

SEES BETTER TIMES AHEAD IN INDUSTRY

CHANGE IN TAXATION DECLARED NEED

ALLIED DEBT PUZZLE

Industrial Council Secretary Sees Necessity For Railroad Payment—House To Rush Action On Tax Revision Measure.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Earl Constantine, executive secretary of the National Industrial Council, today declared the following five elementary steps are necessary to bring about a complete restoration of normal business conditions: Further cost of living reduction, housing relief, liquidation of the government's obligation to the railroads, taxation readjustment, and solution of the foreign debts problem.

Constantine declared the industrial council's survey of general conditions indicated a gradual, spasmodic improvement for the rest of the year and in the following spring.

TAX CHANGE NEAR

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 12.—Representative Mondell, house republican leader, stated today that the house ways and means committee will complete its tax revision bill Monday. Should the committee give complete approval, the house intends to rush the measure through next week.

The senate finance committee today adopted the American valuation plan as the tariff bill basis, with slight modifications. Republican members are supporting that plan unanimously and republican members of the house ways and means committee present have reached a virtual agreement to eliminate the dye stuffs embargo proposal.

LEGION ORCHESTRA ADDS JAZZ PIANIST

L. R. Wood Adds Pep To Musical Organization—"Sax-o-Jazz" Is Name Chosen By Members.

The new American Legion orchestra, which has been reorganized this week with the addition of L. R. Wood, jazz pianist, who was formerly with McElroy's orchestra of Portland, has been named the Legion Sax-o-Jazz dance orchestra.

Wood is a member of the Legion and at last night's rehearsal demonstrated that he can tickle the ivories with the "pep" which transfers itself to the dancers. The rejuvenated orchestra will make its first appearance at the B. A. A. C. dance Saturday night.

MICKIE SAYS—

WHEN A MAN TAKES A CIGAR OUTA HIS MOUTH TO TELL TH' EDITOR TO STOP HIS PAPER BECUZ HE CANT AFFORD IT, TH' EDITOR SMILES A CROOKED SMILE!



Prisoners Throw Pepper, and Leave In Jailer's Auto

PORT ORCHARD, Wash., Aug. 12.—No trace can be found of Henry Bradner or Early Newburn, prisoners, who made their getaway when they threw pepper in their jailer's eyes, secured his keys and revolver, and fled in his auto.

FINDS PRIEST, GOES TO JAIL

WILLIAM HIGHTOWER WILL PROBABLY BE CHARGED WITH MURDER, AND WILL RECEIVE REWARD FOR LOCATING BODY

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—William Hightower, heralded as the man discovering the body of Father Heslin, murdered priest, spent last night in a prison cell and probably will be charged with the priest's murder.

HUSBAND, CAST ASIDE, FORGETS

RALPH OBERCHAIN SPEEDS FROM CHICAGO TO ASSIST DIVORCED WIFE, CHARGED WITH MURDER IN LOS ANGELES.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 12.—Madelyn Oberchain, indicted with Arthur Burch for the murder of Belton Kennedy, insurance broker, is placing her hope for freedom in her divorced husband, now speeding from Chicago to her assistance.

Ralph Oberchain, before he left Chicago, told the United Press that he still loved his former wife and intended to do everything in his power to effect her release. He cannot believe her guilty.

Police are attempting to find the gun barrel fitting the stock of a 12-gauge shotgun, found on the beach near Santa Monica Saturday. They advance the belief that Kennedy's murderer escaped by way of Santa Monica and threw the gun into the ocean.

INCENDIARY BLAZE THREATENS PRIEST

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SEATTLE, Aug. 12.—Fire of incendiary origin threatened the death of Father Francis Beebe today as the priest slept in his room in the South Park Catholic church. Police are investigating the cause of the fire.

HOLDUP SUSPECTS CAN'T GIVE BONDS

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
KANSAS CITY, Aug. 12.—Four men and one woman, arrested Tuesday when Louise Gordon and Edward Patton were jailed in connection with the \$25,000 Seattle bank messenger robbery, remained in jail today in default of \$10,000 bonds each.

FROZEN DAINTY IS SHIPPED TO ORIENT

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 12.—Thousands of gallons of ice cream are being shipped every month from this port to China, the frozen dainty being forwarded in specially constructed containers holding about 500 gallons each.

ALLIED TROOPS GO TO SILESIA TO KEEP PEACE

COUNCIL DECIDES ON POLICY

LLOYD GEORGE LEAVES

British Premier On Way Back To London—Will Attend Washington Disarmament Conference In Person In London Report.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
PARIS, Aug. 12.—Pending adjustment of the Upper Silesian dispute by the League of Nations council, the supreme council has decided to send allied reinforcements there to preserve order, it is announced officially.

Premier Lloyd George left today for London, leaving Lord Curzon to represent Great Britain in the deliberations of the supreme council.

According to a London announcement, Lloyd George intends to attend the Washington disarmament conference personally, providing affairs permit, contrary to the earlier report that he would not do so.

PASSENGERS OF SAN JOSE SAFE

SHIP, WITH OFFICERS AND CREW STILL ON BOARD, IN DANGER—DESTROYER MAY BE SENT TO THEIR ASSISTANCE.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SAN DIEGO, Aug. 12.—Thirty-five passengers and five members of the crew of the wrecked steamer San Jose reached here today, none the worse for wear, after several nights spent on Penguin island amid thousands of the screaming birds.

It is understood that a storm rising forced the steamer Grifu, standing by the San Jose, to abandon her post.

The San Jose shows danger of breaking up with her officers and crew still on board.

Destroyers will probably leave here to go to the vessel's aid.

PASTEBOARD TAGS OFFERED AUTOISTS

Sheriff Roberts Placed In Charge of Auto Licensing In County—Temporary Number Plates Available

Sheriff S. E. Roberts has been designated by Secretary of State Sam Kozler to have charge of applications for auto licenses in Deschutes county. For those desirous of using temporary license tags until their applications have been acted on, pasteboard cards, indicating the county in which issued, may be secured at the same time that the license is asked.

FIRE NEAR TUMALO STATION REPORTED

Harriman Sent to Control Flames—Lightning Believed To Have Caused Forest Blaze.

A fire in the vicinity of the Tumalo ranger station was reported this morning to Supervisor H. L. Plumb at Deschutes National forest headquarters. Deputy Supervisor Harriman was sent to direct the work of the fire fighters.

BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

The Shevlin-Hixon band will give a free concert in the city park on the riverfront at 7:30 o'clock this evening. The announcement was previously made for last night.

Horseshoes for Auto Owners --Luck Saves Cars for Eleven

"Lady Luck" was with Bend motorists last night, when the Bend garage burned. By the merest chance, cars to the value of close to \$20,000, which ordinarily would have been left in the building, were elsewhere for one reason or another.

E. P. Mahaffey's new Buick was safely in the garage at 7 o'clock, and, in fact, was reported to have been lost in the flames. As a matter of fact, however, the owner decided on an evening ride, and, against his wife's wish, the car was brought to the Mahaffey residence. And there it was left when Mr. and Mrs. Mahaffey returned from a short trip about two hours before midnight.

Clyde M. McKay experienced the gift of second sight. In other words, he had a "hunch." His own garage on the river front was not yet completed, but he took his machine at 8 o'clock, drove to his home, and left the car standing on the runway overnight.

E. M. Thompson had placed his car in the Bend garage, and there it would have remained if it had not been the birthday of his son, Hugh. That called for a celebration, and a celebration called for a car. When Hugh was ready to put the machine back in the garage, the building was in flames.

V. H. Haines, traveling salesman, registered at the Pilot Butte Inn, had just as close a call. About 11:30 o'clock he drove up to the inn, and went upstairs to write a note, directing that the car be filled with gas and

oil in readiness for an early morning departure. When he came down to pilot his machine to the garage, the fire was already under way.

Someone had "borrowed" Hugh O'Kane's big Paige, and as a result it was standing in front of the O'Kane building this morning instead of being a charred ruin.

H. A. Miller's Franklin was in the garage for repairs, which were still uncompleted. Needing the machine, Mr. Miller took it out, intending to bring it back this morning to have the work finished. Result, one Franklin saved.

M. R. Matthew's car was among the absent. For several days the machine had been housed at the garage, but yesterday "Matt" decided on a trip to Prineville, and it was in the Crook county seat that the car spent the night.

L. M. Foss had left his machine for minor repairs, but these were finished just in time to allow him to ride home, instead of leaving the auto in the shop as he had planned on doing.

Unwillingness to walk saved a loss for J. C. Rhodes. His car, too, was in for repairs, but these, he decided, could wait until the next day, so he rode home from his office yesterday evening.

A chance trip prevented the burning of the auto belonging to C. P. Dorian.

J. Buxton Price was another motorist who almost put his car in the Bend garage last night, and then didn't.

FIREMEN, BY HEROIC WORK REDUCE LOSS

PREVENT SPREAD OF GARAGE FIRE

MANY CARS DAMAGED

Short Circuit In Auto Believed Cause of Blaze—Nearby Wooden Buildings Saved—Insurance Covers One-Third of \$40,000 Loss.

Although the walls are still standing, the Bend garage, gutted last night by a fire which was discovered at 11:56 o'clock by E. E. Larrimore, night clerk at the Pilot Butte Inn, is almost a total loss. Twenty nine cars were burned, many of them being rendered valueless, though others may be salvaged. The loss is estimated at \$40,000, about one-third covered by insurance.

A telegram was received by Chief Carlson this morning from W. C. Bird-sall, who is in Portland recovering from an operation, complimenting the department on the efficient work done last night, and indicating that on his return he would thank the department in a more substantial manner.

"I think there's a small fire in the Bend garage," said Larrimore over the phone to the engineer on duty at the fire house. He had seen the blaze through a window about the middle of the garage when he went to his midnight luncheon. After turning in the alarm, Larrimore ran to the garage, but the department was there as soon as he was, he relates.

Explosion Prevented.

Just as water was turned through the first line of hose, the blaze burst through the windows and roof on the north side of the building and set fire to the wooden shop across the alley. This was extinguished. A second line of hose was laid before the main door, which was locked, could be chopped open. This hose was used to keep the blaze, which by now enveloped the main floor, from spreading to the Inn annex. The first line was used in front, to such good effect that a considerable amount of office equipment, parts, and tires was saved, and one Chevrolet car, which was on display in the front office. It was run out after the top was partly burned and the windshield smashed.

Several oxygen and acetylene tanks, which would have exploded and probably killed and injured a number of firemen, were removed by heroic work on the part of department members, employees of the garage, and the volunteer helpers, of whom there were many.

Fire Fighters Win Praise.

While four hose crews fought the fire from outside, two lines were carried into the building, the hosesmen facing the danger from falling timbers and ceiling, and the blaze was fought back to the rear end of the building.

Everyone who witnessed the affair was loud in praise of the fire department for daring and cool-headed work. Chief Carlson directed the work of controlling the fire with admirable strategy, as did Assistant Chief Taylor and Captain Hess, while Second Assistant Chief Ellenburg won special praise for bravery in leading the advance into the building.

Fireman Fred Winters sustained a badly injured foot, but continued to work. Fireman Wanachek was also injured, but not seriously.

Mill Hose Used.

Alfred Hunnell, an employe of the garage, was struck by a falling piece of sheet iron and his leg injured.

Engineer Houston and Harry Hayden carried a line of hose up the extension ladder on the north side of the building. The ladder being, too short to reach the window, Houston climbed on Hayden's shoulders, and from there directed the stream into the building.

The Brooks-Scanlon Company pumped water into the city mains, furnishing pressure which was of great advantage, and also loaned several hundred feet of hose. The fire

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Sage Hen Dinner Will Be Missed By Ad Club Men

If members of the Portland Ad club do not stop in Bend for dinner with the Commercial club, they'll be sorry, declared Secretary L. Antles, on learning that the revised caravan schedule called for arrival here early Tuesday morning, and departure shortly afterward.

Then he wired to Ad club headquarters, giving the information that a sagehen dinner, with a trout course, is what the Portlanders will miss if they fall to take stopover privileges for Bend.

B. A. A. C. MASS MEETING SOON

MEMBERS AND OTHERS INTERESTED TO PLAN PROGRAM OF WINTER ACTIVITIES—SOME SURPRISES IN STORE.

August 26 is the date set for the mass meeting of all members of the B. A. A. C., and for all who are not members, but are interested in its activities. At this meeting, classes of various sorts will be organized, and other plans for the winter season outlined.

Manager Cobb refuses to reveal all that is planned for this meeting, but points out that the American Legion is running the B. A. A. C., and that anybody who has anything to do with the Legion will just have to get used to bumping into surprises.

ALBERT HARRYMAN IS LAID TO REST

The funeral of Albert Harryman, who died Wednesday morning at the St. Charles hospital, was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Niswonger chapel. Mrs. Fannie W. Palmerton conducting the services. In addition to relatives and friends, members of the American Legion and the Bend fire department attended. There were two musical numbers. Interment was in Pilot Butte cemetery.

OFFICERS HEAR KILLER'S TALE

SLAYING OF DIVORCED WIFE NOT PREMEDITATED, DECLARED—HENDERSON CARRIED GUN IN FEAR OF FATHER.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
PORTLAND, Aug. 12.—Joseph Henderson today told the police his side of the story regarding the killing of his divorced wife, for which authorities are holding him for first degree murder. Henderson is slowly recovering from wounds self-inflicted following his attack on his wife.

He declared he had no intention of harming his wife when he visited her, and that he wanted to effect a reconciliation. He carried a pistol, he said, for fear of his wife's father, who, he declared, had threatened to shoot him on sight.

TWO DOZEN INFANTS REPORT FOR CLINIC

Examinations Held At Sisters Highly Successful—No Babies Under Six Months, Reports Nurse.

An even two dozen infants were examined yesterday at the baby clinic held in Sisters. Miss Julia Clock, county nurse, reported this morning. The number was more than the total at the Redmond baby clinic earlier in the week, which extended over two days, Miss Clock said.

The babies examined at Sisters were older than is ordinarily the case, not one being under six months, the county nurse stated.

SUGGESTION MADE FOR ROAD MEETING

A suggestion to the Medford and Klamath Falls Commercial clubs for a meeting with representatives of the Bend Commercial body at Crater lake to consider road questions was made in a letter sent from the office of the Bend Commercial club secretary today.

CITY BUREAU MAN WILL VISIT BEND

That Norman B. Courtney, assistant manager of the American City bureau, which effected the reorganization of the Bend Commercial club, will be here late this month, was the information conveyed in a letter received at club headquarters this morning.