

LABOR PLEDGES DAIRY INDUSTRY ENTIRE SUPPORT

Convention Favors Tax Exemption Homes, Farms Occupied by Owners — Five-Day Week Indorsed

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 26.—(AP)—With nomination of officers and adjournment expected this afternoon, the Oregon State Federation of Labor convention went into its concluding sessions here today after having dealt late yesterday with a vast accumulation of resolutions and other business.

One of the most important of the legislative actions reached Thursday was a statement of policy pledging the federation to "give all possible support to the dairy industry."

The federation approved a resolution favoring exemption from taxation of homes and farms occupied by their owners and assessed at \$1500 or less.

The five-day week was indorsed, and the federation demanded that all state work be done by day labor at the prevailing scale and on a six-hour basis.

Urges Bridge Building Payment of wages on state bridge

FINANCIAL CRISIS PASSED, BUSINESS IS URGED AHEAD

(Continued from Page One) add in carrying out the plan for new jobs and credit.

Henry M. Robinson of Los Angeles introduced Mr. Hoover. The general American business listened intently and applauded at the finish.

Mills then outlined the program of action, including a plan for creation of a central business committee to direct united action by the 12 banking and industrial committees of the nation.

The secretary of the treasury emphasized the central committee was not to be an economic council directing the economic policies of the nation, but rather an organization to bring about cooperation between the government and private business.

Then, one by one, the heads of the government agencies directly involved in the new economic drive for jobs and credit spoke to the meeting.

The chief executive said as the aim of the national conference a coordination of governmental and private activities, so as to enable a direct attack against depressing factors along the entire economic front.

In a speech delivered at the session opened by the President, Frank-

JUSTICE RESIGNS SHORT IN FUNDS

TOLEDO, Ore., Aug. 26.—(AP)—C. E. Hawkins, Toledo attorney, has been recommended to Governor Meier by Toledo attorneys and business men for the office of justice of peace of the district, vacated by Justice R. A. Arnold, who handed his resignation to County Judge W. H. Waterbury Wednesday.

Arnold resigned as justice of the peace after an audit is said to have revealed that \$427 of funds unaccounted for. Judge Waterbury requested the resignation and criticized the manner of handling the accounts.

Part of the money belongs to game funds, and part to the prohibition fund.

Atlee Pomerene told of the hopes and purposes of the gigantic reconstruction finance corporation.

He said the assembled banking and industrial committees of the 12 federal reserve districts that this program had been presented to their chairmen in yesterday's all-day meeting and believed "worthy of consideration."

He said the secretary of the economic council to direct quickly in directions which would

DEAD BANK ROBBER TAKEN AT KLAMATH

KLAMATH FALLS, Aug. 26.—(AP)—Curtis Bardwell, alias Fred Russell, arrested on a non-suspicion warrant from Roseburg, was said by the sheriff's office here last night to have been identified as a man reported to have been shot to death in a Bozeman, Mont., bank robbery last July.

The sheriff's office said Bardwell admitted robbing the bank with the men who allegedly robbed the Bozeman bank, but he denied he had taken any part in the affair.

Halt Foreclosures. In a speech delivered at the session opened by the President, Frank-

lin W. Fort, chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank system, announced that the national bank receivers had been instructed to suspend foreclosure proceedings for 60 days.

In his plea for spreading available jobs, the President, who presided over the meeting, said:

"As a matter of national policy, the shortening of hours is necessary, not alone to meet the need of the moment, but it may be necessary to take up the slack in the future from the vast and sudden advance in labor saving devices."

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Organization to Assist

"We are creating a central organization for the purpose of contact and cooperation to assist in the task to be performed by the reconstruction finance corporation, federal reserve banking system, the home loan banks, the banking and industrial committees and such voluntary groups as may associate themselves with the latter with a view to developing helpful steps looking to gradual economic rehabilitation and more immediately an increase in employment."

The six-point program of business, industrial and agricultural endeavor was outlined by Mills as follows:

"1. The problem of making available credit affirmatively useful to business;

"2. To increase employment by the railroads and stimulation of industry through expansion of maintenance of equipment and purchase of new equipment in cooperation with the interstate commerce commission and the reconstruction finance corporation;

"3. Increased employment through the sharing work movement;

"4. The stimulation of the repair and improvement of home movement;

"5. Assistance to home owners with maturing mortgages;

"6. Active cooperation of all banking and industrial committees with the reconstruction finance corporation in working out the problems incident to the making of self-liquidating loans for public and semi-public projects, and for slum clearance and housing projects as provided in the emergency relief act, in the aiding of livestock loans by the reconstruction finance corporation and agricultural credit corporations; in facilitating the establishment of agricultural credit corporations provided for in the relief act and in facilitating the adequate functioning of the new home loan banks."

Mills said that since first discussion of a central clearing house organization and a definite plan for business and employment betterment, progress already has been made.

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TRADE REVIVAL THROUGHOUT U. S.

PORTLAND, Aug. 26.—(AP)—The weekly mercantile review reported further gains in lighter lines of industry, and in retail trade. Dun's pointed out that the betterment now has assumed a nation-wide trend, with no particular area predominating in the revival, except that a few districts in the east are lagging somewhat behind the general quickened stride.

The "Lamp," official publication of Standard Oil of New Jersey, expressed the view that it is now reasonable to expect that the improvement in the oil industry can be maintained and carried further, if the industry will continue to heed the lesson it has learned about over-production.

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