

TEACHERS OF GRAYS HARBOR CO. CONDEMN UNIONISING FOR PAY

Regard With Grave Concern Prospect of Nation of Children Led by Teachers Not Led by Interest in Humanity.

ABERDEEN, Dec. 1.—Teachers of Grays Harbor county will not join the movement for the organization of teachers unions either under the American Federation of Labor or otherwise, judging by a set of resolutions adopted some days ago at a meeting of teachers, city school superintendents and principals made public today. The resolutions condemn the movement, and while admitting the need for higher pay, consider the unionization is not the way to secure it.

"We regard with grave concern," says the resolutions "the prospect of a nation of children led by teachers whose interest in unionism, transcends their interest in humanity. That we hereby earnestly appeal to teachers everywhere to uphold the traditions of their profession in this hour of threatened chaos and to hold fast to the ideals that have made the American school one of the most potent forces in humanity's struggle for truth."

CENTRE COLLEGE PRODUCES LATEST GRIDIRON WONDER

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Morans of the "Miracle Man" family are becoming the vogue in sport. Pat, the most noted super-man of the sport realm is now in winter quarters resting on the laurels won by his world's champion Reds. He left the stage clear for another "Miracle Man" Moran—this one Charles "Chappy" Moran, national league umpire and football coach extraordinary.

"Chappy" entered the hall of fame recently when eleven of the 200 students of Centre College, Danville, Kentucky, whom he had been teaching football, went out and trimmed West Virginia, the conquerors of Princeton.

Recognition was slow in coming to the latest Moran wonder. Since the spotlight was thrown on the little Kentucky college it became known that "Chappy" has been dean of the football department down there for three years and during that time the team hasn't lost a game.

Moran is an old time ball player, having had a career in the minors and a whirl at the big game with the Cardinals as a pitcher and catcher. He has been mixed up in athletics for 20 years. When active participation became impossible, he started umpiring and coaching football teams.

Baseball and football are linked rather unusually this season. Hugo Bezdek, manager of the Pirates, is coach of the Penn State eleven which ranks close to the top of the eastern list. The breaks seem to have gone against him. Dartmouth won by a lone point over the Staters. But they beat Penn and that covered "a multitude of sins" for them.

"Greasy" Neale, the star Red outfielder and one of the shining lights in the world's series is a star football player and has been coaching a high school team this fall.

Frank Frick, the sensational Giant youngster, was the "whole team" at Fordham. When he signed with the Giants and became a professional he broke up the Fordham team. His loss proved so severe that they had to cancel their schedule.

Bob Fischer, former national league player, now in the American Association, is a great football player. He plays fullback on one of the professional teams around his home in London, Ohio.

NEW U-BOAT TOLL BROUGHT TO LIGHT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The United States coast guard cutter Tampa was sunk by a German submarine September 28, 1918, in the British channel, with loss of the entire complement of 112 officers and men, is revealed today in the annual report of the coast guard.

INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN FOR CUTTING OF EVERGREENS

Instructions for cutting cedars and other evergreens for use as Christmas trees are given by the department of agriculture in a special bulletin just issued. The department recommends that whenever it is possible a tree be cut from a group of comparatively compact growth. Isolated trees should not be cut, the department says, because this leaves a gap that future growth cannot fill. Observation of this rule will prevent the stripping of wooded tracts.

Officials of the forest service, it is announced, will be glad to recommend areas under their jurisdiction in which it is entirely proper to make cuttings of Christmas trees. It is suggested that very large trees such as are required for use in municipal celebrations or in churches need not be symmetrical in their natural state, but can be easily made so by boring holes in the trunk and inserting limbs of proper size to give the tree a rounded appearance. This method is recommended where it is necessary to transport large trees for considerable distances. All the branches may be cut off and replaced in holes prepared for their reception.

REINFORCEMENTS SEEK YAQUI INDIAN BAND

NOGALES, Dec. 1.—Federal reinforcements for remnants of a party of 400 federals are in the vicinity of Guayvi, seeking a band of Yaqui Indians who, last week, practically annihilated General Monce's command of federals. Monce, himself, was wounded in the battle which, it is reported, was the worst defeat the Yaquis have administered to Carranzistas in years. The attacking Indians numbered several hundred and entirely surrounded Monce's command.

Common people everywhere owe a vote of thanks to the Indian for remaining on the job and producing a very helpful Indian summer.

NO TIME FOR BUCK FEVER



LEGION OPPOSES LIMIT TO LAWFUL INTEREST

PORTLAND, Dec. 1.—Unanimous opposition to the proposed initiative measure providing a constitutional amendment to limit the legal rate of interest in Oregon to 4 per cent was expressed at a meeting of the state executive committee of the American Legion Saturday night, at which a resolution opposing the measure was adopted.

The matter was brought before the committee by Barge E. Leonard, who asserted it to be his belief that the measure is being fostered by radicals who are opposed to the best interests of the state of Oregon. The resolution pointed out that the inevitable result of passing the proposed amendment would be to drive money outside of the state and to prevent investment by outside capital, leaving no capital available for developing and building up the industries of the state or for operating farms and other enterprises upon which the

state depends for its continued prosperity, thereby causing unemployment and distress among executives, men and others. It is further contended that the adoption of the amendment would work undue hardship on all investors, particularly those of small means who depend upon a reasonable return on their investment.

RECORD CONVENTION IN STORE FOR TEACHERS

The Oregon State Teachers' Association will meet in Portland December 23-26. It is expected to be the largest and most important teachers' convention ever held in this state. Already the number of teachers who have enrolled and paid their fees far exceeds that of any previous year. Delegates from every county and from every local teachers' organization in the state will attend the business meetings of the representative council. This meeting as well as all of the other sessions is open to all teachers in the state.

President A. C. Hampton, city superintendent at La Grande, is preparing a most interesting program and expects to secure for the general sessions two speakers from outside of the state. One of these will be H. B. Wilson, city superintendent of Berkeley, California. Mr. Wilson has held important positions in Kansas and Indiana and is the author of a number of well known educational works. In addition to the meeting of the representative council and the general sessions each of the following departments will have a well prepared program: City superintendents, higher education, secondary schools, history, modern language, foreign language, council of English teachers, elementary schools, rural schools, vocational education, music, industrial club work, librarians and physical training.

That strike of butchers ended without the consumer's paying for the weight of the butcher's hand. Perhaps after all, the millennium approaches.

CANT GET CLOTHING BIDS WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The War Department is experiencing difficulty in obtaining bids on contracts for clothing, it is announced. The explanation advanced is that contractors are unwilling to make proposals during the disturbed condition of labor.

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