

HOOVER PLAN MADE KNOWN

Agreement to Keep Coal Prices Down Reached Following Conference

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Agreement with representatives of the National Coal association and the National Retail Coal Merchants' association upon a plan for preventing advance of bituminous coal prices during the strike, was announced tonight by Secretary Hoover after a conference at the commerce department.

Anthracite coal operators, Mr. Hoover said, have agreed not to advance prices of stocks now held above ground above the levels of the past week which he added, were lower than at the beginning of the strike. Bituminous operators in fields where a price basis has not yet been established, he said, "will be earnestly requested to reduce selling expenses for spot coal to the Garfield price including the standard selling expenses, plus such additions for increased costs as were justified in each individual case. "The complexity of local con-

ditions," he said, "makes the establishment of maximum prices very difficult in many districts. This plan, if adhered to, should result in a reduction of prices in several districts of Pennsylvania and west Kentucky." Complaints Probed Sporadic complaints of selling expense being added to net prices in dealing with wholesalers, he declared, would be taken up in each individual case. Persistent mis-statement or misunderstanding of elements inside and outside the coal industry, Mr. Hoover asserted, have given rise to the impression in some quarters that the maximum of \$3.50 a ton for spot coal, established with operators of 80 per cent of the producing fields constituted minimum prices and offered opportunity for occasional advantage being taken.

Harney Hikes to Meet Comrades at Seattle

Tom Harney and his dog "Girly" walked into Salem yesterday on the last leg of his 3000-mile hike from Worcester, Mass., from which place he started August 8, 1921. Harney is a long distance hiker and is boosting the Twenty-third national encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars to be held at Seattle August 14 to 19. Tom served overseas and saw action with the famous 104th infantry, 26th division. While in Salem yesterday Harney visited Governor Olcott, giving the executive a letter of introduction from Governor Stevens of California. Harney will take letters from Oregon's governor to Governor Hart of Washington and to Mayor Brown of Seattle.

Forty Teachers Needed for Vacation Bible Work

Forty teachers are needed for the Vacation Bible schools, according to C. A. Kells, director of the summer project. The schools are inter-denominational and all parents are asked to send their children to the school nearest their homes. Workers for classroom work, music leaders, pianists and recreation are needed, Mr. Kells said. The schools will open Monday at 9 o'clock. Principals for the West Salem Methodist church and the First Methodist church have not been chosen so far. Other principals and the assignments for each are as follows: Miss Ella Deyhoe, Jackson Lee; Miss Sophie Townsend, Leite; Miss Della Chapler, Yew Park School; Miss Miriam E. Anderson and Mrs. LeRoy N. Meyers, Bungalow Christian; Miss Elizabeth Hogg, Baptist church.

Mother (reprovingly) — When I was young, girls never thought of doing the things they do today. Daughter — Well, that's why they didn't do them. — Pickup.

IRWIN ENTERS GUILTY PLEA

Man Caught With Liquor is fined \$250—Elaborate Outfit Confiscated

Moss T. Irwin, of this city, yesterday pleaded guilty to a charge of possessing liquor and was sentenced by Judge G. E. Unruh to pay a fine of \$250. Although he was unable to pay the fine at once, relatives of Irwin vouched for the payment of the fine and he was released late yesterday.

Caught With Goods

"Irwin was caught with the goods" Wednesday night after a brief but exciting pursuit by Deputy Sheriff W. T. Barber and Bert Smith. Two other men, supposed to have been interested in local bootlegging activities, made their escape from Irwin's car before the officers arrived. A 40-gallon still, 250 gallons of ripe mash and distilling paraphernalia were seized by Deputy Sheriff Burkhardt. Barber and Smith last night when they raided a still which officers believe was operated by one of the men who escaped arrest Wednesday.

Still on Farm

The still was seized on a small farm near the south end of the Commercial street car line. Officers said last night that they had no information as to the identity of the man who had been active on this place for some time. By this seizure it is thought Sheriff Bower has succeeded in making another capture of an "ownerless" still as it is doubtful if the erst-while possessor will stop running this side of the north pole.

Quick Action Taken

Irwin's case was handled expeditiously. He entered his plea within 20 hours of his arrest. He told officers that this was his first experience with liquor and that he did not know the names of the men who were in his car. He denied that he was hauling the liquor for delivery or that he was to have received pay for such delivery. Officers stated last night that there was little likelihood of locating "Jones," who is thought to have been the leader.

BONUS FIGHT TO BE BITTER

Harding Wants Tariff Taken Up First — McCumber Has Opposite View

WASHINGTON, June 15.—A bitter fight in the senate next week over the soldier bonus issue was predicted in all senate quarters tonight as a result of numerous informal Republican conferences today to which President Harding was a party. A call for a formal party conference of Republican senators next Monday morning to discuss procedure with the bonus and pending tariff bills together with the proposed majority cloture rule was called late today by Senator Lodge, Republican floor leader, after he had conferred with the president and many Republican senators.

McCumber Will Act

Also next Monday, if the naval appropriation bill is passed meanwhile, a motion to lay aside the tariff bill and proceed with the bonus measure would be made Senator McCumber, Republican, North Dakota, chairman of the senate finance committee and in charge of both bills. Senator McCumber said he did not object to the party conference but his statement was transmitted to Republican ranks by Senator Lodge. The president also, it was said, believed that after disposal of the tariff bill and before consideration of the bonus measure the administration ship subsidy bill should be given separate right of way. Senator McCumber's plan to move for consideration of the bonus bill next week, was said tonight to insure a battle royal in the senate.

Harding May Intervene

Predictions were made that the president would again intervene actively in the bonus controversy by bringing more influence to bear to hold the tariff bill before the senate. Senator McCumber said he regarded his plan to call up the bonus bill early next week as "a matter of honor of the Republican party," which he said had pledged itself to early enactment of bonus legislation. Advocates of the tariff bill stated their belief that if it should be laid aside it would mean the end of the bill for the present session or at least would greatly lengthen the already tedious road it has to travel.

Cloture on Calendar

The cloture question is also on the calendar of the Republican party meeting on Wednesday. The tariff bill was not before the senate today, being laid aside to give way to the naval appropriation bill.

Numerous Divorce Cases Filed in Polk County

DALLAS, Or., June 15.—(Special to The Statesman)—During the past few days three new divorce suits have been filed with County Clerk Floyd D. Moore. Marriages for the month of June promised to be a record breaker for Polk county but divorces are rapidly coming to the front and with but one-half of the month gone and three cases filed in one week it begins to look that June will also be a record month for divorces. The first case filed was that of Ernest C. Brunk against Eta C. Brunk. He charges cruel and inhuman treatment. Frank Miller of Independence wants to be separated from Vera E. Miller. He charges desertion and claims that the defendant is now a resident of the state of Washington. Mrs. Florence Hamilton of Ballston wants a divorce from Cleve Hamilton, now a resident of Portland.

LABOR SIDE TO PROTEST

Wage Reduction to Save \$30,000 Will Bring Out Minority Report

CHICAGO, June 15.—(By the Associated Press.)—Delay in the preparation of the minority opinion of the railroad labor board's newest wage reduction order prevented the expected announcement of the decision tonight. It was said the board hoped to have the decision ready for the public by tomorrow. Following the completion of a lengthy opinion said to cut over \$30,000,000 from the payroll of 25,000 employees, labor members of the board began work on a lengthy protest.

Many Thousands Affected

The new cut will affect nearly 230,000 station employees, 12,000 signal men, 10,000 stationary fire men and others and 5000 train dispatchers. The latter class, however, will not come under the new slash, which becomes effective July 1, and other supervisory forces will also escape a cut, in line with the board's policy of making no reduction for minor officials and supervisors. Strike ballots continued to roll into headquarters of the six rail-way shop crafts, whose triple-barreled vote on the question of striking against the wage cut and other unsatisfactory conditions was ordered last week.

Voters Have Ten Days

The men have 109 days left in which to get their pink, blue and white slips into Chicago. "We are expecting nearly a 100 per cent vote this time," said John Scott, secretary of the crafts today. "This is the most serious situation that has come up in recent years and the men are thoroughly disheartened with the situation. The ballots show a distinct attitude in favor of a walk-out."

Leaders in Cincinnati

Union leaders of the clerks, signmen, firemen and others are all in Cincinnati attending the convention of the American Federation of Labor and expected to issue orders for a strike vote of their memberships as soon as the new decision is announced by the board. Intention of taking the vote was announced before a conference of union leaders in Cincinnati last week.

Broadcasting Station to Be Installed by Barton

A large radio broadcasting station will be opened within two weeks by the Salem Electric store, according to F. S. Barton, proprietor. Concerts will be given three nights each week, according to the present plan, and it is probable that special Sunday sacred concerts will be given also. An hour of music by local talent and an hour of music from late records is the plan being considered now. The antenna for the new station will be on top of the Masonic temple and the sending station in the store on the first floor. Portland has several large broadcasting stations and others are located at Hood River and Pendleton. Oregon Agricultural college at Corvallis has operated a radio-telephone for three years for experimental and amateur purposes. Roy Goodwin of Salem has had a home-made radiophone in operation for the last year, and was first to broadcast music to amateurs of the Salem district. His apparatus has not been in operation for several weeks on account of improvements being made in the apparatus. This the time of year when the wife wants to spend the vacation at the seashore. The husband prefers the mountains. Where do they go?

SILVERTON NEWS

Fourth of July Will Not Be Celebrated in Salem

Salem will not have a Fourth of July celebration. This announcement was made yesterday by Robert Duncan, secretary of the Salem Commercial club. Proposed plans for the celebration were abandoned when it became known that special attractions would not be booked in time for the event. Residents of Salem will either observe the day quietly at home or will go to neighboring cities where programs are being prepared. The small boy will be able to purchase fireworks and enjoy himself as of old. "Say, parson, can you marry us in a hurry?" "Certainly, sir. I have a reputation for making 20 knots an hour in a pinch."—Science and Invention.

Miss Winona Palmer Entertained

Miss Winona Palmer entertained a few friends at her home on Monday evening. Miss Esther Saunders, who has been spending the last two weeks at the M. J. Madsen home as a guest of Miss Lillie Madsen, returned to her home in eastern Oregon. Miss Clara Solberg and Miss Hilda Solberg of Portland spent the week-end at the home of their parents at Silverton. Miss Opra Satern is spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Satern in the North Howell district. Miss Esther Saunders, Miss Lillie Madsen and Mrs. M. J. Madsen motored to Salem Tuesday afternoon. A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hemmingson Saturday night. Quincy Davis is spending the summer with his sister in Texas.

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DRY FORGES BECOME BUSY Traffic in Liquor on Shipping Board Vessels is Target of Movement WASHINGTON, June 15.—Indications multiplied rapidly today that prohibition proponents in congress would move through the pending merchant marine bill to stop the sale of liquor on American ships. The first definite step to end the conditions complained of by Anheuser-Busch, Inc., of St. Louis came through presentation by Representative Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama, to the house merchant marine committee of an amendment to the merchant marine bill which would deny government aid to any American ship on which liquor is stored, sold or otherwise disposed of. Committee Did Not Act The committee did not act on the amendment at today's session and later Republican committee members, hastily called together, received another proposal framed by Representative Edmonds, Republican, Pennsylvania. The Edmonds amendment would have the effect of putting American ships on a parity with those of nations which do not have prohibition. It would provide a fine of \$10,000 on any ship of any registry on which liquor is sold during a voyage starting or ending at an American port, and after a second offense would prohibit the entrance of the ship to American ports. May Cross Treaties The proposals was taken under consider ration by the majority committee members with the belief being evinced in some quarters that it ran directly counter to many of the nation's commercial treaties. Action today was not entirely confined to congress. It was indicated at the treasury that Attorney General Daugherty might be asked soon for a ruling on the legality of liquor selling on American ships. Mr. Daugherty when asked about the possibility of a new ruling, or rather a review of the ruling made by the department of justice during the Wilson administration in the effect that prohibition follows the flag, said that although no such request had been made, it would be acted upon as speedily as possible, if

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