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SOUTH UNKNOWN FACTOR IN DEMOCRATIC FIGHT

RANK AND FILE SUPPORT SEEN CONSERVATIVE

NEW TYPE LIBERAL LEADER GAINS POWER

SOUTHERN NEW DEALERS FOR ECONOMIC SURVEY

WASHINGTON, July 19.—In the fast-approach struggle for control of the Democratic party, the great unknown factor is the south. No one doubts that while the Garners and Farleys can rely on the Hagues and Parleys and file of northern voters will follow the president. Many believe, however, that, in the south, the rank and file are on the Garner-Parley side. Recently, Ex-President Herbert Hoover has been talking privately of coalition movements, and all highly placed Republican politicians love the story of the southern colonel, who told a friend:

"If you damn Yankees don't stop voting democratic, you're going to ruin the Democratic party."

For those, like Mr. Hoover, who regard Walter George of Georgia, Cotton Ed Smith of South Carolina, and Harry P. Byrd of Virginia as the real representatives of the south, it would be well to remember that a new type of southern leader is slowly gaining prominence. As yet, most of these new men are concealed in the chambers of the new deal, but when the time comes, they will be ready to come into the open.

These new men may be seen at work in the state behind the president's recent request for a report on economic conditions in the south. Officially, the report is to be prepared by the national emergency council and to be used as a sort of touch-stone for policies concerning the south. The report is almost finished and will be used as a major weapon in the president's effort to capture the southern democracy from its present conservative owners.

Two years ago, a group of southern new dealers in congress and the executive branch formed a southern policy committee. It was one of a number of similar governmental discussion groups, and like most of the others, it feregathered informally each week in a Washington restaurant.

Lester Hill, the Alabama congressman who succeeded Justice Hugo L. Black in the senate, was one of the prime movers. Another was Clerk Freeman, grandson of a great editor of the Atlanta Constitution, P. H. D. et Columbia, and Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes' chief adviser both on power and the negro problem.

Justice Black himself took and still takes a leading part, and among others who have attended the meetings are Senator Claude Pepper of Florida; Farm Security Administrator Will W. Alexander; Representatives Murray Maverick of Texas, Joe Starnes of Alabama, and Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas; the RFC assistant general counsel, Clifford J. Durr. Altogether the committee has about forty members.

At its meetings, these men regularly discussed southern problems (Continued on Page Six)

PORTLAND, July 19.—(AP)—C. Laird McKenna, former NRA director for Oregon joined the staff of United States District Attorney Carl C. Donoghue. McKenna succeeded Allan Hart, who left for Washington to join the department of justice staff.

SIDE GLANCES

by TRIBUNE REPORTERS

Herb Brown proclaiming his birthday to all and sundry and pointing out he has but one year more to remain with the 29-30 club.

Paul Meyers, Leland Clark and George Harrington engaging in an animated conversation over their golf tournament scores, their talk making the weather that much hotter.

Dorothy Rogers being a picture of cool loveliness among steaming humanity at a local night spot.

Melba Anita and George Robertson reporting a fine time at a recent gathering.

BATTLE FOLLOWS REFUSAL TO OBEY 'MOVE ON' ORDER

North Chicago Foundry Plant Is Scene of Hand-to-Hand Struggle—Dozen Women Pickets Mix in Melee

NORTH CHICAGO, Ill., July 19.—(AP)—Police and deputy sheriffs fired a tear gas attack today on pickets blocking entrance to the strike-bound Chicago Hardware Foundry company plant. A half dozen women pickets were knocked to the ground. Pickets fought the officers in hand to hand encounters while tear gas bombs and shells burst all around. About 50 regular and special deputies and city police from North Chicago and nearby towns launched the attack after giving the pickets five minutes to "break it up."

Officers carried gas but did not use them. They fired tear gas from pistols and threw gas bombs. About 50 gas missiles burst within a few minutes.

After the first clash, the pickets retreated, formed their ranks again and gave way anew as the deputies advanced, hurling tear gas bombs into the crowd.

At length, the demonstrators were driven to a point three blocks from the plant. They scattered into nearby fields and made no further attempt to return to the foundry for the time being.

During the battle, the pickets threw stones, bottles and empty tear gas cartridges at the officers. The policemen moved back to the plant after the engagement. Standing in front of it, wiping tear-streaming eyes, was a lone woman, holding aloft the American flag.

At the outset, the demonstrators had been ordered to disperse. Chief of Police J. J. Novak of North Chicago went down the line of pickets massed east and west across Commonwealth avenue at the main gate of the plant which has been strikebound for six weeks.

The chief told the pickets to disperse within five minutes or the officers would force them to scatter. The pickets remained at their posts. When the time limit expired, the officers moved in.

J. D. MICKLE APPOINTED AGRICULTURE DIRECTOR TO SUCCEED S. T. WHITE

SALEM, July 19.—(P)—J. D. Mickle, chief of the division of foods and dairies, was promoted by Governor Martin today to state director of agriculture.

Mickle succeeds Selen T. White, who resigned last week to become active state coordinator of the federal soil conservation service with headquarters in Corvallis. The appointment is effective August 1.

Mickle has been in the department of agriculture since 1913. Mickle said he had no time to "think about my appointment" and he said he had not decided whether to appoint his successor as chief of foods and dairies. The governor, however, indicated that Mickle would continue his present job as well as his new position.

BRITISH DOCTORS HAIL ACQUITTAL

LONDON, July 19.—(P)—The British medical profession believed it had won a notable victory in the acquittal today of Dr. William Aleck Bourne, prominent obstetrician, who performed an illegal operation to prevent a 15-year-old girl, victim of an assault, from becoming a mother.

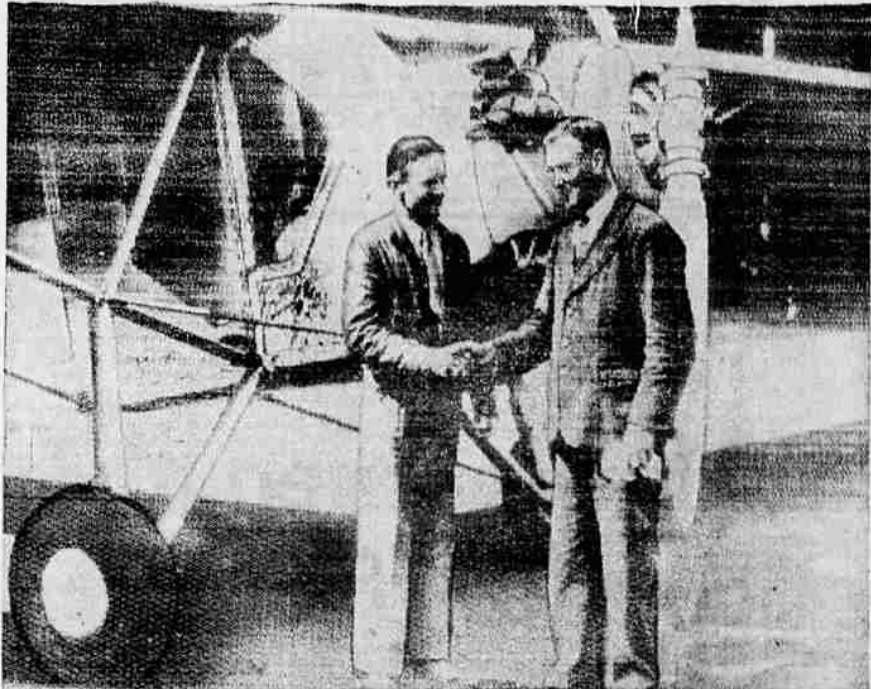
The jury, which included two women, took 45 minutes to reach a verdict after Justice MacNaughten, summing up, said Dr. Bourne had performed "an act of charity without fee."

Cheers from the crowd, including leaders of the British medical profession and socialists, greeted the verdict.

Dr. Bourne had insisted on being prosecuted in order to test Britain's rarely invoked statute against operations to prevent motherhood.

PORTLAND, July 19.—(AP)—Rod Norwood lost his watch nearly a year ago while picnicking on the Sandy River. He picnicked at the same spot Sunday and a member of the group found the slightly rusty, long missing timepiece.

Irish Greeting for "Wrong Way" Flier



At the end of Douglas Corrigan's wrong-way flight from New York to Dublin, Ireland, yesterday, the 31-year-old Californian was welcomed by astonished airport officials, one of whom, shown in upper picture, at first refused to believe the Atlantic had been flown in the battered 8000 ship. Corrigan, with a twinkle in his eyes, insisted he started out for Long Beach, Calif., and just couldn't get over his surprise when he found he was over Ireland. In lower photo Corrigan is shown as he stepped from his "jalopy." (The pictures were transmitted from London to New York by radio, thence by wire-photo to San Francisco and then by airmail to the Mail Tribune.)



Move Launched to Purchase New Airplane for Corrigan

NEWARK, N. J., July 19.—(P)—The Newark Advertising club launched today a campaign to raise funds to buy a new plane for Douglas Corrigan, trans-Atlantic daredevil flier. Herbert S. Waters, club president, asked advertising clubs and newspapers throughout the country to accept donations.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—(AP)—The commerce department suspended today the experimental aircraft certificate for Douglas G. Corrigan's plane. The suspension will make it impossible for the daring Californian to attempt a return flight from Dublin.

Colonel J. Monroe Johnson, acting secretary of commerce sent a letter to Secretary of State Hull asking that the suspension order be delivered to Corrigan by the American minister at Dublin.

Johnson explained in his letter that Corrigan, by making his unauthorized flight from New York to Dublin in an antiquated plane, had violated the terms of the experimental aircraft certificate. The certificate authorized a non-stop flight from Los Angeles to New York and return.

DUBLIN, July 19.—(P)—Prime Minister Eamon DeValera congratulated Douglas G. "Daredevil" Corrigan today on his "wrong way" flight from New York to Dublin.

The prime minister hurried from a cabinet meeting to greet the 31-year-old Californian and hear the details of the daring flight in the old 8000 plane which Corrigan insisted brought him to Ireland instead of California because of a little "mistake" in direction.

After thanking DeValera for Ireland's kindness to him, Corrigan, appearing shriveled, County Agent W. Wray Lawrence, said today,

CENTRAL PT. MAY GET WATER FROM MEDFORD'S MAIN

Neighbor City and Oak Grove District Both Seeking PWA Aid in Obtaining Better Water Supply

If Central Point and Oak Grove are successful in procuring PWA financing for their projected pipe systems, the city of Medford will have three municipal purchasers of water. Eagle Point constructed its own system and hooked on to the Medford main last fall.

Central Point has already replaced some of its old water mains and last week the city council voted to apply to the PWA for funds to complete the replacement job so that the system might be hooked on the Medford main. Engineer Paul Reynolds was employed to draw up specifications and the PWA application.

The Oak Grove area, organized as the Jacksonville highway water district, has already applied for a PWA grant and loan to construct a water system. The district would purchase water wholesale from Medford.

Must Have Own Tank Whenever a municipality purchases water from Medford it is required that the purchaser have its own reservoir so that no additional drain would be placed on the Medford reservoirs, it was explained today by Robert A. Duff, water commissioner getting its water from a well, has superintendent. Central Point, now storage facilities, Eagle Point has a 50,000-gallon reservoir and under present plans Oak Grove would have a stand-pipe of 60,000-gallon capacity.

Mr. Duff related. Additional sale of Medford water is so much desired, as he added, administration overhead expense is nominal. In the case of serving communities the only additional work to Medford is reading a meter once a month.

In addition to municipal users, the Medford water system is used by individuals outside the city and this use provides a tidy sum of extra revenue. Mr. Duff pointed out, in the past 10 years, these users have paid about \$14,000 and this income permitted the Medford water commission to pay off the bonds on the old, discarded pipe line, he said.

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Mourning In Lilac Instead Of Black, Desired By Marie

BUCHARST, July 19.—(P)—Dowager Queen Marie, in letters opened today, requested that dark lilac be the color of mourning for her and that her heart be buried at her favorite resort on the Black sea.

King Carol's mother, who figured largely in the destiny of Rumania for a generation, died yesterday of a rare liver disease, at the age of 62.

In the letters, written June 29, 1933, the queen mother explained that lilac was her favorite color and that she preferred it to the usual black. Officials said the letters would be made public in a day or two. One of them was addressed to her subjects.

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CANNON OF PARIS ROAR GREETING TO BRITAIN'S RULERS

PARIS, July 19.—(P)—A booming salute of 101 guns welcomed King George and Queen Elizabeth of England today on their arrival for a visit of state to France.

The boyish-appearing King George, monarch of an empire of nearly 500,000,000 people, came with his consort by boat and train from London to this capital and was greeted by gray-haired Albert LeBrun, titular chief of state for 102,000,000 people.

The visit of the British sovereigns was designed to reaffirm—as did a similar visit by King George V in 1914—the common front of two of the world's greatest empires.

All Paris Celebrates Touched a state reception was held at President LeBrun's Elysee palace in honor of the British monarchs, first of the major ceremonies of the four-day visit.

Outside the palace all Paris celebrated. The day was proclaimed a holiday, British and French flags garlanded the capital, fireworks blazed and crowds danced in the streets.

Gaiety ran all the higher because of the popular impression that the visit—on the 20th anniversary of the German army's retreat across the Marne—would find Britain and France at last in a position to compel the retreat of Nazi diplomacy and keep the peace of Europe.

The royal party arrived at the little Bois de Boulogne station in the aristocratic northwest corner of Paris, a square, gray-stone structure under whose green cupola visiting royalty traditionally descends.

Cheers Mark Arrival The royal train arrived at 4:40 p. m. (10:40 a. m., E. S. T.). The king and queen, smiling broadly, stepped onto the platform and shook hands with President and Madame LeBrun. The king wore the uniform of an admiral of the fleet. The queen was all in white.

Appearance of the king and queen brought volleys of cheers from throngs surrounding the station, while the royal salute sounded from 121 guns of Mount Vanian fort in the western suburb of Suresnes.

The British royal standard and the French tricolor ran up on gilded staffs. From a huge cage, encircled by banks of flowers, 10,000 white doves were released as their majesties appeared, a symbol of Franco-British aspirations for peace.

King George and Queen Elizabeth arrived at Boulogne this morning from London and came to Paris over 120 miles of carefully guarded rails.

A police dirigible followed the royal cortege from the station to the Quai D'Orsay, almost touching the rooftops from which thousands watched. Thousands of American and British tourists were in the cheering throngs along the route.

The automobiles carrying the king and queen and the LeBrun's were so surrounded by cavaliers that few of the 2,000,000 got even a glimpse of their faces.

MARATHONER MAKING GOOD TIME IN TREK

HEALDSBURG, Calif., July 19.—(P)—Refreshed by a tour's stop for breakfast and a barber shop clean-up, Adam Ziegler headed north for Grants Pass, Ore., at 9:30 a. m. today in an effort to break the walking marathon record for the 480 miles between San Francisco and the southern Oregon city.

The 55-year-old one-time entrant in the notorious Pyle cross-country derby of a decade ago said he was about three hours ahead of schedule here. He rested two hours at Santa Rosa.

Ziegler, who left the San Francisco city hall with greetings from Mayor Angelo J. Rossi at 12:06 p. m. yesterday, walked approximately 65 miles in arriving here.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—(P)—Assistance in the homes of needy, incapacitated persons of Oregon will be provided through a WPA project for \$122,863, approved yesterday.

SALESMAN ADMITS SLAYING BOATMAN IN FEE ARGUMENT

DEPOE BAY, July 19.—(AP)—State Police Sergeant W. K. Mulkey said Henry S. Nelson, 33, Portland salesman, had admitted the fatal shooting yesterday of Richard E. Earle, 40, owner of the deep-sea excursion boat "Pauline B."

Mulkey said Nelson had been removed to Toledo on a first degree murder charge, and Lucille M. Coenber, 21, Portland, was held as a material witness.

Mulkey said Nelson and Miss Coenber told him they came here from Newport at midnight Sunday and agreed to pay \$20 to Earle and his pilot, Everett Munson, for a night trip to sea. Nelson paid \$7 at the start of the trip. When the boat docked in the morning, Nelson and Miss Coenber got into his automobile.

Earle, Mulkey said, approached and asked for the remaining \$13. Mulkey said the girl accused Earle of insulting her while on the boat.

Nelson drew an automatic pistol, Mulkey said he was told, and shot Earle, who died instantly. H. O. Youngblood and W. O. Moore, Depoe Bay, overtook Nelson's automobile at Otter Crest and held Nelson until state police arrived.

Mulkey asserted the girl and Nelson first said they had been married four days previously, but later admitted this was not true. He said they told him they had been living together in a Newport cottage for more than a week.

F. R. TO TRY LUCK NEAR SAN LUCAS

ABOARD THE U. S. S. HOUSTON, Enroute to Panama, July 19.—(AP)—The Houston crossed the tropic of cancer early today and President Roosevelt and his party held high hopes of more good fish luck in the vicinity of Cape San Lucas, southernmost point of Lower California.

The Houston completed the third leg of the cruise which President Roosevelt started from San Diego, Cal., and which he will complete August 9 when he arrives at Pensacola, Florida.

The ship put out to sea from Magdalena bay, passing between Entrada and Redwood Points and soon was making an average of 20 knots, with Cape San Lucas scheduled for today's anchorage.

President Roosevelt and all members of his party were jubilant because of the unusually good fishing they found yesterday in Magdalena bay waters.

Heat Hits Wheat. THE DALLES, July 19.—(AP)—Searing heat has pinched the Wasco county wheat crop and threatened serious shriveling, County Agent W. Wray Lawrence, said today,

BASEBALL

American St. Louis at Philadelphia, Chicago at Boston, postponed, rain.

Cleveland R. H. E. 5 9 1 New York 3 6 0 Harder and Pytlak; Hadley, Sundra and Dickey.

National Score, first game: R. H. E. Boston 1 2 1 Cincinnati 3 0 0 Lanning and Mueller; Moore and Hershberger.

Score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 0 5 2 Pittsburgh 8 14 2 Mulohy, Smith and V. Davis; Brandt and Todd.

Brooklyn R. H. E. 8 12 2 Chicago 3 8 1 Tamulis and Shea; French, Russell and Hartnett, Garbark.

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