

UNREST GROWING IN RANKS OF ORGANIZED LABOR MUST PAY DEATH PENALTY FOR ACT VERDICT DIRECTS

UNION MEMBERS SUSPICIOUS OF LABOR OFFICERS

Fight Between Howat and Lewis Has Caused Much Bad Feeling.

Men Feel Leaders Are Not Waging Battle Strong Enough.

By RALPH BURTON. Special Correspondent of The Tribune. Copyright, 1921, by The Tribune. Washington, Oct. 1.—Unrest in the ranks of organized labor as an accompaniment of unemployment is giving many members of labor unions and sympathizers with union organizations a considerable degree of earnest concern.

They assert it is no secret that there is a good deal of dead wood in the labor movement. Neither can it be denied that there are many labor politicians.

One indication of the unrest which is stirring was the uproar which arose at the miners' convention in Indianapolis Thursday over the question of officials' salaries, which were cut very appreciably. Then came a proposal to make a refund of some of the money they had already received, and in this the officers were supported by an overwhelming vote, so overwhelming, in fact, that more votes were cast than the total to which the whole convention was entitled.

Howat and Lewis Clash. For a long time of course there has been brewing between the Howat and Lewis factions of the miners. It has been charged that the officials of the miners would not permit any discussion of the proposals of the officials.

Have Own Troubles. The railroad unions have their own troubles, which came to light at the time of the strike in New York. Their members think their organization unnecessarily top-heavy. They contend that they have too many paid officers and that they are molested for enormous sums in dues without receiving anything proportional in the way of benefits.

Officials Deny Rumor of Oil Workers' Return

Bakersfield, Calif., Oct. 1.—Rumor, appearing almost simultaneously in a half dozen oil towns in California, that the strike of oil field workers would be ended by today (Sunday), the first day of its fourth week, was denied by the union leaders.

RATIFY RUSS TREATY. Christiania, Norway, Sept. 30.—By the vote of 69 radical socialists against 47 of the conservatives, the Norwegian assembly ratified the commercial treaty with Russia.

Smoot's Sales Tax Plan Meeting With Favorable Comment on Senate Floor

Bill Is Substitute for the Many Miscellaneous War Levies and It Is Claimed Will Simplify Present System; Senator King Also Has New Levy Idea Ready for Approval.

Washington, Oct. 1.—A growing sentiment in the senate in favor of Senator Smoot's plan for a manufacturer's sales tax as a substitute for the many miscellaneous war levies, was claimed Saturday by proponents of such a tax. They predicted that the more senators studied the pending revenue measure the more they would come to favor the sales levy.

Republican leaders had not made a canvass of the majority membership and were without accurate information as to the strength of advocates for this form of taxation. Many senators on both sides were known to be giving careful attention to the proposal, but a majority were apparently withholding final judgment until after hearing detailed explanation of the plan which has been promised by Senator Smoot on Monday or Tuesday.

Other amendments by Mr. King proposed repeal of the transportation tax of one cent a gallon on cereal, still and other soft drinks, instead of two cents as proposed by the committee and repeal of the \$2,000 exemption allowed corporations. Still other amendments by Senator King proposed elimination of provisions under which corporations would be allowed deductions for reasonable wear and tear on property used in trade or business and for depreciation on such property of the cost of manufacturing facilities or of vessels acquired for the production or transportation of articles contributing to the production of such property.

Batter Throws Bat Into Grandstand; Players and Crowd Start Riot on Field

Seattle, Oct. 1.—Rioting at the ball park Saturday afternoon during the game between Seattle and San Francisco's coast league teams involved players on both sides, three umpires and more than 1,000 fans before the police finally restored order. No one was seriously hurt.

According to bystanders, trouble started when Walsh, left fielder for San Francisco, became provoked at Umpire Jacob Croter and threw his bat at the grand stand. Croter ordered Walsh off the field and three umpires and more than 1,000 fans before the police finally restored order. No one was seriously hurt.

Greek Immigrant Quota for Year Has Been Filled

New York, Oct. 1.—Claiming that the authorized quota of Greeks admissible to this country in one year has now been filled, immigrants from Greece Saturday were refused admission by Ellis island authorities.

Nine Day Feast Marks Celebration of Rivals in Gotham Chinatown

New York, Oct. 1.—Members of the Hip Song Long and the On Leong tong, rival Chinese merchants' associations, mingled in a feast Saturday when the latter celebrated the opening of its new six-story headquarters in the heart of Chinatown. The scene in past years of many a bawdy arising out of the long wars.

EUREKA PLANT TO BE A STATE VOCATIONAL HUB

New Chemical Industry Will be Linked to Montana's Night Classes.

Training Director to 30 Centers in Operation This Winter.

Special to The Tribune. Helena, Oct. 1.—Workmen who will be employed in the new plant of the International Chemical Products company now nearing completion at Eureka are to be educated in the processes which they will be called upon to carry out, through the medium of the department of vocational education of the state.

This step was decided on during the present week at a conference held at Eureka by G. B. Edwards, director of the state department of vocational education; Dr. S. E. Acree, vice president and manager of the International Chemical Products company; A. R. Ford, principal of the Lincoln county high school; and H. K. Smith, instructor in chemistry at the high school, who will take up the work of instructing the young men who are to be employees of the company.

Well-Equipped Teacher. The work will be in charge of H. K. Smith, who has just been secured as instructor in chemistry in the Lincoln county high school and who has had considerable experience in similar work in Wisconsin and New York.

The plant which is being constructed at Eureka is a graduate student and assistant in forest chemistry at the college of forestry at Syracuse, N. Y., as assistant in charge of a laboratory in which mucic acid production was developed on a large scale, joined the staff of the International Chemical Products company in technical work at Wilmington, Del.

Will Employ 175 Men. The International Chemical Products company, whose plant is nearing completion and which it is expected will be in operation in about a month, will manufacture from tamarack butts, a one product of Lincoln county, a substance known as mucic acid, which is a digestible substitute for tartaric acid and a base for any citric acid flavoring. It is also known to be a cure for diabetes.

OFFER BOND ISSUE.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Announcement of a general offering of federal farm loan bonds totalling \$60,000,000, was made Saturday night by the treasury department. The issue will bear 5 per cent from October 3.

VOTING ON STRIKE.

Omaha, Oct. 1.—Union street car conductors and motormen are voting to determine if sentiment is for or against a strike to resist a reduction in wages, effective Saturday.

Parley Offers Japan Golden Opportunity to Settle East Questions

Golden Opportunity to Settle East Questions. Juvia Yajima, President of Nippon's Woman's Association, Coming to America to Work in Interests of World Peace; Success Is Assured. Claim—May Discuss Racial Question.

Tokio, Oct. 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—Prince Iyesato Tokugawa and Vice Admiral Kato, minister of marine, will sail for the United States on board the liner Kashima Maru from Yokohama October 15 to take part in the conference on the limitation of armaments and far eastern questions in Washington.

NEW WITNESS IS SOUGHT FOR SOUTHWEST CASE. Former Friend Wanted by State to Testify at Woman's Trial.

Another Venire Will Be Called in Effort to Secure a Jury. Twin Falls, Idaho, Oct. 1.—A new witness in the case of the state against Lydia Meyer, now on trial here in district court, is sought by prosecutor Frank Stephan in the person of Lester Thornberg, a friend of the defendant prior to her marriage to Meyer.

Carried Insurance. Thornberg carried a government life insurance policy of \$10,000. At this time Mark Southard was known as Mrs. McHaffie although her name was properly Mrs. Harlan C. Lewis. Lewis was married to the defendant at Denver, March 10, 1919.

Opportunity for Japan. Viscount Kaneko, who presided at the dinner given by Charles B. Warren, the new American ambassador, on Wednesday night, declared the Washington conference would be a golden opportunity for Japan to clear away misunderstandings and to state frankly and straightforwardly her national aims and aspirations.

Booth Lassies Will Be at Legion Meeting. Kansas City, Oct. 1.—The doughboy and the doughnut will be reunited when the American legion meets here November 1 and 2.

Strike Ballots Mailed to Packing Employes

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Strike ballots are being mailed to organized employes of the larger packing plants of the country but the vote will not be on acceptance of a reduction of wages, local union leaders said tonight.

ORDER TO CELEBRATE.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—The seven hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Third Grove of St. Francis will be celebrated here Sunday.

Convicted Man Quiet as Finding of Jury Is Read; Mrs. Johnson, Sister of Mahoney, Collapses; Agreement Was Reached by Jury After a 5 Hours and 40 Minute Debate.

Seattle, Oct. 1.—James E. Mahoney, charged with killing his elderly bride for her money, was found guilty of murder in the first degree, his penalty fixed at death, by a jury in superior court here Saturday night.

When the verdict was read, Mahoney gripped his chair, and seemed about to rise, but settled back in his seat. His sister, Mrs. Dolores Johnson, collapsed and was carried from the court room. The jurors, four women and eight men, were polled, and each answered firmly that he or she had signed the verdict of guilty and the special finding specifying the death penalty.

TWO ARE KILLED AS AUTO JUMPS SPEEDWAY TRACK. Anton Soules and Mechanic Meet Death When Car Plunges Over Track.

Fresno, Oct. 1.—Anton Soules, race driver, who was injured when his car hit a hole and shot through the fence on the Fresno speedway here Saturday afternoon in the San Joaquin valley classic race, died at a hospital here shortly after 8 o'clock. His mechanic, Harry Barner, who was severely injured, died later.

Car Demolished. The car was demolished. Earl Cooper and Jimmy Murphy were started far back in the field, were following the flying San Francisco boy and cut down the other cars, one after another, finally going into second place in the tenth lap.

Sheriff Disperses Klansmen's Parade; Gun Play Follows. Waco, Texas, Oct. 1.—Nine men are known to have been wounded and others are thought to have received injuries when a posse, headed by Sheriff Bob Buchanan, attempted to disperse a parade of Ku Klux Klansmen at Lorena here Saturday. About midnight no deaths had been reported although the American flag from the procession was shot from the air.

Finance Director Sees Alleviation of Stress by Credit Arrangement. Washington, Oct. 1.—Important results are being obtained from the agricultural credit arrangement made possible by the extended powers of the war finance corporation, Eugene Meyer, managing director of the corporation, said Saturday upon his return from a three weeks' tour, which took him to the west coast.

HELD FOR YALE ROBBERY.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 1.—Two men, arrested on a train a few miles east of here Saturday, are held in connection with the robbery of \$3,000 in cash and bonds from the postoffice at Yale, Wednesday. The men gave their names as Henry Watson and Robert Bell.