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BEESON QUITS HOUSE COMMITTEE

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personal privilege Thursday morning to deny the charge of "railroading" and to announce his resignation from the labor and capital committee, the unfavorably reported right-to-work bill, with a minority report attached, was received by the House in regular order.

When the House convenes Sunday night for the next to last week of the session, the bill will be on second reading, at which time the proponents will move to accept the minority report, engross the bill, and advance it to third reading and final passage.

Opponents will have the opportunity, if they wish, to move to lay the measure on the table. If supported by a majority of House members present, the motion, which is not debatable, would kill the bill for the present session.

Beeson told the House Thursday morning that Wednesday night on the House floor he polled all the members of the committee with the exception of Reps. J. Claude Meraux, St. Bernard, and Lloyd G. Teekell, Rapides, who were not present at the time, and "the great majority of them said they didn't care when I reported the bill."

He said he asked Garrett and the latter said he didn't have time to draft a minority report.

"I told him," Beeson continued, "that we would give him five minutes to make one up, but he didn't move."

"The committee leaned over backwards to be fair, but we were hamstrung before we started. We have a deadline. We beat the deadline and then get criticized."

Tessier told the House that Beeson had asked him Wednesday night on the floor if he was agreeable to the bill being reported Thursday morning, and he assented to the proposal.

"Later, however," Tessier continued, "it began to be whispered around the floor that the bill was going to be submitted that night. I checked into it and found the unfavorable report of the committee was going in without a minority report, and Garrett objected to this."

"The hearing on the bill, I can say, was without question one of the most dignified we have ever had in the House, in spite of the tense feeling on both sides.

"There may have been some misunderstanding, but Mr. Beeson has done a very fine job under difficult circumstances and he should be proud of that."

The controversy over the committe report was the second occurring in the House over the "right-to-work" bill since it came from the Senate two weeks ago.

When the measure came up in the House for referral to committee earlier in the month Garrett moved that it be considered by the committee of the whole House, Rep. Kenneth H. Cagle, Calcasieu, moved as a substitute it be sent to the committee on labor and capital.

After an hour and a half of heated argument the House accepted the compromise proposal of Rep. Albert B. Koorie, Orleans, that it be sent to labor and capital with instructions to report it back to the floor not later than June 24, which was Thursday.

"The outburst on the floor followed several hours of backstage negotiations between the proponents and opponents of the measure on the question of referral to committee, with Garrett charging that the labor and capital committee had no intention of giving the bill a fair and impartial hearing.

"We advanced the idea?" Garrett told the House after the negotiations broke down, "of setting up committee hearings within the next 10 days and asked the committee to go along on a two or three day hearing. The committee said it didn't want any part of it; that if they got hold of the bill they would handle it as they saw fit. I've even heard it said in the House that the opponents are planning to hold a 10-day hearing."

Beeson denied Garrett's statement, said that proponents of the bill must have been the ones who circulated the reports of a 10-day hearing, and heatedly declared that "it is a lie for anyone to say that I intend to get rold of the bill just to strangle it."

Rep. Raymond R. Radovich, Orleans, another committee member, explained then that the proponents of the bill had offered to let it come to the labor and capital committee provided the committee would agree to limit the hearings to two or three days, and afterwards report the bill out, either favorably or unfavorably.

"How can a committee be impartial," he asked the House, "if it has to commit itself to certain things even before it receives the bill?"

SUMMER AMATEUR CONTEST TO BEGIN

Summer amateur contests will begin at 6:30 p. m. Sunday on the Isidore Newman handstand in Audubon Park. Contests will be held each Sunday for nine weeks.

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Entries may be made by calling WAlnut 2752, according to George Douglass, park superintendent.

LEGION UNIT NAMES NINE NEW OFFICERS

The newly-elected officers of the American Legion Auxiliary Pontchartrain Unit, were announced by the new president, Mrs. Alida Kovenich.

They include the following: Mrs. Iola Chisesi, vice-president; Mrs. Perla Harris, treasurer. Mrs. Carmen Frost, secretary; Mrs. Florence Ford, chaplain; Mrs. Lilly Catalanotto, historian; Mrs. Eula Sturdivant, sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. Elise Dedehant and Mrs. Ed Rena Shields, color bearers.

FINAL RITES SET FOR LABOR CHIEF

Joseph Timothy Shea Sr. Succumbs at 78

Funeral services for Joseph Timothy Shea Sr., labor leader and former member of the Louisiana Legislature, will be conducted Friday at 10:30 a. m. from the P. J. McMahon and Sons Funeral home, 4800 Canal, followed by rites at Sacred Heart of Jesus church. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery No. 2.

Mr. Shea, 78, died Thursday night at his residence at 115 Beverly dr., Metairie.

A native of New Orleans, he was at the time of his death president and treasurer of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Shipbuilders and Helpers of America, New Orleans Lodge No. 442, which he organized.

Mr. Shea served four years in the Legislature in the early 1930s, having been elected from the Third Ward.

He was employed for 36 years by the Southern Railway and for 16 years was a deputy United States marshal. He was an organizer of the Harmony Club, a member of the Banks Social Carnival Club, Inc., and of the Cardinal Gibbons Council No. 2918, Knights of Columbus.

Survivors include his widow, the former Miss Ellen Killilea; two daughters, Mrs. Rose Shea Caserta and Miss Margaret Shea; a son, Joseph Shea Jr., and a brother, James Shea.

Prisoner's Death Classed Natural

A 40-year-old prisoner at the Orleans Parish Prison died about 10:58 a. m. Thursday and the coroner's office has classified it as a natural death.

Joseph Leumont, 40, 1438 France, was pronounced dead by a Charity hospital ambulance doctor on arrival at the prison.

Leumont was picked up at 1 a. m. Thursday on a capias for reckless and drunken driving and fleeing the scene of an accident.

He was charged following a collision with a vehicle being operated by Mrs. Dorothy S. Anthony, 21, Loranger, on June 10 at Poland and Marais.

Pfc. Harold Oalmann and Raymond Mauterer said that Leumont's car collided with Mrs. Anthony's car as he attempted to turn at an auxiliary crossing at Marais.

Dr. Nicholas J. Chetta, Orleans parish coroner, classified the death after an autopsy Thursday afternoon.

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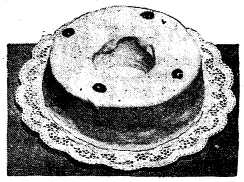
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