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COOLIDGE FREES WAR PRISONERS

Amnesty Granted to 31 Violators of War Laws Remaining in Prison.

Washington, D. C.—The plea for amnesty which has been presented repeatedly to three national administrations was granted finally by President Coolidge in commuting the sentences of all remaining imprisoned violators of war laws.

The action of the president will bring about the release before Christmas of 31 men now serving sentences in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., for violation of the espionage act. Two of these men were convicted at Kansas City in 1915, along with 24 other alleged members of the I. W. W.; nine of them were convicted in Chicago, together with William D. ("Big Bill") Haywood, general secretary-treasurer of the I. W. W., and the others were found guilty in Sacramento in 1913.

The commutations of sentence were granted upon recommendations of Attorney-General Daugherty and a special commission composed of former Secretary of War Newton D. Baker; Bishop Brent, former chaplain of the A. E. F., and James G. Harbord, former assistant chief of staff of the army.

NINE LIVES LOST IN WRECK OF SCHOONER

Marshfield, Or.—Nine members of the crew of the lumber schooner C. A. Smith dead, one volunteer life-saver lost, and fourteen of the Smith's crew saved—seven of them after a night of terror on the doomed craft—in the outcome of the wreck of the vessel on the jetty here Sunday morning.

There were twenty-three men on the craft when she attempted to put to sea in the teeth of a raging gale, and from the moment she reached the lower harbor the vessel's plight was such that coast guard men began preparations to go to her assistance. Pounded by monstrous seas, she broached to twice, the second time being fatal to the craft, the combers carrying her onto the hidden rocks of the jetty before she could regain her course.

The Smith, a typical lumber schooner, left here Sunday morning with 1,500,000 feet of cargo for San Pedro, and proceeded down the bay, battling an unshore gale every foot of the way.

INCH BOARDS WILL BE THIN

Lumber Producers and Users Agree to New Standards.

Washington, D. C.—One hundred and sixty-five representatives of the lumber industry and Secretary Hoover, in conference at the commerce department, adopted a scale of standardized lumber measurements.

The conferees agreed to reduce the number of lumber sizes from 26 to 12, and fixed the "lumber inch" at 25-32 of an inch for standard boards and 26-32 for extra size standard boards for special requirements. Two-inch studding was fixed at 1 1/2 inches for standard and 1 3/4 inches for extra standard.

These and other standard measures agreed on will go into effect July 1, 1929.

Yakima Man Heads Irrigators.
Yakima, Wash.—Joseph Jacobs, Seattle engineer, designer of the famous Pershing stadium erected in Paris following the world war, is the new president of the Washington Irrigation Institute. M. Moulton of Kennewick and J. N. Faust of Ellensburg were named vice presidents, and Guy C. Finley of Yakima, secretary-treasurer.

Germany Pleads for Food Loan.
Paris.—Germany's request for authority to pledge the resources of the reich as guarantee for a loan of \$50,000,000 to \$70,000,000 with which to buy grain and fats abroad was delivered in written form to the reparations commission.

McAdoo Candidacy Announced.
Los Angeles, Cal.—William Gibbs McAdoo, war time director-general of the American railroads, announced his candidacy for the democratic presidential nomination in a telegram to W. W. Howes, democratic state chairman, Pierre, S. D.

Mexican Ambassadorship Declined.
Washington, D. C.—R. B. Creager of Brownsville, Texas, has declined the offer of President Coolidge to become ambassador to Mexico, it was announced at the White House.

Daughter of Late James J. Hill Dead.
New York.—Mrs. George T. Slade, daughter of the late James J. Hill, railroad magnate, died at her home here.

GEORGE F. ZOOK



Dr. Geo. F. Zook, who was recently appointed assistant commissioner of education under Commissioner John J. Tigert.

PACT WITH GERMANY MODEL FOR FUTURE

Washington, D. C.—In the recent treaty of friendship, commerce, and consular rights between the United States and Germany, most-favored-nation treatment for the commerce of the United States is provided and other points taken care of. It will be the model of future treaties contemplated.

Either may draft nationals of the other retaining a permanent residence sixty days after declaration of war.

Germany is safeguarded against discrimination injurious to her merchant marine.

American consular officers can inspect in German ports private vessels of any flag destined for the United States to observe "sanitary condition and measure," and shipments of liquor.

Nationals of either country can travel, reside, "lease, own and occupy appropriate buildings."

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

The prohibition party will hold its national convention at Columbus, O., to nominate a presidential ticket for the 1934 campaign.

James W. Good, former member of the house from Iowa and now practicing law in Chicago, has been selected to manage the president's campaign in the middle west.

Among the nominations sent to the senate last week was that of J. Stanley Webster, federal judge for the eastern district of Washington, who has been serving under recess appointment.

Senator Borah has introduced a bill which would require that no decision affecting the constitutionality of any act of law could be made without the concurrence of at least seven members of the court.

Both sides in Mexico's latest revolution are claiming minor successes in the desultory fighting which has thus far taken place. The decisive struggles for which they are marshaling their forces, however, have not yet occurred, judging from the meager reports received.

Johnson Will File in South Dakota.

Pierre, S. D.—Senator Hiram Johnson of California will file as an independent republican candidate for the presidential nomination in the South Dakota March primaries, it was announced here. Decision to file as an independent republican was reached after the state supreme court had sent him the right to put his name in the minority column, which would have placed him next to President Calvin Coolidge, who has received the majority endorsement of the state republican proposal convention.

Greek King Asked to Leave.

Athens.—King George and Queen Elizabeth will leave Athens for Roumania, it is announced by the newspapers here. The government informed King George in writing that it considered it advisable for him to leave Greece until the national assembly had decided on the regime best befitting the country.

Borah Not Candidate for Presidency.

Washington, D. C.—Senator Borah of Idaho "is not a candidate for the presidential nomination of any party," he said here in discussing a prediction of Frank E. Johnesse at Boise, Idaho, that he would soon announce his candidacy for president on the progressive ticket.

Strayer Seeks Oregon Senatorship.

Baker, Or.—W. E. Strayer of Baker has announced his candidacy for the democratic nomination for the United States senate in the primaries to be held next May.

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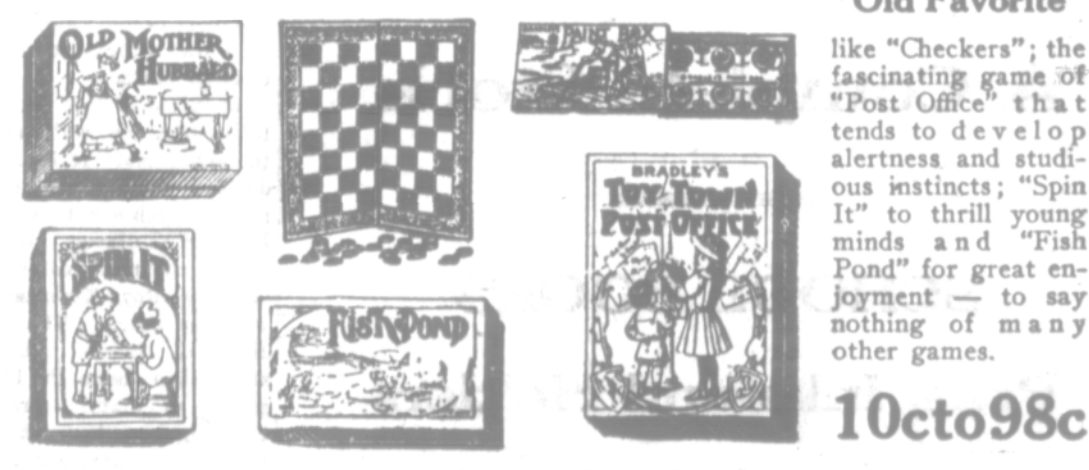


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