

HALF MILLION MORE MEN WILL STRIKE

BRUMFIELD HAS GOOD CHANCE TO SURVIVE WOUND

Convicted Dentist, Who Attempted Suicide Last Night, Still Very Weak from Blood Loss.

Roseburg, Ore., Oct. 21.—Dr. Richard M. Brumfield, convicted murderer, who attempted to commit suicide last night by slashing his neck, will live unless an infection sets in, Dr. Charles V. Wade, county physician, informed the United Press today. According to Dr. Wade, Brumfield lies in a semi-conscious state, weak from loss of blood, with a slight fever, but with a steady and practically normal pulse force, showing he has yet a good supply of blood.

Senators Would Save Home Brew

By LAWRENCE MARTIN (United Press Staff Correspondent) Washington, Oct. 21.—The senate will shortly be asked to save home brew, in response to a clamor raised about Prohibition Commissioner Haynes' recent order to end home brewing by stopping the sale of materials and implements required by home brewers, several senators are considering measures to get the issue settled. Among these are: 1.—A resolution calling on Haynes to state by what construction of the law he feels himself empowered to enforce this ruling.

HARDING WILL NOT USE WAR TIME POWERS

Feels that Such Means to Settle Railroad Strike Not Right in Peace Time.

By HERBERT W. WALKER (United Press Staff Correspondent) Washington, Oct. 21.—War-time powers will not be invoked by President Harding to deal with the threatened railroad strike, it was learned on high authority today. Although the use of the war-time powers was discussed at the cabinet meeting today, Harding takes the position that the nation is at peace and he will refuse war-time powers even though this were possible technically pending a final proclamation of peace it was learned.

BIG GAME SATURDAY WILL BE BULLETINED

Four followers of the thrilling sport of football, The Guard has arranged for a direct wire from the Berkeley, Cal., gridiron to The Guard office Saturday, when the University of Oregon clashes with the University of California there in what is by far the most important game to be played on the Pacific coast so far this season.

DRINK-CRAZED WHITE RUNS AMUCK, KILLS 2

Chicago, Oct. 21.—A moonshine-crazed white man, armed with a long butcher knife, ran amuck in Chicago's "black belt" early today, killing two persons and wounding a third. In another section of the belt two white men stabbed a negro policeman who attempted to stop an argument in a cabaret. The assailants escaped.

POLICEMEN TO GUARD AMERICAN EMBASSY

Paris, Oct. 21.—A bomb was thrown at the entrance of Wagram hall as the communist meeting discussing the Sacco-Vanzetti case was dispersing tonight. Two policemen were wounded in the legs by shots fired after the tossing of the bomb. A general panic ensued after the explosion.

Paris, Oct. 21.—(9:40 p. m.)—Ten thousand communists in a great mass meeting here tonight demanded release of Sacco and Vanzetti, the radicals who are held in jail in Massachusetts, U. S. A., charged with murder. Hundreds of police were assembled in the side streets.

By WEBB MILLER (United Press Staff Correspondent) Paris, Oct. 21.—One thousand policemen will guard the American embassy and the residence of Ambassador Herrick tonight to prevent a threatened march of communists and a demonstration against the United States in favor of the release of Sacco and Vanzetti, communists, convicted of murder in Massachusetts. Steel helmets will be worn and armed guards will prevent communists who are to hold a monster meeting at the Salle Wagram from approaching either building.

E. R. TILLOTSON FOUND GUILTY OF ADULTERY

Earl R. Tillotson, of Cottage Grove, was found guilty on the charge of adultery by the jury in circuit court late yesterday afternoon. He will be sentenced later. Tillotson was arrested with Mrs. Hazel L. Edwards, of Cottage Grove, at a local hotel several weeks ago by the deputy sheriff. It was alleged that he had fled from Cottage Grove with the woman and registered at a hotel here under another name. The case came up on an indictment by the grand jury on complaint of Mrs. Edwards' husband.

ARTILLERY MAJOR IS KILLED ON DEER HUNT

Seattle, Oct. 21.—Major Francis J. Dunigan of the Tenth Field Artillery died at Camp Lewis last night from wounds received when a guide shot him thinking he was a deer, in a forest near Fairfax. Dunigan's death followed a heroic attempt by his brother officers, with whom he had been hunting, to bring him to the hospital in time to save his life. An operation was performed but Dunigan died shortly afterward.

Wife Calls Him Swede, Kardell Wants Divorce

Alleging that his wife calls him "a— Swede" and constantly finds fault with everything he does, Charles J. Kardell filed suit for divorce today in circuit court against Victoria Kardell. The couple were married at Inna, Minnesota, March 29, 1917, and have no children. Kardell seeks a decree and "whatever other relief the court may see fit to give."

Yanks on Rhine to Start Home in About Two Weeks

Washington, Oct. 21.—Withdrawal of American troops from the Rhine will start in about two weeks, it was learned at the White House today. It is President Harding's plan to bring home the 15,000 men in the little army of occupation gradually.

SORGHUM MILL BUSY ON LANE COUNTY CROP

A batch of sorghum, which in the words of the man who made it, "is as nice as honey both in flavor and color," has just been turned off at the sorghum mill owned by H. Chezem, in the Spencer Creek district. Mr. Chezem has had years of experience at making sorghum, having owned a mill in the east before he came to Oregon. His mill is one of the best in this part of the country.

The soil of Lane county is very good for the growing of sorghum, both its color and texture being especially suited for this kind of vegetable growth, according to Mr. Chezem. Sorghum must be planted on clean new soil, known as light-colored moist soil, on which there is no manure, preferably the last week in April or the first week in May to allow the ingredients in the sorghum cane, sugar and syrup, to obtain the proper color and flavor. Having experimented with various kinds of sorghum cane since he came to Oregon, Mr. Chezem has found that the variety known as Early Amber is best suited to this soil.

GOLFERS INVITED TO TOURNAMENT HERE

The tournament committee of the Eugene Country Club is preparing to send out the first of next week's letters of invitation to all of the golf clubs in western Oregon asking them to take part in a Western Oregon Golf tournament to be held in Eugene Thursday, Friday and Saturday, November 17, 18 and 19. The western Oregon golf championship will be decided at this tournament, the present plan being to offer suitable prizes for the winners of the meet.

The main purpose in calling together the members of golf clubs in the western part of the state is to consider with the organization of a Western Oregon Golf association for the purpose of staging an annual tournament of this kind and for an organization of golfers to promote this sport.

Woman Drug Addict Found Working in Portland Home

Portland, Ore., Oct. 21.—Mrs. Grace McClure, 29, thought to have been snatched away by Chinese from whom she had learned the cocaine habit, has been found, police announced today. Mrs. McClure was discovered working as a domestic in a private home here. When her employers learned the circumstances of her case, they allowed her to retain her position, and promised to aid the young woman to conquer the habit, learned while she worked in an Oak Street Chinese dive.

TWO POWERFUL UNIONS DECIDE TO QUIT TASKS

Maintenance of Way Men, Ground Engineers and Firemen Included.

By CARL VICTOR LITTLE (United Press Staff Correspondent) Chicago, Oct. 21.—Two more powerful railroad unions, representing a combined membership of 500,000 men, threw their lot with the five big brotherhoods late today when their leaders called a strike for October 30. The announcement came immediately after the brotherhood chiefs and railroad executives were ordered to appear before the board next Wednesday in a second attempt to avert the railroad strike. E. H. Grable, president of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way and Railroad Laborers, announced his organization of over 400,000 men would strike against the wage cut of last July and the abrogation of certain working agreements.

"Ninety-eight per cent of our men have voted to quit," he stated. "That means we will strike. The workers have been instructed to leave their posts in an orderly manner." Timothy Healy, president of the stationary engineers, firemen and others, stated his organization of 40,000 men would walk out in protest against wage slashes. Healy said formal announcement of the strike date would be made tomorrow.

Forces Will Confer Wednesday

Chicago, Oct. 21.—Railroad executives and union chiefs were ordered to appear before the United States Railroad Labor board next Wednesday in an effort to avert the railroad strikes called for October 30, in an order issued by the board today.

The board, whose efforts to prevent the strike through conferences with the union heads alone brought no result announced that it took this step under the transportation act on the grounds that the walkout threatened to tie up commerce.

The board stated that strike orders issued by the brotherhood chiefs were in violation of its ruling of July 1, which cut wages 12 per cent. The strike vote of the railroad employees was taken on the July 1 decision.

Brotherhood chiefs were told they would have to explain at the Wednesday hearing why they should not be held in violation of the board's decrees for calling a strike.

The board's statement said that the whole matter of the dispute was thrown before it when the brotherhood chiefs and a committee of executives were unable to agree at a joint conference held here last week.

The men were directed to stay at their posts until after the conference. This it was believed, was aimed at the strike on the International and Great Northern of Texas, the employees of which had been ordered to walk out tomorrow on instructions from the brotherhoods.

The carriers were also told to maintain their present status of wages on their roads and keep in normal operation. Each brotherhood chief and railroad executive will be ordered to attend the conference in a telegram which will be followed by a copy of the board's resolution.

Closely following the action of the railroad board, F. H. Grable, president of the Maintenance of Way workers, announced that strike plans had been completed and that his organization would issue a statement to the public late today.

"We are going ahead with the strike" (Continued on page seven)

CREWS WINDING UP COUNTY ROAD WORK

Running lines on the Cottage Grove-Lorne highway, County Surveyor P. M. Morse and a crew of linemen are camped west of Cottage Grove. It is planned to complete the survey of this road as soon as possible in order that county road crews can rough out the work and make fills this fall and winter. When the rough work is completed, catpiller tractors will be put on the job in the spring. There is about \$95,000 available for Cottage Grove-Lorne road from the county road fund.

MT. ANGEL AND FROSH WILL PLAY SATURDAY

Although it is generally considered that the dope in the game between the Oregon football team and the Mt. Angel football team tomorrow is in favor of the visiting squad, the first-year men of the University are going to put up a good fight, according to onlookers at the daily practice on Kincaid field.

A week ago Mt. Angel defeated the Columbia university team by a score of 7 to 6. The freshman eleven has made remarkable progress in group playing and is able now to put over some clever plays to good advantage.

Competition for positions on the team is still keen, with two or more evenly matched players for most of the positions. In the back field Smith and Hank compete for quarter position, neither showing much advantage over the other. Sutton and Bagley struggle to hold down left half. Lovelace looks good in the right half berth, and French and Bulldog struggle for the place at full.

On the line Bliss will probably start at right end, Rooster and Godecke show up well for right tackle and right guard respectively. Quinn is playing at left guard, with Spear shifted from end to left tackle. Davidson performs to advantage at left end.

House to Vote on Foreign Debt Refunding Bill Monday

Washington, Oct. 21.—The House adjourned for the week end late today, deferring until Monday a vote on the foreign debt refunding bill, which creates a commission of five, headed by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, to settle the \$11,000,000,000 European war debt.

DAMAGE SUIT BEFORE CIRCUIT JURY TODAY

The suit for \$75 damages brought by W. E. Templeman against Nellie T. Matlock is being argued before the jury this afternoon in circuit court. Templeman is suing for damages alleged done to his automobile when it collided with the Matlock grocery delivery car quite a while ago on Thirteenth avenue.

The jury was taken to the scene of the collision just before noon today and resumed the hearing this afternoon. The jury consists of the following: Ambrose Dennis, Leo Schwel, Harvey Plank, Andrew J. Cruzan, Walter Jacobson, Jacob Clearwater, Lawrence May, Joseph W. Liles, Charles Kingwell, William Smith,

Trial Saps His Strength

Roseburg, Ore., Oct. 21.—Physicians today held in some doubt the recovery of Dr. Richard M. Brumfield, convicted murderer who last night was found unconscious on his cell cot with his throat badly slashed. Dr. A. S. Sether, who attended Brumfield, declared early today that the dentist had been so weakened by the last two weeks of trial that it was doubtful if he would rally from the shock of the wound and the loss of blood.

Mary Garden, Operatic Star, To Be Married, She Says

New York, Oct. 21.—Mary Garden, wretched in smiles and wrapped in silver fox and squirrel skins returned today on the Aquitania with the executive announcement to the United Press that she is going to be married. "Just say the bridegroom will be a certain old king and the wedding will take place in America" was all she would offer in explanation.

Immediately afterward she set at rest the rumor that she has severed her connection with the Chicago Opera company by saying she would not only continue to work but would continue to hire and discharge any and all artists.

Speaking about the separation between the Harold F. McCormicks, she said "I don't believe it. Live apart? What of it? When I am married we will probably live apart too, for the sake of domestic happiness."

ENGLAND SENDS CRUISER

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The British cruiser Calypso was dispatched to Lebanon late today to protect British interests, following reports of widespread looting.

Abbe-Matrim



"Th' town was so crowded Sunday night I had t' park in front of a church," said Jake Bentley, t'day. Cigars are like people—just as soon as they git pop'lar they deteriorate.