

Commerce Secretaries Report On Labor

April 13.—(P)—Chambers and commerce secretaries of the two labor conferences today reported that there would be no strike in the next summer and fall.

William Schoenfeldt, Oregon state college, urged that the system be followed as was done last year, when city residents and the farmers in the harvest season were the only trouble we are at the present time is coming from Washington.

Sen. Dean H. Walker, Indiana hop grower, said that must be kept low enough so producers can operate unprofitably.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Rex Putnam warned that demands that schools be closed to permit school children to work in the fields, while Carlton E. Spencer, assistant selective service director, department of farm workers, provide only temporary relief because most of the young workers will want to enlist.

conference was called by Earl Snell.

Lenten Thought

Turning Points
I will arise and go. Luke 15:18. Read II Samuel 12:7-13.

"In the moral sphere," says a wise commentator, "the subject of the finding cannot be purely passive; there must be SELF-recovery to give ethical meaning to the event." He could have said it more simply: We must help ourselves or neither our friends nor God can help us. "Work out your own salvation," said St. Paul, "for it is God that worketh in you to will and to do—." Two together. The turning point for the prodigal reduced to every extremity was his resolution to get out of the far country—"I will arise and go—."

"I will" is the final hinge upon which the conduct of life turns. Until the dream becomes a deed; amendment a purpose; desire a resolution, nothing is fulfilled. "I will" is the soul's supreme assertion. It may be only a whisper, the new self struggling with a purpose, all unfulfilled, but love waits for it, the power of God hastens to meet it and the lost is already found.

Prayer: Dear Lord, forgive us, who "know the paths wherein our feet should press," that we are too slow to seek Thy way and will for us. "Knowledge we ask not, knowledge Thou has lent. But, Lord, the will—there lies our bitter need. Give us to build above the deep intent, the deeds the deed." In Jesus' name. Amen.

Sale of Coast Power Company to PUD Approved By O. R. Bean

SALEM, Ore., April 13.—(AP)—Sale of the electric properties of the West Coast Power company serving Toledo, Newport, Florence and Reedsport and adjacent territory to the central Lincoln (county) peoples' utility district for \$735,000 was approved today by Ormond R. Bean, Oregon public utilities commissioner. The Oregon hydroelectric commission had previously approved the deal.

The sale is to become effective May 1 under an agreement with the managers of the Lincoln county district to maintain the same rates for service to customers that has been imposed by the West Coast company.

1,253 Axis Planes Destroyed in Tunisia

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NORTH AFRICA, April 13.—(AP)—Allied anti-aircraft gunners and the northwest African air forces have shot down 1,253 axis planes during the campaign in this theater, it was announced officially today.

A United States air force announcement of the total axis toll said losses were 498 planes. Axis losses in the last 14 days alone were 318 planes, the announcement said, of which 88 were big air transport craft. In the same period allied losses were 100 planes.

OCARINAS TO THE FORE

SAN DIEGO, Cal. (AP)—The present war will be won to the music of the ocarina, or "sweet potato," instead of the harmonica, according to local music dealers. Harmonicas, a favorite instrument of soldier and sailor, are off the market, they state, because of the lack of materials. A famous Swiss manufacturer attempted to fill the breach, but his first shipment was sunk and he has since refused to try a second one. The ocarina, they state, is replacing the harmonica as the only available pocket musical instrument.

Earl T. Rychman

Earl T. Rychman died at Camas, Wash., March 29. Born at Prairie View, Kan., March 25, 1890, he came to Oregon in 1906, living much of his life near Eugene, Junction City and Salem.

He is survived by his widow, Stella; a daughter, Ruth Wyble of Long Beach, Calif.; three sons, Carl A. of San Francisco, Sgt. Robert E. of Fort Benning, Ga.,

Britain Needs More Training, Says Cripps

LONDON, April 13.—(AP)—Sir Stafford Cripps, minister for aircraft production, said today that Britain must keep up her technical and university training programs if she hopes to keep pace with the United States in the modern post-war world.

The State of California alone, Cripps said, spends as much on universities as the entire British nation. America, he added, graduates 12,000 engineers annually and Britain only 800.

Price Point Values Reduced By OPA

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(P)—Point values for sausage cuts and some pork cuts went down today.

Reducing its action to slow a resultant danger of inflation, the office of price administration announced point reductions ranging from 14 to 30 per cent on such products as wieners, sausage and pork sausage, scrapplings and pork neck bones. Dry and semi-dry cuts such as hard salami, hard pepperoni, soft salami, pepperoni, and mortadella are unchanged.

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