

TEACHERS SEEK PUBLIC SUPPORT FOR HIGHER PAY

Will Have Four-Minute Talks and Auto Parade in Business Section Saturday to Close Week's Campaign.

The city board of education next Monday night will be besieged by delegations from various civic bodies with petitions asking the board to grant the request of the teachers for an immediate advance in the salary schedule, if plans made by the members of the teachers' association are carried out.

Following a daily advertising campaign in the newspapers, which has been carried on this week, the teachers will give a final demonstration Saturday, with an auto parade through the business section, with a series of four-minute speeches. Thousands of cards, asking the board to grant the teachers' requests for increases in their salaries, are to be distributed and those which are signed will be presented to the board Monday night as evidence that public sentiment is with the teachers in their campaign. Banners supporting the movement are also being distributed to motorists.

The teachers in the city schools, realizing that without public sentiment they cannot hope to secure advances in salary, are this week conducting an advertising campaign in the newspapers in an attempt to secure public recognition. They have abandoned the coercive methods which a majority of them adopted a year or two ago, and are placing their requests now upon the higher plane of justice to the children of Memphis as well as to the men and women who are devoting their lives to the cause of education.

Make New Requests.

The committee from the teachers' association last Monday night presented new requests to the board of education. Briefly, they ask a revision of the salary list, with an advance for those with one year's service to \$2,000 and an additional \$5 a month for each year of service up to five years or over. They ask that the increase be made effective back to Jan. 1, and that the additional pay be given them June 1. They estimate that the new salary schedule will cost the city \$147,000.

The board last Monday night agreed to grant \$25 a month increase to all white teachers, effective May 1, and \$100 a month to colored teachers, effective from then to Sept. 1, but a financial string was attached, which was that money must be provided for the increased expense.

The city taxes are never collected before Sept. 1, therefore although the city administration is pledged to fix a tax rate large enough to give the schools all the money which the school board appropriates for salaries, no funds will be available until the taxes are paid. The teachers' association also has asked the school board to adopt the salary schedules recommended in the recent United States bureau of education report, beginning Sept. 1. That recommendation was that fixed salaries be fixed for the grammar schools at not less than \$1,000 a year, with a maximum of \$2,000, and high school salaries at \$1,500 to \$2,500. The school board has announced no decision on that request, but apparently the members do not intend to adopt it, for in the budget estimates filed with Mayor Payne, the increase in salaries is placed at \$240,000, which only covers the \$225 a month advance recently voted upon.

WEARS PALM BEACH BUT GOES FOR COAL

The incongruity of a city detective fighting the high cost of living was manifest Thursday when Detective Frank Chiozza appeared at police headquarters dyked out in a new, gray palm beach suit. He had on his winter's felt hat, but when the detective was picked up at Chiozza's the sergeants promptly sat them down with a bump.

"Well, I tell you," said Chiozza, "I may be scratching the season a little bit, but that's alright. I have to tell you a funny joke, anyway. I got up this morning and put on my palm beach suit—I gotta R.V.D.s underneath, too—and what you reckon my wife said first thing? 'Frank, she said, 'Go get a load of coal. We gotta keep the six kids warm.' 'And I had-a go to the coal office in my palm beach and get-a load of coal. I tell-a you we gotta fight another war to make do 'n' live better."

GIRL WINS HONORS.

Second honors for Tennessee in the army recruiting essay contest have been awarded to Juanita Jones, Brunswick school pupil, according to information just received. Brunswick led all Shelby county schools in this contest. Every school in the state was represented in the contest.

DEFEAT BOLSHIEVIKI.

TOKIO, April 22. (By the Associated Press)—The war office today announces the crushing defeat by the Japanese of 1,500 Bolsheviki troops at Chinoisk, west of Chita, in Eastern Siberia.

FRENCH PRESIDENT DECORATES WALSH

John M. Walsh, terminal superintendent of the Illinois Central and Y. & M. V. railroads at Memphis, who served as major in the railway division of the American expeditionary forces during the war, has received another recognition of his brilliant military record. President Deschanel of the French republic has conferred upon Maj. Walsh the decoration of knight of the order of the Black Star. The decoration has just been received through William S. Biddle, adjutant-general at Washington. The award was made in recognition of service to the French republic in maintaining railroad service in the war zone.

Maj. Walsh has also received a citation from Gen. Pershing for meritorious service at the front, as well as high commendation from other authorities. During the greater part of Maj. Walsh's service overseas, his headquarters were at Verdun, where he was responsible for keeping open the railroads carrying all supplies to the allied soldiers at the front. None of the five lines under his jurisdiction was closed after he was given command.

ATHLETIC BOARD NAMED.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 22.—Gov. Morrow today appointed members of the state athletic board of control which will supervise boxing matches in Kentucky under a law enacted by the last legislature. The members are: Frank B. Russell, Thomas M. Smith and Charles F. Granger, all of Louisville; Robert D. Anderson, Louisville, newspaperman, will be secretary of the board.

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SOME BUSY STORKS

PIGGLY WIGGLY bets or avers, if it is more modest to aver, that there is not even a man in Memphis that would want to see as many storks as there are around the border of this advertisement, but even if he did it would be a consolation to know that storks work for PIGGLY WIGGLY, too, and that even though in Memphis already there are twenty-five (25) PIGGLY WIGGLY stores there is another to be born tomorrow—Friday—in Memphis at

66 SOUTH MAIN STREET

Next door to the Commercial Trust & Savings Bank, Main and Union Avenue.

On Lamar Ave. at the Corner of Willett St.

PIGGLY WIGGLY twenty-seven will be born on Saturday of this week.

These storks have been given the job of taking to Washington, D. C., on Thursday, May 6th, twenty-five (25) PIGGLY WIGGLY stores at one time, all in one day, and right here in Memphis there will be more announcements later.

Best Granulated Sugar, per lb. (limit 2-lb. package to a customer).....	19c	Sea Foam Washing Powder.....	4c
Meadow Gold Creamery Butter, per lb.....	73c	Gold Dust Washing Powder—small size.....	4c
Big Chief Bread, 10c loaf for.....	8c	Gold Dust Washing Powder—large size.....	28c
Big Chief Bread, 15c loaf for.....	12c	Searchlight Matches—large box.....	5c
Roll'd Oats (Quaker Brand)—per package.....	11c	Crisco—1-lb. can.....	33c
Roll'd Oats (National Brand)—per package.....	10c	Crisco—1/2-lb. can.....	49c
Kellogg's Bran—per package.....	16c	Crisco—3-lb. can.....	97c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes—per package.....	11c	Crisco—6-lb. can.....	\$1.90
Krinkle Corn Flakes—per package.....	8c	Snowdrift—2-lb. can.....	64c
Post Toasties—per package.....	11c	Snowdrift—4-lb. can.....	\$1.25
Puffed Wheat—per package.....	14c	Snowdrift—8-lb. can.....	\$2.45
Puffed Rice—per package.....	17c	Mazola Oil—pint cans.....	36c
Quaker Grits—2-lb. package.....	13c	Mazola Oil—quart cans.....	67c
Ralston Wheat Food—per package.....	18c	Wesson Oil—pint cans.....	38c
Mother's Wheat Hearts—per package.....	21c	Wesson Oil—quart cans.....	72c
Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour—per package.....	14c	Wesson Oil—half-gallon cans.....	\$1.40
Aunt Jemima Buckwheat Pancake Flour—per package.....	15c	Chief Flour—24-lb. sack.....	\$1.77
Jiffy Cake Flour—per package.....	23c	Chief Flour—12-lb. sack.....	92c
Ivory Soap (family size)—per cake.....	8c	Chief Flour—6-lb. sack.....	48c
Ivory Soap (laundry size)—per cake.....	13c	High-Grade Flour—24-lb. sack.....	\$1.65
Lenox Soap—per cake.....	4c	High-Grade Flour—12-lb. sack.....	86c
Octagon Soap—per cake.....	7 1/2c	High-Grade Flour—6-lb. sack.....	44c
Fels Naphtha Soap—per cake.....	7 1/2c	Beauty Biscuit Self-Rising Flour—24-lb. sack.....	\$1.82
Crystal White Soap—per cake.....	6 1/2c	Beauty Biscuit Self-Rising Flour—12-lb. sack.....	94c
P. & G. White Naphtha Soap—per cake.....	7 1/2c	Beauty Biscuit Self-Rising Flour—6-lb. sack.....	49c
Premium Family Soap—per cake.....	4c	Libby's Evaporated Milk—large can.....	11c
Star Soap—per cake.....	4c	Libby's Evaporated Milk—small can.....	5c
Palmolive Soap—per cake.....	8c	Borden's Evaporated Milk—large can.....	11c
Crema Oil Soap—per cake.....	9c	Borden's Evaporated Milk—small size.....	5c
Star Naphtha Washing Powder.....	4c	Carnation Evaporated Milk—large can.....	11c
Octagon Washing Powder.....	4c	Carnation Evaporated Milk—small size.....	5c
Rub-No-More Washing Powder.....	4c	Dime Brand Condensed Milk.....	15c
Grandma Washing Powder.....	4c	Eagle Brand Condensed Milk.....	23c

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