

LABOR PLANS BIG CHANGES IN U. S. LAWS

A. F. of L. Would Deprive Courts of Power

LA FOLLETTE ALLY

Constitutional Amendment Giving Congress Right To Veto Decisions of Supreme Justices Is Sought.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
CINCINNATI, June 21.—The committee on judicial decisions today recommended to the American Federation of Labor convention that a sweeping program of constitutional amendment and congressional legislation "take away from the courts the power they have usurped."
The program includes a child labor amendment to the constitution; an amendment prohibiting the passage of anti strike laws or laws preventing union organization; an amendment giving congress the veto power over the supreme court by providing that if the court knocks out a law, it shall be nevertheless valid if a two-thirds congressional majority re-passes it, this amendment making it easier to amend the constitution.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—Senator La Follette carried his fight against the United States supreme court, which he started at the American Federation of Labor convention at Cincinnati last week, to the senate floor today, when he repeated his attack on the court and announced his intention of introducing a constitutional amendment to curb the court's present powers.

FATAL BLAST INVESTIGATED

Miners' Lamps Fire Gas— One Is Killed, Two Badly Injured.

SEATTLE, June 21.—Coroner Corson and Beacon Hill mine officials today investigated the gas blast which caused the death of Oscar Stiles, and serious injuries to E. M. Vanslick, mine superintendent, and Tom Korfus.

Korfus, a miner, set off a blast 1500 feet inside the mine. Then the three men went to observe the effect, and their hat lamps ignited the gas. A terrific explosion resulted, and walls and rock descended upon them.

Korfus was able to dig his way out and give the alarm. Elmer Jackson, negro, brought out Stiles, who died in his arms.

MICKIE SAYS

DON'T SEND HER PRINTING
ORDERS OUT OF TOWN FER
WE KIN DO THEM JEST EZ
GOOD, JEST EZ CHEAP 'N A
DERN SIGHT QUICKER! AND
TH' MONEY WILL BE SPENT
WITH YOU BUSINESS MEN!
RIGHT IN THIS TOWN!

KEEP
OUR
MONEY
AT
HOME!



CHARLES
SUCKING

Flood Waters Racing To Gulf; Farmers Fed from Air; Losses Huge

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
LAREDO, Texas, June 21.—Rio Grande flood waters raced toward the gulf today, imperiling lower valley truck farms. A half a million dollar damage was done in the upper valley. Aviators were dropping food to 500 marooned farmers today in Hidalgo, Cameron and other counties.

URGE FOREST PERPETUATION

Must Assure a Future Timber Supply, Says Club Speakers.

The importance, as well as the possibility, of perpetuating the lumber industry tributary to Bend, by putting each acre of cut over land back to work at once, careful logging, and fire prevention, was brought out at today's Commercial club luncheon by G. W. Peavy, head of the forestry school at O. A. C. and a member of the state forest board; by William L. Hall, former assistant United States forester, and by W. R. Gaylord, a member of the D. O. K. K. delegation here from Medford for the Pythian convention.

While in Texas a few weeks ago, Hall stated, he had found that many of the mills there are closing because the timber supply is exhausted. Many of the operators will come to Oregon, and will help to increase the lumber industry here. As a result, Oregon stumpage will advance in value from \$3 a thousand to \$18 and \$20, the price timber is bringing in New England.

New Industries Seen

The significant point, said Hall, is that the mills there are closing, because they have failed to perpetuate the forests—just as Michigan and Wisconsin failed.

In Bend, it will never be necessary to close down the milling industry, if the proper steps are taken, he declared. Instead, new industries, including paper mills, will soon come here.

The timber exchange bill will assure the people of Oregon that cut over forest lands will be put back to work raising a new crop, said Peavy; but it is for the people to realize more fully the danger through fire, which destroys the young growth.

Eastern States Examples

A vivid picture of the desert which Bend would revert to with the lumber industry gone, was painted by Gaylord, from his observation of such occurrences in Michigan and Wisconsin. He added, however, that with the plans for continuing the industry now developed, this need not be feared, but must be avoided.

Gaylord also announced the date of the D. O. K. K. ceremonial in Bend as August 7, at which time the Medford team, with its 16 piece band, and with 100 people in all, will initiate a similar number of Bend and Central Oregon Pythians into the dramatic order.

Today proved to be "visitor's day" at the Commercial club, speakers in addition to those already mentioned being C. B. Manley, Portland business man, who declared that he is thinking of locating in Bend; L. B. Cornell, of the Alexander Hamilton Institute; Ed Hawley, forest examiner, and J. W. Wakefield, H. G. Wortman and E. G. Trowbridge, also members of the D. O. K. K. delegation from Medford.

TIMBER EXCHANGE PLANS CONSIDERED

Former Forest Official Here Looks Into Possibility of Future Trades.

Possibility of exchanges of timber in Central Oregon under the provisions of the Sinnott timber exchange bill is seen in the visit to Bend yesterday of William L. Hall, formerly a high official in the United States forest service, now in the timber business in Chicago. Hall stated that clients of his firm are considering trades for national forest stumpage, which the Sinnott bill allows.

He spent much of the day conferring with Supervisor H. L. Plumb of the Deschutes national forest, and with N. G. Jacobson, Plumb's predecessor in the office.

WOMEN LAUNCH REFORM DRIVE IN CONVENTION

Marriage And Divorce Statutes Target

WANT FEDERAL LAW

Uniformity In All States Desired, Shown In Opening Session of Club Women—Will Hold Biennial Election.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
CHAUTAQUA, N. Y., June 21.—Representatives of two million women, assembled here in the convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs, are launching a drive for reform of the marriage and divorce laws. They would do this by repealing all state marriage and divorce statutes, and passing a federal law, general in its application.

The brightest minds in the women's movement in the United States were present today when the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs went into session. It is expected that 15,000 women will attend the sessions.

Among the chief matters before the convention will be the problems of reforming the movies and making war on billboards. Other subjects include plans for buying and establishing national headquarters in Washington, D. C.; simplifying business methods, and deciding on policies and legislation for the next administration.

President Asks Re-election

The biennial election of national officers will also be held. Mrs. Thomas G. Winter of Minneapolis is candidate for re-election without opposition, following a two-year administration during which 750 new clubs have joined the federation; a contract for \$100,000 headquarters in Washington has been entered into, and cumbersome departments of work have been simplified.

Other candidates for office are Mrs. W. S. Jennings of Florida, candidate for re-election to the office of first vice-president; Mrs. George Plummer of Chicago, second vice-president; Mrs. James E. Hays of Georgia, recording secretary; Mrs. Wallace T. Perham of Montana, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Florence Floore of Texas, treasurer.

Being an "off year" in elections, it is not thought that other names will be written in on the ticket. A director from each state to serve on the national board will also be elected.

International evening will be a (Continued on Page 2.)

Knights of Pythias From 4 Central Oregon Lodges Meet In Convention Here

The red and blue decorated headgear of the Knights of Pythias order was much in evidence today as the members of the order from all over Central Oregon gathered for the annual convention. The advance guard from Redmond announced that attendance from that town would total almost the full membership of the lodge; and almost as full representation was expected from Prineville. The Madras vanguard also reported that the lodge there would send a large number.

Up to a late hour this afternoon the grand officers had not put in an appearance, but were expected to do so before the opening of the degree work, which will be held, beginning at 5 o'clock, on the top of Pilot Butte. The Redmond team will conduct the degree work, initiating a number of candidates from each of the four lodges. The local lodge has seven esquires in readiness for the final rank.

Out of town members of the order who had registered up to 3 o'clock were: H. G. Wortman, E. G. Trowbridge, J. W. Wakefield, W. R. Gaylord, Medford; M. Berger, Prineville; B. C.; Clarence E. Irby, Baker; C. E. Allquist, Vancouver, B. C.; J. A. Foss, O. T. Wallenburg, Ray C. Osborne, Thomas De Young, A. D. Plummer, O. K. Olson, Loyd E. Beckwith, C. A. Beckwith, Henry Crabtree, T. J. Quigley, Elmer Erickson, Redmond; George L. Young, Spokane.

Following the degree work the

STORAGE SITE IS APPROVED; WORK BEGINS AT ONCE

Oregon and Washington Each Will Get \$750,000 For Highway Programs

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, June 21.—Three quarters of a million each is apportioned to Oregon and Washington under the road construction bill President Harding has just recently signed. Ten states will divide \$190,000,000.

WANTS WEEKS TO QUIT POST

Capper Declares War Secretary Disqualified Through Address.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
TOPEKA, Kans., June 21.—Secretary of War Weeks should resign, Senator Capper, republican, declared in his Topeka Daily Capital today. Weeks' recent address at Western Reserve university in Ohio, in which he condemned popular government by an alleged attack on the primary and prohibition laws, is given by Senator Capper as the cause.

The senator characterizes Weeks as a "mossback" and an "anachronism," and accused him of "arrested political development."
"He is still in the 19th century," Capper declared.

K. K. K. TABOO FOR NEW YORK MASONS

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
NEW YORK, June 21.—Supreme Court Justice Arthur S. Tompkins, grand master of the grand lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of New York state, in a statement made public here, denounced the Ku Klux Klan and warned members of the Masonic fraternity that they cannot be both Masons and members of the Ku Klux Klan.

The California, Connecticut and Massachusetts grand masters recently issued similar announcements.

"Crane Prairie reservoir application was approved by interior department this afternoon."

This was the message telegraphed by Congressman N. J. Sinnott from Washington to The Bulletin today announcing that the last obstacle had been removed to the irrigation development program to cost more than half a million dollars planned by the North Canal Company, and which will now be put under way at once.

Action of the kind was to have been taken Monday, and was announced in a news story published Tuesday morning as an accomplished fact. Not until today, however, was the interior department's approval finally given.

Drag For Sailor, Find Body of Suicide With Iron Weight Attached

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
PORTLAND, June 21.—Dragging the river for the body of H. B. Conroy, sailor from the battleship Connecticut, lost in the Willamette yesterday when he fell from a boat conveying the Rose queen at the opening of the Rose festival, grapplers today found the body of a well dressed elderly man, weighted with rope and railroad iron. He is believed to have been a suicide.

The body had been in the river about three months, according to its condition.

The body of the sailor has not yet been found.

HUNDREDS DIE IN HUGE FLOODS

San Salvador Reduced To Ruins—Red Cross Relief Funds Sent.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, June 21.—Hundreds of persons were killed in floods which swept San Salvador and reduced the whole city to ruins, cable advices to the American Red Cross headquarters here stated today. The floods struck San Salvador June 14.

The American legation there has reported the catastrophe as far greater than was at first indicated.

Details of the disaster are meagre. The Red Cross has cabled relief funds.

OFFICIAL WORD OF APPOINTMENT COMES

Official notification of his appointment as appraiser in the twelfth federal reserve bank district was received today by H. J. Overturf. His territory will be assigned to him after he has reported in writing to the Spokane bank.

MAJOR LEAGUE SCORES

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
At Cleveland—	R.	H. E.
Cleveland	3	9 2
New York	7	16 1
At Detroit—		
Detroit	8	13 1
Boston	9	15 1
At St. Louis—		
St. Louis	0	4 1
Philadelphia	5	11 1
At Chicago—		
Chicago	5	11 2
Washington	4	8 1

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York-St. Louis, rain.		
At Brooklyn—	R.	H. E.
Brooklyn	15	13 2
Pittsburgh	14	25 6
(Ten innings)		
At Philadelphia—	R.	H. E.
Philadelphia	3	4 2
Chicago	6	11 0

Boston-Cincinnati, rain.

Work at the reservoir site should be going at full blast by July 1, John Dubuis, engineer for the North Canal company stated this afternoon, after being informed of the department's action. "We will start just as fast as we can get the necessary equipment on the ground," he said. "Prices are now being secured, lumber is being hauled in, roads are being repaired, and preparations being made for the construction camp."

The dam will be completed in time to start impounding water by October 1, the beginning of the storage season, Dubuis was confident. Storage will continue until May 1. The dam will be of the rock fill type, 470 feet long, 23 feet high above low water, and will have a timber cribbed spillway section. It will be capable of storing 90,000 acre feet, this amount flooding 5,600 acres. The dam will be located at the south end of Crane Prairie.

Other Projects Considered

Construction is so planned as to allow the size of the dam to be increased to take care of 160,000 acre feet, the limit of the Deschutes river water supply available for storage at this point.

Water accumulated to add to the spring and summer flow of the Deschutes, to be turned into the North canal, is intended only for the reclamation of the 20,000 acres of land in the North canal project, segregation lists 6 and 19. The additional 70,000 acre feet which could be stored, would be available for other projects, such as that in the Powell Butte section or the Arnold district, Dubuis explained.

Early Test Planned

An expenditure of \$40,000 is expected in the next few months, the crew to be put at work at Crane Prairie probably numbering 40 men. While this expenditure is slight in comparison with the total investment to be made, it is that part of the reclamation program on which all subsequent development hinges, Dubuis emphasized. Just as soon as the reservoir has passed its test, late this year or early in 1923, work will be rushed on the extension and completion of the North canal and construction of laterals, representing by far the greater part of the contemplated expenditure. Finishing the four miles of the canal will be especially expensive.

Drafting of final plans is being pushed in the company's local offices, and nothing is being left undone to insure completion of the dam by the beginning of the storage season.

PANTS LOST FROM SLEEPER LOCATED

A bundle containing a pair of trousers has been left at The Bulletin office. A boy about 16 years of age, on his way to Bend, lost them last Saturday night out of the sleeping-car window near Fallbridge, according to J. K. Condon, conductor. It is explained that he had another pair of trousers in his suitcase.

CHURCH BUDGET IS ALMOST COMPLETED

Of the budget of \$3,500 which the Presbyterian church of Bend has been seeking to raise, \$3,240 was taken care of up to last night, with still a large number of members to be solicited, it was reported by J. L. Webster, pastor. Rev. D. A. Thompson of Portland, who has been assisting in the campaign, left last night for his home.