

Army of 125,000 Enlisted Men Is Agreed Upon

Senate and House Conference Reach Decision—Two Sections Are Still to Be Determined.

Washington, June 18.—House and senate conferees on the army appropriation bill reached a compromise late today on an army of 125,000 enlisted men for the next 12 months. This represents a reduction of 8,000 from the figure and an increase of 10,000 over the size of the army fixed by the house.

Decision as to the conference report on the enlisted strength leaves only two important sections of the annual supply bill yet to be considered, exclusive of the Muscle Shoals amendment appropriating \$7,500,000 for a continuation of work on the federal power project in the Tennessee river. It already has been agreed by the conference committees that that question should be submitted direct to the house because of the controversial character of the subject involved.

It was expected that a reduction from the number of officers fixed by the senate would follow the compromise as to enlisted personnel. The house fixed a maximum of 11,000 as the number of officers, while the senate amendment put the officer strength at an average of 12,530 for the coming year.

Portuguese Aviators Welcomed to Brazil

Rio de Janeiro, June 18.—Captains Sacadura and Coutinho of the Portuguese navy completed the last lap of their great transatlantic flight when they arrived here today from Victoria. The aviators were met and escorted to the city by Brazilian army and navy aviators. The entire city turned out to welcome the Portuguese officers, the water front being lined with thousands of spectators who watched the craft alight on the bay.

The city is decorated with Portuguese and Brazilian flags, and numerous banquets and receptions are planned in honor of the aviators. Portuguese societies throughout Brazil have raised money to be spent in entertaining their compatriots.

Los Angeles, June 18.—A blood test convinced Everett Campbell that he is the father of a 10-months-old girl, whom he was charged with failing to support. After Dr. C. L. Thudicum had told the court that a test of the defendant's blood showed him to be the father, Campbell said he would accept full responsibility and asked provision so that he might earn a living for his daughter.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given in general to the public that the original Indian Medicine Company, known under the name of Was-Ca-Na, has NO branch offices in Omaha.

It has been rumored about that there are people in Omaha who are selling Indian medicine, claiming it to be our own. We wish to inform the public that this medicine is not in any way connected with ours, and anyone stating so to this effect is falsely misrepresenting us.

There is a certain company in the city of Omaha that is selling this medicine which is pending investigation for infringing upon our rights. The final outcome of this matter will be made known to the public in a few days.

Respectfully,
MR. AND MRS. E. R. LEEFER.

Omaha Man Director of Junior C. of C.



Indianapolis, June 18.—Ray P. Wilbur of Springfield, Mass., was elected president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of the United States at the closing session of the third annual convention of the organization here.

Mark Havens, Omaha, was elected to serve as a director of the organization.

Labor Meeting Dates Changed to Late in Fall

Delegates Plan to Hold Meeting in Newport, Ky., and View Scenes of Bloodshed in Strike.

Cincinnati, June 18.—(By A. P.)—Observing a Saturday half holiday, the American Federation of Labor convention here today continued through a short session in a sultry hall, with the principal business being an overwhelming decision to change the convention date from June to October.

The committee, which is headed by B. M. Jewell, president of the railway employees' department of the federation, meeting after the convention adjournment, decided to call in a number of lawyers for advice. Among the lawyers asked to meet with the committee Monday night were Jackson H. Ralston of Washington, Morris Hillquit of New York, William Glasgow of Philadelphia, E. L. Grant of Fort Smith, Ark.; Henry Warrum of Indianapolis, Frank Mulholland of Toledo, Daniel E. Reichberg of Chicago and James H. Bahey of Boston.

The council report on the Colorado decision declared that farmers' co-operative societies were affected by the decision as well as labor unions.

Another development, outside the convention, was the laying of plans by federation leaders to have the convention moved across the Ohio river one day next week to Newport, Ky. where a strike at a steel rolling mill has been on since last October.

Banker Seeks Damages From Man He Says Assaulted Him

Central City, Neb., June 18.—Chesler A. Frazier, president of the State Bank of Silver Creek, through his attorney, E. E. Ross, filed suit in the district court of Merrick county against John Maxwell, alleging that on June 5 the defendant unlawfully assaulted him, knocking him unconscious. The trouble arose, Frazier alleges, over his refusal to cash Maxwell's check because of insufficient funds.

Senate Leaders in Bonus Clash Show Strength

Indications Are Republican Compromise Plan to Have Bill Follow Tariff Will Prevail.

Washington, June 18.—The soldiers' bonus broke unexpectedly in the senate when democratic senators attacked the reported compromise agreement of republican leaders not to call up the measure next Monday but to have it follow the tariff bill.

For two hours the party leaders clashed with no effect except for additional indications that the republican plan would prevail. It was openly declared by some of those present, however, that an effort would be made in any event to call up the bill next week and the situation was further complicated by failure of the senate today to dispose of the naval bill which went over until Monday largely because of today's protracted discussion of the bonus.

The senate fray followed conferences between President Harding and republican senators at which the president was assured that Monday's conference of the republican senators would result in holding the tariff before the senate, but with a declaration the bonus bill should be passed before congress adjourns.

Brown Describes Flight From Omaha

Sieken murder, committed in Omaha a short time before his affair with the women, and wouldn't discuss reports that at the age of 17 he "got his man" in Iowa.

He reviewed his trip along the Lincoln highway all the way from Omaha to Rock River, Wyo., and gave exact details of his escapades at various points along the route.

He slipped the fact that he supposed he would get a life sentence following his forthcoming conviction, but he was tight-lipped when it came to confessing to anything more serious than robberies and holdups.

Senator McCumber asked point blank by Senator Ashurst whether he intended to call up his bill when announced June 8, to call up the bonus bill and lay aside temporarily the tariff measure until 10 days or so. Interruptions of other senators prevented Senator McCumber from replying immediately, but later, in a lengthy statement in behalf of the bonus, he said he would be content if the republican conference Monday would renew definitely what he said was the pledge of the party in power to pass the bill before adjournment.

Senator McCumber said rumors were common that some democratic senators intended to filibuster against the bonus bill in order to delay the tariff measure if the bonus should be put ahead, but Senator Ashurst denied that any filibuster would be attempted.

Both Senators McCumber and Ashurst questioned Senator King of Utah, a democratic opponent of the bonus, regarding his attitude, but Senator King was noncommittal and Senator McCumber said he had "suspicions" regarding the probable length of Senator King's discussion.

Tourists Get Thrill as Police Search Ship

New York, June 18.—Justice, a tiny police boat, the world's largest expanse, a Californian sought for grand larceny, and two policemen figured in an episode that provided a thrill for the hundreds of tourists on the outward-bound Majestic.

Two policemen hopped into the headquarters automobile, reached the Majestic just before her sailing time, noon, and started a search for their man.

As the Majestic reached Scotland Light, outside of Sandy Hook, Cheesborough was found chatting with another passenger. The police boat, far in the rear, signalled and the liner reduced speed.

Cheesborough and the policemen climbed down a rope ladder to the police boat and the Majestic steamed on.

Glories in Escapade

He gloried in his having left two Sidney officers bound up in their own suspenders and of coming west in possession of their rifles, jail keys and money.

He owned up to the fact that some 15 years ago he was Ernest Busch, sheep herder, and later got out of this state when accused of being a horse thief.

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Louisville, Ky., June 18.—A lieutenant from the army air service and sergeant from the photographic section were burned to death when their airplane fell near a crowd of spectators at a benefit air circus exhibition here this afternoon. The fliers killed were Lieut. Robert E. O'Hanly of the Seventh photographic section, 85 squadron, and Sergt. Arthur Opperman of the same organization.

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Xenia, O., June 18.—A warrant for his arrest on a desertion charge was on file against Rev. W. W. Culp, 35, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Spring Valley, near here, who eloped Wednesday with Miss Esther Hughes, 18, music teacher, who was boarding at his home.

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Hastings Man, Pierced by Arrow, Still Survives

Possesses Bloodstained Weapon With Which Indians Wounded Himself and Brother.

Hastings, Neb., June 18.—(Special.)—Hastings has the distinction of having the only living man on record ever shot clear through the body with an Indian arrow, the arrow passing through his body and into the body of his brother, pinning the two together. He is Nat Martin. He is now a retired farmer, living in Hastings, 74 years of age, strong and husky, and rather enjoys exhibiting the arrows, showing the wound in his side, and telling of the incident.

He and his brother, Robert, lived with their parents about 15 miles northwest of Hastings on a homestead. They had been with their father in a field all day making hay. It was toward evening when nine Indians rode up on ponies, bent on stealing the Martin horses.

One, slipping up behind the wagon, and shooting through the hay, wounded the father.

Thought Boys Dead

The father, seeing the boys fall and supposing them dead, took the other members of the family and fled for safety to Fort Kearney.

Nicholas Murray Butler Attacks La Follette

Atlantic City, N. J., June 18.—Calling on Senator La Follette to lay aside "the livery of the two historic political parties" and to put on the livery which he should wear and take both the name and the uniform of a "destructionist," Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, last night replied to the Wisconsin senator's speech before the American Federation of Labor in Cincinnati yesterday, in which he urged a constitutional amendment for congressional veto of the United States supreme court decisions.

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H. F. McCormick Is Operated on by Gland Expert

Treatment of Former Harvester Head Planned to Restore His Youth and Vitality.

Chicago, June 18.—In a walled-off wing of Wesley Memorial hospital, Harold F. McCormick, recently president of the International Harvester corporation, is undergoing surgical treatment which is destined to restore his youth and vitality. He is under the care of Dr. Victor D. Lespinasse, recognized in the United States as the discoverer of the rejuvenative effects of gland transplantation.

Fond of Outdoors

Mr. McCormick is now 51. He has always been active in outdoor sports, but it is said a specialist recently told him he should abandon much of his physical activities, because of his years and submit to a gland transplantation.

Dictates to Stenographer

Only members of his family were permitted to see Mr. McCormick today, although his stenographer took his dictation for an hour.

Claims She Is 19

According to the girl and other friends, she is 19 years old. Mrs. Gerrity claims that she is not yet 18. "I wrote back to Pennsylvania and found out that I am now 19," said Margaret. "I am ready now to take care of myself."

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'Lost' School Girl Found; Refuses to Return Home

Central High Senior Says She Is Through With Foster Mother Who Raised Her.

Margaret Gerrity, who disappeared from her home last Wednesday, said Saturday that she ran away, fearing that her foster-mother, Mrs. Mary Gerrity, 1145 Park avenue, would be keenly disappointed and angry because she did not pass in enough grades to enable her to graduate with this year's Central High school senior class.

Took Her to 6 Years

"I took Margaret into my home when she was 6 years old," said Mrs. Gerrity. "I adopted her from a poor family in Pennsylvania. I feel very much because I have worked hard to raise her to womanhood and gave her every opportunity to obtain a good education."

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