

The Weather Today

North and South Carolina; Fair today and Monday; somewhat cooler Monday. Stage of river at Fayetteville yesterday at 8 p. m., 1.9 feet.

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ODEST DAILY IN THE STATE.

DAUGHERTY DECLARES GOVERNMENT WILL RUN TRAINS; SHOP CRAFTS UNIONS REFUSE TO JOIN THE WALKOUT; I. C. C. CUTS WESTERN GRAIN FREIGHT BY 16 PERCENT

SHOP CRAFTS AND SEVEN OTHERS DECIDE AGAINST STRIKE FOR THE PRESENT, AFFECTING OVER MILLION

MORE THAN HALF THE RAIL EMPLOYEES STAND AGAINST THE WALKOUT

Meanwhile the Big Brotherhood Officials Comply With Labor Board's Order

MEN WILL GO OUT

President Stone Says They Will Likely Quite, Regardless of Instructions

STRIKE SITUATION IN BRIEF SAN ANTONIO—Tramway men in International and Great Northern unions... CHICAGO—The United States railroad labor board announced tonight that it had received word that the employees on the Tremont and Gulf Railroad company, a 67-mile line in Louisiana, had accepted the open shop and that consequently as there was no dispute the board relinquished the jurisdiction it yesterday announced it had assumed over the road.

Attorney-General Says the Government Is to Run Trains

Daugherty, Completing Secret Trip Through the Middle West, Declares That if Strike Comes, the Government Will Promptly Act and Operate Freight, Mail and Passenger Trains—President Directing Matter

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 22.—Attorney General Daugherty arrived in Columbus late today following a secret trip into the west in connection with the threatened railroad strike... Mr. Daugherty would not discuss the merits of the controversy between the

railway trainmen and the railroads, declaring that "the merits of the controversy are in the hands of the president so far as the government is concerned, and the president is well informed and capable of handling the matter." The first public intimation that Attorney General Daugherty had left Washington in connection with the railroad strike situation was had with his arrival in Columbus, his home city. Mr. Daugherty stopped here to take Mrs. Daugherty back to Johns Hopkins hospital at Baltimore where she has been undergoing treatment. He said he expected to be in Washington tomorrow.

MEN WILL STRIKE, THE ENGINEER CHIEF SAYS

But Officials of Brotherhoods Are Obeying Order of Rail Labor Board

CLEVELAND, Oct. 22.—(By Associated Press.)—Following a practically all-day session of four of the "Big Five" unions, which adjourned late today, Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, said: "There is no question in my mind that the men will go through, no matter what instructions they get."

REPLACE STRIKERS BY EXPERIENCED RAIL MEN

Texas Road Plans to Operate Its Trains and Has Employed a Thousand Guards

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Oct. 22.—Approximately 600 members of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen on the International and Great Northern railroad, of Texas, who struck at noon today, are being replaced by experienced switchmen and brakemen. At 7 o'clock tonight passenger train No. 7 pulled out of the terminals carrying two armed guards. The train was without a brakeman. It was announced that the porters would do the work of brakemen on all trains.

EIGHT UNIONS WILL REMAIN ON THE JOB, IT IS DECIDED

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—(By Associated Press.)—Officials of unions with more than half of the rail employees of the United States tonight announced that their men will not be authorized to join the "Big Five" organizations in the strike called for October 26 in protest of wage cuts. An agreement was reached that would not join in a walkout came from eight of the "standard" rail unions which for a week had been withholding their men from the strike decision.

NEW NOTE FROM JAPAN TO CHINA RELATIVE TO SHANTUNG

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The text of the latest note of the Japanese government to China under date of October 19 relative to the proposed Shantung settlement was made public at the Japanese embassy today. It expressed a readiness to embark upon negotiations on the question at issue whenever the Chinese government "in full appreciation of the main purpose of the Japanese proposal and upon giving more deliberate consideration to the question now at issue, and in the interest of cordial relations between China and Japan, shall express their willingness to open negotiations."

GRAND HOTEL BUILDING AT FAYETTEVILLE IS BURNED

FAYETTEVILLE, Oct. 22.—The Grand hotel building was completely destroyed by fire early this morning with a loss of \$36,000 on the hotel, barber shop, pool room and grocery store, all of which were housed in the same building. The fire, discovered at 1:30, was thought to have originated in one of the rooms on the second floor. The entire fighting apparatus at Camp Bragg was called into play before the fire was under way.

DISMEMBERED BODY OF YOUNG WOMAN FOUND NEAR NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Metropolitan police today faced a new murder mystery when the upper portion of a young woman's body was found by a workman in a pond near Queen's boulevard, Long Island City. The body had been hacked in two above the hips and was wrapped in a package of white cloth. The skull had been crushed by a blow on the forehead. A linen belt was found knotted about the neck. The pool, which is in an isolated spot, was being drained tonight to facilitate search for the missing members.

NORFOLK SOUTHERN ALSO TO ASK ACTION ON VALUATIONS

RALEIGH, Oct. 22.—The Norfolk Southern railroad has applied to the federal court of the eastern district of North Carolina for an interlocutory injunction restraining A. D. Watts, commissioner of revenue and other state and county officials from collecting taxes levied by the state of North Carolina for 1921.

I. C. C. CUTS FREIGHTS IN WEST ON HAY, GRAIN AND PRODUCTS, 16 P. C.

Reduction Is the Most Sweeping Commission Has Made in Several Years

OTHERS MAY COME

Commission Talks of Rate and Wage Cuts as Means of Aiding Normalcy

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Federal action affecting the railroad strike situation was taken today by two departments of the government when the Interstate Commerce commission ordered freight rate reductions on grains, grain products and hay in the territory between the Mississippi river and the Pacific coast, and the department of justice issued instructions for the protection of the property of the International and Great Northern railroad in Texas, where a trainman's strike became effective at noon.

INCOME SURTAX FIXED AT MAXIMUM OF FIFTY PERCENT BY SENATORS

Only Votes Cast Against Compromise Provision Come From Republicans

MAKE IT 40 LATER

Likely that in Conference With the House Maximum Will Be Reduced

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—One of the big tax revision issues in the senate was settled today with the adoption, 64 to 13, of the Republican compromise income surtax rates with the maximum at 50 per cent. All those voting against the compromise were Republicans.

TREMONT AND GULF WORKERS AGREE TO THE OPEN SHOP

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WILL REPLACE THE STRIKERS

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 22.—Management of freight and passenger trains on the International and Great Northern railroad by non-union trainmen to take the places of striking members of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen who walked out today will start Monday, E. G. Goforth, general manager of the road, announced tonight.

CHARLES SEEKS AGAIN TO REGAIN THRONE IN KINGDOM OF HUNGARY

With Former Empress He Soars Out of Switzerland to Burgenland in Airplane

A CABINET FORMED

Gets Enthusiastic Reception but as Before, Is Meeting With Difficulties

VIENNA, Oct. 22.—(By Associated Press.)—Former Emperor Charles, of Austria-Hungary, is making another spectacular bid—the second in eight months—to regain his throne in Hungary. But this time, as in the case of his former attempt, he is finding obstacles in his path.

DEATH OF EASTLAKE MURDER CASE TO GO TO JURY THIS WEEK

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 22.—The case of Roger D. Eastlake, naval petty officer, and Miss Sarah E. Knox, Baltimore nurse, charged jointly with the murder at Colonial Beach, Va., early on the morning of Friday, September 30, will go to the grand jury of Westmoreland county Monday morning.

UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH COMES BACK FOR A TRIUMPH

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 22.—For the first time since 1914, over seven years of continuous playing, University of the South was able to defeat University of Alabama, crowning the Crimson here this afternoon 17 to 0. Sewanee showed all the old punch and power which, years ago, won for her ten straight victories over Alabama.

BULGARIAN MINISTER KILLED

SOFIA, Oct. 21.—(By Associated Press.)—M. Dimitroff, Bulgarian minister of war, was assassinated this morning while motoring near Kosterdji, a resort 43 miles southwest of the city. His chauffeur and two companions also were killed.

OLD GUARD IS TRYING TO INCREASE NUMBER OF MEMBERS IN HOUSE

Progressive Republicans, Patronage About Gone, Are Beginning to Misbehave

VIEWS OF BRINSON

Third District Representative Is Still Fighting the Proposed Increase

(Special to The Star) WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Now that the patronage of the Harding administration is nearing the bottom of the pan, progressive Republicans are beginning to holler. They are not so loyal as they once were. This fact becomes more apparent every day. They pick flaws in the deeds of the administration. The independent Republicans are just beginning to see as the Democrats have seen for some months. In order to bolster their positions, and make ready for another election, the old guard is trying to increase the number of members in the house.

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