

RAILROADS MAKE ARGUMENT FOR NEW WAGE CUT

Chicago, March 8.—(U. P.)—Railroads, because of paying high wages, are able to maintain equipment for immediate requirements only.

When business resumes they will have an accumulation of locomotives and cars out of order which will have to be placed in service in a hurry.

These claims were made before the United States railroad labor board today by James G. Walber, representing eastern lines, in supporting the application for roads for permission to reduce wages.

"So long as wages must be maintained upon a war time level, the railroads will be prevented from adjusting their conditions to peace time basis," said Walber, "if their income is to be absorbed by war-time scales of pay, corresponding reductions must be made in working forces."

Walber told the board that it was natural that the shipping public felt railroads should continue toward a readjustment. Outside industries, he stated, are making comparison between wages which they pay employees and those the railroads are paying.

"The public, including wage earners in other industries, should not be called upon to pay transportation charges based on an inordinately high level of railroad wages," he said.

Exhibits were submitted by the eastern railroads in an effort to show that wages today are back where they were in 1918. Exhibits were also submitted showing the result of an investigation by the eastern roads of comparative wage schedules as paid in outside industries and paid by railroads for comparable labor.

Chinese Bandits To Face Extermination; Ruler Gives Orders

Shanghai, China, March 8.—(U. P.)—Orders for extermination of banditry in Yunnan province as a result of an appeal to him by Mrs. Howard Taylor, a British subject, whose husband is held captive by outlaws, was issued today by Sun Yat Sen, president of the Chinese republic.

Mrs. Taylor, who with her husband, has gained fame as a missionary in China, appealed directly to President Sun Yat Sen after her appeals to minor officials and citizens of Peking for aid to securing release of her husband had failed.

Students to Arrange For Entertainment

University of Oregon, Eugene, March 8.—A committee composed of Lyfe Bartholomew, Salem, president of the student body; Helen Carson of Hood River, secretary; and Robert H. Anderson, Marvath of Union, editor of the Emerald, will have charge of arrangements to entertain the high school editors and student body representatives meeting at the university April 14 and 15.

Washington Phone Company Asks Cut

Olympia, Wash., March 8.—Reduction in charges for extension telephones from \$3.50 to \$1.50 per month was filed Wednesday by the Benton Independent Telephone company for service in that city with the department of public works. Set charges for changing locations of telephones and other such services are removed and hereafter will be based on time consumed and material used.

DAIRY FARM PURCHASED

Vancouver, Wash., March 8.—The sale of 224 acres of land for \$25,000 was completed Wednesday through the agency of Percival & Watts. The land is a well improved dairy ranch in the river bottom west of the city and was purchased by Henry Huber from Sarah Burke. Huber formerly rented the farm, purchased by N. J. Blagden as a millsite which adjoins the Burke property.

CARTER IS GIVEN PRUNES

Vancouver, Wash., March 8.—Joseph ("Dode") Carter was presented a box of plums Wednesday by the Prunarians pursuant to the announced policy of presenting some member with a box each week.

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Grouping Plan Is Suggested for Boys' School at Salem

Boys who are sent to the state training school are just boys, and, although unfortunate in youthful escapades, are as sound at heart as other boys who have home influence and love, according to W. L. Kuser, superintendent of the institution, who told the Progressive Business Men's club, at luncheon today in the Benson hotel, that the training school at Salem was inadequate and obsolete.

Kuser suggested that the cottage plan should be adopted. This would enable a grouping of several boys in one cottage. Each cottage would be run by a man and wife. Home atmosphere would thus be provided.

An appropriation, however, will be necessary before this plan can be worked out, Kuser said. He referred to an appropriation passed at last legislature which stipulated that money would be appropriated for the training school providing improvements were made on state land. Not enough state land is available, however, according to Kuser. He urged that more definite arrangements be made at the next session.

The club appointed a committee to obtain funds to equip a band for the boys at the school.

Possible Trace of Missing Kelso Bank Cashier Is Found

Kalama, Wash., March 8.—Possibility that F. L. Stewart, missing cashier of the defunct Kelso State bank, who disappeared from a launch while crossing the Columbia river a year ago, may be in Mexico is seen in statements made by two Tacoma lawyers, here Wednesday to take depositions.

The men identified from pictures of Stewart seen here, a man who boarded a ship in Los Angeles last April for Manzanita, Mex., as Stewart. They had no word of him since that time, they said. The depositions were taken, according to J. E. Stone, a Kalama attorney, in an effort to combat insurance claims on Stewart's life.

Patrol System on Highways Adopted

Vancouver, Wash., March 8.—A patrol system of maintenance on the primary highways of Clark county has been adopted by County Engineer Schwarz. By this system two men working together cover about 10 miles of road, that blows down in the highway and look after the drainage ditches. In addition to these men there is an extra gang with a truck to help at any point where the regular patrol is unable to make the repairs.

New Cripple Creek Strike Is Rumored

Denver, March 8.—(U. P.)—Mining men were stirred up here today by rumors of a rich strike in the Cripple Creek district. According to reliable reports reaching here, a strike of rich ore, yielding 10,000 a ton, has been made in the once famous mining district.

Precincts Changed; Home Vote Possible

Quincy, March 8.—During the eight years since the establishment of the voting precinct at Quincy, coincident with the granting of equal rights, several women residents of the village and its suburbs have never cast a vote, owing to the fact that the Oregon Electric track was made the dividing line and all residents living east of the track were forced to vote at Brooks, three miles distant. A new boundary line has been established which will enable them to vote in their home town.

\$23,736,000 Voted For U. S. Expenses

Washington, March 8.—(U. P.)—The commerce and labor appropriation bill, totaling \$25,736,000 for current expenses in the two departments during 1933, was passed by the senate today without a record vote. The bill provides \$18,734,203 for the department of commerce and \$6,972,320 for the department of labor.

WOMAN IS REARRESTED

Mrs. Joe Stevens of Oregon City has been rearrested by federal authorities on a bench warrant, charged with implication in the manufacture of liquor. Mrs. Stevens, who was already out on bond, left one small child at home and brought a nursing baby in with her. She was released again under bond.

COLORED WOMAN RE-ARRESTED

Pearl Vargas, alias Pearl Howard, colored, who has been out under a \$500 bond on a previous case, was re-arrested late Wednesday by federal officers on a bench warrant issued on a grand jury indictment, charging with dealing in narcotics. Her bond was raised to \$1000, which amount she was unable to furnish. She is in jail.

BOOST BASIN PROJECT

Pasco, Wash., March 8.—Columbia Basin project boosters from Spokane included this city today for the purpose of explaining to Pasco people the merits of the project and the attitude of Spokane business interests toward irrigation generally. They were entertained by the Pasco Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon at the Hotel Pasco.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASE REPORT

While decreasing in general, a slight increase in the number of cases of small pox under quarantine in the city was shown by the records of the health bureau this morning. The number of cases was 40. Both diphtheria and scarlet fever showed a decrease. The number of cases of diphtheria was 17 and of scarlet fever 27.

SCAFFOPEE HOME BURNS

Scappoose, March 8.—The Fred Lange home was destroyed by fire Wednesday, shortly after the family had arisen. Some furniture was saved.

DEFAULT JUDGMENT ASKED

Vancouver, Wash., March 8.—A motion for a default judgment was filed Wednesday in the divorce suit of Roland Hurro against Anna S. Hurro.

BINGS SUIT FOR DAMAGES

Vancouver, Wash., March 8.—L. O. Thomson filed suit against C. S. Watson Wednesday for \$1250 damages alleged breach of contract in a deal involving real estate.

NEWLY WEDS TO RESIDE AT NAVY RADIO STATION



Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Glatzmaier



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Marshfield, March 8.—J. G. Glatzmaier, a member of the force at the naval radio station in Marshfield, and Miss Amelia DuBuque were married at St. Monica's Catholic church, Rev. Father McDevitt officiating.

Four Found Guilty Of Using Mails in Berg Potash Sales

(By United News) Omaha, Neb., March 8.—William A. McWhorter, Houston, Texas; William G. Chipley, New York; and Jacob Mason, and Charles Wohlberg, Los Angeles, promoters of the defunct Berg Potash company, a \$1,000,000 concern, were found guilty by a jury in federal court last night of using the mails to defraud in connection with sales of stocks in the potash company.

Congressmen Vote \$360,000 for Seed

Washington, March 8.—(E. N. S.)—By a vote of 114 to 65 the house late today agreed to appropriate \$360,000 to enable congressmen to distribute free garden and flower seeds to their constituents. An amendment to reduce the appropriation was beaten by a vote of 97 to 53.

Mixed Tribunal on War Claims Desired

Washington, March 8.—(U. P.)—Negotiations are under way by the United States and Germany for the establishment of a "mixed claims" tribunal composed of both German and American representatives, to adjust the damage claims held by nationals of both countries, it was announced this afternoon.

Sound Chamber Out To Get Silk Mill

Seattle, March 8.—(U. P.)—Bringing to focus a movement to make Seattle the silk manufacturing center of the country, the industrial bureau of the Chamber of Commerce is working on details of a plan to establish here a 120-loom \$600,000 silk mill.

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10-Cent Shoe Shine Returns; Price Cut Starts in Portland

Thanks to the shoe polish can and brush and elbow grease applied on the back porch or in the kitchen! The 15-cent shoe shine is doomed. Ten shoe shining parlors in the vicinity of Fourth and Washington streets have gone back to the old 10-cent shine. Others, perhaps, will follow, for who is going to a 15-cent joint when there are nearly a dozen 10-cent places.

The reduction comes as an economic result of persons either shining their shoes themselves or being content to go about without a dazzling luster on their footwear, according to S. H. Kavouri, shoe shine parlor proprietor, who led in the price cut.

Business was falling off, Kavouri and others diagnosed the reason and now have announced a return to the pre-war shine. Fifteen cents went all right during the war and during the almost hectic post-war days, Kavouri said, but not when money became tighter, jobs scarce and persons more thoughtful of the future.

Tourist Bureaus To Be Established In 5 Oregon Towns

Five branch information bureaus of the Oregon Tourist and Information department will be established at strategic points along main highways during the coming tourist season, according to a decision made by the managing committee at a meeting Wednesday. The branch bureaus will be placed at Medford, Klamath Falls, Bend, Ontario and Pendleton.

Through information gathered at recent road meetings S. B. Vincent, manager of the bureau, suggested a number of methods for directing tourists to the Oregon, some of which were considered favorably. The committee also authorized the printing of 100,000 road maps of Oregon, 20,000 maps of California, 20,000 maps of Washington and 15,000 maps of Idaho.

SCHOOL VIOLATION CHARGED

Vancouver, Wash., March 8.—H. S. Wildermuth of Amboy was brought before Judge Vaughan on a charge of failing to send his 8-year-old son to school. The parents of the boy said he was physically unable to attend the public school, which is one and a half miles distant from the Wildermuth home, and this was substantiated in part by Dr. McCallum, county physician, who said the boy is below normal physically. The case was continued until March 25.

IRISH BILL ADVANCES

London, March 8.—The house of commons last night passed the third reading of the Irish Free State bill by a vote of 285 to 52.

PORTLAND MAN SPEAKS

Centralia, Wash., March 8.—Walter Richardson of Portland was a speaker at the Tuesday luncheon of the Centralia Rotary club.

DEATH TAKES WIFE OF SENATOR RYAN

Oregon City, March 8.—Mrs. Ines Naomi Ryan, wife of State Senator Thomas F. Ryan, died at the family home in Gladstone Wednesday afternoon after a long illness of more than seven years.

Mrs. Ryan, who was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Marshall, was born in Oregon City in 1868 and married Judge Ryan here in 1897. She was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal church and of Pioneer chapter, Eastern Star, serving in several offices of the latter organization. She had been active in civic work.

Her husband, two sons, Marshall Ryan of Gladstone and Donald Ryan of Willamette University; twin daughters, Elizabeth and Virginia; 12 a sister, Mrs. E. J. Noble of Oregon City; and a brother, J. W. Marshall of Astoria, survive.

Recovery of Victim Of Bull Anticipated

Oregon City, March 8.—Burtin Dearloff, gored almost to insensibility by a bull Wednesday, is at St. Vincent's hospital, Portland, with prospects good for his recovery. His legs and body were terribly torn. Dearloff was attacked by the bull when he entered the stall where it was chained in the barn on his father's farm near Damascus. His cries brought members of the family, who rescued him.

PROMINENT WOMEN LISTED

Salem, March 8.—Fourteen women are included in the jury list called for the March term of the Marion county circuit court. Included are Elizabeth Lord, daughter of former Governor W. P. Lord, and Mrs. Fannie Bishop, sister of T. B. Kay, former state treasurer. The courthouse here has been remodeled to provide accommodation for the women jurors.

PSYCHOLOGIST TO SPEAK

Vancouver, Wash., March 8.—Dr. Henry Collins, psychologist, will talk to women only in the Congregational church, Fourteenth and Main streets, Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, on "Woman's Place and Charm in the Home Lost and Regained." Dr. Collins will lecture each evening at 7:30 o'clock to mixed audience until Wednesday. An organ recital will feature each meeting.

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Ghost Expert Not Visited by Wraith Family Fled From

Halifax, N. S., March 8.—(U. P.)—The malevolent ghost that chased Alexander McDonald's family out of their farm house and into the lonely stretches beyond Antigonish, failed to materialize last night.

Dr. Walter F. Prince, New York scientist who led the ghost hunting expedition to the farm, reported that the night failed to bring forth any ghastly slaps, mysterious fires or other manifestations that terrified the MacDonaldis. He lay in bed all night with strings on his fingers and toes and bells on the other ends of the strings, waiting for the spirit to fall into his trap, but nothing was heard.

Dr. Prince declared he would give the wraith another chance tonight. If it fails to "do its stuff" he will ask the MacDonaldis family to return to its home and then he'll await developments. Maybe the ghost will perform for MacDonaldis.

Filing Costs May Deter Candidates

Vancouver, Wash., March 8.—The number of candidates for county offices will diminish materially when the time comes to file for the primaries, in the opinion of Auditor Garrett, as all prospective candidates must pay a filing fee equal to 1 per cent of the yearly salary of the office aspired to. This amount is \$30 for all offices in the courthouse, with the exception of commissioners, who receive \$1500 a year, and will pay a filing fee of \$15. Candidates for justice of the peace will pay \$12, as the salary of the justice is \$1200 a year. Candidates can not file until 60 days before the primaries, which will be held in September, but several have announced their intentions to run for various offices. No opposition has developed so far to Engineer Schwarz, Clerk Schaefer or County Attorney Hall.

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