

Truman Ready To Yield on 2 Labor Issues

Bars All-Out Fight On Bureau Shift And Injunctions

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (UP)—The administration is ready to yield on at least two major issues—including use of injunctions to break national emergency strikes—which are involved in the congressional battle over a new labor law, it was reported tonight.

Reliable informants said there would be no all-out administration fight to win these proposals in President Truman's labor bill.

ONE: The return to the Labor Department of the Federal Conciliation Service, which the Taft-Hartley Law made an independent agency.

TWO: Abandonment of the injunction weapon in emergency machinery for handling strikes threatening the national health and safety.

These concessions were indicated as an administration spokesman in Congress conceded that a long, tough battle lies ahead in writing a new labor law to replace the Taft-Hartley Act.

Willing to Yield

A high official in the executive branch said the administration is willing to drop the provision for returning the Conciliation Service to the Labor Department in order to avoid risking defeat on other more controversial issues.

And a Senate administration spokesman said the Senate, at least, was almost certain to vote to keep the agency independent anyway.

Organized labor is more interested in killing amendments to permit anti-strike injunctions in national emergency cases.

The administration bill proposes that disputes endangering the national health and safety be handled with 30-day cooling-off periods and fact-finding boards empowered to make settlement recommendations.

Ives' Views

While there is no express power to use injunctions for enforcing the provision, Mr. Truman and Attorney General Tom Clark have claimed inherent power in the Presidency to seek injunctions to protect the national welfare. Republican leaders have disputed them.

Sen. Irving M. Ives (R. N. Y.) said he favors dropping the government's injunction weapon against national emergency strikes. He told reporters that temporary congressional action would be necessary in any national crisis resulting from a strike, regardless of whether the injunction was available.

Mr. Ives helped frame the Taft-Hartley law.

Paul O. Malcolm Rites Tomorrow

Paul O. Malcolm, 5130 E. Michigan St., who died Friday in General Hospital after an illness of nine months, will be buried in Crown Lane Cemetery, Noblesville, following services at 2 p. m. tomorrow in the Wald Funeral Home. He died at 47.

Services will be conducted by the Rev. R. M. Doddrell, pastor of the Broadway Baptist Church, of which Mr. Malcolm was a member.

Mr. Malcolm, a native of Cicero, Ind., was a mechanic. An Indianapolis resident 49 years, he was a member of the 103rd Main Bible Class, Broadway Baptist Church, and Irvington Lodge No. 666, F&AM.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Kenneth L. Cox and Mrs. Harry P. Brittan, and a half-brother, Fred W. Turner, all of Indianapolis.

Funeral Tomorrow For Donald Ambler

Services for Donald L. Ambler, veteran of naval service in World War II, who died Friday in Billings Veterans Hospital, will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow in the Conkle Funeral Home.

Burial will follow in Crown Hill. A native of Muir, Ind., Ambler, who was 25, had lived in Indianapolis 20 years. He served in the Navy six years and saw action during the last war in the South Pacific. He attended Ben Davis High School.

Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther L. Ambler, Hazelhurst, Ga., he is survived by a brother, Leroy Ambler, New York City; seven sisters, Mrs. Glen Fisterer, Mrs. Clara Vickins and Mrs. Anna Belle Blair, Indianapolis, and the Misses Evelyn Marjorie, Mary and Ida Louise Ambler, Hazelhurst, and a grandmother, Mrs. Clara Shaw, Indianapolis.

Of All Places

OSSINING, N. Y., Feb. 12 (UP)—The housing problem has hit Sing Sing Prison, too. A prison census showed there are 1851 convicts and cells for only 1822. The overflow is being housed in temporary quarters.

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Dr. Yergan will speak on "The People Are Right." He holds a master's degree from Harvard, was given doctorates by Howard and Lincoln Universities and served on the international committee of the YMCA for 23 years. He attended the UN organizational meeting in San Francisco. Dr. Yergan was the recipient of the Harmon award in 1928 and the Spingarn award in 1938.

The race relations committee of the Church Federation will sponsor the brotherhood meeting. Dr. C. W. Wharton, committee chairman, will preside.

New England Mutual Shows Rise in Business

In the three post-war years, the New England Mutual Life Insurance Co. issued more than half again as much new life insurance as in any other three-year period in the company's history. George Willard Smith, president, announced at the annual meeting. The company now has \$2.6 billion in force.

Services Monday For Mrs. Clouser

Mrs. Amma I. Clouser, who died Thursday in her home, 2342 N. New Jersey St., will be buried in Holy Cross Cemetery following services at 9 a. m. Monday in St. Peter and Paul Cathedral. She died at 73.

A former resident of Crawfordsville, Mrs. Clouser is survived by 10 children, including two Sisters of Providence, Sister Agnes Celeste and Sister Mary Celeste.

Other survivors include another daughter, Mrs. Edward Bernauer; and seven sons, Theodore, Leo, John, Bernard, Peter and Thomas Clouser, Indianapolis, and Alfred Clouser, Phoenix, Ariz., and 19 grandchildren.

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