

BARRACKS STRIKE FINALLY ENDED BY LABOR FEDERATION

Electrical Workers Stage New Style Strike at Charlestown Powder Factory

By the Associated Press
American Federation of Labor Building Trades Workers returned to work today on the army's \$4,000,000 Jefferson Barracks, Mo., expansion project, ending a week-old test strike against employment of WPA labor.

At the same time, a strike of AFL-United Auto Workers—whose dispute was being considered by the defense mediation board—closed a Michigan defense plant, and a unique walk-off of AFL-Electrical workers threatened to delay completion of part of the government's huge Charlestown, Ind., ordnance works.

OPM to Investigate
The AFL Building Trades Council voted to end the Jefferson barracks strike after receiving assurance that the OPM would investigate alleged encroachment of the WPA in construction work. Hiring of 75 WPA painters at sub-union wages precipitated the walk-out.

At Muskegon, Mich., the AFL-United Auto Workers struck the plant of the Sealed Air Corp., which manufactures engine parts for tanks, submarines and trucks. The union is demanding wage increases and a union shop contract. Wages scales were not disclosed.

A spokesman for the AFL-Electrical Workers union asserted the Charlestown walk-off was neither a strike nor a dispute and that 400 workers simply left to seek jobs at higher wages elsewhere. At \$1.31 1/4 an hour, they were employed on installation of the third smokeless powder production line. At nearby defense operations, union leaders claimed, the comparable wage rate is \$1.50 an hour.

No Pickets
The union said no pickets would be established and any union men who wished to do so could take jobs on the ordnance project. Army officers said the sub-contractor would be responsible for seeing that the electrical work is completed.

Meanwhile, James V. Bennett, federal prison director, said Leavenworth penitentiary in Kansas was returning to normal routine after the government broke a convict strike there by sending ringleaders to Alcatraz and other federal prisons.

The prisoners, making shoes and brushes for the army, reportedly protested against their working hours, which justice department officials said had recently been increased from 39 to 44 hours a week.

CIVILIANS HURT WHEN TRUCK, AUTO COLLIDE

Albany, Ore., July 9.—(AP)—Collision of an automobile and an army convoy truck on the Pacific highway near Harrisburg yesterday broke the leg of Clyde M. Priestly, San Francisco, and injured Homer Broom, Seattle, both civilians. Broom was not seriously hurt.

Corporal Frank A. Prochazka, riding in the truck, suffered a cut lip.

Pilchard Price Up

Astoria, Ore., July 9.—(AP)—A new price of \$14 a ton for pilchards, an increase of \$2.50 per ton over the price previously agreed upon by operators and fishermen, was posted today by pilchard plant owners.

Death Strikes Twice

Scranton, Pa., July 9.—(AP)—Mrs. Tydvil Evans Kiegl, 66, kept a vigil at the hospital bedside of her brother, James Evans, 72, until a doctor told her he was dead. Then she collapsed and died 10 minutes later.

Mill Mishap Fatal

Klamath Falls, July 9.—(AP)—William Talbert, 26, whose chest was pierced last yesterday by a board thrown back from a moulding machine at a Dorris, Calif., mill, died last night at a local hospital.

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Prospective U. of O. Pupils Invited to Thursday Meeting



Last minute tips and a helping hand are given to John Cavanagh, left, new Oregon Federation director, by Roy Vernstrom, retiring director. Cavanagh, ex-student body vice-president at the University of Oregon, is making a 7500 mile tour of the state speaking of the values of the University.

Undergraduate life at University of Oregon will be depicted in a program, presented by John Cavanagh, director of the Oregon Federation at 8 p.m. Thursday, in the Medford High school. Colored movies of undergraduate activities on the campus of the Eugene school will be shown by Cavanagh, who is being assisted in the preparation for the meeting by Otto Frohmayer, local alumni director.

Methods of self-support while in school, campus living accom-

IRRIGATION WATER TURNED IN CANAL 29 DRIVERS CITED SINCE JULY FIRST

Water turned into the main canal of the Medford irrigation district yesterday for the first time this season, is expected to reach the floor of the valley late today ready for use by tomorrow.

General Manager Ed N. Judd of the district said the irrigation situation is improved compared with two months ago, due to the June rains, which were a life-saver. The irrigation water will be used principally for pastures, sugar beets, and gardens, and on a few orchards.

Watermaster Clinton Smith states reports to him indicate the range grazing for cattle, is the best in several years, with grass high and green, for this time of the year.

HOLD KIDNAPERS FOR NEW ACTION

Portland, Ore., July 9.—(AP)—Freedom was denied yesterday for Frank C. Hiller, 30, and Harold H. Conner, 31, whose kidnaping conviction recently was set aside by Federal Judge James A. Fee.

The judge returned the case to the grand jury for consideration of another charge. He said the pair would be held in jail in the meantime.

They were convicted of abducting a Portland girl and taking her to Vancouver, Wash. Judge Fee ruled that the Lindbergh Kidnap law, under which they were charged, should not be applied to such a case.

Yields Gold Notes
Leominster, Mass.—(AP)—When an auctioneer tipped up a chair offered for sale at the William Boyden estate, the cushion slid off—and so did \$180 in gold notes. The money was claimed by Joseph A. Lovering, estate administrator.

San Francisco Proud
San Francisco—(AP)—San Francisco-born babies get a break. The city's infant mortality rate has been the lowest of the 10 leading cities of the United States for the past 10 years.

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REGISTRY PLACES FOR VOLUNTEERS GIVEN FOR COUNTY

Precinct Polling Places Will Be Used—Election Board Officials to Serve.

Following is a list of the precinct polling places where all residents of Jackson county, 18 years or older are asked to register between 2 and 8 p. m. tomorrow in a voluntary registration arranged by the Jackson County Council of Defense:

1—Ashland, Boulevard, Public Library.
2—Ashland, East Central, City Hall.
3—Ashland, West Central, 81 North Main.
4—Ashland, Oak, Armory.
5—Ashland, North, N. Main and Water Streets.
6—Ashland, East, 6th & East Main.
7—Ashland, Southeast, Junior High School.
8—Ashland, Northwest, Washington School.
9—Ashland, South, 372 Liberty Street.
10—Ashland, West, Valley View School.

11—Antioch, Antioch School.
12—Applegate, Applegate Community Hall.
13—Barron, Neil Crk. School.
14—Bellevue, Bellevue Grange Hall.
15—Brownsboro, Brownsboro Store.
16—Butte Falls, Town Hall.
17—Central Point, North, Wilson Hardware Store.
18—Central Point, South, Old City Hall.
19—Reese Creek, Reese Creek School.
20—Derby, Schoolhouse.
21—Colestin, Ruby's Kitchen.
22—Eagle Point, Brown's Hall.
23—Florence Rock, Prospect Gymnasium.
24—Foothills, Riverside Store.
25—Gold Hill, City Hall.
26—Griffin Creek, Griffin Creek School.
27—Hillcrest, Hillcrest Orchard House.
28—Howard, Howard School.
29—Jacksonville, N., Court-house.
30—Jacksonville, S., City Hall.
31—Lake Creek, Lake Creek Store.

32—Medford, North Main, Fichtner's Garage.
33—Medford, South Main, 134 S. Ivy Street.
34—Medford, North Central, City Hall, 5th and Central.
35—Medford, South Central, Jackson Hotel.
36—Medford, South Riverside, Parker's Chip House, 612 S. Riverside.
37—Medford, North Riverside, Lincoln School.
38—Medford, North, 424 Beatty.
39—Medford, Oakdale, Senior High School.
40—Medford, Newtown, Court House, Ground Floor.
41—Medford, King, 721 W. 14th.
42—Medford, Northeast, Woods Lumber Co., East Jackson.
43—Medford, Cottage, Boy Scout Headquarters.
44—Medford, Southeast, 916 East Main Street.

State police, in their steady campaign against violators of auto and traffic laws, have filed 29 complaints since July 1, the records of Justice of the Peace William R. Coleman's court show.

Vernon H. Reh of near Ruch entered a plea of guilty yesterday to failure to stop at an intersection, and was assessed \$1 and costs. The offense occurred at the Jacksonville-Ruch road junction near Ruch.

Leonard J. Halfhill of route 4, charged with having no rear mirror on his truck was fined \$1 and costs; Donald M. Dutton, who drove a soft drink truck to Ashland on July 4 with no tail-light was fined the same; also William S. Phillips of Lakeview for non-possession of an operator's license.

Stone Faces

Moab, Utah (AP)—A miniature counterpart of Gutson Borglum's famed Mount Rushmore, S. D., "presidents' gallery" will soon begin taking shape high on a sandstone cliff near here—with President Roosevelt and Wendell Willkie as subjects. The monument is the brainchild of Ben H. Jackson, Boise, Ida.

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48—Medford, South, 1215 W. 10th Street.
49—Medford, West, 1104 W. Main Street.
50—Medford, Kenwood, 1708 West Main Street.
51—Medford, Northwest, Jackson School.
52—Medford, Haven, Junior High School.
53—Mound, Agate School.
54—Orchard Home, Orchard Home and Sunset Drives.
55—Perrydale, Oak Grove School.
56—Phoenix, East, Presbyterian Church.
57—Phoenix, West, Grange Hall.
58—Pinehurst, DeCarlow's Store.
59—Rogue River, Odd Fellows Bldg.
60—Roxey Ann, Grange Hall.
61—Sams Valley, School House.
62—Sterling, Little Applegate School.
63—Talent, East, City Hall.
64—Talent, West, City Hall.
65—Trail—Garage.
66—Union, Ruch Hall.
67—Watkins, Ed Finley's Residence.
68—Willow Springs, Willow Springs School.
69—Wimer, Wimer Grange Hall.

'BOUNCED' JUDGE CAUSES TROUBLE

Los Angeles, July 9.—(AP)—Because a superior court judge objected to paying \$6 for three beers, Hollywood's well known Pirate's Den is having difficulties getting its license renewed.

The judge, anonymously represented by a friend, reported he took two guests to the Pirate's Den, owned by Rudy Vallee, Bob Hope, Tony Martin, Bing Crosby, Johnny Weissmuller and five other Hollywood biggies whose names were not mentioned at a hearing before the police commission.

The judge's story was that when he protested against the charge, he was thrown out by a bouncer.

400 Nickels
Sellersville, Pa. (AP)—County Treasurer Samuel L. Althouse was somewhat puzzled when a woman handed him a heavy bag. "What's this?" he queried. "Four hundred nickels. I wish to pay my delinquent taxes with them," she replied.

Fame Last at Home
Salt Lake City, Utah.—(AP)—A group of Utahans who went out into the world to become great and near-great in art, literature and music returned here to be "reintroduced" to residents of their native state.

BRITISH TRAITOR DANGLES ON ROPE

London, July 9.—(AP)—George J. Armstrong, 39, a Briton, was executed by hanging today as a spy for Germany.

An announcement said he had made contact with the German espionage organizations through an intermediary of a German consul in the United States.

Armstrong was convicted of treason May 8. He was an engineer who served at sea at 1939 and 1940.

MINERS, GUARDS IN LIVELY CLASH

Pottsville, Pa., July 9.—(AP)—Twelve miners were injured, nine of them wounded superficially by shotgun fire, and eight private detectives were beaten today in a clash over coal stripping operations at Donaldson, 18 miles west of Pottsville.

The injured were treated at Pottsville hospital. All were discharged.

The detectives were bruised and battered by the surging crowd of miners as they left the scene where the shots were fired.

Tacoma, July 9.—(AP)—The Washington toll bridge authority is considering a cantilever type bridge, costing about \$14,000,000 and including a railroad track, to replace the Tacoma Narrows bridge, which crashed in a wind storm last November 7.

Choosing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

Replace Dog Teams
Washington (AP)—Trips that previously took more than a month by dog-sled teams are now being made by airplanes in only three and one-half hours over the ice.

over Mt. McKinley national park in Alaska. The national park service started the flights when mild winter conditions made dog-sled patrols hazardous over the ice.

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