

# ALMOST ANYTHING GOES AT HEARING ON SUBVERSION

### Dies Probe Seems Like Fantasy To News Reporters As Evidence Is Entered With Or Without Proof.

By Preston Grover  
WASHINGTON.—A notable thing about Russian propaganda trials is the way the witnesses talk and talk about their own misdeeds.

A notable thing about the Dies investigation into the activities of such "un-American" elements as nazis and rads is the way some of the witnesses talk and talk about their own carryings on.

Of course in the case of the American hearings, no one is going to shoot anybody at sunrise or send anybody off to Siberia. But they are fascinating, just the same.

The most recent witness we have heard is Clyde Morrow of Detroit who told the committee he had been a communist organizer and strike leader but wasn't any more. To prove his case he showed his communist passbook, with the stamps showing the several years he had paid dues since joining in 1932. His communist name was C. Main. Communists, he said, take special names from gravestones or telephone books.

He gave 'Em Names  
Morrow named over all the communists he knew, in connection with Detroit labor troubles, and added a lot of names of individuals, including a dozen or so Detroit teachers, who he said had walked along the street with communists, or had attended lectures by prominent communist speakers, or in other ways had caused him to think they might be communists.

Previous red-and-nazi hearings in the house have been much like the present one. Witnesses are invited to pour out their testimony without cross examination.

At one point Mr. Morrow began to read a long typewritten statement purporting to be a summary of strike activities in Detroit written by another communist.

"How do you know that is an authentic statement?" asked Representative Dies of Texas, chairman of the committee.

"I know it is," Morrow said. "Proceed," said Mr. Dies.

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To reporters trained to the ways of courts, the hearing sometimes seems a farce. Congressmen can't be punished for libel for statements on the floor, nor can witnesses before congressional committees, so almost anything goes, proof or no proof.

One entertaining bit of evidence Mr. Morrow supplied the committee was how to start a strike. He told how he and a group he called communists started a strike in the Bridge (auto bodies) plant in Detroit.

Two hundred communists were rounded up from Toledo, Pittsburgh, Pontiac and Flint. Supplied with

faked identification badges they filtered into the plant through many entrances, turned off power switches in key places and then rushed out to the assembly lines to tell the startled workers that "We are on strike."

From then on they kept the men "at fever pitch" by stories that the company was bringing truck loads of strike breakers and militia from distant points and that the men better prepare to defend their jobs. Only 500 men were thus put on strike, Morrow said, but added that the picket line was swelled by 5,000 unemployed rounded up by the communists.

The committee hearings, once a great show in Washington, are not

a sell-out here any more. One casual spectator appeared to hear Mr. Morrow.

Has Productive Sow  
RANVENNA, Neb. (AP)—Bill Bedke raised a ton of pork from a single litter of pigs within less than six months. Then came the 19 babies that now weigh several hundred pounds more than a ton.

Faux Pas Historic  
WILKES-BARRE, Pa. — (UP) — It is probable that Richard Bishop, utility man at the Wilkes-Barre courthouse, always will remember Constitution Day. As the nation observed the signing of the historic document, Bishop unfurled the courthouse flag—upside down.

# BROWN APPOINTED HEAD OF OREGON MARKET DIVISION

## MARKETING HEAD



G. A. BROWN, for seven years manager of the Interstate Associated Creameries, just appointed director of the new marketing division of the Oregon state system of higher education.

CORVALLIS, (SpI)—With the appointment of G. A. Brown of Portland as first director of the new marketing work of the board of higher education, Oregon will have the services of a "young man with proved experience in marketing and a knowledge of the northwest, as well as an adequate background of technical and general training." In the opinion of the committees recommending the selection to the board, the appointment is effective January 1.

Brown has been for seven years manager of the Interstate Associated Creameries, a federation for sales purposes of 14 cooperative creameries of Oregon and southern Washington. He is a graduate of Oregon State college, with other business experience in California before taking his position with Interstate. He organized the Central Oregon Cooperative creamery at Redmond.

The division of agricultural and industrial marketing was created by the board of higher education as a result of a study made of Oregon's marketing needs by Dr. W. J. Kerr, chancellor emeritus of the system and former president of Oregon State college. His report called attention to the need for more aggressive marketing of Oregon products, particularly in agriculture.

He recommended a modest beginning with a well-trained director who would take the initiative in applying present knowledge and resources to betterment of marketing in Oregon, coordinating the energies of all existing related agencies both in and out of the state system of higher education.

A state-wide advisory committee which considered 16 persons for director unannouncedly recommended Brown's appointment, after reducing the list to four. Of the original list five withdrew their names because the available salary was insufficient, according to Chancellor P. M. Hunter. Brown's salary will be \$5,750. Hunter with Presidents Peavy and Erb of the college and university comprised a committee of three to set up the program.

The advisory committee which considered the applicants for director and which will help in launching and conducting the program consists of E. B. MacNaughton, Portland, chairman; J. R. Gerber and R. L. Clark, Portland; E. A. McCornack and Victor P. Morris, Eugene; Wm. A. Schoenfeld, Corvallis;

High Pressure Salesmen  
SHREVEPORT, La. (AP)—A bunch of city firemen whopped up ticket sales for their annual ball by running a ladder from a fire engine up the front of the bank building. A fire ladder tapped on office windows on office windows.

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# RECESS ORDERED ALCATRAZ TRIAL

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—(AP)—A 4-day recess began today in the murder trial of two Alcatraz prison desperadoes, after the prosecution's first evidence.

The interval will be passed in the county jail—brief change, at least, from the grim routine of "the rock"—by James C. Lucas and Rufus Franklin, on trial for their lives for their part in the desperate prison break attempt of last May 23, in which a prison guard was killed.

Shower Tricks Squaws  
POCATTELLO, Ids.—(UP)—A new shower bath room, constructed for the use of Indians at the Sun Valley rodeo, proved too much of an advance in civilization for two of the squaws. Entering the shower, but unable to find the water, they first tore up the boards looking for some sort of spring underneath and then accidentally turned the knob before they had thought of undressing.

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- VOTE for Wm. M. McALLISTER
- VOTE for EARL T. NEWBRY
- FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
- VOTE for WILLIAM PERRY
- FOR SHERIFF
- VOTE for A. E. BROCKWAY
- FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR
- VOTE for PAUL B. RYNNING
- FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
- VOTE for W. R. COLEMAN
- FOR CONSTABLE—VOTE FOR NICK YOUNG

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