

# Mediation Fails At Boeing Plant

SEATTLE, May 7 (AP)—The personal intervention of U. S. Conciliator Cyrus S. Ching apparently had failed today to sway the Boeing Airplane company from its refusal to negotiate with present representatives of its 14,500 striking employees.

William M. Allen, president of Boeing, wired Ching last night that "we must respectfully decline" to attend proposed joint meetings in Washington Monday with the International Association of Machinists and the conciliation service if the purpose of the meetings is "to bring the parties into collective bargaining negotiations."

Allen said, however, that if Ching wanted it, the company would send three representatives to the meeting "for the purpose of giving those present complete facts in support of our position that the strike is illegal."

No reference was made by Allen to the Aeronautical Mechanics union, an affiliate of the IAM, which represents the workers on strike.

Allen declared in his telegram to Ching that the strike by the AMU violated the existing contract. He said that under the national labor relations act, an illegal strike removes the collective bargaining rights of those engaged in the strike. "Your attention is called to the fact," he told Ching, "that this issue is now pending before the national labor relations board."

Allen named James P. Murray, vice president of the company; James D. Eary, labor relations manager and DeForest Perkins, of the company's attorneys, to go to Washington if Ching wants them to present the company side of the dispute.

Meanwhile, a committee named by Mayor William F. Devin reported today it was unable to find a basis for resumption of negotiations between the company and the striking union. The committee was named last week to explore possibilities of ending the strike.

# Circus Has Big Cast



The King and Queen of the Air, a thrilling aerial team, will be one of the feature attractions on the midway of the American United Shows, coming to Klamath Falls fairgrounds for six days, starting Monday, May 10, under the auspices of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, nationally known as the king of the hillbillies and well known on the air, as he appeared on all of the leading radio shows of its kind for the past 12 years, will have with him in his Hollywood Hillbilly Jamboree such radio artists as Big Pete Potter, Hillbilly love song singer; Clara-belle, the gal from the mountains; Fiddlin' Jimmy Vance, Eddy Williams, Baby Sandre, 5-year-old singing star, claimed to be the youngest hillbilly in the show business; Frankie Scott, and in a special tented barn dance theatre will put on three shows each evening. The first show will start at 8:30 p.m.

This will be the first time a show of this kind has ever been presented on any carnival midway. We feel that it was about time that the carnivals gave the show-going people something for their money, not just a few tents with nothing much in them for people to see. We also have Capt. Elmbert and his daredevils in the big motor-drome, good Fun House, a wild animal show, boxing and wrestling show and a good girl revue. In new rides we are featuring that new 52-foot high thrill ride, the Hi-Ball, and twin ferris wheels and a special kiddie land park.

Ramblin' Tommy Scott, star of stage, screen and records, and his Hollywood Hillbilly Jamboree, will be one of the many feature attractions on the midway of the American United Shows, coming to Klamath Falls fairgrounds for six days, starting Monday, May 10, under the auspices of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, nationally known as the king of the hillbillies and well known on the air, as he appeared on all of the leading radio shows of its kind for the past 12 years, will have with him in his Hollywood Hillbilly Jamboree such radio artists as Big Pete Potter, Hillbilly love song singer; Clara-belle, the gal from the mountains; Fiddlin' Jimmy Vance, Eddy Williams, Baby Sandre, 5-year-old singing star, claimed to be the youngest hillbilly in the show business; Frankie Scott, and in a special tented barn dance theatre will put on three shows each evening. The first show will start at 8:30 p.m.

# Bad Weather Slows Farm Work In Area

By C. A. HENDERSON, County Agent

The week just closed has not been very good for spring farming. Some work was done between showers in plowing, planting and land preparation but showers occurred so regularly that a continued farming operation could not be carried on. Quite a bit of grain was planted mainly on the smaller farms and a few fields of potatoes were planted in the south end.

Extremely wet soil conditions continue on much of the winter flooded lake bottom land that produces the major grain crop of the Klamath area. Undoubtedly, much of the planting of this land will be extremely late and some general farming plans undoubtedly will be changed.

**Spuds Cut**  
Some indication that growers are reducing potato plantings to some extent. The county AAA committee has asked that anyone intending this should notify the county committee at his earliest opportunity, in order to reduce the cost

of their certificates of eligibility. This charge is based on so much per acre on an average county normal yield and after the May 25 date the goal charge will be required but reductions can be made to actual acres planted up to that date.

Cost of these certificates will be 1 cent per cwt. on the average county normal yield up to July 15 and 2 cents after that date up to September 15. After this date, eligibility certificates cannot be issued and growers without them will not be eligible for support. Livestock operators report extremely backward conditions in the

growth of spring feed and that hay and grain feeding is still heavy throughout the area. It looks like all of the hay will be cleaned up if the unseasonably cool weather continues.

**PREXY**  
SALEM, Ore., May 7 (AP)—George Hurt, of Warrenton, Ore., will be 1948-49 president of the Willamette university student body. School elections named William Harris, Seattle, first vice president. A run-off election will be necessary to select the secretary. Candidates are Joak Cloudy, Ketchikan, Alaska, and Carol Dimond, Portland.

# Medford Man Wins Government Award

PORTLAND, May 7 (AP)—A Medford man who showed the government how to save \$500,000 had his reward today. It was a \$1000 check from the government, awarded to Francis Durante, accountant formerly with the war assets administration here. He devised an inventory analysis system, using machines in place of laborious hand work. It was adopted at a saving estimated by Col. John P. Hough, San Francisco, zone WAA administrator, at a half-million dollars.

The check was presented at a special luncheon yesterday at which Durante was guest of honor. Durante now is an accountant at Medford.

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