

Congressional Roundup

WASHINGTON, June 7 (AP)—As in the case of the tax reduction bill, the next move on the Taft-Hartley labor bill now is up to President Truman.

The senate completed congressional action on the GOP-sponsored union-curbs bill last night, approving it 54 to 17.

The legislation now goes to President Truman for his veto or approval. Earlier in the week congress sent him the republican-backed tax cut measure.

Mr. Truman has given no indication of his intentions with regard to the bill.

GOP leaders in congress claim sufficient strength to override a veto of the labor bill, pointing to the senate margin of 54-17 and the house vote of 329 to 79. A two-third majority vote in each branch is necessary to overcome a presidential veto.

However, they conceded that in the case of the tax bill they lacked the strength in the senate to override a veto.

Senator Elender (D-La.), told a reporter he does not expect Mr. Truman to disapprove of the labor bill, adding:

"I think he may write a stinging criticism of it, but accept it primarily on the ground that by July 1 he would have no other tool to fight John L. Lewis."

On the final senate vote 37 re-

publicans and 17 democrats voted for the labor bill, 15 democrats and two republicans voted against it.

Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.), chairman of a judiciary subcommittee looking into alleged vote frauds in Kansas City last fall, announced he will recommend that the senate authorize a broad inquiry with committee sessions in Kansas City.

Ferguson has charged the Justice department "whitewashed" the matter in an early probe of the democratic primary election in which Enos Axtell, with the backing of President Truman, defeated Rep. Roger Slaughter. Axtell subsequently lost the election to republican Albert L. Reeves Jr.

The subcommittee yesterday completed hearings on a resolution by Senator Kem (R-Mo.) calling on the senate to determine whether Attorney General Clark and his aides properly handled complaints about the election. Kem said he thought the investigation should continue.

Other congressional developments:

Politics—Senator Taft (R-Ohio), after firing another round at President Truman in their exchange over economics, asked how the president can oppose a tax cut for individuals now when he approved one for corporations in 1945. Taft declared yesterday that the president's administration must bear responsibility for "having created all the basic conditions which compel high prices."

Information—The house failed to wind up debate yesterday on legislation authorizing the state department to operate a foreign information and education exchange program and won't get around to a vote before Monday or Tuesday. Opponents fired briskly at the bill yesterday. The suggested program would include the "Voice of America" broadcasts.

War powers—Senator Wiley (R-Wis.), senate judiciary committee chairman, said he will name a subcommittee Monday to start hearings on legislation to declare an end to the national emergency and the war. This step would wipe out all but about 66 of the war and emergency laws.

Agriculture—Chester C. Davis, former AAA administrator, told the house agriculture committee today farmers will benefit more under a policy of abundant production than under a program of high prices maintained by scarcities.

A system of regulated price-fixing "extended indefinitely" could harm farmers a great deal. The committee is making a study of long range agriculture policies.

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To Call Events At Rodeo



Cy Taillon of Great Falls, Mont., widely known rodeo announcer, has been engaged by the Klamath Rodeo association, to emcee the 1947 July 4, 5 and 6 show to be held at the fairgrounds.

Klamath Rodeo Association Names Officers For Year

The Klamath Rodeo association announces the roster of 1947 officials of the association with E. H. Balalger as president.

Bill Serruys is vice president, and H. E. Getz, secretary-treasurer. Directors are Marshall Cornett, W. C. Dalton, E. P. Ivory, Arthur Rickbell and Jim Stevenson; E. E. Driscoll and William Kuykendall, legal advisors; Dr. J. C. Hunt, general manager.

Mack Barbour's rodeo stock will be used in the three-day show. Bill Serruys will have charge of concessions at the fairgrounds and Pat Ivory, parade manager. A. Wickman will decorate Main street for the rodeo celebration. Rickbell has charge of the queen's contest.

Pat purses are being offered for rodeo events, with \$1000 for bronc riding; \$500 for steer team roping; \$800, calf roping; \$800, bull riding; \$600, bareback riding; \$800, bull-dogging; \$150, quarter-mile free-for-all; \$150, stock horse 1/4-mile race; \$300, five-eighths mile free-for-all; \$150, best-reined cow horse; \$5 per day, musical chair.

Entries close at 8 p. m., July 3. Entrants may write or wire the Klamath Rodeo association, Klamath Falls, Ore.

Grange Confab Ends Today

BEND, June 4 (AP)—Oregon State grange delegates were en route home today after demanding a referendum on a recently enacted state law to encourage the Idaho Power company to build a \$10,000,000 dam on the Snake river.

The measure, passed by the last legislature, took away the state's right to acquire private power projects after two years' notice. Acquisition notice can be had only by condemnation.

The 600 delegates in their final session of the annual convention also condemned the "poor quality" of fruit jar tops and rubbers, and urged action against low-flying planes which frighten poultry.

Astoria was named for next year's convention, at which time the biennial election will be held.

The grange heard an appeal from James Marr, Oregon AFL secretary, for support of the workmen's compensation program. He said labor agreed with the grange's stand on public power and opposition to a sales tax.

Sugar Ration End Hoped Soon

WASHINGTON, June 7 (AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Anderson said today that "we'll get out of sugar rationing, as far as household consumption is concerned, as quickly as possible."

He appeared before the house banking committee to testify on two bills—one calling for elimination of all sugar rationing for home consumption, the other giving priority on sugar to those using it for home canning purposes.

POSTMASTERS

WASHINGTON, June 7 (AP)—President Truman has sent to the senate these postmaster nominations for Oregon:

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P. M., 2:30 o'clock—Dr. A. F. Crittenden, Executive Secretary, and Rev. Ellis B. Evans, Sunday School Secretary, of the Southern Baptist General Convention of California.

P. M., 8:00 o'clock—Rev. Harry Moratto and Life Service Band from Howard Payne College. Training services for every age . . .

A. M., 9:45 o'clock—Sunday School led by H. G. Shirey, Supt.

P. M., 6:45 o'clock—Training Union led by Mrs. Perley Webster, Director.

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Teen-Ager Killed In Flaming Car

PORTLAND, June 7 (AP)—One teen-age passenger died in the flaming wreckage of a "hot-rod" near here last night and four of his companions were injured seriously.

In addition two rescuers suffered burns, one requiring hospitalization.

The dead youth was Clifford Paranto, 18, Portland, a passenger in the light touring car that crashed into an oil truck at Linnton, burned to death. Wesley Madsen, Portland, a city fireman passing by, helped pull three other boys from the flaming wreck. A fourth was thrown clear.

Madsen was hospitalized for burns. The truck driver, Russell G. Weaver, also suffered slight burns in the rescue work.

Weaver said he was part-way onto the highway from a side road, when he saw the car approaching. He halted the truck and trailer in hopes the car would swing around him, he said. The car hit a 60-gallon gasoline tank on the truck running board, spraying the automobile with flames.

The others injured: Richard D. Talmadge, 17, burns; Edwin Wallace, 18, back injuries; Richard Weston, 16, leg injuries; Chester Deffen, 17, who was thrown clear, a broken nose. All were from Portland.

CARNIVAL



"Indeed I do remember my first case, young man—yes indeed! The law school sued me for my tuition!"

Slater Speaks At Rotary

In a talk on his experiences in India and China, Lawrence Slater told Rotarians Friday that the tragedy of United States efforts to help China is that the 10-year-old Chinese civil war is now being waged with American supplies.

The former air force officer said that his experiences in the China-Burma-India theater coincided with the stories of sabotage, and the "gouging of both Chinese and others trying to help China by ruling groups of Chinese" that were reported by other Americans who served in this theater.

Slater, whose talk was given on the third anniversary of European D-Day, was introduced by Dr. Charles Eugh.

President Sam Ritchey spoke briefly in memory of Rotarian Leslie Rogers.

Krug Fishes At Oregon Lake

McMINNVILLE, June 7 (AP)—Julius A. Krug, secretary of interior, got away from it all today at an Oregon fishing lake where there is not even a telephone.

He arrived here by plane late yesterday and was met by officials from McMinnville and the Bonneville administration. They left at once for Meadow lake in the Coast range west of here.

Krug was expected to spend part of today touching up a speech he will deliver at the Reed college commencement ceremonies in Portland tomorrow.

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6:45 P. M.—Training Union for All Ages, Nursery.

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