hotel under the auspices of the Women's auxiliary of the North Portland Commercial club, that 20 physicians, working in relays, had judged only about half of them up to 2 o'clock. There are 250 of the tots, all under 4 years old. The judging is based on physical and mental condition, and beauty counts little. The winner will receive a silver cup and ribbon and be awarded to others. The contest is open to residents of all parts of the city.

GIVES JUDGMENT IN MRS. DEADY'S FAVOR

A jury in Circuit Judge Kavanaugh's court yesterday returned a verdict for Mrs. Lucy A. H. Deady, widow of Judge Deady, in a suit for \$17,500 damages brought by E. Farrell & Company. The suit involves a lease on a building at Broadway and Alder street, which Mrs. Deady owns, and the basement of which the company leased. They claimed they were to have a certain amount of floor space and that another tenant appropriated part of the space. They leased the place for a bowling alley and started to tear out certain partitions. The other tenant objected them from the space which they were attempting to appropriate and they then began suit against Mrs. Deady. T. Scott Brooke, her agent, was named in the suit.

Widow Allowed \$2500.

A settlement between Mrs. Addie Pearson, widow of Captain John Pearson, and the Inman-Poulson Lumber company was effected this morning by which she was given \$2500 on account of her husband's death. Captain Pearson was master of the tugboat, the E. B. Kaler, belonging to the company, and on a dark November night of last year he fell from the dock to the rocks below, dying from his injuries. She asked for \$35,000 in her suit against the company.

Sentenced Then Paroled.

Frank Murphy, who was extradited from Denver, Col., recently, to answer to an indictment charging him with the theft of a diamond ring from Mrs. Emma Klein, and who pleaded guilty to the charge yesterday, was paroled by Circuit Judge Kavanaugh this morning, after he had been sentenced to a three-year term in the penitentiary. He will answer to Attorney John F. Logan and District Attorney Evans for his conduct.

Chambers Is Convicted.

Sentence of from one to 10 years in the penitentiary was passed on Charles Chambers this morning by Circuit Judge Kavanaugh on Chambers' plea of guilty to assault on his 15-years-old step-daughter, Clara, which was brought back from Idaho a few days ago after extradition proceedings.

BIG STEAMSHIP TO LOAD LUMBER

Br. S. S. Colusa to Take Cargo to Panama; Due to Arrive in July.

It was announced this morning that the large British steamer Colusa will come to Portland about July 1 to load a full cargo of lumber for Panama, the material to be used in connection with the canal construction.

The Colusa is one of the most modern types of construction and is now on her maiden voyage. She is the flag ship of the fleet of W. R. Grace & Co. and will possibly carry away the largest lumber cargo ever set afloat anywhere in the world, this record now being held by the British steamer Knight of the Garter, which sailed from Columbia river with 6,000,000 feet on board a few years ago. The cargo will be furnished by the Portland Lumber company.

The Colusa differs somewhat in equipment from the ordinary large freighter, for she has accommodations for 35 passengers and it is expected that every berth will be taken when she leaves here, as a great many Portland people are desirous to visit the canal before the water is turned in, without having to make the long roundabout trip by way of New York.

The large steamer left Cardiff for San Francisco about two months ago and stopped at Iloiloque May 27 for fuel. She is expected to reach San Francisco in time to discharge her cargo and proceed to Portland so as to be here by the first of next month.

CHINESE MOTHER ASKS PENSION

Applications Under New Law Are Pouring Into Juvenile Court.

Clad in the mourning of her American cousin and forming a charming picture of widowhood, a young Chinese mother applied for a pension under the new law yesterday afternoon. She carried a baby of 17 months in her arms, and said that she had four other children of 11 years and younger, and another unborn. Her own age is 28.

Her husband died last April of heart failure and left her with but \$2000 insurance, and in her delicate condition she is unable to work. She was born in San Rafael, Cal., and her husband in the Philippine Islands. She stated that she was forced to borrow money to pay the funeral expenses as the insurance had not been paid. Her parents reside in China, and she has a brother and three other residing in America.

Should the first 40 applications be allowed the county will be compelled to pay out in pensions the sum of \$1067.50 a month, or an average of \$26.70 for each applicant. Many of those who have already applied have little chance of receiving pensions, as they have sufficient property and money already. With those who have not more than \$1000 in money or interest bearing securities the question has been raised as to whether all of the money must be used before the pensions can be allowed, and this question will be submitted to District Attorney Evans for an opinion.

The care of other women who are caring for her brother's son will also be submitted, as the law makes no provision for such cases.

Another class of cases which is causing questions is that of women who are employed away from home whose wages are insufficient yet who do not want to give up their employment. The law was designed to aid women to stay at home and give their children personal attention. One woman appeared and answered questions satisfactorily until she was asked the age of her youngest child. She stated that he was 56 years old. Still another had no children, but wanted the pension. In neither of these cases can pension be granted.

Applications are being filled out for all who apply, and the deserving will be selected later when investigations are made. The number of widows appearing has led the juvenile authorities to expect at least 50 and probably many more before the end of the week.

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COHEN IS FOUND GUILTY, MAY GET LONG SENTENCE

Attorney for Convicted Lawyer Has Asked 30 Days to File Motion for New Trial for His Client.

Max G. Cohen, a Portland attorney, was found guilty by a jury in the federal court yesterday afternoon, following his trial on a charge of subornation of perjury. Immediately afterward his attorney, Ralph Moody, asked for 30 days in which to file a motion for a new trial. The case was the first one tried personally by Clarence L. Reames, the new United States attorney.

Cohen is liable to receive a heavy penitentiary sentence for the offense. The statute which prohibits this crime names a punishment of five years in the penitentiary and a heavy fine as the maximum.

Cohen was indicted last October, charged with having caused Esther Woods, a north end woman, to commit perjury at the preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner A. M. Cannon, of Jake Gronich, charged with violation of the Mann white slave act.

The trial, which began Monday, was full of fireworks and sensations. Cohen was positively charged by several women of the underworld with having instructed them as to how they should testify in a way that would absolve Gronich from the charge of white slavery. The government introduced a number of witnesses tending to show the bad character of the defendant, but the good character of Cohen Cohen introduced testimony relating to the scandal connected with Cohen's temporary term as municipal judge was ruled out by Judge Bean.

A number of well-known city officials and residents of the city testified as to the good character of Cohen. Cohen on the stand Tuesday, denied connection with the Gronich case, denied the act charged and denied other bits of evidence that had been given against him.

The case went to the jury at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and one and one-half hours later the jury was back with the verdict of guilty.

Ralph Moody, his counsel, has announced that an appeal will be taken. This morning Cohen's bond was fixed at \$5000, which was furnished.

He had previously been under a bond of \$2500.

The conviction will mean the disbarment of Cohen from the legal profession in the state. His case has been under advisement by the Oregon Bar association pending the outcome of the matter.

Judge Tazwell in the municipal court in October, 1911, took a vacation and Max Cohen sat on his bench for a month. In November, a short time later, Cohen was indicted in the circuit court charged with having accepted a bribe from a north end woman to rule favorably in a case she was interested in. Attorney Ralph Moody demurred on the grounds that Cohen had never accepted the bribe and his demurrer was sustained.

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JEWELERS CONSIDER PENNY POST BILL

Watch Guarantee Measure Also to Be Acted Upon at Convention.

The penny post and the time guarantee bill now before congress, to prevent fraudulent guarantees in connection with watch making, are two of the important measures that will come up at the sixth annual convention of the Oregon Retail Jewellers' association, which convened this morning at the Commercial club.

It is believed that the greater majority of the jewellers favor the penny post, and their indorsement to the proposition will probably be given.

Colonel J. L. Shepherd of New York, the author of the bill now before congress to eliminate fraudulent guarantees on watch cases, to compel the stamping of the number of karats of gold used in a watch case, and to prevent frauds in the matter of statements about adjustment and jeweling of watches, is in attendance at this convention, and will be one of the principal speakers. He will urge the indorsement by the Oregon jewellers of this measure.

He declares that the people of the United States are bilked out of thousands of dollars annually by buying watches which are guaranteed for many years which have not more than 10 or 15 cents worth of gold in the case.

The morning session today was given over to the reception for delegates from out of town, about 200 of whom are expected. Many will not arrive until a late hour today, however.

This afternoon Mayor-elect Albee gave the address of welcome to the delegates. The balance of the session was executive, for the members of the association only.

Two important addresses were given at this afternoon's session, one by Frank A. Heltkemper on "What is a Fair Net of the United States Jeweler's Investment," and the other by William Anderson of Oregon City, on "Do We Favor the Resale Price as Fixed by the Manufacturer?"

The delegates will be banqueted this evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Commercial club. Isaac E. Staples will preside as toastmaster, and the speakers will be Colonel J. L. Shepherd, F. M. French and E. J. Jaeger.

Tomorrow morning the delegates will be given a "Seeing Portland" trip. The afternoon session will be called at 2:30 o'clock.

REUNION BEING HELD BY SCOTTISH RITE

The twenty-eighth semi-annual reunion of the Oregon branch of the Scottish Rite temple, held this morning, a class of 38 receiving the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth degrees. Though the fourteen degrees were conferred this afternoon and in an exemplified form, the fifteenth degree will be acted.

Saturday night the big feature of the reunion will come when the mortgage for \$55,000 issued to the Security Trust & Savings company in 1904 for the construction of the Scottish Rite Cathedral will be burned, all the indebtedness having been paid off. This will be followed by the banquet. While the attendance was small this morning, several hundred are expected for the afternoon and evening sessions.

SAN FRANCISCO EDITOR VISITOR IN PORTLAND

James H. Barry and family are in Portland for a few days' visit on their way back to San Francisco from a trip to Alaska. Mr. Barry is the editor of the San Francisco Star, which has the distinction of being the original single-tax newspaper. Mr. Barry has been a Californian for more than 50 years, having originally from New York state. He was one of the composers on the original author's edition of Henry George's book, "Progress and Poverty."

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COURT REFUSES TO DIRECT VERDICT TO DISCHARGE WOOD

He, Atteaux and Collins Must Rely on Jury Action to Acquit Them of Planting Dynamite.

(United Press Special Wire.) Boston, June 5.—After calling minor witnesses, the defense in the trial of William Wood, multi-millionaire; Frederick Atteaux, wealthy mill man, and Dennis Collins of Cambridge, charged with planting dynamite to disorganize Lawrence strikers, suddenly rested its case here this morning. Attorney Coakley, representing Atteaux, immediately moved that the court instruct the jury to acquit his client. A lengthy argument followed.

Judge Crosby joined the defense this afternoon by ruling that the state is not forced to elect to send the case to the jury on any single point, holding the jury could consider five or six or all the counts. He specifically denied all defense motions to acquit Atteaux and Wood, holding the state's case is sufficiently strong to allow the jury to decide whether the defendants are guilty.

The defense started summing up its case immediately after Judge Crosby's ruling.

ANOTHER SUIT FOR RECLUSE'S PROPERTY

The second suit to secure property or its use belonging to the estate of Henry D. Winters, the east side recluse who died two years ago, leaving about \$100,000 worth of property, was decided in favor of the administratrix, Mrs. Agnes Butts-Heckard, by Circuit Judge McGinn this morning. The suit was brought by Mrs. Alice M. Routledge to force compliance with an alleged lease on certain property of the estate on Grand avenue.

Mrs. Routledge claimed that Winters leased the property to her just before his death for \$150 a month for five years with an extension privilege of 12 years at the same rental. The value of the lease is said to be \$400 a month. Mrs. Routledge refused to be bound by the lease, claiming it was a forgery. W. W. Williams, a writing expert, declared it was traced from a genuine signature of Winters. The testimony covered practically the same ground that was covered in the suit of Will E. Purdy, who attempted to secure certain property by a deed which was later held a forgery.

Mrs. E. C. Rogers Is Matron. It was stated yesterday that Miss Effie Carland is still employed as matron.

GEO. L. HUTCHINS, SECRETARY ROSE FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION, remarked to a newspaper reporter recently that "With announcements from all directions that big parties are coming, that organizations have decided upon Portland as the place of their annual conventions in order to be here during Rose Festival week, the festival management is inclined to increase its prediction that 50,000 more people will attend the festival than last year and say that the crowd will be 75,000 larger than ever before," the Perkins hotel begs you to make your reservations now. We are opposite Rose Festival Headquarters. An excellent place from which to view principal parades. Festival dates, June 9 to 14, 1913.

Iron of the county jail. This is not the case. The restaurant just mentioned several days ago and its location is now filled by Mrs. B. C. Rogers, who has had considerable experience in bar line-of-work.

To Hold Festival Tonight. Peninsula park playgrounds will have a play festival tonight under the direction of Robert Krohn, director of the city's playgrounds. The festival will begin at 7 o'clock.

Success comes to some men in spite of themselves.

Evelyn Gilbert and the American Beauties in Musical Revue Extraordinary. All the Song Hitts of the Day. Signor Pietro Marino and his Celebrated Orchestra in Ye Oregon Grill Cabaret Supreme during Lunch, Dinner and After the Theatre. Merchants' Lunch From 12:30 Till 2 50c. Oregon Hotel Wright-Dickinson Hotel Co., Prop. Chas. Wright, Pres. M. C. Dickinson, Mgr. Director.

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