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No Strike Set By Telephone Workers Here

Klamath Falls telephone communications operated "as usual" Friday, unaffected by a telephone employe strike that hit operations in many parts of the country.

Klamath workers stayed on the job after the United Telephone Employes of Oregon announced that they would not halt work for four hours Friday even if other telephone workers did.

Joe Piland, chairman of the joint group committee here for the UTEO, said that the union had been advised by its attorneys to comply with the War Disputes act which requires 30 days' notice before a strike can take place.

Halt Illegal
A union statement said the work halt would constitute an illegal strike, and that the union—a corporation here—is subject to federal law.

Union President Edward T. Healy added that members in Portland were in sympathy with the national telephone workers' stand. They regret, he said, that union by-laws, requiring a membership vote before any strike, prevent them from joining the work stoppage.

Meanwhile long distance lines telephone operators in New York City walked off their jobs at 2 p. m. (EST) today—the hour set by their union for a nation-wide four-hour work stoppage. Long distance lines operators in the nation's capital and St. Louis had left their jobs earlier.

Trans-Atlantic Calls
The New York office handles all trans-Atlantic calls, most calls to South America and some trans-Pacific calls.

Emergency and priority calls were allowed to go through. About 8000 persons on duty in New York were affected, 4,000 of whom were long distance operators.

Supervisors were used in an attempt to maintain service on emergency calls.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—The first nationwide work stoppage by telephone employes in the country's history hit the United States today, disrupting service from coast to coast and to some foreign countries.

Effects Felt
Effects of the walkout were felt from New England to the deep south and from New York City to Los Angeles. Union officials said when they called the stoppage that 250,000 to 400,000 employes would leave their jobs.

Scheduled to start at 11 a. m. (PST) the walkout actually began at noon in Washington. It spread quickly to St. Louis, Miami, Fla., and New York City, and then to most sections of the country. It was due to end at 3 p. m.

AMERICA MUST STAY POWERFUL, CLAIM
Rotarians at lunch Friday heard Frank Jenkins, publisher of The Herald and News, repeat his conviction that America must stay powerful and that no matter what this country's faults and imperfections are, the American way of life is so immeasurably superior to all of the "isms" that it must be preserved.

Jenkins returned a week ago from several weeks spent in England and the European continent. While in England he was a guest of the British government and was able to arrange his further trips into the devastated continent through the United States army.

"In Berlin you get a picture of the fantastic thing which is the Nazi mind," Jenkins said. "All that nazism was, is the biggest racket since the world began. Practically all property in Germany has been confiscated by big shots of the Nazi party."

The publisher said that when Berlin was about to fall, and the subway system was filled with "Continued on Page Two"

WORKERS STRIKE AT 4 TEXAS OIL PLANTS
Four plants and operations of the Texas Oil company were struck today in the Los Angeles area by the Oil Workers International union over demands for a 40-hour week and an increase in base pay of 38 cents per hour, but K. G. Klann, agent of the Klamath Falls branch of the Texas Oil company, said today that the plant here would not be affected immediately.

About 10,000 gallons of gasoline are on hand here now, he stated, which should last for two or three days. However, there is a 30-day supply at Portland which will alleviate the shortage, providing tank cars and trucks and trailers are available to ship the gasoline, Klann said. The supply for this area is shipped to Portland from Los Angeles.

Japs Slapped Behind The Bars They Made For Yanks

OMORI PRISON CAMP, Oct. 5 (AP)—Carrying their own luggage, 21 Japanese suspected as war criminals trudged through a driving rain today, climbed into army trucks and were transferred from the Yokohama jail to this desolate, bleak island stockade where captured Yanks once were humiliated.

The 21 included Adm. Shigetaro Shimada, former navy minister and six other members of the "Pearl Harbor cabinet," Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma, soon to be tried at Manila on charges growing out of the Bataan death march, and others accused of atrocities.

Shoved Aboard
Portly Okinori Kays, finance minister four years ago, alone received any assistance, and that was not flattering. He slipped off a truck's high step. Three soldiers unceremoniously grabbed the sent of his pants and shoved him aboard.

The prisoners—all Japanese; no foreigners were taken today—had enjoyed comparative comfort at Yokohama since their arrests. At Omori they will live in barren, wooden barracks-style structures; bathe in Japan's traditional large, wooden tubs; eat food cooked in huge metal cauldrons and served from large wooden buckets, and sleep on mats on rough, board floors.

That was the way it was when American and other prisoners of war were kept there and that is the way it will be for the Japanese—generals, admirals, cabinet members or plain ex-soldier. There will be this one difference: (Continued on Page Ten)

Arriving In United States

By The Associated Press
Joseph R. Derrah, Sgt. Klamath Falls. Arrives on Frederick Victory due at New York October 5.

Al H. Evans, PFC, 2024 MODOC, Klamath Falls. Arrived on SS King S. Woolsey due at Boston October 4.

Jap Cabinet Quits Today

TOKYO, Oct. 5 (AP)—Japan's cabinet, unable to hew to General MacArthur's decrees for a new birth of freedom in the fallen empire, quit today and aides of former Foreign Minister Shigeru Yoshida said an announcement on a new cabinet would be made tomorrow.

The day ended without official indication that a new premier had been named, and reports persisted that the moderate Yoshida himself would take the helm of government despite his own denials.

Emperor Hirohito accepted the resignations of Prince Higashi-Kuni and his entire cabinet with the comment "that is good," and made it clear that he would ask MacArthur's prior approval of the next premier.

Yoshida Denial
Yoshida's career diplomat, told Japanese interviewers that "it is not I," but they pointed out that he "is always fox and wouldn't admit it beforehand anyway." They added that two visits they said he made to the imperial palace today—and two calls at MacArthur's headquarters—indicated his selection and approval.

They reported this itinerary for Yoshida:

Visited Marquis Koicho Kido, who with Baron Kichiro Hirayama is reportedly advising Hirohito on the new appointment, at 6 p. m. Tokyo time, going a half-hour later directly to allied headquarters.

Possible Choice
Returned to the palace at 6:55 for a second conference with Kido, and 20 minutes later visited the foreign minister's official residence, Prince Fumimaro Konoye, reportedly also a possible choice as new premier, visited Yoshida at 7:30 p. m.

Kido left his office immediately after Yoshida's second call. Yoshida earlier in the day had conferred at length with MacArthur's chief of staff.

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'Globester' Completes Journey



World-circling 'Globester' arrives in Washington, D. C., after a non-stop flight from Hamilton Field, Calif. This plane is the sixth used by the group making the journey. (AP Wirephoto).

Claude Passeau Hurls One-Hit Series Masterpiece As Cubs Blank Tigers 3-0

BRIGGS STADIUM, Detroit, Oct. 5 (AP)—In the greatest pitching masterpiece in world series history, fidgety Claude Passeau hurled the Chicago Cubs to a 3 to 0 victory over the Detroit Tigers today, to give the National League a lead of two games to one in the fall classic.

Putting on an amazing show of control and curves before the largest crowd ever to see a series game in Detroit—55,500—the 36-year-old right-hander allowed just two men to get on base—one on a hit, one on a walk—and

he set the Tigers down in order in seven of the nine innings and never was in trouble.

York Singles
Rudy York singled with two away in the second and was stranded. Catcher Bob Swift walked to lead off the sixth and was wiped out on a double play immediately afterward, and that was the entire extent of the Tiger power as the 36-year-old 10-year veteran in the majors handcuffed their heavy hitters.

This was the second one-hit game in series history, but for pure pitching records far outclassed the job Ed Reulbach of the same Chicago Cubs did in defeating the White Sox 7-1 in the second game of the 1906 series.

Where Passeau pitched a shut-out, Reulbach gave up a run. Where Passeau allowed but one base on balls, Reulbach was touched for six. Reulbach also was guilty of a wild pitch and hit one batsman. Passeau's performance under the dreary grey skies today as the Detroit half of the 1945 classic came to an end, was as clean as a cake of soap.

Cubs Tag Overmire
His mates put the game on ice for him in the fourth inning when they tagged Lefty Stubby Overmire, the second Tiger southpaw to lose in this series, with two runs. They added another unnecessary marker off Al Benton in the seventh and Passeau coasted home, retiring the last 11 men in order after Swift walked in the sixth.

Bill Nicholson "blooped" a single into left in the fourth to knock in Bennett Lowrey, who had doubled, with the first Cub run. It was the fifth run batted in for this series for the Chicago rightfielder, who is leading both clubs in this department, after finishing up his worst hitting season in the majors.

Handy Andy Scores
Roy Hughes sent the second run of the inning scotching home when he pushed a dinky fly safely into short right to bring in Andy Pafko, who had walked. Mickey Livingston, coming

Series Boxscore:
DETROIT, Oct. 5 (AP)—Official boxscore of today's third game of the fall world series.
Chicago (NL) AB R H O A
Hack, 3b 5 0 0 1 1
Johnson, 2b 5 0 0 1 1
Lowrey, cf 4 1 2 1 4
Clemens, lf 4 0 1 1 1
Pafko, cf 3 1 0 3 0
Nicholson, rf 4 0 1 3 0
Livingston, c 3 0 1 1 4
Hughes, ss 3 0 1 1 4
Passeau, p 4 0 1 2 1
Totals 33 3 3 27 9

Detroit (AL) AB R H O A
Webb, ss 3 0 0 2 3
Mehls, 2b 3 0 0 1 1
Mayo, 2b 3 0 0 2 1
Cramer, cf 3 0 0 1 1
Greenberg, lf 3 0 0 1 1
Cullenbine, rf 3 0 0 1 0
York, 3b 3 0 0 3 0
Outlaw, 2b 3 0 0 3 0
Swift, c 1 0 0 2 0
Borom, 2 0 0 0 0
Richards, c 1 0 0 3 1
Overmire, p 1 0 0 0 0
Walker, ss 1 0 0 0 0
Benton, p 1 0 0 0 0
Hostetler, czz 1 0 0 0 0
Totals 27 0 0 17 12

1st—Dan Joe Swift in 6th inning.
2nd—Batted for Overmire in 6th inning.
3rd—Batted for Benton in 6th inning.
4th—Batted for Webb in 6th inning.

Chicago (NL) 000 200 100-3
Detroit (AL) 000 000 00-0
Errors—Mayo, Webb.
Runs batted in—Nicholson, Hughes, Passeau.
Two base hits—Lowry, Livingston, Hack.
Sacrifices—Cavaretta, Hughes, Pafko.
Double plays—Johnson and Cavaretta.
Batted runs—Chicago (NL) 3; Detroit (AL) 1.

Left on bases—Chicago (NL) 8; Detroit (AL) 1.
Based on balls—off Overmire 2 (Cavaretta, Pafko); off Passeau 1 (Swift).
Strikeouts—by Overmire 3 (Passeau 2); by Benton 3 (Nicholson, Passeau, Johnson); by Passeau 1 (Greenberg).

Pitching summary:
Overmire 4 hits, 3 runs in 6 innings; Benton 4 hits, 1 run in 3 innings.
Left on pitcher—Overmire.
Umpires—Passeau (AL) plate; Cannon (NL); Summers (AL) 2b; Jorda (NL) 3b.
Time of game—1:55. Attendance—55,500. Receipts—\$23,497.

The Winnah!
MERRILL—Five pretty Klamath basin girls are in the running for queen of the 9th annual Merrill potato festival to be held here October 12-13. One of the five will be chosen queen at a dance to be held Saturday night, October 6, in the Merrill community hall. The new monarch will reign over the two-day fete following her coronation Friday evening, October 12, at the banquet to be served in the grade school gymnasium. John Housen of Klamath Falls will be toastmaster at the banquet.

The crown will be relinquished by Queen Georgia Liske, Merrill, who reigned at the 1941 festival and is expected that Neil Morfitt, Oregon state commander of the American Legion, will place the crown and garnet velvet robe on her majesty.

Representing the five towns entering candidates are Jo-Ann Kandra, Merrill; Shirley Main, Tulelake; Jean George, Henley; Mary Jane Hornbeak, Malin, and Billie Harris, Bonanza. Other members of the court will be Sara West, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale West; Sally, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley DeLap, train bearers, and young Bob Willis, crown bearer, son of Lt. (jg) and Mrs. Tom Willis, recently of Los Angeles. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dalton, Merrill.

The contestants were chosen by popular vote of their high (Continued on Page Two)



Fidgety Claude Passeau carved himself a niche in baseball's Hall of Fame this afternoon at Detroit by pitching the greatest masterpiece in world series history by holding the Tigers to one hit as the Cubs won the third tilt 3-0 to take a one-game edge. The two clubs will clash in Chicago tomorrow with Dizzy Trout scheduled to take the mound for Detroit and Ray "Pappy" Prim the hurler for the Cubs.

GREYHOUND BUS DRIVERS QUIT; 7 STATES HIT

Bus travel was virtually curtailed here today with approximately 15 drivers of stages serving this area out on a strike which has affected seven western and southwestern states. Pacific Greyhound bus drivers walked off the job because of a union demand for wage increases ranging from 12 1/2 to 30 per cent.

There are now only two bus lines operating to and from Klamath Falls, Greyhound officials here said today. The Red Ball line to Lakeview, running twice a day, has not ceased operation, and the Oregon, California, (Continued on Page Two)

KLAMATHITES URGED TO BOOST FUNDS

Klamath folks were urged to dig deeper into the old sock this weekend and to be ready to make their contribution to the workers in the community fund drive.

"One Day's Pay" was the slogan for the 1945 drive and thus slightly over \$12,000 had been reported to headquarters.

The Klamath Community Fund goal is \$75,000. There are five local agencies which will derive great benefit from the fund and they are the Salvation Army, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls, as well as USO.

General activities of the Sal- (Continued on Page Two)

World-Circling 'Globester' Sets Pace For Weekly H