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HARDING INDICATES HE FAVORS DELAY ON BONUS BILL

President Also Gave Impression He Might Veto Measure if Protests Continue.

HOUSE MEMBERS DEMAND HE DECLARE INTENTION

If Bill is Presented With Other Than Sales Tax Providing Revenue Defeat Certain.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—Reliable authority declares that President Harding indicated to the republican senators calling at the white house that he is strongly in favor of postponing the soldier bonus until next year.

WHITE DEFEATS JACKSON

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Charley White, Chicago lightweight last night defeated Willie Jackson of New York, receiving the judges' decision after their bout in Madison Square Garden.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE BY PENDLETON GOLF CLUB TO BEGIN IMMEDIATELY

A membership drive to increase the number of members in the Pendleton Golf Club will begin immediately with Charles H. Marsh and J. V. Tallman as captains, according to a decision made last evening at a meeting of the club, held in the Commercial Association rooms.

As an innovation in the organization of the club, a board of managers, consisting of G. A. Hartman, Mr. Marsh and Mr. Tallman, was elected and will have complete charge of the management of the club, co-operating with the officers.

As announced some time ago, the club decided definitely to secure six acres of land adjoining the course and owned by Judge G. W. Phelps, in order to lengthen the course to 3,600 yards, making the local club eligible to membership in the Northwest Golf Association.

MRS. SANGER MAY VISIT JAPAN BUT WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO LECTURE

TOKIO, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—Responding to protests of the liberals the government will allow Mrs. Margaret Sanger to visit Japan, but will not permit her birth control lectures.

PROGRESSIVE GROUPS PLAN TO "STEAL" CONGRESS FROM OLD POLITICAL PARTIES IN SPRING

If Committees' Report is Adopted no National Organization Will be Undertaken.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—The progressive groups convention here is planning to "steal" congress from the old political parties at the spring primaries campaign by a coalition organization waged in every state by the organization to be formed around the existing machines like the nonpartisan league of the united farmers' national bloc.

If the organization committees report is adopted no extended national organization will be undertaken at the present time.

MOVIE MEN TO CO-OPERATE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21.—(I. N. S.)—According to an announcement by the American Society of Cinematographers, it has executed contracts for the creation of a motion picture community center here.

PENNIES FLOOD BANKS AS TAX IS REPEALED

ATLANTA, Feb. 21.—(I. N. S.)—Since the removal of war taxes on soft drinks, confections and other commodities about the only use Atlantians can find for pennies is in paying Atlanta's 7 per cent wartime carfare, with the result that the banks here are being swamped with pennies turned in by retail storekeepers.

10 FOOT ROAD WILL SUIT HIGHWAY BOARD

That the state highway commission will not object to a 10 foot roadbed on the proposed new grade between Ukiah and Dale on the Grant county road was made clear yesterday at a conference in Portland between local men and the state commissioners.

From facts ascertained, it appears to be the intention of the district forester to recommend \$50,000 of forest money for use on the road. The county has asked for \$100,000 and if this cannot be obtained every effort will be made to secure at least \$65,000 so as to have the county bond money matched by forest money.

If only \$50,000 of forest money is made available for the project it will be questionable whether the total of \$115,000 would be sufficient to build the new road between Ukiah and the Grant county line.

Of the local delegation to Portland Senator Ritter and E. B. Aldrich returned home this morning. It is understood County Judge Schanney and Commissioner Bean will return tonight.

HIGHWAY CLEAR IN HOOD

HOOD RIVER, Or., Feb. 21.—General satisfaction was expressed today when the Columbia River highway was cleared in this county, crews cutting the last ice blockade near Camp Benson.

Jubilant featured the meeting of the Commercial club last night, when Senator Nickelson was commended for the dispatch with which he has pushed the work. The road had been closed since Saturday, November 19.

REMOVED FROM OFFICE BOSTON, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—District Attorney Joseph C. Pelletier was removed from office by the Massachusetts supreme judicial court decision today.

RITTER MAN SEEKS CHANCE TO FURNISH PENDLETON ANIMALS

Does Pendleton need any wild animals to be kept in its city parks? A resident of Ritter, Oregon, has written to Councilman William Bunn, chairman of the city park committee of the city council to ask if the municipality would like any bears, or deer, or other wild creatures to add to the attractiveness of the parks.

The councilman is not enthusiastic about the possibilities of the city going into any very extensive ownership of animals now. He said this morning that he might bring it up to the council Wednesday night for further consideration.

LOCAL DEBATERS PLAN WORK ON STATE MEET

Work in preparation for the part Pendleton will have in the state debating contest at Eugene is already under way and Pendleton speakers are planning their attacks and their defenses to be presented when they go to the valley city to try to bring back state honors.

The right to meet other district winners was accorded the local school recently by virtue of the defeats handed to Hermiston and Condon, which made the local school district winners. The Hermiston team was defeated here Friday night, and on Saturday night at Condon, the Pendleton negative team handed a defeat to the Morrow county team.

The members of the Pendleton affirmative team were Rex Kramer and Mark Ryans. The negative team was composed of Phillip Fordyce and George Rigby.

The subject of the debate for state honors is "Resolved: That a graduated income tax should be a feature of the taxation system for the state of Oregon."

ENFORCE NEUTRALITY LAWS

EL PASO, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—Federal authorities intend to drastically enforce neutrality laws along the border. General Juan Merigo today is held under \$10,000 bond and four members of his band are held in lesser amounts following an expedition alleged to have crossed from the American side with the intention of holding up the Mexican national train, south of Juarez.

PASSENGER RATES REDUCED.

TOKIO, Feb. 21.—(A. P.)—A reduction of passenger rates to Victoria, B. C., and Seattle of approximately 30 percent was announced by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

RAILWAY UNIONS AND MINERWORKERS PLAN "ALLIANCE"

Lewis Issues Call for Conference and Requests That Delegates Draw New Scale.

OHIO OPERATORS REFUSE INVITATION TO MEETING

This Was First Organization to Abrogate Wage Agreement See no Reason to Change.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—Fifteen railway unions met today with the miners to plan a "defensive alliance."

Draw Up New Scale. Chicago, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—President Lewis issued a call today for a conference between miners and operators and requested a committee of two operators and two miners from each state central competitive field to draw up a new scale.

"Moral Support" Given. Lewis' call for a conference follows the operators' previous refusal to meet and a declaration that they would cut wages. The railroad unions accepted the invitation to the conference where mutual problems will be aired.

Concerted action of these two groups could paralyze the industry, but although the miners' representatives are willing to "go the limit" the rail representatives are not inclined to go beyond "moral support."

Fifteen of the 16 railroad unions including the four big brotherhoods, accepted the miners' invitation to a meeting here today. Coalition of the two groups will be the subject of the conference.

Refuse Invitation. COLUMBUS, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—Officials of the Southern Coal Exchange say the Ohio operators will refuse the Lewis conference invitation. This was the first organization to abrogate the wage agreement and officials saw no reason to change their position.

Will Meet Representatives. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—Anthracite coal operators today officially announced their willingness to meet the union miners' representatives and discuss the worker's demands. The operators met Friday at Atlantic City for an intensive preparation for negotiations.

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ALL FORCES WORKING. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—Prohibition Commissioner Haynes' forces on land, sea and air are in action today. The first capture of 11 airplanes was the British schooner Annabelle, alleged to have 11,000 cases of liquor aboard.

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PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY'S ORIGINAL ORDER UPHELD

Increased Rates Allowed; Public Service Commission Scoring Petitioners Asking for

SALEM, Feb. 21.—(A. P.)—Affirming the original order granting increased rates to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, and scoring the petitioners who asked for a rehearing, the public service commission today handed down their final decision on the company's application for higher rates.

The increases were ordered February 23 last year, effective last March 1st. They ranged from 22 to 200 percent for different classes of service.

The rehearing was asked for by the city of Portland, the Oregon Telephone Federation and other organizations and municipalities. The hearings occupied several weeks of last summer.

The petitioners for the telephone rehearing were flayed by the commission for burdening the state with unnecessary expense and wasting state officials' time.

The evidence procured at the rehearing was insufficient to justify the change of the original order granting the increase, said the commission. They declared no evidence was worthy of the name offered, to support the assertion of error.

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ROTARY CLUB CELEBRATES 17 BIRTHDAY; WIRELESS MESSAGE TO BE RECEIVED

At midnight tonight the Pendleton club will reverberate with the wireless message: "On this, its seventeenth birthday anniversary, International Rotary asks: Is there any problem of government, commerce or industry which a practical spirit of mutual service will fail to solve?"

The wireless message, which will be broadcast from Chicago, Pittsburgh and Los Angeles, can be received in Pendleton as Harold Brock, Richard Rice and Byron Warner, each have wireless outfits.

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ONE MAN KILLED; POLICE USE RIOT GUNS ON CROWD

Textile Strikers Refuse to Disperse in Front of Mill; Kenyon Reads Riot Act.

CROWDS GREET MAYOR WITH LAUGHS AND JEERS

Volley of Fire Poured Into Helpless Strikers; Laughter Changes to Terror Shrieks.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—One person was killed and several wounded today when the police used riot guns on a crowd of textile workers and the riot act was read.

The strikers refused to disperse in front of the Janekes' mill. Mayor Kenyon read the riot act which was greeted with laughs and jeers. The police were ordered to aim the riot guns and the strikers stood firm. A volley poured into the helpless strikers. Laughter changed to shrieks of terror and within a minute the street was deserted.

PASSENGER AND WAITER JUMP FROM STEAMER

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—(A. P.)—Mrs. Alice Hills, of Los Angeles, a passenger, and Harold Holloway, of San Francisco, a waiter, jumped from the liner Buckeye State yesterday and drowned while the vessel was 300 miles south of Los Angeles, according to a radio message. No cause for their act was given.

ANCIENT GLORY OF GALWAY IS REVIVED

BY CHAS. McCANN (United Press Staff Correspondent) DUBLIN, Feb. 21.—Galway will become the principal Irish port if plans of Free State leaders are successful.

Revival of the ancient port, whose deterioration began three hundred years ago after over four hundred years of commercial importance would cut a day off the trans-Atlantic mail service if airplanes were used between Ireland and England.

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THE WEATHER
Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, local weather observer.
Maximum, 42.
Minimum, 28.
Barometer, 29.86.
Storm predicted.
TODAY'S FORECAST
Tonight and Wed. cloudy.

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WILL BECOME U. S. CITIZEN.
ZURICH, Switzerland, Feb. 21.—(U. P.)—Max Oser plans to sell his livery stable and become a resident of America after his marriage to Maithilde McCormick.