

Labor Council to Ask Reconsideration

Authorize Sale Of Jap Property

OTTAWA, Jan. 27. — (CP) — Sale of Japanese property seized in British Columbia has been authorized by passage of an order-in-council, an official of the secretary of the state department, said Monday.

The disposal of the property will be made by the official custodian of enemy property, and details of administration have not yet been worked out, the spokesman said.

Falls From Derrick

W. Smith of 6538 Culloden, was admitted to Vancouver General Hospital Tuesday suffering from a back injury received when he fell 25 feet off a derrick into the water while at work at Champion & White Ltd., 1075 Main.

Seek License Reduction

A delegation of members of the B. C. Automobile Association will leave for Victoria on Saturday to seek reduction in auto license fees.

COMMISSION'S FINDINGS HIT

Vancouver District Labor Council will ask the Canadian Congress of Labor executive to reconsider its decision suspending the Boilermakers' Union and the International Woodworkers of America.

A motion to this effect was introduced by S. G. Constantine, Journeymen Tailors' delegate, at a meeting of the council Tuesday night.

Emphasizing the fact that 22 delegates were absent owing to the suspensions, Mr. Constantine said he felt the two-man commission which recommended the suspension had "no proper reason" to do so.

The commissioners were Pat Conroy, secretary-treasurer of the Congress, and J. E. McGuire, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees. Both were present at the meeting, but except for Mr. Conroy's disclosure that he had received two anonymous letters threatening his life neither referred to the dispute.

PRO-TEM SECRETARY.

L. C. Reid, National Union of Operating Engineers Union organizer, was made secretary of the meeting. He took the place of Harold Pritchett, executive secretary, and president of the International Woodworkers of America, under suspension by the decision of the commission investigating the Boilermakers' Union. Mr. Pritchett had been criticized for alleged entry into the Boilermakers' controversy as an individual, and defied Congress.

Charles Saunders, president of the Dock and Shipyard Workers' Union, who supported the motion requesting reconsideration, declared that "the suspension can not lead to harmony in the shipyards. I believe the commission acted upon the evidence received. But all the evidence in the case was not heard.

"I believe it was of the opinion of many that there should have been a more open enquiry.

"I think the council has lost considerably, since a number of delegates can no longer sit here."

Several delegates said that they did not have a copy of the decisions of the commission and

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The shop stewards charged also that the ing committee lacked "to approach the ra membership of our and place before ti structive trade union gain their confidence.

ISSUE STATEMENT

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