

HUEY'S DIG AT FARLEY REFUTED



News Behind The News

By Paul Mallon
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WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—The disorderly sub-surface situation of legislation in congress is worse than you have heard.

Democratic leaders, never very enthusiastic, have lately shown inward signs of discouragement. The liberals, never very cooperative with the new deal, have become personally embittered about the relief wage.

President Roosevelt still holds the reins but he has not been pulling them. The result has been a lot of bucking and stalling. No important legislation has been passed in the first two months of the session.

Things are rapidly working around to the place where Mr. Roosevelt will have to go out on the wagon tongue and mend the traces.

Assuming that he will, the prospects of pending important legislation may safely be outlined as follows:

Bonus—A veto would be sustained today. Split between Vinson and Patman splits is muzzling up whatever chances the bonuses had.

NRA—In grave doubt. Influential senators are secretly bent on killing it. New dealers may not be able to keep senate hearings in hand.

Banking bill—It will pass after Senator Glass has written some of it with the consent of the new dealers, and some without.

Wagner labor bill—No hope. Taxes—A small tax bill will probably be jammed through late in the session. It may contain some unexpected punitive taxes. No general increase.

Railroads—The Eastman plan is being delayed until the holding companies bill is passed. That means it will be thrown up against the end of the session. Prospects are not now clear.

DENY RESIGNATION OF POSTAL CHIEF BEEN "ARRANGED"

Democratic Leaders Say No Truth In Charge By Louisianan That Roosevelt Will Supplant Farley.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—(AP)—A statement by Senator Long (D., La.) that he had information from "close to the throne" that Postmaster General Farley's resignation had been "arranged" and Governor General Frank Murphy of the Philippines would succeed him was heatedly denied in the senate today by democratic leaders.

Long made the statement in resuming his attack on Farley as the senator awaited for the vice president to hand down a report from Secretary Lick on investigations his department had made into PWA contracts in which Long has charged Farley was interested.

Senator Robinson, the democratic leader, immediately left the room and called the White House on the telephone. He rushed back into the chamber and interrupted the Louisiana.

"I have made inquiry as to the truthfulness of the statement of the senator from Louisiana and I'm informed on the highest authority there is not a word of truth in it."

Long replied "the senator may have been informed by the highest authority, but I've had some information from three other sources."

Robinson challenged this and inquired whether Long meant "the highest authority could not be relied upon."

"Who is the highest authority?" Long demanded.

"The president of the United States," the Arkansas senator shouted.

"I've known the president to be wrong sometimes," Long persisted.

"The senator from Louisiana is the only one that can't be mistaken," Robinson replied as laughter swept the chamber and galleries.

Child's Freak Internal Arrangement Is Corrected by Strange Operation

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FALL RIVER, Mass., March 4.—Ten-year old Alyce Jane McHenry's inverted stomach and other misplaced organs were put in their normal positions in an operation of more than two hours' duration at the Truesdale hospital today.

The whole replacement at once was a surprise. Dr. Philemon E. Truesdale said when the situation became apparent in all details on the operating table it was so grave the entire proceeding had to be gone through at once.

He had anticipated the process might be slow, time and gravitation letting the misplaced organs slide down gradually to the abdomen.

Alyce was "good patient," she appeared to stand the operation well. Her stomach, upside down, tucked up under her shoulder, was only part of the misplaced abdominal organs.

It was in her left chest cavity along with all but two feet of her intestines, as was her spleen and her appendix. Her liver was not misplaced.

Whether the operation is a "success," Dr. Truesdale said will depend entirely on her recovery.

Alyce sang "The Man on the Flying Trapeze" as she went into the operating room with her mother, Mrs. Louella McHenry of Omaha, Neb., and her aunt, Mrs. Loren Nelson of Omaha.

Dr. Truesdale, head of the hospital which bears his name, had the assistance of three other surgeons. She smiled at them all when they greeted her prior to the operation.

She had slept so soundly that nurses had to awaken her for the attention of the surgeons.

Dr. Truesdale was assisted by Dr. C. H. Hayes, Dr. W. D. Atwood and Dr. Albert Miller, anecdotist.

All gave their services without charge. There were no fees for any of the hospital staff. Orders were given to spare no effort or expense.

Traveling expenses for Alyce from Omaha to Fall River were met by an Omaha business man.

Her case attracted national attention and the operation was witnessed by a number of surgeons from other cities.

A forum luncheon, rather unusual in character to be held in the Hotel Medford next Friday, March 8, at noon, was announced by the Chamber of Commerce this morning.



Alyce Jane McHenry, 10, of Omaha, Neb., shown with her mother, Mrs. Louella McHenry, shortly before the little girl underwent an operation at Fall River, Mass., for an unusual ailment that had turned her stomach upside down.

C-C WORK REVIEW PROMISED FRIDAY AT FORUM LUNCH

A forum luncheon, rather unusual in character to be held in the Hotel Medford next Friday, March 8, at noon, was announced by the Chamber of Commerce this morning.

Purpose of the luncheon, according to B. E. Harder, is to place before the people of Jackson county those things which have been accomplished by the Chamber of Commerce in recent months.

The Chamber's Potato and Onion Program—Otto Bohner.

The Chamber's Dairy Program—H. A. Thierolf.

The Chamber's Civic Program—Major George Porter.

The Chamber's Goodwill Program—D. H. Perry.

The Chamber's C. C. C. Program—Major Charles H. Armstrong.

The Chamber's Housing Act Program—B. E. Harder.

The Chamber's Five Year Future Program—O. O. Alender.

The talks will not be lengthy but the subject assigned to each speaker will be given so that each one will cover about three or four minutes. It is expected that many farmers will be in attendance as well as Medford citizens who want to know exactly what is going on in the community and what future prospective activities are likely to be.

MERCHANT MARINE OF AMPLE SCOPE IS PROPOSED BY F. R.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—(AP)—Maintenance of an "adequate merchant marine" under a direct government subsidy was proposed to congress today by President Roosevelt.

In a special message, he recommended termination of present ocean mail contracts in favor of the subsidy system.

Transfers of the quasi-judicial and quasi-legislative duties of the shipping board to the interstate commerce commission also was proposed.

"An American merchant marine," said the president, "is one of our most firmly established traditions. It is, during the first half of our national existence, a great and growing asset."

"Since then it has declined in value and importance. The time has come to square this traditional ideal with effective performance."

"Free competition among the nations in the building of modern shipping facilities is a manifestation of wholly desirable and wholesome national ambition. In such free competition the American people want us to be properly represented. The American people want to use American ships. Their government owes it to them to make certain that such ships are in keeping with our national pride and national need."

PLOWING OF SNOW FROM PARK ROAD STARTS APRIL 1ST

David H. Canfield, superintendent of Crater Lake national park, announced today that if weather permits work on "plowing out" the snow-blocked highways into Crater Lake will be started this year before the first of April.

Snow plowing will be started at the lake and be continued down both entrance roads, from park headquarters to Union Creek and from park headquarters to the south entrance on the Fort Klamath route.

Superintendent Canfield said the snow this year will range from a depth of 12 feet at the rim to four feet at the south entrance, which is at a lower elevation than the west entrance.

GREEK REVOLTERS HEMMED IN AFTER DAY OF BATTLING

Minister Of War Leads Loyal Troops In Smashing Blow—Guns Blaze On Ancient Saloniki Field.

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ATHENS, March 4.—(AP)—Greek government troops, led personally by Gen. George Kondylis, minister of war, smashed in force today against the rebels in Macedonia and the government announced at nightfall that the rebels had been hemmed in.

Guns blazed all along the ancient battlegrounds of Saloniki as the loyal forces strove to capture Drama, the old village long regarded as a key position on the northern Aegean.

At the same time the government at Athens moved troops, warships, and airplanes to other points where rebels who began fighting last Saturday, threatened the authority of the government.

Twenty-two bombing planes, flown by loyal pilots, took off from Athens to bomb warships which put to sea under the command of rebel officers.

Loyal government troops in eastern Macedonia marched on Drama, the ancient Saloniki near the plain of Philippi. It is one of the oldest battlefields in the world. It was there that Brutus and Cassius were defeated in 42 B. C.

(Across the Yugoslav border, heavy fighting was reported here, the Yugoslav saying that both the Greek government forces and the rebels were using artillery and that the engagement had taken on the characteristics of a major battle.)

FORMER COMMANDERS OF LEGION GUESTS AT GRANTS PASS MEETING

Past Commanders club, of Southern Oregon, composing of past commanders of Medford, Ashland, Grants Pass and Keno, met at Grants Pass Saturday evening and were addressed by State Commander Chamberlain who gave the program outlined by the national legislative committee of the Legion in Washington, D. C. The main issue at present he said, is the payment of the adjusted service certificates "frequently labeled a bonus."

"This is not a bonus like the railroad and shipbuilding contractors received, which runs into the millions of dollars. It is simply an adjustment for the World War veteran who received \$50 per month in the trenches as compared to civilians who received \$15 and \$20 per day working at home," the speaker declared.

"The American Legion feels that as long as the federal government is trying to raise the purchasing power of the nation, there is no better way than to pay the adjusted service certificates in cash, which would mean \$200,000,000 to the state of Oregon and over \$700,000 to Jackson county. The allotment for relief in Oregon from the federal government is \$10,000,000, of which 48 per cent goes for relief and 52 per cent for expenses in handling the relief money. But if the \$200,000,000 in adjusted service certificates is paid there is no extra expense whatsoever," the speaker concluded.

After the past commanders' meeting adjourned, Grants Pass post entertained the Legionnaires and Auxiliary at their hall. About thirty from Medford attended the party given at the Legion hall. March 15 Medford post will entertain all Legionnaires and Auxiliary members of southern Oregon, at the K. P. Hall in Medford and celebrate the 16th anniversary of the American Legion.

PHONE FRANCHISE TAX IS DECLARED INVALID

OLYMPIA, Mar. 4.—(AP)—Declaration of a franchise tax on telephone by Montana was declared invalid today by the supreme court. Chief Justice Hughes delivered the opinion from which there was no dissent.

Ask Hop-Ald
OLYMPIA, Mar. 4.—(AP)—Declaring the hop industry is demoralized by low prices, Sen. George F. McAdams (Yakima) filed a memorial in the senate today asking congress to pass S. B. 626 making hops a basic commodity under the agricultural adjustment act.

Found in Jungle



BULAWAYO, Southern Rhodesia, March 4.—(AP)—Lady Young, lost since last Thursday on an airplane flight over the jungles, was reported today to have been found alive and unhurt by searchers. First reports were hazy as to the details of the reported rescue.

Major Sir Hubert Young, the governor of northern Rhodesia and husband of the lost woman, had directed searching parties ever since her disappearance.

The fragmentary reports said that Dr. J. Kerby, the government physician who accompanied her on the flight, had also been found alive.

SOLICITORS START DRIVE TO SECURE HOUSING ACTIVITY

At 8:30 this morning the six SERA solicitors working under the National Housing Act left Housing Act campaign headquarters to start the first day of house to house solicitation. It is announced from headquarters at the time of going to press that although many of the men had not reported, several had brought in prospective improvements which will be handed to those firms in the building trades particularly interested.

An unusual amount of activity is in evidence at the campaign headquarters as many persons unfamiliar with the provisions of the act have called to obtain the information required. Anyone interested in remodeling or rebuilding is urged to get in touch with headquarters or ring 63.

The solicitors making the field survey are thoroughly qualified to answer most questions and are supplied with literature for those who wish to further investigate the possibility of making improvements under the National Housing Act.

Chamber of Commerce officials believe that everything points to much activity being in evidence in the near future along building lines.

POSSES SEEKING SLAYER OF PAIR

BLUFF, Utah, March 4.—(AP)—Posses swept across the southeastern corner of Utah today in search of Jim Palmer, 30, said by officials to have been reported to his employer, Harry J. Goulding, that he shot two men in a range feud last Friday and hid their bodies without knowing whether they were dead.

Those believed to have died at the hands of Palmer are: William E. Oliver, 70, a prominent sheep and cattle raiser of this vicinity. Morris Shumway, 30, Oliver's grandson. Both are of Blanding, Utah.

Perry Stevens, a trapper of Winslow, Ariz., who was camping with Oliver and Shumway, was reported missing yesterday.

FIVE INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENTS OVER WEEK-END

Mrs. Poellnitz Suffers Broken Leg In Crossing Highway—Skid Near Talent Injures Yreka Women.

Motor car accidents in and near the city over the week end put five people in the hospital as the result of a car turning over south of Talent, another car knocking down two pedestrians near the Brass Rail road house, and a third car hitting a cement culvert near the Pine Cone road house.

Harold ("Swede") Anderson, local fireman, hit a culvert in his car north of the Pine Cone last night when he lost control, and received minor injuries. He was taken to the hospital, but returned to his home last night.

Mrs. Ada O. Poellnitz of Medford and Perry Ashcraft of Ashland, were struck by a CCG automobile near the Brass Rail just before midnight Saturday. Mrs. Poellnitz is in the Community hospital with a broken leg and other injuries, while Ashcraft sustained cuts and bruises. The two were crossing the Pacific highway when the CCG car, blinded by bright lights, according to a report on file at the city police station, struck them, both, knocking them down.

Yesterday afternoon a car driven by Mrs. Grace Consineau of Yreka skidded and turned over on the wet pavement south of Talent. The machine, traveling south, turned over several times, giving Mrs. Consineau cuts, bruises and lacerations. Mrs. R. C. Cantrill, also of Yreka, riding in the car, sustained cuts and bruises. Mrs. Consineau's four-year-old son, Jackie, was uninjured except for a small cut on the head.

Several other accidents were reported, none of them of a serious nature.

NEW OBSTACLE IN RELIEF BILL PATH

WASHINGTON, March 4.—(AP)—New troubles for the administration in connection with the \$4,880,000,000 relief bill appeared today with a democratic demand that the treasury furnish the senate with a list of projects for which public works money had been allocated but impounded for other purposes.

Senator Byrd (D., Va.), a critic of the bill, presented a resolution calling for the data and a complete balance sheet on the PWA. Senator Robinson, the democratic leader, blocked immediate consideration by asking that the resolution go over a day under the rules.

Arraign Indicted Group This Week
Plea and arraignments of Julian Daily, indicted by the last grand jury on a charge of burglary, took place in court today. Daily is charged with a dwelling; Roder P. (Red) Carroll, indicted on a charge of involuntary manslaughter, as the result of an auto accident death, and Vera Sloan, indicted on a forgery charge, will be held this week. The district attorney said today. The exact date will rest with the court.

WILL ROGERS says:

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Mar. 2.—Good deal of news today. King of Siam abdicates. He always seemed like a pretty nice little fellow, but a king is sort of like a politician—it's hard to tell when he is making good or bad.

The Saar valley was officially turned back to Germany. Too bad they don't allow the islands they took away from Germany to vote on whether they wanted to go back, too. You know that's always been a sort of a touchy point with these big allied nations. They don't like to have anybody bring up the subject of the gobbling up Germany's possessions. That's the skeleton in their closet that they are not so proud of.

You can get you a baby bond or a pound of baby beef. They both cost the same.

Will Rogers.
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HOLMES GROWS WEAKER IS PHYSICIANS REPORT

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—(AP)—Oliver Wendell Holmes was pronounced a "little weaker" and his condition "not quite so favorable" by his physicians at the north visit today.