

GOVERNMENT MAY EXTEND ABROGATIONS

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they'll be considerably lower," Branch said, explaining that some independent operators already have offered to carry the mail at any price set by Farley. Under existing law, Branch explained, the postoffice could employ funds already appropriated for paying contractors to support an army mail service during the emergency.

The department foresees no difficulty over money but is ready to appeal to congress if it should prove necessary.

Report On Monday

Where the army mail service is instituted there is some likelihood the frequency of service might be reduced below the present standard.

Secretary Hoper designated a committee to study the existing situation and report Monday for guidance of President Roosevelt.

The members: Eugene L. Vidal, assistant secretary of commerce; Major General B. D. Foulis, chief of the army air corps, and Harlee Branch, second assistant postmaster general. All are of the "advisory committee on aviation," created last Wednesday for the formation of a general aeronautics policy for the government.

Chairman Mead of the house postoffice committee, after conferences with administration officials, to newspapermen predicted "a revision of the law which will put airmail on the same basis as other common carriers."

FLIERS ALARMED

NEW YORK, Feb. 10. (AP)—A policy of cooperation with the army in flying the air mail and "100 per cent maintenance of passenger schedules" was declared today by Captain Thomas B. Doe, president of Eastern Air Transport.

Eastern Air, which operates

south out of New York through Washington, Atlanta and Miami, was one of 12 companies cited in the annual order of Postmaster General Farley.

"Our present plans are to continue passenger service on Eastern Air uninterrupted wherever possible and to keep up schedules 100 per cent," Captain Doe said.

NO WORD RECEIVED

PORTLAND, Feb. 10. (AP)—Interest was keen and conjecture broad here today as Airline Service, postoffice officials and army officers studied the government's plan to use the army to carry the airmail.

The postoffice here had received no instructions, nor had Captain Paul Burrows, commanding officer of Pearson Field, army aviation station at Vancouver, Wash.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 10. (AP)—Erle P. Halliburton of Los Angeles, who once was denied an airmail contract and who recently testified before the senate investigation committee, joined contractors today in protesting that the cancellation of all existing contracts was "a terrible thing for stockholders."

Halliburton formerly operated from St. Louis to Fort Worth. At one time he and Senator William Gibbs McAdoo offered to carry air mail at railroad rates. At the senate hearing Halliburton testified to alleged "contract trading."

Communist Bands Lead Paris Riot

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Your Duty" by refraining from rioting.

Officers Wounded

There were no details concerning the reported fatalities, but police listed 27 of their own number as wounded, some by gunfire. They estimated the number of rioters injured at 1,000. Hospitals held 140 persons hurt during the fighting.

When police finally gained control of the streets, telephone poles were down and dozens of streets were strewn with wreckage.

Today the Premier and the 20 seasoned statesmen hand-picked for his "salvation ministry" concentrated on plans to end disorders and show the world "this country has no need for a dictator to assure its existence."

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TIMBER LAND CLEARED OFF BY THIEVES

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timber holders as well as small owners attended the hearing, held to determine whether cut-over land shall be classified for reforestation under the Oregon reforestation law.

Arguments Heard

The procedure followed under the law is for the state board of forestry to determine what lands shall be classified, and the hearing held Saturday was to hear arguments for or against this classification. Reports on the hearing will be submitted to the state board of forestry, which will reconsider the list of lands and forward it to the state tax commission. After reviewing the list, the tax commission will prepare an order finally determining the classification of all the lands involved.

One point brought up at the hearing Saturday by owners of the land was the possibility that their title to the property may be clouded when classified as reforestation land, because the state and county are given a 12 1/2 per cent equity on forest crops which later may be grown on the land.

Representatives of the forestry department stated that the attorney general and the forest service solicitor have held this will not cloud the title.

Objections Presented

Another point raised was that classifying the land for reforestation purposes will raise the taxes paid by the owners. The law provides a yearly payment of 5 cents per acre on such land when classified, while at present cut-over land is assessed at \$1 per acre with taxes of about 3 cents.

Several land owners objected to classifying their land for forest growing, declaring it was more valuable for other purposes.

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Church Announces Series of Meetings In Neighborhoods

A series of neighborhood meetings during the Lenten season were announced Saturday by Rev. Robert Lee Baird, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

The church has been divided geographically and a meeting will be held at a specified home in each district. The first meeting will be held in the lower Pacific Terrace and Hot Springs district, Thursday evening, February 15 at 7:30 o'clock, at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. Baird, 528 Pacific Terrace.

LAMB NAMED BOARD HEAD OF CAMP FIRE

Dr. E. D. Lamb was elected president of the board of sponsors for Camp Fire Girls of Klamath Falls at a meeting held Thursday evening at the Reames home on Conger avenue. Claude Daggett was elected vice president and J. P. Wells, secretary.

Lea Jacobs has been appointed to head the finance committee for Camp Fire, according to an announcement made by Dr. Lamb following the meeting.

Through the courtesy of the California Oregon Power company the spacious Reames home on Conger avenue has been turned over to the Camp Fire girls for a club house, and furnishings for the dwelling are being donated by the Lions club and other friends of the group.

Heretofore, the Camp Fire organization has met in a small cottage on the campus. Provided also by the California Oregon Power company, and this has now been turned over to the Little Theatre Guild for practice and meetings.

The board of sponsors definitely decided Thursday night that summer camping season will be enjoyed by the Camp Fire girls, who now number 250. The membership mark will probably reach 500 by next fall, according to the president of the board.

It is Dr. Lamb's intention to enlarge the scope of the Camp Fire organization in Klamath Falls to a civic juvenile enterprise, enlisting the support of all organizations in the city.

Mrs. Frank Powers, present leader of Camp Fire here, has done much to strengthen the organization, and has had a number of national honors conferred upon her for her achievements in Camp Fire work.

On February 16, the Camp Fire girls will be hostesses at a party at 7:30 o'clock at the Reames home, to which all girls interested in Camp Fire are invited, and on March 17, a grand council will be held at the Elks Temple, celebrating the twenty-second birthday of Camp Fire.

Numerous civic activities are already under way in the Camp Fire organization, including the formation of a brass band, a string quartet, the nucleus for a future stringed orchestra.

The board of sponsors is anxious that the community become acquainted with the work of Camp Fire, and a cordial invitation to visit the Reames home extended to the public at all times.

DR. PEAVY FINDS PUBLIC FAVORABLE

Public reaction to the policy of the state board of high education in selecting acting presidents for the University of Oregon and Oregon State college, appears to be favorable, according to Dr. George W. Peavy, named acting president of the college, who was a Klamath Falls visitor, Saturday.

Peavy, who is dean of the school of forestry at the college, paid a warm compliment to Dr. C. V. Boyer, who was chosen acting president of the university.

"Dr. Boyer and I are working together, and I believe we can conserve for the two institutions that spark of individuality they need so much, without coming constantly to grips," said the visitor. "I am in accord also with the idea of retaining the chancellorship and the single board."

Peavy was here in connection with the reforestation hearing at the courthouse, and later attended the Pomona grange meeting at Keno before returning to western Oregon.

MRS. LUNDQUIST RESIGNS POST

Mrs. Fern Lundquist, who has been employed in the district attorney's office for eight years, has resigned and will remain for some time with her daughter, who is a student at Chico normal school. Mrs. Lundquist has considered leaving the position here for some time because of ill health, and her resignation was effective February 1.

District Attorney T. R. Gillenwaters paid tribute to Mrs. Lundquist as a loyal and efficient worker. She served under W. M. Duncan and W. S. Wiley in the office before, as well as during Gillenwaters' administration.

No appointment will be made at present of a successor to Mrs. Lundquist.

It has been found that the smoke of a cigaret will aid in keeping wasps at bay.

WEATHER

The Cyclo-Stormograph at Underwood's Pharmacy registers a slightly higher barometric pressure than that prevailing Friday and a continuation of present weather conditions over Sunday and the Monday holiday seems fairly well assured.

The Tycox recording thermometer registered maximum and minimum temperatures today as follows:

High 40
Low 17
Forecast for next 24 hours: Fair and cool.

The United States weather bureau reports a trace of precipitation for the 24 hours ending Friday at 5 p. m.; 5.25 for the season to date; 7.60 normal; 4.08 last year.

59 STUDENTS ON SCHOLARSHIP ROLL

Fifty-nine students gained the grand honor roll at Klamath Union high school for the third six weeks. It is necessary to have at least two "ones" and not more than two "twos" to be placed on this honor list.

Freshmen who made the grand honor roll were Edith Aber, Aida Brun, Bill Chicote, Helms Deitsche, Lucille Dillstrom, Lorraine Dunlap, Gene Dybbest, Betty Hauger, Robert Harrington, Floyd Johnson, Muriel Justice, Jack Moorhead, Donald Soule, Freida Sugarman, Ellis Thompson, Joe Vovs and Lois Winegar.

Sophomores: Dorothy Berglund, Margaret Coan, Waltraud Deitsche, Billie Dodge, Edward Goddard, Bertha Heaso, Donald Johnson, Maxine Peterson, Billie Sanborn, Winifred Tucker and Jeannette Wilkowski.

Juniors: Catherine Dale, Benny Goddard, Margaret Goldsmith, Jean Harvey, Allene Hough, Patricia Kellis, Edgar Kimsey, Harold Kleiner, Robert Lind, Margaret Slaymaker, Julia Tomlinson and John Walker.

Seniors: Ruth Bathiany, Rinaldo Brun, Shirley Eschle, Marion Fife, Gerene Tipton, Dorothy Grimes, Perry Hawkins, Pauline Howell, Goldie McCullough, Bill Stampley, George Stephenson, Robert Stevenson, LaVerne Swanson, Emy Lou Telford, Anna Thrasher and Melvin Yaden.

LEAGUE HEAD PREPARES TO FILE PAPERS

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Chase and C. R. Williams, and to send to Salem petitions asking recall of District Attorney T. R. Gillenwaters and County Judge George Grizzle, who are state officials.

Charges Listed

The Gillenwaters petition lists six separate allegations. It charges he is extravagant and has broken his campaign pledges; that he spends his time away from his office and uses his office as a threat to force collections in his private capacity; that he maintains a surplus of clerks and in his private office Klamath county furnishes him a stenographer; that he has neglected his office and used it to advance his personal ambitions, and that he has diverted money from one budgeted purpose to another.

The latter allegation is worded as follows: "That he has diverted money, budgeted for other purposes, to that of another."

The charges in the Grizzle and Chase petitions are virtually the same. They include the allegation:

That they are incompetent, extravagant, and not fair with the taxpayers; that they have committed "acts of malfeasance, that is the doing of acts which he ought not to do at all;" that they have failed to keep election promises; that they have refused to lower the expenses of Klamath county; that they have approved payment of salary for clerk hire in Linkville justice court; that they have approved extravagant expenditures in the district attorney's office; that

they refused to lower the 1934 budget.

Allegations Similar

The Williams petition makes similar allegations, with the addition of the charge that Williams "expended \$3259.53 in making useless trips to Washington, D. C., and other places, without financial return to the taxpayer of Klamath county."

The recall affair continued to hold the spotlight of political interest, and its possible bearing on other May primary races was the object of considerable speculation.

It has been persistently rumored for several weeks that Irwin, the tax league president, is to be a candidate for circuit judge. Irwin has made no announcement to that effect, but is taking the limelight in the tax league fight.

Ed Dunham, a tax leaguer, is known to be interested in the county commissionership. Irwin's statement at the Tuesday night meeting that the tax league did not put Grizzle and Chase into office has inspired a great many "oh yeahs" in political circles. There seems to be little doubt that the league did all they could to advance the cause of Grizzle and Chase in the last election, and with the help of other voters put them in office.

At the time of the last primary election (1932), it was generally reported that Republican members of the tax league group, were supporting County Judge Fred H. Goddard for re-nomination against Tom B. Watters and other candidates, believing Goddard as an incumbent would be easier to knock over in the fall general election. This may or may not have been true, but it was a story that got plenty of circulation.

When Grizzle decided to run for office, he was president of the tax league. He resigned when he opened his campaign.

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