

Union Shop Decision Seen as Stimulant For Nationwide Move

Washington — (U.P.) — An AFL spokesman said today that the Supreme Court's validation of railroad union shop agreements will stimulate labor's fight for a nationwide union shop in other industries.

Under Monday's 9 to 0 ruling, the union shop established in

the railway labor act is valid anywhere, regardless of state right to work laws. Airlines also are subject to the act.

Must Become Member

Union shop agreements require a worker to become a union member within 60 days after a collective bargaining contract is signed.

Industry generally is governed by the Taft-Hartley labor law, which permits the union shop only if state law does not forbid it. Eighteen states have raised such bars in the form of right to work laws.

Labor groups have been urging repeal of these statutes. At the same time, they are urging Congress to revamp Taft-Hartley in the pattern of the railway labor act.

Monday's case was started by some Union Pacific Railroad workers who objected to joining the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks. The Nebraska Supreme Court ruled in their favor, and against the railroad and 14 unions, on grounds that the federal law impaired the workers' "freedom of association."

Matters for Future Suits

But Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas said "the requirement for financial support of the collective bargaining agency by all who receive the benefits of its work within the power of Congress under the commerce clause..." He said freedom of expression arguments are matters for a future lawsuit.

George Harrison, president of the Clerk's Union, called the decision a "setback for anti-union forces and stooges." He said unions will continue to work for a change in Taft-Hartley and repeal of state right to work laws.

Newport Garage Damaged by Fire

Newport — (U.P.) — Fire yesterday afternoon raced through the body and paint shop of a garage here, causing damage estimated at \$40,000. In addition to the building damage four cars were destroyed.

Officials said that the fire started when sparks ignited the floor where a steel barrel was dropped.

Newport firemen battled the blaze for nearly two hours, and managed to prevent the flames from spreading to other parts of the building.

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Railroad Workers To Continue Fight Against Union Shop

Omaha, Neb. — (U.P.) — Five Union Pacific Railroad workers insisted today they don't want a union "cramped down our throats" despite the Supreme Court's ruling against their anti-union shop plea.

The union shop principle is wrong, they said, and they will fight it again if they have to.

The railroad men confessed they have not yet decided on their next step, although one said definitely he will not join the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks.

All said they are "disappointed" at the U. S. Supreme Court's ruling Monday that state laws forbidding union shop agreements do not apply to contracts under the federal Railway Labor Act.

Groundwork for Ruling

The disgruntled employees are Horace Cameron, Harold Grau, William Cornell, Robert Hanson and Leonard Koch.

It was their request for an injunction against the railway act's union shop provision which laid the groundwork for the Supreme Court ruling. The court, in effect, said that Nebraska's "right to work" law does not apply to them. Presumably, they must soon join the railway clerks' union or give up their jobs.

The five men said they have nothing against unions, but "will not stand for union membership being crammed down our throats."

Hanson said he won't join the union, no matter what happens. He has already taken a leave to establish a manufacturing business.

President's Colorado Vacation Opposed

Washington — (U.P.) — Maj. Gen. Howard McC. Snyder, White House physician, is personally opposed to President Eisenhower vacationing this summer in the high altitude of Colorado.

Dr. Snyder was asked about the matter Monday at a White House garden party given by the first family for hospitalized veterans.

Snyder said: "I would not be in favor of it." However, he said he had not yet been consulted on the President's vacation plans and his views did not represent White House policy at this time.

The chief executive was vacationing in Denver last September when he suffered his heart attack.

'The Body' McDonald Named in Divorce

Hollywood — (U.P.) — Wealthy shoe manufacturer Harry Karl today sought a divorce from

Battleship Oregon To Be Sold as Scrap

Kwasaki, Japan — (U.P.) — The 60-year-old hulk of the once-proud battleship Oregon, which served the United States in three wars, goes under Japanese cutting torches here next month to be sold by the pound as scrap.

The former U. S. flagship, demoted to ammunition barge at the outset of World War II, was purchased by a Japanese iron and steel firm early this year and towed here from Guam by a British tug.

Two American firms figured in the transaction—the Massey Supply company, of Guam, which bought what was left of the Oregon from the Navy in March, and Jamerich, Inc., of Tokyo, which handled the resale.

Mrs. Peddicord Tells Of Sister's Innocence

Portland — (U.P.) — Mrs. Dorothy Peddicord took the witness stand yesterday in her sister's behalf yesterday as the trial continued of Mrs. Joyce Keller, accused of taking part in the Meier and Frank department store bombing last year.

Mrs. Peddicord, wife of blind chemist William Clarence Peddicord, confessed bomber of the store, testified that her sister, implicated by Peddicord's recorded confession, had no part in the bombing.

Earlier the jury heard the controversial tape recording of Peddicord's confession, made shortly after his arrest, in which he implicated his sister-in-law.

The legal hassle over admittance of the recording had stymied progress of the trial for more than two days.

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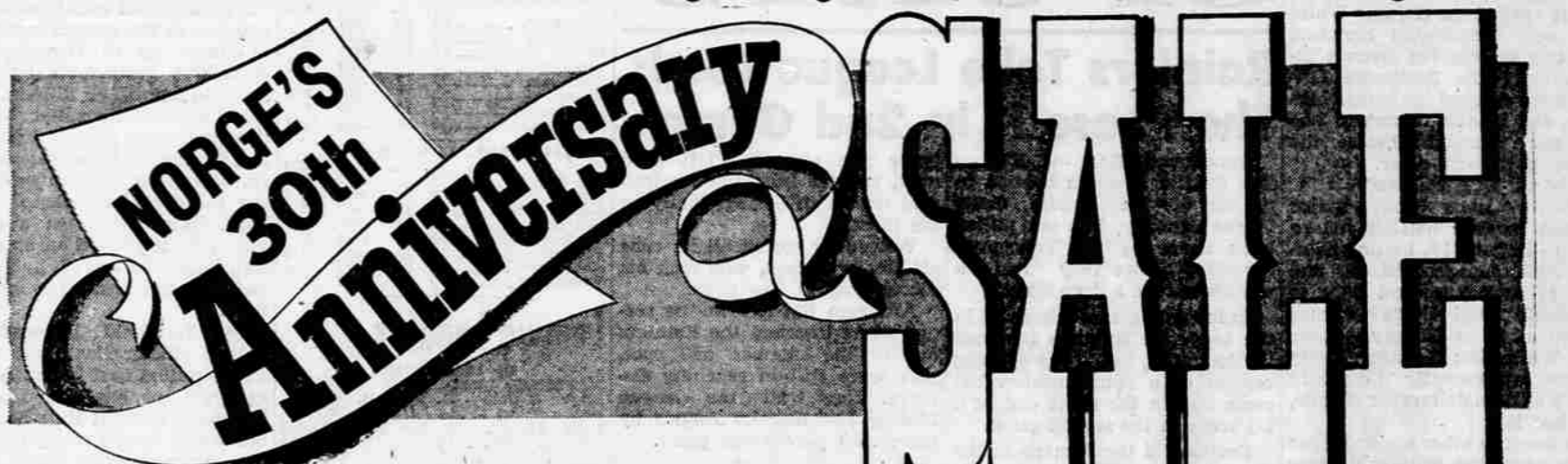
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