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RAILROAD CREWS DEFY GOVERNMENT, UNION

New York Central System Paralyzed By Strike Action

Railroaders Ignore Return To Work Plea

Toledo, O.—(U.P.)—Disgruntled railroad workers here voted to go back to work late Wednesday, and said they would remove picket lines that had hampered full resumption of service on the New York Central railroad.

Chicago —(U.P.)—Rebellious railroad workers at two key points Wednesday defied both the government and their union leaders to paralyze anew all through traffic on the New York Central System west of Buffalo.

Members of three rail brotherhoods—the firemen, engineers and conductors—at Toledo, O., and Elkhart, Ind., refused to return to their jobs despite the urging of the leaders who agreed to comply with a federal court injunction issued Tuesday in Cleveland.

Both cities are "division points" in which long-haul crews are based. The NYC said that so long as union members there refused to work, the road would be unable to operate either freight or passenger service of long distances west of Buffalo.

The NYC, however, said it hoped to resume commuter service in locations outside Toledo and Elkhart, provided crews could be obtained when the non-strikers returned to work.

Regular Service Doubled
In Chicago, one commuter train made its run between Chicago and Chesterton, Ind. The NYC said it was doubtful that regular commuter service out of Chicago could be restored until later.

Three NYC subsidiaries—the Michigan Central, the Ohio Central and the Big Four—were scheduled to resume operations. They were not affected by the Toledo and Elkhart bottlenecks.

At other locations, the employees grudgingly agreed to return to their jobs.

But the NYC said that although trains were being made up, it would be impossible to get crews out of the strikebound cities to man them.

Meeting Scheduled In Walkout at OTI

Klamath Falls, Ore.—(U.P.)—A meeting between representatives of Oregon Technical Institute's student body and Oscar Paulsen, state director of vocational education, was scheduled Wednesday in an effort to end a two-day student walkout.

More than half the 530 students enrolled in the school were involved in the walkout.

The students were protesting the reduction of instructors at OTI and other policies of the school's administration.

A spokesman for the school said two instructors were laid off last week because of a decrease in the number of students.

Schuster Slaying Suspect Said Seen

San Francisco —(U.P.)—A possibility that Frederick Tenuto, hunted by New York police as a suspect in the murder of Arnold Schuster, may be in the bay area, was voiced by police Wednesday.

Police said a waitress in a restaurant near the Southern Pacific depot said she had served a man answering his description.

Schuster, who led police to Willie The Actor Sutton, notorious bank robber, was shot down in Brooklyn. Tenuto, who escaped from a Pennsylvania prison six years ago with Sutton, is a top suspect.

CHAINS ADVISED
By UNITED PRESS
Oregon motorists traveling mountain roads were advised Wednesday to carry chains as snow fell in many sections. New snow was reported at Santiam pass, Willamette pass, Chemult, Klamath Falls, Bly, Lakeview, Keno, Seneca and Burns.



CAPT. J. C. LANGSTON
Pilot Missing in Action

Air Force Pilot From Medford Said Missing in Action

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Langston, 114 Tripp street, were notified Monday by the defense department that their son, Capt. Jack C. Langston, 29, is missing in action in Korea. His wife, the former Miss Jacqueline Thurman, lives with their two children, Jolinda, 7, and Johnnie, 2½, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Clara Thurman, Trail.

Captain Langston left for Korea Jan. 7, 1952, and is an F-84 fighter-bomber pilot. Before leaving the states he was stationed at Eglin Air Force Base, Fla. He visited here last Christmas on a 15-day leave when a family reunion was held, the first in many years.

He has one brother, Lloyd Langston, an employee at Luman's grocery, and three sisters, Mrs. Earl McQuigg, Mrs. Marvin Heidemann, and Mrs. George D. Landes, all Medford.

Graduated Here
Captain Langston was graduated from Medford high school in 1940. He entered the National Guard here in 1939 and has been in service since that time.

During World War II, Captain Langston was a radar instructor in this country and after the war served in the Canal Zone. He was graduated in 1948 from the Air Force flying school at Randolph Field, Tex., with second highest honors.

In June, 1951, he was given a letter of commendation by the commanding officer at Eglin base for outstanding performance of duty as director pilot for a task unit during Operation Greenhouse at the base. In addition to his skill and devotion to duty, he was commended for his judgment and attention to detail in connection with developing techniques and procedures required in flying the T-33 aircraft safely by remote control.

Penitentiary Escapee Captured in Medford

George Frederick, 28, who escaped from Oregon state penitentiary February 28, was apprehended on a downtown Medford street shortly before noon today, according to state police. Frederick was recognized by Officer Russell Brendle, who made the arrest, they said.

Frederick, a trustee at the prison, walked away from the farm annex near Salem the afternoon of February 29 with Walter H. Edmonds, another trustee. Frederick was serving a three-year term for larceny from Umatilla county and would have been eligible for release next November.

U. S. Battle Casualties Increase 160 in Week

Washington —(U.P.)—The Defense Department reported Wednesday that U.S. battle casualties in Korea through last Friday total 106,458—an increase of 160 over last week's figure.

WEATHER
FORECAST: Generally cloudy with rain and snow showers tonight and Thursday. Continued cool. Low tonight 36-38. High Thursday 40-50.
Temp.
Highest Yesterday 45
Lowest this Morning 32
Prec. to 4:30 a.m. Today .58

German Journalist Will Spend Week on Mail Tribune Staff

Eugene — Ten European journalists will lend an international flavor to the press of Oregon during the week of March 24. Each of them will spend the week on the staff of a daily or weekly newspaper.

The 10, comprised of eight Germans, an Austrian and a Hollander, are all students this year at the school of journalism, University of Oregon. Their field trips will come during the week of spring vacation.

Members of the working press in their own countries, they are in the United States both to study in their profession and to gain firsthand knowledge of the United States and its people.

Work With Staff
Each of them will work with regular staff members of the co-operating newspapers, trying their hands in several departments. In addition, each visitor hopes to participate in the life of the community to the fullest possible extent. They will be available for brief, informal talks to service clubs and similar groups.

With a total of 15 students from abroad, the Oregon journalism school has the largest foreign student program in proportion to total enrollment of any school in the country this year.

Newspapers invited to participate in the spring vacation project were chosen with an eye to getting a representative group of Oregon papers, both as to size and location.

10 Papers
The papers are the Albany Democrat-Herald, Baker Democrat-Herald, Bend Bulletin, Coos Bay Times, Hillsboro Argus, Lakeview Examiner - Tribune, Lebanon Express, Medford Mail Tribune, Newberg Graphic, and the Oregon Journal.

The 10 foreign students are Gunther Barth, Jürgen Benhcke, Franz Cesarz, Wolfgang Meyer, Walter Schwarlose, Hans Stephani, Eva Marie Vogler and Gerhard Zahn, all from Germany; Wilhelmus Van Eekeren, Holland, and Otto Zundritsch, Austria.

Gunther Barth, of Dusseldorf, Germany, is the foreign journalist who will spend a week on

Robert Swoape Found Dead in Trailer House

The body of Robert Louis Swoape, 43, was found in his trailer house at 106 Clark street at about 2:45 p.m. Tuesday, city police said today. His death was listed as "accidental" by County Coroner Carlos Morris.

Police said the body was found lying under a mattress on the trailer house floor by Thomas W. Swoape, the dead man's brother. The trailer house was full of smoke that came from a small oil heater, they said. An air vent in the top of the trailer had been closed, according to investigating officers.

Efforts of Medford firemen to revive Swoape were unsuccessful.

Swoape's estranged wife, Velma, Grants Pass, is expected here today to help complete funeral arrangements which will be conducted by Perl funeral home.

Big Squabble Looms Over Construction Of Second Aircraft Carrier by Navy

Washington —(U.P.)—The Navy, which had a fearful row over its first super aircraft carrier, was headed into rough seas Wednesday with plans for its second.

Storm signals for a new super carrier squabble were already up in Congress.

Action on Bill Delayed
Action on a bill to authorize construction of the second big flat-top, along with other naval vessels, was delayed temporarily in the House Armed Services committee Tuesday after members argued over where the big ship should be built.

Indications were that this question won't be settled by Congress but that the Navy will be allowed to make its own decision. This means the second super carrier will be built on the East Coast, probably in New York.

West Coast Suggested
California House members are demanding that since the 60,000-ton flat-tops can't go through the Panama canal, one or more of them should be built on the West Coast.

One super carrier already is under construction at Newport News, Va. The Navy hopes



E. P. LEAVITT
Park Superintendent Retires

Superintendent Of Crater Lake Park To Retire

E. P. Leavitt, superintendent of Crater Lake National Park since Aug. 1, 1937, announced today that he will retire from the National Park Service on March 15.

Leavitt is one of the "veterans" of the service, with nearly 42 years to his credit. He entered the service as a clerk at Yosemite National Park, California, on April 14, 1910, when the parks were still under the administration of the Army.

During 20 years there, he advanced through the ranks of the service to assistant superintendent. On Jan. 16, 1931, he was assigned to Hawaii National Park. T. H., and was promoted to superintendent. He served there for three years, then moving to Mesa Verde National Park, Colorado, and Mt. Lassen Volcanic National Park, California, as superintendent of both.

Succeeded Canfield
When appointed to the Crater Lake post, he succeeded David H. Canfield, who was transferred to Rocky Mountain National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt make their home at 1317 Queen Anne Avenue in Medford, but they plan to move to a retirement home on the Old Stage road near Medford after his retirement becomes effective.

No successor in the position has been announced by the National Park Service, Leavitt said, but one is expected to be named soon.

Hermiston Business Houses Ruined by Fire

Hermiston, Ore. —(U.P.)—Fire early Wednesday gutted a concrete building housing three businesses on Hermiston's Main street with loss estimated at \$235,000.

Destroyed were Burnham's Department store, the Tot shop and Cap's Donut shop.

Firemen battled the blaze which broke out about 4 a.m. for more than four hours before bringing it under control. The fire was discovered by a night patrolman.

Manager Bruce Giddens of the department store estimated his loss at about \$225,000. He said he carried \$8,000 insurance on the store but none on the stock.

Income Taxpayers Get 48-Hour Extension

Federal income taxpayers will have 48 hours of grace before becoming delinquent this year, it was announced today by officers of the Medford office of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, 33 North Riverside avenue.

The legal deadline for filing income tax returns is March 15, but because that date falls on a Saturday this year, the law permits taxpayers to file returns up to midnight the following Monday.

The office here will remain open until 9 p.m. Friday, March 14; 5:30 p.m. Saturday, March 15, and until midnight Monday, March 17, to assist in last-minute preparation of returns.

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Morris Answers Senator McCarthy In Angry Exchange

Solon Blasts Cleanup Chief

Washington —(U.P.)—Newbold Morris accused Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy, R-Wis., Wednesday of not being a "gentleman" and of "going after me like a dog" in an angry clash before Senate investigators.

"You've flocked off a lot of characters, and you're not going to knock off mine," Morris shouted at McCarthy in a turbulent hearing before the Senate's permanent investigating committee.

Lashed by McCarthy
McCarthy had just said that Morris, corruption cleanup chief, was "either the greatest dope or dupe of all time" or "responsible for making a vast amount of profit soaked in American blood" through leasing of surplus tankers for hauling Soviet oil to Communist China for Russia.

Morris promptly appealed to Chairman Clyde R. Hoey, D-N.C., to give him a chance to reply to McCarthy before he was forced to answer any more direct questions by the grim-looking Wisconsin Republican.

Patriotism at Stake
"My patriotism is at stake," Morris said.

Hoey ruled that he had a right to respond to McCarthy with a brief statement.

Morris then began slugging back verbally at McCarthy and a shouting match was on. Morris referred to Hoey, however, as "an arch-angle of decency and a model as a presiding officer for all others."

The outbreak came shortly after Morris took the witness stand for the second day for questioning about surplus tanker deals in which his New York law firm represented two Chinese-backed outfits.

Spiegelberg Named Football Coach

School board members last night named Fred Spiegelberg head football coach at Medford high school for next year.

Spiegelberg, line coach for four seasons, succeeds Lee V. Ragsdale, who has been named head of the physical education department of the city school system and head of the Medford school-sponsored summer recreation program.

The new head coach has been boxing and wrestling tutor here also. Spiegelberg, a 1943 graduate of Washington State college, is 32 years of age.

The board also granted a \$100 per year cost of living increase to teachers of the Medford school system, with some other adjustments in the schedules of pay.

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GEN. EISENHOWER
Republican Winner



ESTES KEFAUVER
Gets Democratic Vote

Eisenhower Proud Of Results Shown In New Hampshire

Frankfurt, Germany —(U.P.)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower said Wednesday that he is "proud" New Hampshire voters think he ought to be president.

The supreme commander of North Atlantic forces made the comment on his arrival here from Paris for a one-day conference with Allied commanders in Germany.

Ought To Be Proud
Eisenhower scanned the returns from the New Hampshire presidential primary, smiled broadly and told a waiting crowd of newsmen and photographers:

"Any American who is informed that so many other thousands of fellow Americans think he's fit for the presidency—well, by golly, if he isn't proud, then he just isn't an American."

No Return Planned
The five-star general made it clear that he doesn't plan to return to the U. S. in the immediate future. He said he hadn't received word of Connecticut Democratic Sen. Brien McMahon's proposal that he return to testify before a congressional committee on foreign aid.

Asked if he planned to return to the U. S. to deliver the SHAPE and Allied forces annual report, he replied:

"The plan is that I shall give the report from Paris."

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State Sen. Jack Bain, who filed petitions to get Kefauver on Oregon's Democratic primary ballot, said, "while the . . . results are gratifying, we still have a hard row ahead of us to carry this state for Kefauver in May."

Lowell Paget, chairman of the group supporting Sen. Robert Taft, R-O., in Oregon said only, "I'm surprised."

Both Win Entire New Hampshire Delegate Strength

Sen. Taft, Truman Given Thrashing

Concord, N. H. —(U.P.)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and Sen. Estes Kefauver scored thumping triumphs in the New Hampshire primary which was the first test in the nation of the popularity of presidential candidates.

More than 129,000 voters in the doughty little New England state braved bitter weather Tuesday and indicated a preference for Eisenhower over Sen. Robert A. Taft as Republican standard bearer by almost 11,000 votes, and for Kefauver over President Truman as prospective Democratic nominee, by over 4,000 votes.

Entire Strength Won
But Eisenhower and Kefauver won more than a popularity poll. Both won the entire New Hampshire delegate strength in the nominating conventions which will be held in July in Chicago.

Twelve delegates were committed to give the state's eight votes to Kefauver in the Democratic convention. Fourteen Republican delegates, each with a full vote, must vote for Eisenhower's nomination.

All the other candidates, including a sizeable group given "write-in" votes, were far outdistanced.

Complete Tabulation
The complete United Press tabulation of all of the 297 precincts showed this final standing of the predominant candidates:

Republicans—
Eisenhower 46,441
Taft 35,691
Stassen 6,673
MacArthur write in 3,160

Democrats—
Kefauver 20,240
Truman 16,128

What started out as an interesting popularity contest in a tiny state soon gained impetus as the attention of the country's voters attached itself to the results of the first test with ballots of the vote-getting strength of the presidential aspirants.

Scorching Battle
Soon the campaign resolved itself into a scorching and sometimes carboic battle between some of the candidates themselves and many of the supporters of those whose names had been entered.

Kefauver staged a long and folksy campaign and won, but Taft stumped the state vigorously, yet lost.

Eisenhower maintained a detached attitude at his NATO headquarters in Paris and won, while President Truman remained inactive, and even belittled the importance of the primary, and lost to the Tennessee senator.

A surprisingly large write-in vote went to MacArthur—3,160—though his total was substantially behind former Minnesota Gov. Harold E. Stassen's total of 6,673. William R. Schneider, a St. Louis lawyer whose name was on the ballot, got but 243 votes.

Kefauver Margin Uniform
Kefauver scored a startling set. His margin was uniform through the cities and the rural areas. He interpreted it as a "victory for amateur politicians" and said that it represented a wish by the voters for new faces and new ideals, but did not constitute a repudiation of the Democratic administration.

The complex delegate battles, involving a total of 95 Democratic and Republican candidates, was solved swiftly by the voters—they swept the boards for two preferred candidates. It had been anticipated that the New Hampshire delegations might be split among a number of candidates, for the vote on these was entirely separate from the presidential "popularity" poll.

Many Individuals Favored
There were delegate candidates favoring many individuals, including a full slate for MacArthur. Stassen made a strenuous campaign for "popular" votes—and said he received somewhat more than he expected—he did not enter the delegate contest.

There had been predictions that Eisenhower would run strong in the cities and lack equal strength in the towns. But the general did the opposite in most cases.

Key West —(U.P.)— President Truman Wednesday cheerfully declined to let the New Hampshire preference primary interfere with his early morning stroll through downtown Key West. He wished inquiring newsmen a bright good morning, but as to the primary—"no comment."