

UNCLE SAM TO GET LABORERS

Plans For the Joint Action of National and State Authorities Made

Just how the United States Department of Labor and Post Office are going to co-operate to get hands for farmers, is attracting attention now at the Capitol, where the subject has been a cause of real concern.

HE THOUGHT HE HAD TYPHOID

Felt So Weak, Tired and All Run Down He Was Scared

"I was all run down," says Al. Morrill, the popular barber, who lives at 157 Paxton street, Harrisburg, Pa., "and it had me worried for I was afraid that I was in for a spell of sickness and I feared that the typhoid germs had tackled me. I had heard about Tanlac and I wondered if it would fix me up so I got busy and started taking this remarkable medicine. It certainly did fix me up in great shape. Today I'm feeling tip-top. I eat more than any two men should, I sleep like a top and I can do a big day's work without getting tired out. I am no longer afraid that I am on the list for typhoid and I feel so strong now that I could give it a good fight. Tanlac is now being introduced here at the George Gorgas Drug Store.

which, if labor is available as the department says it is, should be of great assistance. The plan is briefly as follows:

Each rural carrier and every postmaster will be supplied with application blanks which farmers needing help can fill out. The farmers are asked to fill out such blank stating wages offered, length of employment offered, character of farm work to be performed and the living conditions offered. These blanks need only be dropped into the rural mail box. The carrier will take them to the local post office where the local postmaster, being an agent of the local farm labor office, will endeavor to fill the calls from the available local supply. If he is unable to do so, he sends the application to the nearest larger postoffice that has been designated as a district office, which will draw on the surplus workers in the nearest towns and cities. As applications are received, the postmasters will display a notice in the office, stating the number of men wanted and the wages offered, but omitting the name of the farmer desiring the help.

In addition to the blanks for farmers, each postmaster and carrier will have blanks for applicants for farm work. These will be handled in a similar manner. The extent of the system can be appreciated when it is remembered that there are about 55,000 fourth-class post offices in the country, each of which will act as branches of the Employment Service. In addition, there are nearly 44,000 rural carriers. The county agents of the country will also act with the postal officials in this work. The Department says of its plan: "The success of the farm labor supply system depends almost entirely upon the co-operation which the farmer himself gives. He must notify the local postmaster of his labor requirements in time."

PRESIDENT CLEPPER RESIGNS

Columbia, Pa., March 11.—Henry B. Clepper, a newspaperman and for fourteen consecutive years president of the Keystone Fire Company, of Columbia, has tendered his resignation. He has been commissioned lieutenant of the second platoon of Company L, Pennsylvania Reserve Militia, and will devote his time to military duty.

"INSIDE WORKS" CODE DRAFTED

Industrial Board Moves to Prevent Accidents by Mill Locomotives

A state code to govern operation of locomotives, shifting engines, "dinkeys" and cars within industrial plants from considerations of safety is being discussed at a meeting of members of the State Industrial Board and a committee representing men familiar with such operations at the Capitol and will likely be promulgated during the summer. This code will apply to scores of plants as it will affect not only those having their own engines and cars, but where rolling stock of lines enters for inside work.

The committee to formulate a code for safety and sanitation in the printing code has been called for a meeting in Philadelphia on March 15. This code will be one of the most extensive drawn since the State Board began to establish regulations for various trades in which both employers and employees are represented. The new state codes governing use of cranes in all kinds of establishments; all types of scaffolds, construction and operation of both inside and outside kinds, one of the most complete ever drawn in this country; and moving picture machines which handle inflammable films have been issued. The latter establishes the system for licensing operators and simplifies a number of matters in the act of 1917, relative to booths for such appliances. The proposed code to govern eye protection, which will regulate use of goggles, will be considered by a committee in charge to meet in Harrisburg March 19.

DRY FEDERATION SEEKS HARMONY

Pittsburgh Statement Says That All Forces For Amendment Should Unite

That the Dry Federation of Pennsylvania will strive to consolidate "dry" forces of the state, was evidenced in a statement given out in Pittsburgh yesterday, by the executive committee consisting of William E. Porter, of New Castle; R. H. Negley, of Pittsburgh; George Rankin, of Wilkingsburg; John E. Gill, of Franklin; Mrs. Ella M. George, of Independence; J. Denny O'Neil, of McKeesport; the Rev. Charles Scallion, of Pittsburgh; Lex N. Mitchell, of Punxsutawney; the Rev. R. A. Hutchinson, of Pittsburgh; the Rev. Rufus W. Miller, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. J. O. Miller, of Pittsburgh. The statement indicates that the "dry" intend to prosecute a vigorous campaign for the election of a majority of the next Legislature, which will be pledged to ratify the national prohibition amendment.

The statement reads as follows: "From the detailed reports which we have received from every part of the state, we are able to say with confidence that a majority of the members of the Legislature elected this year, will be pledged to ratify the national prohibition amendment. To make a 'dry' victory certain we propose to raise a fund of \$100,000 and expend it in giving publicity to the 'dry' candidates in the various legislative and senatorial districts. We wish to lay great emphasis upon this fact. The voters of Pennsylvania will vote this year upon a 'dry' or 'wet' state, just the same as they voted yes or no. Every vote for a legislative candidate, is an indication of the voter's preference with regard to the liquor traffic. For every member who is elected will certainly vote on this question when he gets to Harrisburg.

"All the 'dry' forces will be behind the same set of candidates. There will be no division in the ranks. All the agencies in the state which desire the elimination of the liquor traffic, are working in harmony, and a divided house, no matter how much it may be fostered by our common enemy, is not possible. The importance of the 'dry' movement compels us to emphasize the personalities of individuals connected with it and the prospects of success are so bright that we are determined that nothing shall prevent the presentation of a solid front.

"There will be a meeting at Harrisburg during March, of committees representing all 'dry' agencies in the state, for the purpose of laying the ground for joint agreements on all candidates. This meeting is the out-growth of the successful convention of the Dry Federation, held at Harrisburg, February 14th, in which were represented practically all the counties of the state, a great impetus to the 'dry' movement resulting therefrom.

"We are taking practical steps to make sure that our voters qualify themselves to vote in the elections this year, but we wish to inform all persons interested in a 'dry' Pennsylvania, that it is highly important that they participate in the primaries of May 21st, as in many districts the issue will be decided there. All residents of cities of the first and second class, who did not register last fall must do so on April 17th. The date for third class cities is May 1st and for all boroughs and townships March 19th and 20th. These are the only registration days for the spring primary.

"It should be in mind by all voters that the law requires enrollment according to party preference and that a voter not so enrolled cannot vote a party ballot at the primary. Voters who are not enrolled or those who wish to change their enrollment may do so on the registration days.

"With the resolution adopted by Congress submitting national prohibition to a vote of the legislatures of the various states only a few months old, eight of the 36 required have already ratified the amendment. These states are Mississippi, Virginia, Kentucky, South Carolina, North Dakota, Montana, Maryland and Texas, and they are the only states which have so far voted at all on the question. Of these eight states, three—Kentucky, Maryland and Texas—have been classed as wet. As 27 of the 48 states are already dry a gain of three is apparent and only six more are required to attain the desired number of 36. We believe the time is ripe for Pennsylvania to join the majority."

POSSE KILLS MEXICANS AFTER RANCH IS RAIDED

Laredo, Texas, March 11.—Between five and ten of the Mexican bandits who raided El Ranch, Thursday night, were killed by Captain Ryan's company of rangers, according to Sergeant Willis, who was one of the posse in pursuit of the band.

Willis, who returned to Laredo last night, reported that it was believed eight of the bandits escaped by scattering through the brush.

STATE FAIR ASSOCIATION TO MEET HERE TO-MORROW

Election of officers and other important business will be discussed at the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs to be held here to-morrow. The meeting will be opened at the Bolton House, at 1 o'clock. Matters discussed at conferences in the various districts during the year, will be brought up and acted upon at this meeting.

BEES FROZEN DURING WINTER

Columbia, Pa., March 11.—Dr. E. E. Sterner, of Wrightsville, Pa., who had 250 hives of bees, containing at least twenty-five thousand in each hive, lost about seventy-five hives the recent cold weather. Whole colonies of bees were frozen and the loss in money will reach about \$1,000. In the summer season, Dr. Sterner has about twenty-five million bees and he produces about three thousand pounds of honey.

CORPORAL TO LECTURE

Columbia, Pa., March 11.—Corporal R. Derby Holmes, a Boston boy, who fought with the British Royal Army and was with one of the big tanks in the battle of the Somme, in which fight he was buried alive for nearly seventeen hours, will lecture in Columbia under the auspices of the High School Alumni Association, March 20. He is 26 years old and will tell of his experience in that battle. Corporal Holmes is a pensioner of the British government.

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COUNTIES SEEK CLOSED SEASON

More Wish to Have Game Commission Prevent the Shooting of Deer

According to what has been heard here lately, there will be a number of counties now closed to certain kinds of hunting, which will ask the State Game Commission to continue closed periods. Fifteen counties, whose closed seasons on deer, quail, wild turkey or other game expire this fall, will probably be among those asking for a closed season on grouse and are expected to ask

further extensions. The desire seems to be general to keep counties closed to deer hunting. Among the counties whose closed seasons expire this year are: Allegheny, deer, quail, grouse and pheasants; Blair, Bucks, Cambria, Chester, Delaware, Venango, Montgomery and Westmoreland, which differ from each other in a few particulars. Fayette and Columbia are closed on deer until this year. Clearfield and others have closed seasons on squirrels and quail expiring this year. Just how many will ask continuances is not known. Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, Secretary of the State Game Commission, is taking steps to bring to attention of sportsmen the conditions in regard to establishment of State Game preserves and auxiliary preserves. Difficulties in obtaining leases on adjoining lands are holding up this work. It takes a fifteen year lease with no railroads or other lines run-

ning through it to establish a preserve and moreover the preserves must be 2,000 acres to 3,200 acres. If on leased land, there must be at least 3,000 acres surrounding it so that sportsmen can have a place to hunt. The auxiliary preserves take 250 to 2,000 acres, to be leased for ten years. There are now twenty preserves.

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