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REPORTED STRIKE OF WIRE WORKERS NOT LIKELY NOW

Secretary of Electrical Union Does Not Anticipate Wage Walkout Friday

Rumors current yesterday, to the effect that the electrical workers of this city would strike Friday, were found last night to be unauthenticated. It was reported the electricians would walk out if the demand made by them for an increase of twenty-five cents an hour was not granted. The new contract, which becomes effective October 1, was submitted to the electrical employees some time ago. It contains the new scale of \$1.25 per hour. The Master Builders' association met Friday night and went on record as being opposed to the increase, taking the view that prices are lowering and that there should be no increase in wages at this time.

T. H. McAllister, secretary of the local branch of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, was interviewed last night and declared that he did not anticipate a strike.

He said he understood the Master Builders' association opposed the increase on the ground that prices were tumbling. However, Mr. McAllister declared that the electrical workers did not believe local prices would be reduced materially for some time and, therefore, they regarded their request as consistent.

Mr. McAllister expressed the belief that the electrical contractors desired to be fair with their employees and he believed, their employers wanted to be fair with them. He said that he realized materials used in electrical work had advanced considerably in cost, some essentials having doubled; but that the cost of copper was about stationary now and porcelain is down a bit. And, he declared, the members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers were anxious to do the right thing by both the public and their employees and if any representative of either would appear at their meeting Friday night and prove that their demand was unreasonable, he felt certain the men would be willing to withdraw their request for increased pay.

Mr. McAllister stated that the Building Trades council endorsed the new contract and that he believed it to be just. He explained that the electrical workers were not assured of a regular number of working hours a week, because of the uncertainty of the weather, which caused them to be laid off often throughout the year.

Mr. McAllister said the old contract was made on a basis of ninety cents per hour, but the employers themselves took cognizance of the high cost of living and voluntarily increased the pay per hour to one dollar.

SULLIVAN TO MAKE SURVEY CAMPAIGN PUBLIC

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It is, we have reached the month during which candor is, as a rule, unpalatable to the reader and costly to the giver. Candidates, both for major and minor offices, political leaders, editors and ardent party men generally, are all in a state of emotion where candor is usually a not highly valued commodity either as to the producer or the consumer. Nevertheless, as I have said, those who have the opportunity to acquire candid facts and to form candid judgments have the clear duty of transmitting them.

Your correspondent hopes to present during the coming month a statement of conditions throughout the country, the candor and accuracy of which will be dependent upon your confidence. I have been in correspondence with many hundreds of persons—governors, members of congress, senators, judges, holders of these offices, party leaders, editors, newspaper men, chairmen and members of state, national and county Democratic and Republican committees, and this correspondence has been in confidence and the circumstances of it, including in nearly all cases personal acquaintance with the writer, insure as near an approximation to candor as can readily be accomplished. As one of my correspondents wrote: "Sure, I can give you the right dope when I am talking honest; to a friend outside the state."

Will Check Information

With this information from all sections of the country in hand, your correspondent is making a personal tour of survey throughout the country, in each community checking up by personal contact the mass of information and judgments already received. The tour will take in practically all the important doubtful states, with the possible exception of California, which may turn out to be impracticable to visit. I am now with Senator Harding on his tour, which ends in Kentucky. Thereafter, I expect to join Governor Cox's train in Oklahoma during the latter part of his tour, and then continue through the important doubtful states of the west and the middle west.

The survey of the west beyond the Mississippi will be made after both Harding and Cox have concluded their tours in that territory, and after conditions have crystallized to the point where, presumably, they will remain until election day.

After completing the tour of the west beyond the Mississippi, I hope to join the Cox and Harding trains on their trips through the middle west and into the south, and will try to estimate conditions in that region, especially in the two important and doubtful states, Indiana and Ohio. The survey of the big eastern states will be made during the last week of the campaign.

With the data I already have and in the personal survey I hope to pay quite as much attention to the fight for control of the senate as to the presidential contest. Omitting the south, in the twenty states in which there are real contests for senator, it is almost a universal rule that the senatorial contest in each state eclipses in interest the contest between Cox and Harding. Not only are these contests more exciting in the states affected, but in the aggregate of their effect on the nation as a whole their importance in determining which party shall control the senate is hardly less than the importance of the presidential contest.

MANY GO TO YAKESIDE

There was a fine attendance at Lakeside park last night and the management expressed itself as being well pleased with the patronage, particularly that of the better element of citizens who are making use of the resort as a pleasure place.

FALL AND WINTER 'Y' PLANS MADE

Secretaries and Chairman Outline Scope of Association's Work During Season

The fall and winter program of the Y. M. C. A., as outlined by the executive staff and committee chairmen, was reviewed and adopted last night by the board of directors. The two bodies met in joint session at the "Y" building for dinner, after which attention was turned to the program.

President J. F. Roache, of the board of directors, presided and stated that the object of the meeting was to hear in detail the policy and program of the different departments and divisions.

J. E. Huntington, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., spoke of the personality of the executive staff, calling attention to their need of support and advice from the directors. He also outlined plans for staff development which included conferences of the theory of association work, a class on methods of doing work and a class on Bible study.

J. Wilson Smith, state secretary, was present at the meeting. He stated briefly the larger plans of the state committee and outlined the retirement fund plan which has as its object he taking care of association secretaries who have given their life to the work.

Outline Religious Program.

Rev. J. A. Sullivan, chairman of the religious program, which included larger men's meetings on Sunday afternoons, an increased Bible study program and a plan for personal interviews that will make it possible for boys and young men to meet Christian business men and talk over life's problems. The program also calls for more complete co-operation with churches and extension work to include all of the shops and the mills in the city.

J. H. Cowan, chairman of the membership committee, told of plans to organize a general committee for regular work during the winter months. He called attention to the fact that at this time last year the membership was 787. This year it is 1,050, with many new men coming in every day, said Mr. Cowan. He stated that the goal for senior membership by January 1 would be 1,000 members. The boys' division is filled to capacity with 800 members and has a waiting list.

In the absence of L. J. Poisson, chairman of the physical committee, C. R. Powers, new physical director, outlined policy and plans of that department. It hopes, he said, to carry out a program that will develop the highest possible standard of physical health, mental and moral efficiency, and Christian manhood. The schedule for gymnasium classes will be similar to that of last year.

Tells of Educational Plan

The plan for the educational department was read by Secretary Huntington. He stated that the night school association had been conducted successfully for the last six years and that this year double the number of students are planned for. Business, technical, language and graded courses are outlined and will be available to any boy or young man in the city for a nominal fee.

One of the most interesting reports of the evening was given by D. H. Howes, Jr., chairman of the city work committee. He did not only prove to those present the vital importance of this division of the work, but proved the possibilities of work in his line. He stated with the three boys' work secretaries, Odie B. Hinnant, W. L. Brown and R. M. Padgett, the latter in charge of the boys' work, promoted by the Rotary club, the Wilmington association takes first place in work for boys in the South. This work will include general educational, religious and social extension work programs.

Besides the regular junior intermediate and young men's classes, a large number of clubs will be organized, both inside and outside the association, for personal uplift and promotion of a service program among the boys of the city and county.

Mr. Padgett's outline of the boys' club program proved especially attractive to the members of the board and he was given assurance of their hearty support in the new features of the work.

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Beauty and attractiveness which compels and pleases the eye is sought by all women of today, but how many use wise judgment in the selection of their cosmetics.

The average woman goes into drug or department store and buys the most attractive package, instead of one whose true worth has been proven by thousands of satisfied users.

It is also a well-known fact that beauty cannot be if the complexion is in any way marred by pimples, dark, sallow discolorations; therefore, if you suffer any of these skin blemishes, begin at once the use of Black and White Ointment.

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a blood cleanser is S. S. S., the purely vegetable blood medicine, which has been on the market for more than fifty years. It is sold by druggists everywhere.

If you are afflicted with this form of skin disease do not expect to be cured by lotions, ointments, salves and other local remedies, as they can not possibly reach the source of the trouble, which is in the blood. Begin taking S. S. S. today, and write complete history of your case to our chief medical adviser, who will give you special instructions, without charge. Write at once to Medical Director, 827 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga. (Adv.)

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A PORT COLUMN

News and Gossip of the Water front—Movements of Craft, Reported Locally And By Telegraph.

Sailed American steamer Pinellas, light for Jacksonville, Fla. to load coal.

Shipping Board tug Pylon, towing barge Northern No. 30 with cargo of acid phosphate from Baltimore for Armour Fertilizer works to be discharged at S. A. L. terminals.

Steamer Atlantic City, towing barge of lumber from Little River, S. C.

The tug Blanche, towing eight barges of coal en route to Charleston (put in at Southport on account of weather).

VESSELS IN PORT

Steamers

Syros, (Am.), 9,500 tons, Carolina shipyard.

City of Fort Worth, 8,500 tons, Carolina shipyard.

Hybert, 9,600, Carolina shipyard.

Wakkum, (Am.), C. D. Mamit & Co. Fawcoket, (Am.), Heide & Co.

Lake Fitch, (Am.), Heide & Co.

E. V. Beloit, (Am.), Unassigned.

Luiza, (Portugese), 800 tons, Heide & Co.

Barges

Northern No. 30, C. D. Mamit & Co. Navigadora, (unassigned).

Northern No. 30, 895 tons, Captain Pendleton, C. D. Mamit & Co.

Tags

J. W. Scott, (unassigned).

Southern No. 30, Heide & Co.

Vessels Inbound

Lake Bledsoe, (Am.), from Tampa with fertilizer.

Maid of Scotland, (Br.) with molasses from the Barbadoes.

Barge Northern No. 30, from Baltimore with fertilizer material.

SHIP NEWS BY WIRE

JACKSONVILLE.—Arrived: Apache, New York via Charleston. Sailed: Alado, Glasgow; Lake Pearl, Tampa; Juniata, Baltimore via Savannah.

SAVANNAH, Ga.—Arrived: Themisto, (Dutch), Tampa; Giulia, (Ital.), Baltimore; Typhoon, (Belg.), Shields; Agamemnon, (Dutch), Porto Colombia; Nacoochee, Boston; Bark Killeena, (Nor.), Rotterdam; Eagle, Connecticut, Tampa. Sailed: City of St. Louis, New York; Cretan, Jacksonville.

TAMPA.—Arrived: Caracas, Key West. Sailed: Lake Lisco, Matanzas.

PORT TAMPA.—Arrived: Claveras, Baltimore via Jacksonville. Schooner Maude M. May, Havana & Co.

CHARLESTON, S. C.—Arrived: Dicto (Nor.), Bergen and Stavange; Lake Pearl, Tampa; Juniata, Baltimore and proceeded to Boston; Arapahoe, Jacksonville and New York; Havana, Sailed: New York for Havana. Sailed: Norfolk, Norfolk; tug Baldrock, with barge Charles H. Earn, bound for Savannah, and barge Smith and Terry No. 2, bound to Fernandina.

NORFOLK, Va.—Arrived: Craignonia, Boston; Hindustan, (Br.), Shields; Ioannis, (Gk.), Shields; Lake Ismond, Portland; Monococco, (It.), Messina; Marie, (Sp.), Gibraltar; Millnoeket, Port Tampa; Piave (It.), Italy; Savona, Point, Italy; Tongier, (Belg.), New

York; West, Elcajon, London; Victoria, (Fr.), Savannah. Sailed: Arlington, New England; Santa, Rio de Janeiro, Holdana, (Dan.) Buenos Aires; Meteor, Boston; North Wind, Boston; Overbrook, Fort Lohar; Sarpolis, Tampa; Tunica, Stockholm; Western Maid, Denmark; Yonne, (Br.), Thio, New Caledonia.

INDIANS NOW VIRTUALLY ASSURED OF FIRST PLACE

Suspension of Chicago Players Boosts Cleveland's Chances

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Cleveland virtually was assured of the American league pennant today by the suspension of the Chicago players in connection with the alleged "fixing" of games in the world's series last year. The Indians increased their lead over the White Sox to a full game today by defeating St. Louis and have one game to play with St. Louis and four with Detroit.

With most of their regulars banned, the White Sox, who rested today, will be forced to put a patched-up team in the field Friday for their series of three games with St. Louis. Cleveland must win as many as its rival to retain first place.

COX STATES HIS POSITION REGARDING VOLSTEAD ACT

MITCHELL, S. D., Sept. 28.—Governor Cox in his speech here today was asked by a member of his audience to state his attitude toward the Volstead act. His reply was:

"I do not oppose any measure that is in conflict with the constitution of the United States and the eighteenth amendment as interpreted by the supreme court."

TWO SLAIN IN BELFAST BELFAST, Sept. 28.—Two civilians were shot dead and a number of persons were wounded during a clash between soldiers and a crowd on the Falls road today.

EXPECT BARGE LINE TO REVIVE TRUCKING

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retary of War Eaker approved the report of Colonel Conner providing for the barge line—then it was that the line became an accomplished fact.

This is a great victory for Senator Simmons and those associated with him in the struggle. It would be hard to estimate how important this line will be to eastern North Carolina. It will, of course, assist in the retention of preferential freight rates and undoubtedly be the cause of a great revival of the trucking industry in that section.

It is the opinion of those best acquainted with the matter that the benefits will not be confined to the cities and counties bordering on the waterway, but that its beneficial effects will be felt throughout the eastern part of the state and especially that portion which lies within a short distance of the waterway.



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