

PLAN REORGANIZING PROHIBITION BUREAU

By Ralph H. Turner (United News Staff Correspondent) WASHINGTON, June 12—Reorganization of the prohibition enforcement unit, involving a shakeup in personnel, is in prospect now that the new prohibition commissioner, Roy Haynes, has been installed in office.

A program for heightening the efficiency of dry enforcement has been under consideration by the administration for the past two months, but has been held up pending the appointment of the new commissioner.

Haynes already has conferred lengthily with John F. Kramer, the retiring dry chief, and will be at his desk Monday. After a week or two spent in familiarizing himself with the task of making America dry, Haynes will turn his attention to reorganization. This, in his opinion, is the greatest problem he faces.

Among the proposals included in the new program are:

1. Transfer of enforcement to the department of justice. Under this plan, the prohibition commissioner's work either would be confined to the issuance of permits for the withdrawal of liquor, with enforcement entirely in the hands of the justice department, or the commissioner would be transferred to the department, continuing his enforcement work under the attorney general.

2. Readjustment of personnel. This includes a plan whereby a supervising enforcement agent would be appointed for every state.

It also includes a weeding out of some enforcement officers who have been accused of "betraying their trust."

3. Creation of special courts to handle prohibition cases and an arrangement whereby federal judges may travel from one district to another, thus clearing heavily congested dockets.

4. Legislation giving greater authority to the prohibition commissioner, so he might limit the number of prescriptions issued by physicians, limit the quantity of whiskey which may be manufactured and imported and prevent the use of whiskey in medicines in which pure alcohol has been the principal ingredient.

5. Consideration of a plan where greater cooperation may be secured from foreign countries to prevent smuggling. This not only applies to Canada and Mexico, but to the two small British islands of Bimini and Nassau, off the Florida coast, which are among the heaviest suppliers of foreign whiskey importations.

In bidding his successor God speed, Kramer enumerates his problems, in order of their importance, as follows:

Suppression of pure alcohol for beverage purposes, smuggling, moonshine distilling, breweries which are manufacturing beer with excessive alcoholic content, and prevention of withdrawals from warehouses on forged permits.

Flag Day Exercises

Flag day exercises will be held in The Dallas lodge No. 303, B. P. O. E. Tuesday evening, June 14, at 8:30 o'clock in the evening at the Elks' temple. The Ladies' chorus will furnish the music. The public is invited. By order of ROY F. TAYLOR, Exalted Ruler, W. L. ORICHTON, Secretary.

INCORRECTLY QUOTED IS SIMS' REPLY

By United News WASHINGTON, June 13—Rear Admiral William S. Sims, replying to Secretary Denby's inquiry concerning the admiral's "Jackass" speech in London, declares that he was incorrectly quoted. Reports of Sims'

LOWELL PATTON RETURNS

Well-Known Pianist Who Makes Western Chautauqua Tour Again This Season.

Chautauqua audiences will welcome the news that Lowell Patton, the talented pianist with the New York Artists' Trio in 1920, is returning again this season. He has been on a tour of New Zealand this winter and comes back with added laurels.

Rachmaninoff, the noted Russian



master, probably the greatest pianist and composer of the present age, recognized Mr. Patton's exceptional talent and coached him for a long period of time. In New York he was known as the protégé of Rachmaninoff. He has been accompanist for many of the big artists of the East.

speech were "misleading and garbled," the admiral said in answer to Denby.

The following dispatch from Sims was given out Sunday night:

"Statements that were attributed to me were not correctly quoted. Context misleading and garbled. Report of statements is incorrect and inferentially wrong. Statements actually made were substantially the same as repeatedly made in public in America and in my book, 'The Victory at Sea,' and in public address at meeting held for increasing good relations between the English speaking people. (Signed), W. S. Sims."

No acknowledgment has been received from Admiral Sims yet of Secretary Denby's cable revoking the admiral's leave and ordering him to report immediately to the secretary of the navy.

This order from Denby was prompted largely by failure of Sims to reply to the original inquiry and which was interpreted as indicating plainly that the naval secretary had determined to punish Sims.

What effect Sims' "explanation" will have upon the situation could not be learned at the navy department Sunday night.

MEDICS NOT BARTENDERS DECLARES RESOLUTION

By United Press BOSTON, Mass., June 11—The American Medical Association has dodged the question of whether beer is of medicinal value. Its governing body, the house of delegates, after a hot debate behind closed doors, finally passed a harmless little resolution to the effect that members of the medical profession should remember that they are physicians, not bartenders.

"Whereas," begins the resolution, "reproach has been brought on the medical profession by some members who have misused the law which permits the prescribing of alcohol."

"Be it resolved that the American Medical Association now announces its disapproval of a small minority of the profession of the position of being purveyors of alcoholic beverages."

This, it was explained, is meant to deter the illegal prescribing of liquor, but not to deter a physician who feels that the individual case requires it. Dr. W. S. Rankin of Raleigh, N. C., was the father of the resolution.

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WAREHOUSING PLAN FOR FARMER IN AIR

(Chronicle's Washington Bureau) WASHINGTON, June 13—Financing of the farmer along modern and scientific lines so that he may warehouse his products and borrow on the warehouse receipts will be discussed at a conference here next Monday before Secretary of Agriculture Wallace and Secretary of Commerce Hoover. It will be one of the most important of its kind ever held in the interest of advancing agriculture to the same financial basis as manufacturing and mining.

Representatives of various farm organizations, elevators and grain dealers, insurance companies and other associations interested have been invited to attend.

The proposal is to provide a method by which the farmer may be given unlimited storage facilities for his grain and receive a warehouse certificate in such form and under such conditions that it would pass as an order for delivery of the grain.

It would thus greatly increase his borrowing power and would relieve him of the pressure of selling his grain except at his own option. It would enable him to haul his grain at the time of the greatest farm economy without being compelled to sell at that time. It would extend his credit area far beyond his local bank. It would place him in the same position as to credit as is the grain dealer.

The present system of local elevators and warehouses of small capacity, relying upon immediate dispatch to larger capacity terminal elevators, makes it impossible for the local elevator to give long storage of grain in any quantity. Owing to this situation, if the farmer wishes to retain his grain until more favorable marketing conditions he must borrow money from his local bank where the credit is a personal one and limited by the ability and consideration of the local banker.

In turn the ability of the local banker to extend credit is greatly limited by his relation to the federal reserve system.

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O. A. C. NOTES

Codling Moth Spray. The "30-day" codling moth spray should be applied from June 6 to 10 in western Oregon districts north of Roseburg. If settled weather conditions prevail, in other fruit districts in 30 days or less after the calyx spray was applied.

Cherry Worm Preventable. Worms in cherries can largely be prevented by applying a poisoned bait for the adult fly from June 6 to 10, a second spray 10 days later and a third spray a week still later. Use calcium arsenate, 1/2 pound, brown sugar 2 1/2 pounds (or 2 quarts of syrup), and 8 gallons of water, thoroughly mixed. Not more than a quart of this spray should be used to the tree, and that on the outer foliage. Just a few droplets to the outer leaves is the ideal application.

Will Motor to Corvallis. Automobile excursions to Farmers' week, June 13 to 18, will be popular, according to word received at the college.

The latest count, to fall in line as Douglas. An auto caravan will leave Roseburg Monday, June 13, carrying a large number of farmers to Corvallis.

Camping facilities offered on the campus will attract many farmers and home makers from all parts of the state it is expected. This is a new Farmers' Week feature. In former years it was impossible to make provisions for camping due to the season of the year.

Notice to Bidders Dallas City will receive bids for the Wiley barn, now standing at Fourth and Federal streets, successful bidder to remove same from the property. All bids must be in the hands of the city recorder on or before June 16, 1921, at 7:30 p. m. Dallas City reserves the right to reject any or all bids. D. L. CATES, City Recorder. 13

WAGE SLASHING (Continued From Page 1.) Important matters before the convention, such as wage cutting and unemployment, will hinge on the plans made to further combat the open shop drive.

A parade of delegates from the headquarters to the convention hall officially opened the sessions today. Following addresses of welcome by Mayor D. C. Bailey and others, Samuel Gompers, president of the feder-

ation, delivered his annual address. Gompers was expected to give delegates, in his speech, some definite idea of his attitude toward reelection to the presidency. The fight of some elements to unseat Gompers has had little attention from the veteran leaders thus far. The report of the executive council was also presented at the session today, covering the activities of the organization during the last year.

mer congressman from Colorado. The convention, according to local labor leaders, will be one of the largest and most important ever held by the federation. Hundreds of resolutions are expected to be introduced. Entertainment for the delegates and their families includes trips through the Pike's Peak region and mountain parks near Denver. Election of officers, with Gompers

picked as favorite for president again, is scheduled for the latter part of the week. Sessions of the convention may last until June 29. Typing and Stenography done at reasonable rates. Rosina A. Fleck, Office Hotel Dallas. Residence phone red 2332.

A. F. OF L. FACED WITH BIG PROBLEMS

By United News DENVER, June 13.—The 41st annual convention of the American Federation of Labor got under way at 10 a. m. today in the Auditorium here. Between 1,000 and 1,200 delegates were in their seats when the meeting was called to order. All national officials of the federation are here. This is the third time the convention has been held in Denver and 27 years ago, Samuel Gompers, president, was defeated here for that office. John McBride was the choice for that office over Gompers. Since then, the latter has been re-elected each year.

Preliminary work of the convention has been under way since June 8, when members of the building trades department met to outline problems to be placed before the convention proper. Between 200 and 250 delegates were present at these sessions.

Other branches of the federation which met for preliminary work are the metal trades department; the label trades department; the mining department and the International Labor Press association, composed of publishers of labor papers. Preliminaries were finished Saturday, June 11. The British trades union congress is represented by two delegates; the Canadian trades and labor congress by one; Australia, one; Japan, one; Mexico, one.

Welcoming addresses were made today by Governors O. H. Shoup, Colorado; R. D. Carey, Wyoming, and J. C. Bulger, president of the Colorado federation of labor, Mayor Dewey C. Bailey, Denver, and Ed Keating, for-

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