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PASSENGER RATES MAY BE INCREASED TO CURTAIL TRAVEL

Director McAdoo Tells House Committee Some of Things He May Do

Washington, Jan. 23.—To curtail travel on the national railroad during the war, Director General McAdoo may soon increase passenger rates. Passenger trains also may be further reduced later.

Called today before the house interstate commerce committee to explain what steps have been taken and are contemplated to relieve the freight congestion in the east, McAdoo indicated that among other steps, drastic reduction of passenger traffic is essential.

"For the present," he said, "a halt has been called on the curtailment of passenger trains because many state commissions, with the best of intentions, started wholesale slashing of this service."

"Before the passenger service can be reduced much more, in order to prevent many disturbances, the great amount of travel must be decreased. When that time comes I think the rates ought to be raised."

At the request of Chairman Sibbs, the director general first took up the provision of the bill appropriating \$500,000,000 as a revolving fund.

"The railroads will do their own financing under the government control plan," McAdoo stated, "but with the government back of them to stabilize their credit."

It is impossible, McAdoo stated, that the revolving fund will have to be used to make up deficiencies in operating cost.

"The amount of railroad securities that must be quoted this year will be about \$222,000,000," the director general said, "with equal amounts for 1919 and 1920."

Turning to the status of railroad employees on a question from Representative Egan, McAdoo stated that the railway workers are in effect government employees, but technically they are not.

Representative Wilson, Massachusetts, charged that many railway employees, believing they are in the government's employ, are growing lax in their work.

McAdoo sharply denied the charge, saying his reports indicated the contrary. The spirit of both officers and employees in this respect is most gratifying, the director general said.

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TROOPS GOING OVER

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ways and means of increasing the transport of men.

The state department said today that as far as it knew, there was no truth in reports that Colonel House is soon to make another trip to Europe, in view of Austrian developments.

It announced official confirmation from various points as to the strikes in Austria, but figures to show the extent of this movement were lacking. Both political and economic factors enter into the present upheaval, it is said.

"A man's politics in Europe now have a start in his stomach," said one official. Austria's food situation, the state department is advised, is worse than either that of Germany or Hungary.

The department still lacks word as to when Chancellor Hertling will answer President Wilson's war aims speech, but advice reaching here show he is "walking on eggs" and having special difficulty in knowing what to reply.

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Candidate for the Republican Nomination for United States Senator from Oregon.

The principles upon which I stand and to which I pledge myself are:

1. To support the national administration and the heads of the government with all my ability and energy in the speedy and vigorous prosecution of the war to a peace satisfactory to the democracy of the world and compatible with the highest ideals of our civilization.

2. To the application of the selective draft in practice as well as theory, which shall insure organization of the national army and at the same time reserve the necessary labor and supplies for the continuation of our industrial pursuits and commerce.

3. To an equitable control and regulation of food supplies, commerce and industry, and the establishment of a primary market in Portland on equal basis with Chicago and eastern ports.

4. To a nation-wide prohibition and to all measures which shall make it practicable and operative and not theoretical.

5. To permanently establish equal suffrage in both state and nation.

6. To establishment by the federal government of a naval base at the mouth of the Columbia river.

7. To effective rural credit legislation and administration with a particular view to its adaptability to the needs of Oregon.

8. To construction by the federal government of a military highway along the Pacific Coast, and federal aid in the construction of permanent highways.

9. To see that Oregon participates, all things being equal, in national trade, commerce and industry, and that our state is given recognition in the federal expenditures made necessary by the war.

10. To legislation which shall bring to a settlement the public lands question.

11. To the organization and mobilization of all our industrial forces, with a just and proper consideration of the rights of labor, which shall guarantee co-ordination of American efforts during the war.

12. To legislation that will permit the natural resources of the great West and Alaska to be used, at the same time being careful that these natural resources are used economically.

13. To the removal of the misunderstanding and opposition on the part of the federal authorities which has restricted Oregon's commercial expansion and retarded her industrial development.

14. To the development of Oregon's great shipping ports, through federal improvement of waterways, and harbors, the maintenance of a merchant marine on the Pacific Ocean, and a just recognition on the part of the federal government of the importance, value, commercial and industrial advantage of Oregon's location, situation and harbor, and shipping facilities.

15. To a policy of conservation and reconstruction which shall insure our national integrity, honor and commerce and the moral and civic purity of our people.

16. To have that high regard and consideration for the interests and progress of humanity and the nation at large, which is typified by a conscientious and moral observance of true Christian civilization.

If you have not received the full and complete copy of my platform and principles write me at Stanfield, Oregon.

(Paid Adv.) R. N. STANFIELD.

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