

MORE DRIFT BACK TO SAWMILL JOBS IN STRIKE REGION

PORTLAND, Ore., July 2.—(AP)—Four hundred more men returned to their jobs in the Long-Bell and Weyerhaeuser lumber operations at Longview, Wash., today as the Pacific northwest strike slowly gave way to union agreements and non-union reopenings.

Nearly 1000 workers were on their jobs at Longview, about 50 per cent of the mills' normal crews.

The situation elsewhere was little changed. In Seattle, sawmills and most wood working plants were still closed.

In Tacoma, 1200 men, without agreement, were at work in 14 plants, with national guardsmen and state police still in control.

In Portland, the Inman-Poulsen company which agreed to a four-point plan involving higher wages, a limitation of hours, collective bargaining and a pledge of no discrimination (but not complete union recognition or closed shop) continued to operate with a full crew of 335.

Four other mills with which no union agreement has been signed also were operating, but only one at full speed.

The only disturbance today occurred at Aberdeen, Wash., where tear gas bombs, hurled by state police, dispersed 400 pickets after tanks had been found along the road to a mill operating without union sanction.

A woman suffered a cut leg when she fell while fleeing the fumes. About 100 men and women were working in two non-union plants.

A total of \$98,000,000,000 of life insurance now is in force in the United States, according to John R. Mege of Los Angeles, president of the Life Underwriters' association.

Seven married couples received degrees this spring at the University of Oklahoma.

MEET the WIFE



MRS. EDDIE CANTOR

She was Ida Tobias, belle of Hester street and a childhood sweetheart of Eddie. . . . And they have been married now for 21 years. . . . Her formula for longevity of marriage is to tend to the home and the children and let the husband earn the money his own way. . . . Ida's folks didn't want her to marry Eddie. . . . "They said he had no future," she says, with a twinkle in her grey eyes. . . . Ida watches over Eddie's diet like a hawk. . . . She thinks he wouldn't be able to work hard enough to support their five daughters if he failed to eat the right food. . . . Mrs. Cantor's children have been brought up to obey, in the Jewish tradition, that the word of the mother and father is the law. . . . Mrs. Cantor says she has no outside interests, that her home and her family have kept her sufficiently busy all these years. . . . "Hobbies!" she laughs. "Sure, I have six of them: Marjorie, Edna, Marilyn, Natalie, Janet and Eddie!"

A campaign for quail eggs, and for hantam hens to incubate them, has started with the opening of a hatchery in Cooke county, Texas.

WORK RELIEF COIN FOR RECLAMATION IN WEST, PROMISE

WASHINGTON, July 2.—(AP)—Western senators emerged from a conference with President Roosevelt today reporting they had been virtually assured a \$113,000,000 irrigation and reclamation program would be carried out with work relief funds.

Eleven senators, headed by Senator Wheeler (D., Mont.), appealed to the president for allocation of funds for the full \$113,000,000 program recommended by Dr. Elwood Meade, reclamation commissioner.

"We have every reason to believe the full program will be carried out," said Senator O'Mahoney (D., Wyo.) after the conference. "This goes hand in hand with the government's program for the purchase of submarginal land."

O'Mahoney said the reclamation did not mean land to be put into competition with eastern farmers because crops grown in irrigated land are usually not wheat nor other competitive products.

Those in the delegation were Senators Wheeler and Murray of Montana, Hatch and Chavez of New Mexico, O'Mahoney of Wyoming, Burke of Nebraska, Pope of Idaho, King of Utah, Bone and Schwelienbach of Washington and McCarran of Nevada.

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Liquor Dispenser Makes Mistake In Home Geography

COLLINGSWOOD, N. J., July 2.—(AP)—Mrs. Mary Pisark vows she'll pay more attention to geography the next time she sells liquor.

The kitchen of her home is in adjoining Woodlyne and authorities there have shown no disposition to interfere with her liquor business.

But one day she sold some drinks in the parlor and that was a mistake because the parlor is in Collingswood and Collingswood is dry.

So Judge Frank Neutze sentenced her to 30 days in jail. "I just got mixed up," she explained.

LOCALS

Return from Lake — Dr. and Mrs. Charles P. Johnson and daughter, Betty returned yesterday from a week's vacation at Lake of the Woods, where their son, Charles, Jr., is attending Boy Scout camp. While there they occupied the Burke cabin, and enjoyed good fishing on the lake.

Will Leave for South—Miss Margaret Turner will leave tomorrow morning to visit for a time in San Francisco.

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STRANGE AILMENT MAKES BOY OF SIX VIRTUALLY A MAN

DALLAS, Tex., July 2.—(UP)—Physicians today puzzled over a rare ailment that has made Rodney Brown virtually a man while he is only 6 years old.

The boy was brought to a hospital from his home in Anderson county last Saturday after becoming seriously ill.

Although only 6 years old, he is developed like a boy 14 or 15. He is as large as a 14-year-old lad, has the voice of a man, has well developed muscles and in other respects appears more than twice as old as he is. Mentally, he also has developed in advance of his age.

"His condition is caused by a disease of the pituitary gland," Dr. A. A. Speegle of Palestine believes. "It is the same condition that produces giants."

The ailment, however, resulted last week in serious illness. The child suddenly complained of a severe headache. Since then he has been in severe pain much of the time and it has been necessary to give him medicine to ease the pain.

Dr. C. C. Nash, who is treating the child at a hospital here, said today that a definite diagnosis of the trouble had not yet been made. The case is "extremely rare," Dr. Nash said.

Indian women on the Crow creek reservation, South Dakota, wave green willow branches into wire fencing to make the rip-rap for dams built under the local conservation program.

The trunk of the famous Arnaud Robert liveoak near Cecilia, La., is 33 feet, 4 inches in circumference.

SINCLAIR PARTY FAILS IN LOS ANGELES AIMS

LOS ANGELES, July 2.—(UP)—Supported by a chorus of lusty boos from their followers — but lacking needed votes — Upton Sinclair's "epic" political faction failed last night to gain control of the municipal council through election of a council president.

While more than 1000 "epic" packing chamber galleries yelled their displeasure, the council voted 8 to 7, to seat Robert L. Burns, conservative, in office over the candidacy of Stephen W. Cunningham, epic-supporter entry.

The Kentucky reformatory at Frankfort recently housed 3,000 inmates, although it was built to imprison only half that number.

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