

COMMITTEEMEN MUST RESIGN OR QUIT PAID JOBS

District Attorney Hurl's Bombshell Into Ranks of Party Workers Violating the Law.

There's likely to be a wholesale flood of resignations from county central committees during the ensuing week by the 50 or more persons who also are holders of appointive public positions. Either that, or they'll have to resign their positions that bring them their bread and butter, or else stand in the light of being violators of the corrupt practices act.

District Attorney Myers stated Saturday that he holds it a violation of the corrupt practices act for any person holding an appointive public position to also serve as a political central committeeman. He says continuation in both positions by any person in Multnomah county will result in prosecutions.

W. E. Eddy, chairman of the county central committee, has asked Myers for a definition and interpretation of the corrupt practices act, and the opinion of the district attorney will be in accord with the above statements. He says he does not believe any central committeeman who is also holder of an appointive public position was aware that he is violating the provisions of the act, and that they will hasten to relieve themselves of such a charge.

The matter came to direct attention when inquiry was made by The Journal editorial department regarding the status of A. A. Bailey, who is a deputy county clerk, an appointive position, and also a member of the Multnomah county central committee and the state central committee. Bailey, when his attention was called to this situation, told the district attorney he would resign from the political committee. The vacancy on the state committee will have to be filled by the county central committee.

Scheme to Beat Restaurant Fails, Waiter on Job

What Leo Myers and Rudolph Miller lacked in actual cash they possessed in imagination and nerve. Then plan was a good one. It failed only because a waiter in the Coffee Cup restaurant was as observant as Myers and Miller were clever.

The lads wanted to eat sumptuously at the least expense. They walked down the line and ordered coffee and doughnuts. They received checks for this meager repast. Again joining the line, they ordered whatever struck their fancy and much of it. When they attempted to pay the check for the coffee and doughnuts, the police were called.

Municipal Judge Ekwall instructed the jailer Saturday to furnish the pair two meals a day for the next five days in payment for which they will be allowed to clean the corridors.

WOULD HAVE PLACE IN LOWER HOUSE



Mrs. Virginia Peters Parkhurst of Berwyn, Md., who is the latest woman to enter the campaign field for election to the United States house of representatives. Mrs. Parkhurst is seeking the Democratic nomination from the Fifth Maryland congressional district and she has no opposition.

Changes in Guard Drill Pay in State Are Put in Effect

Salem, July 15.—Changes in the drill pay of Oregon guardsmen are effective now, according to advice received by the adjutant general's office from the war department at Washington. Privates seem to be the only members of the citizen fighting force who do not participate in the increase, their stipend remaining at \$1 per drill, while the pay of a first class private is reduced from \$1.17 to \$1.15 for each drill attended.

The pay of corporals is increased from \$1.27 to \$1.40; sergeants draw \$1.50 per drill under the new scale instead of \$1.50 as heretofore, the pay of staff sergeants is jumped from \$1.50 to \$2.40, while technical and first class sergeants are increased from \$1.77 to \$2.80.

The new schedule also provides for quarterly pay days instead of semi-annual as heretofore.

Approximately \$220,000 will be spent this year on the improvement of the new Alsea road, the cost to be borne jointly by the state and Benton county.

MAN WHO KILLED MOTHER IS SENT TO STATE ASYLUM

Walter Weir Found Insane, but Murder Indictment Will Stand Against Him, Says Court.

Instead of standing trial for the murder of his mother, Susan F. Weir, Walter Weir will go to the state hospital for the insane. He was declared insane by a commission of alienists, Drs. S. E. Joseph, J. Allen Gilbert, Laurence Selling and William House, after their examination of the man.

The charge of first degree murder, however, will stand against Weir, and if he should recover he may have to face the grand jury indictment. District Attorney Myers, after receiving the report of the commission, declared that if Weir's condition improves he will be remanded to the Multnomah circuit court for trial, as the fact that he is now insane does not necessarily imply that he was insane when he committed the crime.

Weir on June 5 beat his mother over her head with a hammer about 7 o'clock in the morning, and then ran into the street, crying to the neighbors. Later he said he had killed her "to put her out of my misery." When arraigned before Judge Tucker, he was unable to utter a word and was in almost a state of collapse. The judge ordered a plea of not guilty entered on his behalf and later ordered his examination as to sanity.

TRACKS MAY BE ELEVATED BY S. P.

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its entrance into the city for some time and has considered elevated tracks as a project for the future. Speculation has it that the undertaking of the plan is hastened by the impending fight between the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific for the control of the interstate commerce commission, with which body rests the decision in this momentous railroad matter.

Elevation of the tracks of the Southern Pacific through the east side industrial district would be a safety measure and would affect a saving of thousands of dollars annually in the movement of trains. The slow speed necessary at grade crossings is a serious handicap in handling trains and the elevation of the tracks also would eliminate the necessity of keeping watchmen at street crossings along the right of way within the city limits.

Options exercised. Among the properties on which options have been taken are the following: Half block on the west side of East First street between Ashland and Pine, owned by the Ladd Estate company.

ADOPT ROAD PLAN IN TWO COUNTIES

The Dalles-California Highway Included; Klamath and Lake Counties Are Visited.

By R. C. Johnson
Journal Staff Correspondent
Bend, July 15.—The state highway commission arrived here tonight from a tour of Klamath and Lake counties. While in Klamath county decision was reached to improve the last section of The Dalles-California highway in that county. The section is between Lanes Mill and Fort Klamath in Wood River valley. The work will be on a cooperative basis, the county standing 50 per cent and the state 50 per cent.

The commission took the matter under advisement. In Lake county, the question of routing the new highway was discussed. The commission will spend Sunday in Bend and on Monday will return to the state capital.

Going from here over the Joint Day highway, Ontario and thence over the old Oregon trail westward. Governor Olcott, who was recalled to the capital from Medford, will review the case of the waiters and waitresses union against the restraining order granted the Liberty cafeteria and the Panama restaurant.

SIXTEEN HURT IN TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

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vestigated the accident, reported that A. L. Woodward's effort to drive a Multnomah county truck and a horse and wagon in charge of Orel Hunter, employed by the Camas Furniture company of Camas, Wash., caused the accident. Both Hunter and Woodward were driving west, the truck behind. Woodward turned to the left side of the road in passing. Burton verified that Woodward failed to signal his intention, and the big car filled with eight-seers was obliged either to ram the truck or to take its chances in the ditch.

GOES INTO DITCH
Burton turned into the ditch and the crash with the tree followed. The bus was not overturned, but struck with such force that most of the occupants were thrown out.

An Arrow ambulance brought the Misses Sherman to the city and both were taken to the Surgical hospital. Others in the car were cut and bruised, including Mr. and Mrs. Henry Denhart of Washington, 11b, guests at the Portland hotel; Charles Koonst of No. 193 McMillan street; Portland; Belle G. Cable and Edna Cable of Astoria, Wis.; Leontine A. Lepper and Mrs. William Smalley of Porterville, Cal. These were brought to Portland in another bus driven by E. McCreary.

Three persons, one a baby 4 months old, were sent to St. Vincent's hospital with painful injuries Saturday afternoon as the result of a collision between two automobiles at Hancock and East 28th streets. The drivers of both automobiles were arrested and released on their own recognizance by Motorcycle Patrolman Mobley.

BABY CUT
Daisy Burns, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Burns, No. 189 East 28th street north, was badly cut about one ear. Burns' face was badly lacerated and her right hand was cut. Burns was driving one of the automobiles. She had just arrived from Honolulu and were in the automobile of Warren W. Woodward, whom they are visiting at his home, No. 1156 Schate street. Woodward is charged with reckless driving.

Woodward was driving east and Burns was driving west on Hancock. Burns turned his automobile south on 28th street, cutting a corner and failing to give the signal according to statement made to Mobley by witnesses. Woodward was driving about 25 miles an hour, approaching the intersection, according to witnesses.

Both automobiles were badly damaged. Marian Chamberlain, 5 years old, probably was injured fatally Saturday afternoon when she ran from behind a wood pile directly in the path of a motorcycle ridden by R. W. Colfax, No. 710 Princeton street, at Prescott and Bladen streets. Nurses at the Emanuel hospital reported she has a fractured skull. The child had regained consciousness late Saturday night. She lives at No. 961 Kirby street. Motorcycle Patrolman Mobley investigated and reported that Colfax apparently had violated no traffic law and was held in no way to blame.

MEN TEACHERS ORGANIZE
Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, July 15.—A state organization of half a hundred men teachers was completed here. Dean E. B. Reeder of the school of vocational education and A. R. Nichols, superintendent of industrial education for Oregon, being organizers of the movement.

Calls for harvest help are reaching The Dalles daily, but the supply of available men is not sufficient to meet the demand.

CENSORSHIP OF NEWS LIFTED BY FREE STATERS

Official Reports Indicate Fierce Fighting Has Been Going On in Limerick.

By Denis O'Connell
Universal Service Staff Correspondent
Dublin, July 15.—Strict military censorship on the news of the fighting in Munster the past week was lifted today by free staters.

Fighting has been raging in Limerick. According to official reports national troops dislodged irregulars from all strong positions held in Limerick, taking many prisoners and capturing arms and ammunition.

The irregulars summoned reinforcements from Cork and Liam Lynch and his followers are rushing to the rescue. Lynch has taken over the direction of the operations.

16 White Salmon Scouts Get Radios

White Salmon, Wash., July 15.—Sixteen Boy Scouts of White Salmon were transported into the seventh heaven of happiness at a picnic Thursday afternoon at a picnic table in Limerick, taking many prisoners and capturing arms and ammunition.

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PICKETING ALLOWED
A written opinion defining the extent of restricted picketing adopted under supreme court rulings and authorizing such restricted picketing by union delegates on strike is now being prepared by Circuit Judge Morrow and will be handed down in a few days. Judge Morrow bases his opinion on the findings of the supreme court in the case of J. E. Greenfield against retail clerks and others. His decision was reached Tuesday after hearing the evidence of the case of the waiters and waitresses union against the restraining order granted the Liberty cafeteria and the Panama restaurant.

PRUNE ORCHARD SOLD
Vancouver, Wash., July 15.—J. H. Latham sold 10 acres of prune orchard in the Felida district to J. E. Deak of Sara for \$8000, retaining this year's crop. Latham has two other orchards in the district and Deak owns property in the Sara district.

CANNERY IS BUSY
Vancouver, Wash., July 15.—The Oregon Packing company is operating the cannery here with two shifts and is receiving berries at the rate of 3000 crates daily. No decrease is shown in the amount of cherries coming in.

Dancing Taught

Ladies \$2
Gentlemen \$5

DOWNEY'S BEAUTIFUL ACADEMIES

FORMERLY DEHONEY'S

MURLARK HALL
234 and Wash. Main 5527

COTILLION HALL
14th and Burnside Bdwy. 2002

CLASS—MURLARK HALL
TUESDAY EVENINGS
7:30 to 11:30

CLASS—COTILLION HALL
FRIDAY EVENINGS
7:30 to 11:30

Private Lessons, either hall, all hours. Plenty of desirable partners. No embarrassment.

Watch the Airplane At Council Crest

Between 3 and 4 o'clock this afternoon the airplane will fly over a big plane over Council Crest Park. From this plane will fall a shower of confetti.

MORE THAN 500 CASH AND OTHER PRIZES!

Many of the 500 envelopes will contain money. All the others will contain from 1 to 50 tickets to the dance, racetrack and other great attractions. Come to the Crest between 3 and 4 P. M. today.

Admission is FREE!

COUNCIL CREST PARK

Hop a C C Car!

Wednesday Afternoon Is a Half-Holiday!

We Will Close Our Store at 1 P. M. Each Wednesday During July and August

That our employees might enjoy the benefits of a weekly half-holiday during July and August, we will close our store at 1 P. M. during July and August.

And we at the store in soliciting your kind cooperation, request that you do your shopping in the more cool, pleasant morning hours. You'll also profit by the special underpriced offerings we have arranged in each department. These offerings will not be advertised, for we wish to surprise you when you visit our store Wednesday forenoon.

Mail Orders
Promptly Filled

Agents for Butterick
Patterns and Publications—All New Styles
Now Showing.

The Store That Undersells

Because It Sells for Cash

Parcels Post
Packages Prepaid

Hemstitching promptly
and perfectly executed
by our skilled operators.

Come! Profit By This Special Purchase and Sale of Scotch Ginghams



GENE PALMER BEAUTY PREPARATIONS

Are Pure and Refreshing

If you want the soft, velvety, peach-bloom of youthful coloring and the silken, shimmering lights in your tresses, the crowning glory of woman—and that delicate, elusive fragrance that clings in the memory of a delightful personality—then use GENE PALMER'S wonder DAY CREAM for cleansing and refreshing the skin. The GENE PALMER shampoo in lemon-green soap or tar will bring out the radiant glory of your tresses to your supreme delight—and a dash of toilet water completes the toilette and you step forth well groomed for the day's program.

Special at
\$2.95

Fine Wool Mixed Camping Blankets
and Auto Robes

Government goods secured at an extraordinary price concession—they come in regulation style and are shown in plain colors and in neat plaid styles.

Great HALF-PRICE Sales

In Women's Ready-to-Wear Section

Fortunate, indeed, will be those prudent women who attend this unusual sale event, for you have selection from many fashionable garments at exactly one-half regular selling prices. It is midseason stock adjustment time with us and we wish to immediately dispose of surplus lots and broken lines and the quickest way to do so that we know about is to sacrifice all profits and a generous proportion of the cost and that is what we have done at this sale. Here are two of the offerings:

JUST 48 CAPES and WRAPS

Selling Regularly From \$15.00 Up to \$50.00
Choice This Sale at One-Half These Figures

Space does not permit of detailed description—suffice it to say that all are regular stock—lines desirable in both style and quality. Materials are fine Velours, Tricotines and Normandy, in various good colors. All are well tailored and full silk lined. Many different models to select from in both Wraps and Capes.

Just 20 Suits to Close at Half!

Regular Values From \$30.00 Up to \$65.00

Included in this assortment are many pleasing styles especially becoming to women of good taste—beautifully tailored suits in Tweeds, Tricotines, Twill Cord and other materials—but mostly small sizes. Come in and look them over—there's a wonderful saving here for you.

Summer Laces and Embroideries

Special effort has been put forth to supply your needs at the lowest possible prices—how well we have succeeded you will appreciate by the savings these items bring to you.

Wash Laces at 5c Yd.

50c for Bolt of 12 Yards

Choice from the best styles in domestic and imported Zion and French Vals, imitation Cluny, Crochet, Torchon and others. Edges and insertions in popular widths and many in matched patterns—all in this sale at one price.

Embroideries 10c

Edges, beadings and insertions in dainty Swiss, Cambric and Longcloth—all new patterns.

Embroideries 25c

9 to 12-inch widths in Cambric and Longcloth—Skirtings—all in fine, well worked designs.

27-In. Swiss and Batiste Embroideries at 35c yard.

Also 17-inch Flouncing Embroideries in an extensive showing of pretty patterns.

5-inch Ribbons on Sale at 25c yard.

Summer sash and hair bow Ribbons in 5-inch width, in all wanted plain colors, check, plaids, stripes and novelties—both Taffeta and Moires of exceptionally fine quality.

Three CORSET Specials

at \$1.79, at \$2.45, at \$2.95

The Best of Makes—R. & G., Lady Ruth, Rengo Belt, Betsy Ross, Treo, Thompson, Lady Louise and Rivoli

Eight guaranteed makes as listed above and others equally as well known all in this sale at three especially underpriced quotations—52 styles in all, with 19 models to select from at \$1.79. Both front and back-lace, sport models, all elastic models, semi-elastic styles and others in fancy brocades, batistes, fine coutils, etc. Also 8 and 10-inch all-elastic sport girdles, all sizes. Extraordinary values in guaranteed Corsets at \$1.79, \$2.45 and \$2.95.

A Special Underpricing of Summer Underwear and Hosiery

Women's Cotton
Union Suits at 75c

Fine fitting, seasonable weight cotton Union Suits, shown in styles with regulation and bodice top, shell or lace knee. All sizes 34 to 44.

Silk and Fibre
Hosiery at 98c

High grade hose, made in the seamless back, seamless foot, reinforced little heel and toe; little top and wide garter hem. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 in new heather shades.

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Checks
Plaids
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A famous make in standard quality that will wash and wear most satisfactorily and that will make up beautifully into cool, comfortable summer garments.

Not in many seasons have Scotch Ginghams been quite so attractive in style and colorings or more universally in demand. What could be more important than this opportunity to purchase these standard wash goods at such a great saving?

It is a special purchase and sale of more than 200 different styles in plaids, checks and plain colors—all crisp, new goods, desirable in every way, from which you have selection at this sale at 50c yard.

No samples cut at this sale, but all mail orders will receive our best attention. None will be sold to dealers.

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