

BEER IS DEBATED BY OREGON UNION MEN IN CONCLAVE

Resolution Calls for Endorsement of National Organization's Stand for Manufacture as Relief

SALEM, Sept. 15.—(AP)—The resolution urging modification of the Volstead act caused the first debate on the floor of the Oregon Federation of Labor convention on the opening day yesterday. Fourteen resolutions were introduced by delegates following the opening ceremonies and reports of officers, and these will be acted on by committee prior to the closing hours Thursday. The resolution called for endorsement of the national labor organization with relation to prohibition. It was brought out that the national federation favored the manufacture and sale of beer under proper regulation, as a move to secure employment for upwards of a million persons.

Resolutions Offered.
Other resolutions offered late yesterday urged amendment of a law enacted by congress providing for the payment of the prevailing wage on government contracts. It was stated the law does not include work on irrigation districts and jetty construction.

Amendment of the existing bankruptcy law so as to protect the wage earner. This amendment, if approved, would make it necessary for the employer to post a bond equal to the amount of his payroll.

Providing boycott of unfair business.

Defining prevailing scale of wages, and conveying same to the city of Klamath Falls and contractors engaged in public work there.

Indorsing construction of state armory at Klamath Falls.

Indorsing of old age pension law.

Encouragement of hydroelectric development in Oregon either by private capital or municipalities.

Urging amendment to so-called Bacon-Davis bill, providing that on all contracts in the District of Columbia in excess of \$5000 the prevailing wage scale shall be paid.

Investigation of the practice of the state industrial accident commission in holding all hearings, involving injured workmen, in Salem.

Would Change Wage Law.

Urging amendment to wage collection law of the 1931 legislature to include additional occupations.

Ernest Marsh, president of the Washington State Federation of Labor, but now in the federal penitentiary, gave the principal address at the afternoon session. He commended the six-hour day as means of relieving the unemployment situation.

Wisconsin Area Hit By Tornado

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 15.—(AP)—A trail of wreckage today marked the course of a windstorm of hurricane proportions which caused damage estimated in excess of \$300,000 in Milwaukee, Oshkosh, Waukegan and Washington counties.

The storm burst out of the southwest late yesterday and swept out across Lake Michigan at a velocity of between 60 and 65 miles an hour. Twisted buildings, uprooted trees, broken power lines and clogged highways remained in its wake.

NEW YORK GANGMEN SLAY A POLICEMAN

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—(AP)—Police Sergeant Timothy Murphy, who ran to a Greenwich Village speakeasy on hearing shots early today, was shot to death by one of seven gunmen robbing the place.

A block away, Patrolman Fred Knoke attempted to stop the fleeing gunmen. Two whipped out pistols and dropped him with shots in the shoulder and right arm. Knoke was wounded seriously.

We pay cash for used clothing. Jennings Loan Office.

Portraits of distinction. The Peasleys opp. Holly theater.

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Wheeler and Woolsey Are Coming



The movie fans of Medford are in store for a real laugh test at the Fox Craterian theater soon, in the forms of Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey, those famous laugh dispensers of "Rio Rita," "Cracked Nuts" and "Dixiana," who will appear in their latest R-K-O production "Caught Plastered."

PLAN 6-HOUR DAY FOR PORTLAND TO RELIEVE JOBLESS

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 15.—(AP)—A plan to establish a six-hour day, with no change in the hourly rate of pay, in an attempt to relieve the unemployment situation, was agreed upon here last night by 80 employers of labor. Another meeting will be held within a few days to work out practical application of the idea.

It was explained at the meeting that more than 8500 unemployed heads of families are now registered here and registration is being made at the rate of 75 a day. Welfare workers said a peak of 12,000 unemployed family men is expected during the winter.

Those who approved the six-hour plan included representatives of industries, retail stores, wholesale houses, factories, department stores and labor unions.

Picked 1000 Boxes From Sixty Trees

GRANTS PASS, Ore., Sept. 15.—(Sp.) George Byson, who lives out about two miles on the lower river road, has just finished picking an even 1000 boxes of Newton Pippins, from 60 trees of exceptionally fine quality. These are for the export trade.

European countries may want to U. S. to cancel the war debts, but they are glad to pay cash for Josephine county apples.

Bobtail Airplane Proves Qualities

BERLIN, Sept. 15.—(AP)—An airplane without a tail, designed by Captain Hermann Koehl, trans-Atlantic flier, has been demonstrated before representatives of the ministry of transportation.

It has a wing spread of only 45 feet and is driven by a 28-horsepower motor. Its sponsors claim it has shown such remarkable flying qualities that it may prove to be a turning point in airplane construction.

FLY 4,000,000 MILES IN 5-YEAR OPERATION

With a record of more than 4,000,000 miles of flying, Pacific Air Transport today celebrates its fifth anniversary of operations on the west coast airmail and passenger route. This pioneer operator, now a subsidiary of United Air Lines, inaugurated the California-Pacific Northwest airmail service a half decade ago when commercial air transportation was in its infancy in this country.

Business training at the Medford Business College pays because it is both practical and cultural. Fall term opens Monday, Sept. 21. Phone 866 for catalog. GWN.

Ask any Lion how the Early Settlers make 85 equal \$130.

At Holly Wednesday



Barbara Stanwyck in "Night Nurse," coming to the Holly theatre tomorrow for a four-day engagement. Featured players with the star are Ben Lyon and Joan Blondell. A Graham McNamee News Reel and a comedy entitled "Revenge Is Sweet" will be shown with the feature picture. "Indiscreet," the clever modern comedy drama, starring Gloria Swanson, closes at the Holly with the last performance tonight.

Drama of Emotions at Rialto Tomorrow

Have children the moral right to object to their father's remarriage to a younger woman?

Should they substitute hate for love because they resent her love for their father?

These are the vital, thought-compelling questions which are answered dramatically in "The Woman Between," at the Fox Rialto tomorrow and Thursday.

WILL HALT ENTRIES DESCHUTES FOREST

BEND, Ore., Sept. 15.—(AP)—One-day permits to enter closed areas in the Deschutes forest will no longer be issued, fire wardens announced here today. The practice was stopped because the woods are rapidly drying. No rain has fallen since the Labor day precipitation.

East Leads in Tree-Planting.

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Pennsylvania and New York are in the lead in the tree-planting race going on over the country under direction of the American Tree association. That the total number of trees planted by 1932 will exceed the 10,000,000 goal is predicted by Charles Lathrop Pack, president.

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POLITICAL FINGER IN BUSINESS PIE IS HIT BY RITCHIE

Possible Democratic Presidential Nominee Opposed to Government Ownership and Meddling by Law

ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 15.—(AP)—Government ownership of public utilities was opposed today by Governor Ritchie of Maryland.

The Maryland chief executive, who has been mentioned frequently as a possible democratic presidential nominee in 1932, said government operation "would make us political slaves of the federal government."

Addressing the section of public utility law of the American Bar association, Ritchie favored state regulation of utilities.

"I am for the irreducible minimum of legislative interference in every field of human effort—including the public utilities," he said. "In this era of triumphant industrialism, all of us recognize that the possibilities and actualities of special privileges, of injustice and of exploitation are so great that some adequate system of checks and balances must be supplied. But why look only to government to supply it?"

Excess of Power
"Government interference in human affairs means an excess of power. It means bureaucratic centralization, and sterilization and undue impairment of individual rights and liberties. In business it becomes more of an incubus than a help. It can be a hindrance and a burden so much greater than it can guide and guard. It can so readily do more harm than good, even where only good is intended."

"Should we not then try to make public opinion operate upon industry directly? Indeed may we not expect industry itself, for its own security and in the hope of its own salvation, if for no other reason, to work out self governing ways of eliminating any ill and injustices which not only the public but enlightened business itself should not tolerate?"

Putting Own House in Order
"Personally I have faith in this expectation. The logic of events favors its realization. Industry must be blind indeed if it does not realize that it must put its own house in order, and there are many evidences that it is trying to do so."

Saying he knew of "no question which is being more confused by politics," Ritchie added that "we ought not to regard this utility and power question as a legitimate political issue in any partisan sense."

"The subject is one of the best brains of the land, regardless of party," he said. "No good can come from trying to frame political issues about it or from treating it from any other than an economic standpoint."

CATHOLIC ARCHBISHOP STONED IN LIVERPOOL

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 15.—(AP)—The Rt. Rev. R. D. Downey, Roman Catholic archbishop of Liverpool, was made a target for stone-throwing while laying a foundation stone in the Edenhill district yesterday. He escaped injury. The incident came as a climax to strong feeling between religious factions in Liverpool.

COQUILLE SCHOOLS PRACTICE ECONOMY

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Sept. 15.—(AP)—As an economy measure the Coquille schools will have a six-period day instead of five periods. This will lengthen the time of the daily program to one hour a day, but will eliminate the necessity of hiring another teacher for the high school faculty.

Meteorological Report

September 15, 1931.
Forecasts.
Medford and vicinity: Tonight and Wednesday fair. Normal temperature.

Oregon: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Normal temperature.

Local Data.
Lowest temperature this morning, 44 degrees.

Temperature a year ago today: Highest, 85; lowest, 44.

Total precipitation since September 1, 1931, 1.08 inches.

Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday, 19%; 5 a. m. today 84%.

Sunset today, 6:21 p. m. Tomorrow: Sunrise, 5:52 a. m.; sunset, 6:19 p. m.

City	High	Low	Weather
Baker City	76	42	Clear
Bozeman	72	42	Cloudy
Boise	72	42	P. Cdy.
Chicago	84	58	Cloudy
Denver	68	56	P. Cdy.
Des Moines	80	64	T. Cloudy
Freemont	84	56	Clear
Helena	68	42	P. Cdy.
Los Angeles	72	58	Clear
Medford	83	46	Clear
Phoenix	88	74	Cloudy
New York	90	66	Clear
Portland	88	56	Cloudy
Reno	78	56	Clear
Roseburg	70	50	Clear
Salt Lake	82	68	T. Clear
San Francisco	68	58	Cloudy
Seattle	64	54	Cloudy
Spokane	68	52	T. Rain
Washington, D. C.	92	70	Cloudy

LINDBERGH'S SYMPATHY FOR FLIERS' FAMILIES

PARIS, Sept. 15.—(AP)—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and Mrs. Lindbergh sent a message of sympathy today from Kyoto, Japan, to the families here of Joseph Lebrun and Rene Mesmin, French aviators who were killed in Russia Saturday.

Cut flowers—Oregon aster, sinlisa, 15c doz. Mrs. Dressler, 1107 E. Main

Notice of Sheriff's Sale
By Virtue of an execution on foreclosure duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Jackson, to me directed and dated on the 25th day of August, 1931, in a certain suit wherein Central Point State Bank, a corporation, as plaintiff, recovered judgment and decree against Harold E. Hines, W. C. Brown, Ortho M. Arnold and Mrs. Ortho M. Arnold, his wife, the unknown heirs of Ortho M. Arnold, H. F. Keeney and Mrs. F. Keeney, his wife, the unknown heirs of H. F. Keeney, Fred N. Burrows and Mrs. Fred N. Burrows, his wife, the unknown heirs of Fred N. Burrows, the defendants therein, for the sum of \$800.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 10th day of July, 1929, together with \$100.00 as attorney's fees, which decree was entered and docketed in the Clerk's office of said Court in said County on the 25th day of August, 1931.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the terms of said execution I will, on the 10th day of October, 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of the Court House in the City of Medford, in Jackson County, Oregon, offer for sale and will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder to satisfy said decree, together with the costs of this sale, subject to redemption as by law provided, all the right, title and interest that he said defendant, or any of them, had on the 10th day of July, 1929, or have had since said time or now have, in and to the following described real property situated in Jackson County, State of Oregon, to-wit: the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 16 in Township 39 South, Range 1 East of the Willamette Meridian.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1931.

RALPH G. JENNINGS, Sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon.

FOES OF LIQUOR TURN ATTENTION TO FRUIT JUICE

Next Congress Will See Attempts to Tighten Prohibition Law Prediction—Want Doubts Removed

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—(AP)—Prohibition's perennial shadow crept toward the next congress today as Senator Sheppard, democrat, Texas, said he would press legislation aimed at the sale of fruit juice concentrates, which turn readily into wine.

In addition, the co-author of the Eighteenth Amendment, said he would urge a law making the liquor buyer equally guilty with the seller.

He introduced bills to carry out both aims at the last session. His measure directed at concentrates came too near the session's close for action and the other was shunted aside. Senator Sheppard said he believes the Volstead Act now prohibits the sale of concentrates for wine making but added he "wanted all doubt removed."

She's With Wets Now
Maxel Walker Willebrandt, former assistant attorney general in charge of prohibition enforcement, is the legal representative of a grape concentrate concern. She told the Wickham commission that her company had authority under the law to make and distribute its product.

The commission in its report on prohibition law enforcement recommended a provision to fix the alcoholic content for cider and fruit juices. In addition it commented somewhat sharply on "the invitation to hypocrisy and evasion in the provision as to fruit juices."

The section reads: "The penalties provided in this act against the manufacture of liquor without a permit shall not apply to a person for manufacturing non-intoxicating cider and fruit juices exclusively for use in his own home. Both such cider and fruit juices shall not be sold or delivered except to persons having permits to manufacture vinegar."

Experts Differ
He explained, however, that the section in the Volstead Act applying

to them making the question of their legality one for experts, "and experts differ."

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