

GRIM EVIDENCE OF MURDERS IN CUBA REVEALED

Eight Soldiers Held After Bodies of Political Prisoners Found

De Cespedes Pledges "new Deal" of Justice, Law And Order in Sight

HAVANA, Aug. 18—(AP)—The Cuban cabinet tonight decided to name special judges to determine whether officials of the Machado regime had been guilty of malfeasance and to bring charges against those found culpable.

Reports circulated at the palace that the appointment of the judges would precede efforts to extradite Gerardo Machado, former president, and others of his regime who have fled. Secretary of Justice Carlos Aldarigas would not comment on the reports.

HAVANA, Aug. 18—(AP)—Eight soldiers, including a sergeant and a corporal, were arrested late today after members of the A. E. C. secret society and army officers found four bodies in Castillo de Atrases fortress, where political prisoners were held during the regime of the deposed Gerardo Machado.

Lieut. Col. Erasmo Delgado, military commander of Havana province, who announced that the soldiers had been taken into custody, added that the search for bodies was continuing.

The announcement followed shortly upon a promise by President Carlos Manuel de Cespedes that Cuba would have "justice, law and order" under his administration and urged the closest cooperation by the United States.

General Election Soon Not Expected

The president, chosen provisionally by congress after the flight Saturday of former President Gerardo Machado, said he expected no general election before 1934.

Joquin Martinez Saenz, the youthful secretary of the treasury, continued late today to end the paralyzing harbor strike, the most serious problem facing the government. Lieut. Col. Erasmo Delgado, military commander of Havana province, said a definite solution was expected soon.

Little difficulty has been experienced by passenger liners, which have been docked by their own company employes, but other shipping has been affected. (Turn to page 2, col. 5)

LAST OF BERBERS BEING MOPPED UP

RABAT, Morocco, Aug. 18—(AP)—Sniped at continually by desperate Berber tribesmen, 25,000 French native troops and Foreign Legionnaires methodically mopped up today around Djebel Badou, last stronghold of the wild Berbers.

Heavy fighting with severe losses on both sides were reported in latest dispatches as the French, determined to clean up the Atlas region before winter, pressed on against the Berber dissidents.

Djebel Badou was surrounded and the surrender of the last rebels there was expected shortly. Meanwhile the mountain peak Koucher was slipping from the rebels' grip. The noted Cherif against French rule since 1912, surrendered with his followers.

Although only the corner remnants of six die-hard tribes were still fighting, recent battles have been the severest in France's 25-year campaign to pacify Morocco. About 250 French troops from Marrakech, Tadla, Meknes and eastern Morocco encircled the last of the dissidents on the slopes and in the ravines of the high Atlas chain, 175 miles southeast of Rabat.

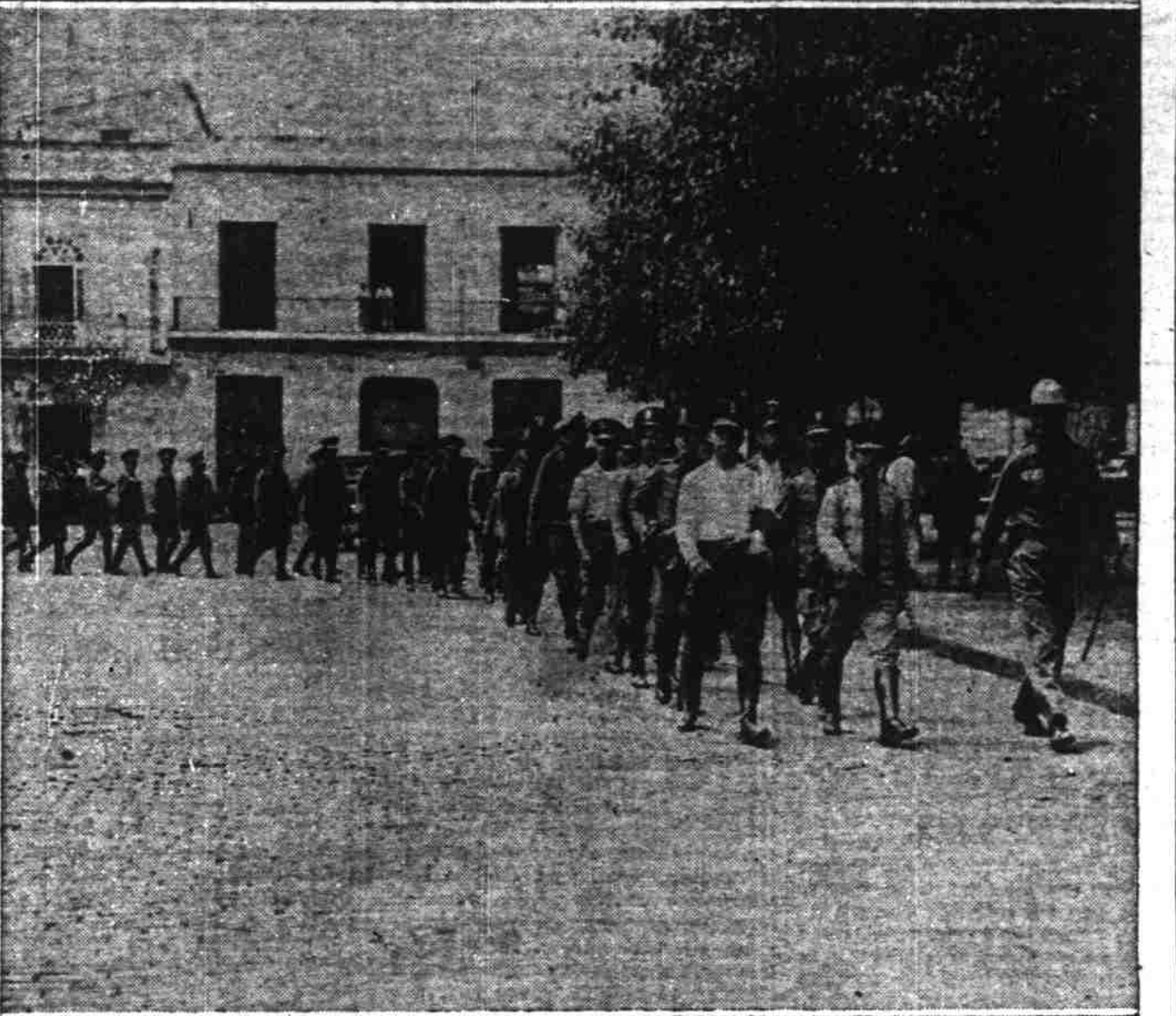
Aurora Pair to Serve Out Time In County Jail

PORTLAND, Aug. 18—(AP)—Dr. B. P. Glavin, president, and Zeno Schwab, secretary, of the Willamette Valley Mortgage & Loan company of Aurora, today were ordered in federal court here to start serving their sentences in county jail next Tuesday, August 22.

The two were convicted April 21 of using the mails to further a scheme to defraud. Each was sentenced to serve 10 months in jail and fined \$750.

SEVILLE APPOINTED
WASHINGTON, Aug. 18—(AP)—H. A. S. S. of Corp. Christ, Tex., will succeed William C. Hubertson as ambassador to Chile.

CUBAN 'STRONG ARM' MEN TAKEN TO JAIL



Training the troops on them, authorities now in charge of enforcing the law in Cuba march members of deposed President Machado's dreaded "strong arm" squad to jail, pending an investigation of the bloody terrorist regime.—International Illustrated News Photo.

MEETING OF TRUCK OWNERS IS CALLED

Anderson Takes Exception To Arguments Advanced By Alliance Chief

Avowing that the Allied Truck Owners are not using the same yardstick to measure flaws in the defeated West bill and the bus bill passed at the last legislature, A. C. Anderson, president of the Truck Owners association, yesterday answered comments made by Ralph Staehl following the decision handed down on the test case of the Truck Owners and Farmers Protective Association.

At the same time Anderson announced a mass meeting for all truck operators throughout the state to be held at the chamber of commerce here August 23 at 2 p. m. and that night.

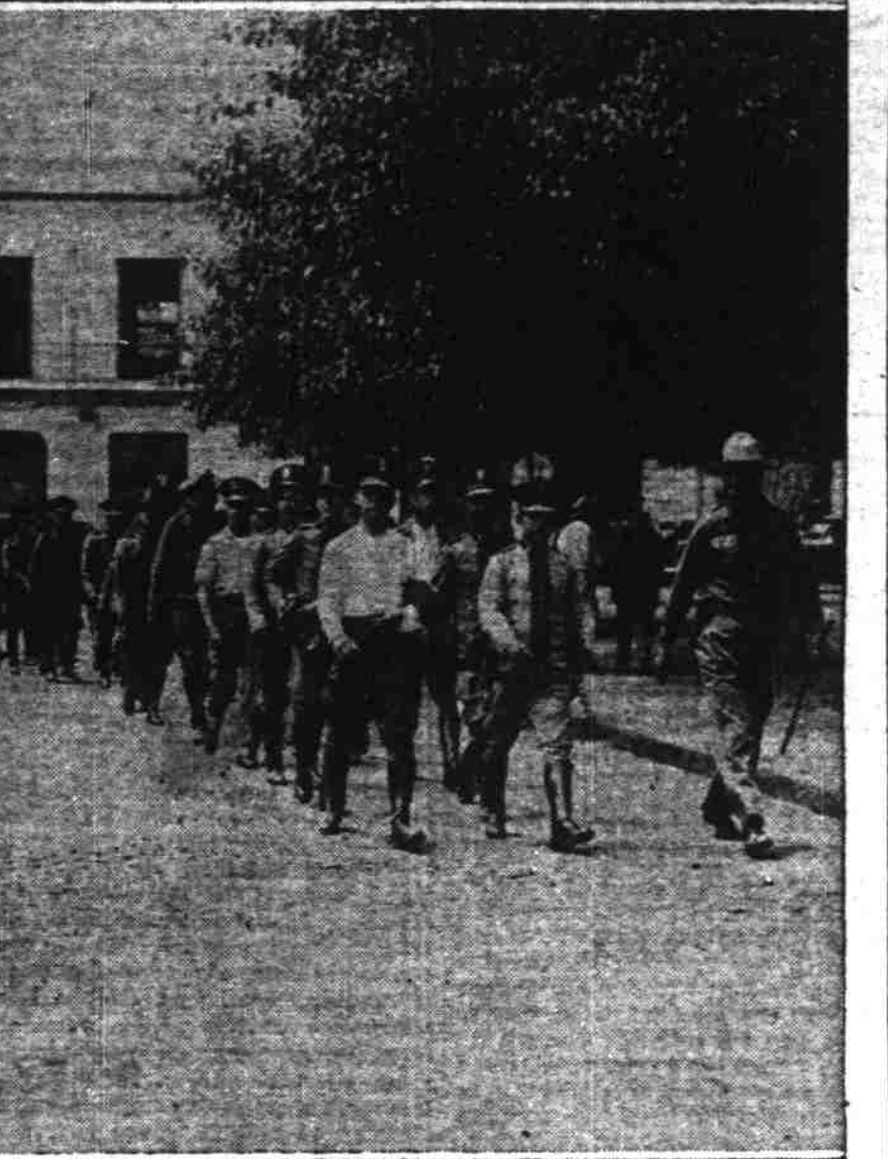
He also has sent out letters urging all truck owners to attend the mass meeting to be held at the house of representatives August 23 at 10 a. m. for discussion of rates and charges to be adopted by the state.

Matters relative to truck litigation and NRA codes will be discussed at both the sessions.

In connection with Staehl's public statement that Judge Lewelling's decision would put the truck association "on the spot," and that the public would lose the \$5 flat license fees for passenger cars, Anderson said:

"Mr. Staehl states that 5,000 trucks out of 7,000 actually enforced by this act want it enforced. In class 4, 5 and 6, trucks operating under the public utility commission from July, 1932, to July, 1933, totaled 1,347. Our association represents far more trucks than does the Allied Truck (Turn to page 2, col. 1)

Loose Plane Is Captured With Lariat



The craft, owned by Al Greenwood, was flying. One of its brakes became unfast, and suddenly the plane began to pivot, roaring in a large circle like a gigantic pinwheel.

OREGON RECOVERY BOARD ORGANIZES

VanDuzer Chairman; County Unit Setup in Planned; Each With Leader

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 18—(AP)—The Oregon state recovery board, organized in accordance with the NRA, holds its first meeting here today.

H. B. Van Duzer of Portland, former chairman of the state highway commission, was chosen as chairman. Ben T. Osborne, of Portland was elected secretary. With Ray Gill, master of the state grange, they will serve as an executive committee.

Other members of the board are Bert Eggleston of Enterprise, Dean James Gilbert of Eugene, and Frank A. Spencer, Ed Boyce and Don Sterling, all of Portland. A ninth member of the board remains to be appointed.

Frank A. Messenger, in charge of the Portland office of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, explained to the members that the board's function will be "to advise and report on the execution of the national industrial recovery act, and receive and act on all matters referred by the national recovery administration or by the district boards. (Turn to page 2, col. 4)

Campbell Says Not Guilty of Theft Episode

Jack Campbell, charged with impersonating an officer in taking slot machines from the Silver Eagle late Wednesday night, yesterday pleaded not guilty in justice court. He raised \$500 bail late in the day.

The date for hearing before Judge Miller Hayden will be fixed August 22 at a conference between Campbell's attorney, the district attorney and Judge Hayden.

Cannery Code Considered Rain Helps Fire Fighters Miners Fight Game Order Medford Child Drowned

control tonight, with 90 men on the fire line.

WOULD REPEAL LAW
BAKER, Aug. 18—(AP)—A resolution favoring the drafting of a measure, for introduction at the next legislative session, to repeal an act under which the game commission closed streams in Oregon was adopted by delegates to the executive session of the Oregon mining congress here today. The measure was favored by the resolution would place regulation and supervision of streams, for such commercial use as that connected with mining operations, with the legislature.

Congressman Walter M. Pierce told the delegates that the "free coinage of silver would do more to help us in our present trouble than anything else. It takes more basic money today to do our business, and I favor silver."

Other speakers included W. H. Simons, Idaho inspector of mines; Carl Silven, state game commissioner; Warren D. Smith of the University of Oregon and E. G. Harlan of Eugene, secretary of the congress. The convention came to a close with a banquet tonight.

IN COQUILLE RIVER
MARSHFIELD, Aug. 18—(AP)—Phyllis Jane Watson, 11, of Medford, drowned while swimming in the Coquille river four miles east of Coquille today. She had been visiting relatives here. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson, live in Medford.

YOUNG FIRPO WINS
WALLACE, Idaho, Aug. 18—(AP)—Young Firpo, 170, the "Wild Bull" of Burke, knocked out Dave Humes, 164, San Francisco, in the second round of a scheduled 10-round fight.

CODE OF STEEL INDUSTRY GETS FULL APPROVAL

One More Major Problem in Recovery Drive Solved As Leaders Agree

Minimum Wage of 40 Cents Will be Much Exceeded Agreement States

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18—(Saturday)—(AP)—Hugh B. Johnson, the NRA chief, early today announced that an agreement had been reached upon a code of fair competition for the steel industry. The agreement had been read to President Roosevelt over the telephone and was approved by him in addition to Johnson, the steel industry and the labor advisory board of the NRA.

It provided a 40-hour work week averaged over a three months period with maximum per employe of 48 hours and a six day week.

On or after November 1, 1933 as soon as production reaches 60 per cent capacity, the 8 hour day for all employes except supervisory, technical and emergency is provided.

The agreement cited that a general increase of 15 per cent had been made in wages since July 1.

"Minimum wages fixed in the code are estimated by steel companies to exceed an average of 40 cents per hour," the text of the agreement said.

"This results from the fact that higher minimum wages than those fixed in the code are paid to large groups of common labor."

The agreement continued: "It will be effective for 90 days as a trial period to determine effect. (Turn to page 2, col. 7)

CALIFORNIA FACES STATEWIDE STRIKE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18—(AP)—Threats of a statewide farm labor strike in California faded tonight as officials announced resumption of harvesting under increased pay scales in two important fruit centers.

In the great peach region of central California, meetings of fruit pickers at half a dozen centers were called off and strikers were notified they will be re-employed under the higher wage.

At the Tagus ranch in Tulare county, H. C. Merritt, Jr., manager, announced the wage advance from 17 1/2 cents an hour to 25 cents proposed by Herbert Williamson, state labor commissioner, had been adopted. Three hundred pickers will return to work immediately, he said and 800 will be employed at the height of the harvesting season next week.

Williamson said he will attempt mediation tomorrow at the George Moran and Frank Taylor ranches in Fresno county where 120 pickers and cutters walked out today. They are demanding the 25-cent scale which was first announced several days ago by the California packing corporation.

Nomination of officers will be the main order of business at Monday night's meeting of Capital post, American Legion, to be held at Fraternal temple. Additional nominations will be made September 4 and the election held September 18.

Although Claude McKenney has not yet announced he would accept nomination for post commander, indications are that efforts will be made to draft him for this office. During the past year McKenney served as chairman of the July 4 celebration committee and managed the two large dinners given for needy families at Thanksgiving and Christmas time.

Others mentioned for the command include H. R. "Rufe" White, present vice-commander, and R. H. Bassett, former adjutant. Arthur B. Bates is being talked for the vice-commander. To date no opposition has appeared to the reelection of William Bliven as adjutant.

Young Roosevelt Proves His Skill At Bull Fighting

SEVILLE, Spain, Aug. 18—(AP)—Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., visited a Spanish bull farm today where he tried his hand in cape work with a young bull and demonstrated his riding ability on a blooded Andalusian horse.

The president's son, his traveling companion, A. J. Drexel Paul, Jr., of Philadelphia and United States Consul Richard Ford were guests at the bull farm of Romulo Arias de la Reina.

Lindbergh Case
Angle is Denied
WASHINGTON, Aug. 18—(AP)—Reports that Harvey Bailey and Albert Bates, arrested in connection with the kidnaping of Charles F. Urschel, wealthy Oklahoma City oil man, were suspected of being implicated in the kidnaping and death of the Lindbergh baby were denied today at the department of justice.

Five Million Pigs Will Give Lives To Aid Farm Recovery

Meat Goes to Unemployed, Growers Will get 55 Million Dollars, Higher Prices Later Due to Shortage Created

CHICAGO, Aug. 18—(AP)—Slaughter 5,000,000 hogs, give the meat to the unemployed, add \$55,000,000 to the farmers' income and increase the price of pork—that in brief was the corn-hog plan announced today by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace.

He told several thousand farmers in the court of states at the Century of Progress exposition the plan was a deliberate attempt to "change the economic facts" and give the corn and hog farmer "his share of the national income." He said the new deal for the farmer would be put into effect immediately and completed by Oct. 1.

The secretary, a native of Iowa, said the government would buy heavily enough to reduce the fall supply of pork by 16 per cent and would pay more than the present market prices.

The hog farmers, he explained, would get more than the market prices for hogs sold in the big butchering drive, and should get higher prices later for the rest of their pork because of the reduction. (Turn to page 2, col. 4)

STATE LIQUOR TAX FOR RELIEF TALKED

Senator Bynon Drafts Bill Embodying Ideas of Control Group

PORTLAND, Aug. 18—(AP)—The Oregon legislature, if called into special session by Governor Julius L. Meier, may be asked to consider a tax on liquor, in the event the 18th amendment is repealed, as a means of raising relief funds, it was indicated here today.

Governor Meier yesterday said he was considering a special session after the state relief committee had been informed that the state must receive \$2 for relief for every \$1 it receives from the federal government.

Allan A. Bynon, state senator from Multnomah county, said today he was drafting a bill which would embody the recommendations of a committee appointed by Governor Meier to study liquor control, together with a system of taxation on liquor.

John J. Beckman, state representative, author of a beer regulation bill defeated at the recent session of the legislature, said he was considering the drafting of a similar bill for re-submission.

At present the state does not tax or regulate beer, although beer is legally sold here.

The governor at his Gearhart summer home today conferred with Raymond B. Wilcox, chairman of the state relief committee, on the matter of a special session.

Among matters legislators here said they thought might be considered at the special session, if called, were unemployment relief and means of matching federal funds; state control of liquor in the event the 18th amendment is repealed; truck and bus legislation because of a recent ruling in Marion county declaring the truck and bus act passed by the last legislative session unconstitutional, and state and local finances.

TANKER GROUND AT RIVER'S MOUTH

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 18—(AP)—The Mercator H. Whittier, Associated Oil company tanker, was grounded in the mud at the north side of the channel at the mouth of the Willamette Tuesday night. A tug was dispatched to attempt to free her.

The Portland Merchants' Exchange said there was little likelihood that the vessel had been damaged, as the bottom where she struck is of soft mud. The chief danger is that the tanker will be stuck in the mud, and the Willamette joins the Columbia, might be struck by another vessel coming into the Willamette in the darkness tonight. Confidence was expressed that tugs eventually could pull the tanker into deep water again.

SANTIAM CLEARING BIDS TO BE OPENED

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 18—(AP)—W. H. Lyne, district engineer for the bureau of public roads, announced today that bids will be received September 7 on four forest highway projects, three in Oregon and one in Washington.

The Oregon projects are: Construction of a 100-foot steel deck span with concrete approaches over Diamond creek on the Tiller trail highway in Douglas county about six miles south of Draw.

Construction of three steel bridges on the Willamette highway in Lane county between Oakridge and McCredie Springs. Two of these will be small spans over Sack creek and the other, a larger span over Salmon creek.

The clearing of a 6.3 miles section on the North Santiam highway located about 14 miles southeast of Detroit in Linn county. The work will involve about 74 acres of clearing.

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NRA WILL OPEN HEADQUARTERS OFFICE MONDAY

Checkup of Compliance to Begin That Day, Says "General" Ellis

Labor Leaders Will Confer With Industry Chiefs, Seek Agreements

Local offices for the administration of NRA will be opened Monday in a room on the ground floor of the Masonic temple on the High street side. This will serve as headquarters. Reports will be made here; and organization work carried on from this office. A regular clerk will be in attendance. Representatives of the division of enforcement, Allan Carson, chief, and of the division of enforcement, Tom Windshar, chief, will be in attendance. This was decided at a meeting of the general committee Friday, called by the general chairman, William P. Ellis.

Mr. Ellis conferred with Frank Messenger, in Portland Thursday, and got from him ideas as to the proper organization of the work here, which will get under way next week. Tonight, Ellis and a group of members of the local committee will go to Portland where they will hear George Creel, in charge of the informational division of the work on this coast, who will outline something of their duties under the act.

Declaring it their intention to forestall labor troubles in Salem industry as NRA agreements are carried out, officers of the local labor unions met following a mass meeting at Labor hall last night and formulated plans for conferring with industrial employers relative to the provisions of the recovery act. Committees will seek to come to a friendly understanding with the employers and employe under the law, it was explained.

Checking up on all employes to see if NRA requirements as to hours and wages of labor are being met will be undertaken by local committees Monday, William P. Ellis, Salem NRA general, told some 200 workers at the mass meeting. The committees, he said, will follow procedure of a national survey to determine the number of new employes and prospects of employment.

"There is just one thing to provide jobs for the unemployed—that is to divide work in this nation among those deserving employment," Ellis declared in outlining NRA plans. He added that "no industry which cannot survive and pay labor a living wage can remain in existence now."

Otto Hartwig, labor representative (Turn to page 2, col. 1)

MISSOURI VOTERS FACE PROHIBITION Wet Victory Forecast; Drys Divided, Some Oppose Taking any Part

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 18—(AP)—Missouri voters tonight faced their first opportunity to register direct views on prohibition, with competent observers expressing belief tomorrow's balloting would make the "show me" state the 22nd to embrace national repeal.

Little interest is manifest in the balloting, despite efforts of repealists to bring out the vote. Delegates to be selected by the voters will meet August 29 at Jefferson City formally to ratify the expression of the electorate.

Dry leaders who until the closing days of the campaign centered their efforts in a futile attempt to prevent the election, are divided in recommendations to their supporters.

P. A. Tate, superintendent of the state anti-saloon league, has recommended drys refrain from visiting the polls. He also has announced action will be filed later in the United States supreme court challenging legality of the election.

Mrs. Nellie G. Burger, Springfield, president of the state W. C. T. U., at first joined Tate in his stand, but this week asked that drys make as good a showing as possible. Sample ballots, showing how to vote against repeal, have been distributed.

The W. C. T. U., about face followed action of the Missouri supreme court in refusing to declare the Weeks' bill, setting up machinery for the balloting, illegal.

Alexander Will Take Office as Federal Judge

JUNEAU, Alaska, Aug. 18—(AP)—George F. Alexander, of Portland, Ore., will be inducted into office as federal judge of the first division, Alaska, at 10 a. m. tomorrow. The oath will be administered by H. B. LePevre, veteran Alaskan jurist and president of the Juneau Bar association.

He will succeed Judge Justin W. Harding, who will probably return to his home in Ohio, he has said.

Reopening of Spaulding Mill Put Off By Appeal

Part of the crew of men engaged in remodeling at the Spaulding Logging company in anticipation of early reopening of lumber manufacture have been laid off. The partial suspension of the work is due to the resistance in court by the Valley & Siletz railroad to the order of the public utilities commissioner ordering a reduction in log rates. The Spaulding timber is brought out over this line of railroad.

The mill has been shut down about two years, the officers maintaining that the freight rates on logs was prohibitive.

Following the order of Commissioner Thomas giving sharp reduction in the log rates, the company planned to resume logging and lumber manufacture as the rise in lumber prices along with the rate cut justified hope of profitable operation. Festress Hill, chairman of the board of the company, gave out the following statement, presenting the company's position.

"It is clearly out of the question now, just as it has been in the past, for this company to attempt to ship logs from points on the Valley & Siletz railroad on the prohibitive rates now existing. Therefore we shall have to abandon the idea of getting logs from that source until this appeal can be disposed of. It is a most unfortunate circumstance (Turn to page 2, col. 2)

Hockley Views
Coast Bridges;
Report Delayed

It will be about a week before C. C. Hockley, engineer for the state committee passing on federal aided relief works, will be able to report to the committee on the five coast bridges which are urged by the highway commission.

J. M. Devers, commission attorney, discussed the matter briefly with Mr. Hockley Friday. He reports that Mr. Hockley was sympathetic with the program, but wanted to go over the plans personally before placing the matter before the committee.