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Cove On Sunday Night

rest Several Colored Men

Winston-Salem, April 19 .- Posses di-

rected by Shcriff E. O. Shelton of

Stokes county, are scouring the county

surrounding Walnut Cove in search of

Bunk Hairston, colored, alleged mur-

derer of Ex-Sheriff Red J. Joyce and,

according to reports the negro may

be taken at any time. It was reported

dispatched to the negroes but the man

However, Moore was pinced under ar-

rest and is being held pending an investigation. The shot which ended the

life of the popular Ex-Sheriff of Stokes was fired from within a cold drink stand, operated by Nick Hairston, a col-

been going on around the place.
Go To Stop Disturbance.

foreman, who operated a store

J. A. Neal, a Southern Railway sec-

near the place, where the shooting oc-

disturbance. Upon reaching the scene Matthews and Ex-Sheriff Joyce at-tempted to arrest Billie Covington and Bunk Hairston, two colored men. Two

men, according to reports, refused to put up their hands and backed off into

building, Matthews followed him.

a short distance and fell,

recently fired. Find Another Pistol.

FIFTEEN KILLED AND

MANY HURT IN TORNADO

Negro Saves His Life.

had it not been for J. H. Hairston,

side room to the cold drink stand. Matthews had reached the inside of

were attempting to make

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TRUSTED NEGRO SAVES

TWELVE PAGES TODAY.

POSSES SEARCHING MORRISON URGES VOTERS TO SUPPORT DEMOCRATS Candidate For Governor Opens FOR NEGRO SLAYER His Campaign In Eastern

OF SHERIFF JOYCE Whiteville, April 19.—In a speech during the noon recess of Columbus County Superior Court here today Cameron Morrison, candidate for the Dem ocratic governatorial nomination urged **Another Colored Man Dies From** the voters of North Carolina to stand Wounds Received at Walnut by the Democratic party which has proven itself through years of service and which insures just government for all classes.

North Carolina

While Mr. Morrison's speech was in behalf of his candidacy for Governor SECTION FOREMAN'S LIFE he devoted the greater part of it to an appeal to Democrats to stand by their Shot That Ends Life of Popular party and to a review of the accomplishments of the party. He referred to the Stokes County Officer Fired organization of many classes as perfectly all right for business purposes but he reminded that the political party is founded on principles of government made up of all classes for the just gov-From Within Cold Drink Stand As He and Policeman Matthews Attempted To Arernment of all classes and not one par-

> ticular class. He warned that unless the people stick to their party danger exists of class government which, he declared, would be but little better than depotic government, Mr. Morrison de-clared that if he received the Demoeratic nomination he would stand ready to meet John J. Parker, the Republicat candidate, on every stump in North Carolina. Te pointed out the applistry of Candidate Parker's speech at Chapel

today that Hairston had spent the night at the home of Ben Moore, a col-ALLIES NOT TO COMPLY ored man, several miles east of Wal-WITH WILSON'S PROPOSALS nut Cove and immediately officers were

Reply To President's Note On Turkish Problem Says Turks Must Stay

Washington, April 19 .- The allied re ply to President Wilson's Turkish note is expected by diplomatic officials here ored man, as he and Policeman J. H. to point out that without the acceptance the United States of responsibility for part of the burden of the solution of the Turkish question the allies have found it impossible to adopt the Presi-dent's suggestions; that the Turks be driven out of Europe. The allies have taken the position, it was said, that the eviction of the Sultan from Constan-tinople was impossible without the assumption by some power preferably the United States, of the obligation for the protection of Constantinople and con-tiguous Turkish territory. For economic and political reasons officials said choice of any other power than the United States was precluded and since the United States has refused the professed mandate over Turkey, no other solution than to leave the Turks in Constantinople under inter-allied control was possible. Matthews had reached the inside of the room and was being beaten over the head by the negroes when Neal Entered to assist him, head states that as noon as he got on the inside of the room two pintols leveled at him, one at his chest and the other lower on his body. Acting quickly he grabbed the barrels of both weapons and pushed them downwards just as they were fired. Neal, with

Supervision of the Turks, it is generally believed by officials, will devolve upon the Ottoman debt commission wards just as they were fired. Neal, with almost superhuman strength, wrenched both pistols from the hands that held them and ran to the outside of the upon the Ottoman debt commission which, before the war, consisted of rep-resentatives of Great Britain, France, Italy, Russia and Austria-Hungary and Germany, but which now is limited to three allied powers.

Mr. Neal states that he might have been killed after he secured both pistols MOB IN KANSAS LYNCHES **NEGRO FOR AN ATTACK**

had it not been for J. H. Hairston, a colored man, who had worked for him for ten years rushing in and helping to push the negroes off. Just about the time Neal got hold of the pistols Policeman Matthews was shot through the neck. About the time Policeman Mat-Hang Him To Telegraph Pole After Finding White Girl thews received his wound Ex-Sheriff Joyce was seen to run down the street

When it was fond that he had been shot friends hurrled him to a doctor's house, but he died before medical aid could be rendered. It is said that Policeman Matthews saw Bunk Hairston fire the shot that killed Ex-Sheriff to a telephone pole. The mob made no attempt to molest a

white youth who, with the negro, was captured by a posse late today.

Immediately after the lynching the youth was removed from the jail by the authorities who did not announce their IN RUNNING PISTOL Sheriff had never gotten inside of the room, he being shot in front of the He never spoke after he was picked up. Billie Covington, one of the negroes destination.

shot, lived about an hour after the battle, and it is said, told his father, The attack upon the young woman occurred while she was on her way to Mulberry from her home near that place. She was found tied to two trees by a small boy who was playing in the vicinity. Her throat was slashed. According to physicians, she probably will recover. Salem Covington, that he would find his pistol between the mattresses and the springs of an old bed in the back of the cold drink stand. Officers found the weapon at the place mentioned, several of the chambers being empty with indications that it had been

After their capture by a posse the youth and the negro were taken back to Mulberry, where, officials announced, Mulberry, where, officials announced, both the young woman and the youth identified the negre as the assailant.

Sheriff Mill Gould, of Crawford county, started for Mulberry on receipt of word that the mob was forming. He arrived as the crowd started for the jail. Although he risisted aggressively, he was overpowered and compelled to stand with his arms about a pole, a few feet from where the negro was hanged. No arrests had been made tonight. Another pistol.

Another pistol ans found under the building this morning, which was loaded all around. These two pistols with the two taken from the negroes make four that are known were in the hands of negroes during the battle. Nick Hairston, colored, who operated the cold drink stand, for Bill Carter, a white man, was arrested at the home of his father in-law, Alex Alley, on the outskirts of Walnut Cove.

Poliseman Matthews mays that he

hanged. No arrests an inject.
Sheriff Gould took office last week, after the resignation of G. C. Webb, against whom ouster proceedings were begun because he permitted Alexander M. Howat and three other miners in juli at Girard, to address a gathering of miners from the jail portico.

The youth held in connection with the case gave his name as B. F. C. Poliseman Matthews says that he saw Nick Hariston take a pistol off saw Nick Hariston take a pistol off of a shelf in the room, but he couldn't tell whether or not he fired it. Wade Covington one of the negroes, was killed instantly. He ran to the out-side of the building and fell dead. Billie Covington, a brother, was car-ried inside the building and died about an hour later. Bob Covington, another brother, was hurried to the hospital in Winston-Salem with several bullet

the case gave his name as B. F. C. Workman, of Springfield, III. He said he did not know the negro's name. It was said the girl confirmed the boy's statement that he refused to assist the inston-Salem with several bullet ds in his body. He died this after-

A DEPLORABLE AFFAIR SAYS ARKANSAS GOVERNOR.

Little Rock, Ark., April 19.—The number known to have been killed in fornadoes which struck northwestorn Arkansas late last night, stood at fifteen tonight, with at least twenty known to have been seriously injured. All means of communication with the storms-wept region were badly crippled and delayed reports were expected to increase the list of casualties.

One of the tornadoes, of which there apparently were two twisted in a wind-ing path about 100 yards wide through Franklis, Johnson, Logan and Yell counties, while the other wrought description in Boone county, from which few supports have been received.

Little Rock, rk., April 19.—Governor and the mand around High Point, was taken to the High Point hospital this morning in a serious condition as a result of a stab in the stomach, apparently y self-inflicted. Hospital attendants and this afternoon there was no change in his condition. There are many conditions the wound was inflicted and it has been impossible to get authentic information. In a counties, while the other wrought description in Boone county, from which the start provention is much the quarry of the Lehigh Portland Condition.

ON LASTINIL (OAD

Start Trains Through Tubes of Hudson and Manhattan To Jersey City

IN NEW YORK CITY

HEAD OF OUTLAW STRIKE IN CHICAGO IS JAILED

While Traffic Conditions In West Approach Normal New Menace Comes In Threat of 35.000 Freight Handlers To Strike; Railway Clerks To Confer

New York, April 19.—Traffic through the tubes of the Hudson and Manhattan railroad between New York and Jersey City the last branch of railroad service in the metropolitan district to break the barrier of the outlaw strike of railroad employes was resumed between 4 clock this afternoon and 7 o'clock tonight. At the latter hour the trains were stopped for the night and an-nouncement made that service would be resumed tomorrow morning.

JOHN GRUNAU PLACED IN COUNTY JAIL AT JOLIET

Chicago, Ill., April 19.—John Grunau, president of the 'Outlaw Chicago Yard-men's association' was taken to the county jail at Joliet today by Federal officers after he had refused to give \$10,000 bond on a charge of violating the Lever act, for which he was ar-rested last Thursday with 24 other strike leaders. Federal officers said Grunau had violated his promise to remain

away from union meetings.

Following the issuing of new warrants trict Attorney Clyne indicated that 25 others would be served on men who succeeded to the officers vacated by leaders arrested. Harold E. Reading, tion, who was rearrested last night, in in Dupage county jail at Wheaton. He refused to give bond for his re-lease. The case will be heard on April

While the railroads announced today that traffic colditions in Chicago
were approaching normal, a new menace to railroad service came in the form
of a strike threat from 35,000 freight
handlers and railroad clerks.
George A. Worrell, chairman of the
Brotherhood of Railway cierks on the
Chicago and Northwestern, said a delegation of workers would confer with
railroad heads on a demand for an increase in wages, if the demands were
not met a strike vote would then be ot met a strike vote would then be taken, Worrell said.

At the National headquarters of the Brotherhood of Railway clerks in Cincinnati, its was announced that no

Eugene C. Esty, until a few days ago, a leader in the Chicago rall strike, was indicted by the grand jury today charg-ed with "influencing others to injure railroads."

Fittaburg, Kan., April 19.—A meb estimated to have numbered 1,000 persons late today surrounded the jail at Mulberry, near here, seized a negro, identified as having attacked a young white girl this morning and hanged him to a telephone pole.

Esty was arrested several days ago after he was reported to have boasted at a union meeting that he procured I. W. W. assistance to wreck trains and blow up round houses and bridges in the course of a railroad state of the course of a rai Minneapolis officials denied that Esty had had any part in the 1910 strike, or that there had been any violence,

> WAYNE SHERIFF ENGAGES IN RUNNING PISTOL DUEL

Negro Convict Captured After An Exciting Chase By Several Officers

Goldsboro, April 19 .- In a running pistol duel here this afternoon between Sheriff R. H. Edwards, Deputy Sheriff Thad Howell and Patrolman Langston, That Rowell and Patrolman Langston, Floyd Winn, an escaped negro convict, was shot down and captured after an exciting chase. It is not thought the negro's wounds will prove fatal.

During the chase the negro emptied the chamber of an automatic pistol at the officers, but none of the bullets took

The negro was serving a sentence on the road for storebreaking and steal-ing an automobile. Recently he escaped and has been in hiding in this city at the home of a negro, where he was lo-cated this afternoon.

the home of a negro, where he was located this afternoon.

The condition of Leo Albritton, of Kinston, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident near Goldsboro last, week, was reported considerably better tonight. J. C. Duil, Frank Hill and Richard Dawson, who were also injured in the accident, are now considered out of danger.

HIGH POINT WRESTLER

High Point, April 19.—Dock Hardy, one of the best wrestlers that ever went on the mat, having defeated all comers, in and around High Point, was taken to the High Point hospital his morning in a serious condition as a result of a stab in the stomach, apparently self-inflicted. Hospital attendants said this afternoon there was no change in his condition. There are many conflicting reports as to the manner in which the wound was inflicted and it has been impossible to get authentic information.

Six Killed In Explosion.

Allentown, Pa., April 19.—Six men were killed and three seriously injured at Orarod today by the premature explicitor of a dynamic blest charge in the quarry of the Lehigh Portland Celegians to the matter of the carried and tuilding, all of which will be available in 1923, when Great the quarry of the Lehigh Portland Celegians to the matter of the carried and tuilding, all of which will be available in 1923, when Great the quarry of the Lehigh Portland Celegians.

RALEIGH AVIATOR MEETS **DEATH IN JAMAICA BAY**

Lieut. Richard W. Thompson Drowned In First Flight Alone In Seaplane

New York, April 19.—Lieut. Richard W. Thompson, 25 years old, of Raleigh, N. C., attached to the United States Naval Air Station at Rocksway Point, was drowned in Jamaica Bay this afternoon. He was making a hydro-airplane flight over the Bay when his machine became disabled and fell in the water. The plane, a complete wreck, was dragged ashore. Thompson's body has not been recovered tonight. Thompson is the son of Francis J. Thompson, of Raleigh, N. C.

Licutement Thompson was the son of Mr. Francis J. Thompson, 300 Jackson street, who last night received notifica-tion of his son's death from the Navy

Department.
The young man was born in Passaic, N, J., eleven miles west of New York, in 1892, but came to Raleigh with his father, following his high school training. About ten years ago he was en-gaged as office assistant to Mr. E. M. Uzzell. In 1910, he enlisted in the navy and in 1916 with the outbreak of the war, he was assigned to the Pensacola Air Station. In January, 1917, he went overseas with the first consignment of men on the Jupiter, served throughout the war, in the navy air service surviving an injury he received in a fall when his thigh was shattered.

SUFFRAGE BEFORE COURT THIS WEEK

Constitutionality of Ohio Ratification To Be Argued Before Tribunal

The News and Observer Bureau, 603 District National Bank Bldg., By R. E. POWELL. (By Special Leased Wire.) Washington, D. C., April 19.—The

onstitutionality of Ohio's ratification of the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment will be argued, before the supreme court this week, and upon the decision will hang the fate of the mendment unless additional states ratify. It is expected that Delaware will ratify the amendment, making the 36th state. The suffrage westers want the favorable action of Lonisiana and North Carolina in order to give a safe margin in case the Ohio ratification is ruled out by the highest court in the land. Lectures At University.

Eugene F. Hartley, chief statistician for Manufacturers of the Bureau of the Census, is to deliver an address Tuesday before the newly organized school of commerce of the University of North Carolina, of which Dean D. D. Carroll is the head. Mr. Hartley, who is a former citizen of Statesville, is

United States Census to business.

The act of Congress, approved March 3, 1919, provides for a biennial census of production hereafter instead of one taken at five year intervals as has heretofore been done. This is a matter of the utmost importance not only to the industrial interests of the country, but to the students of political and social science as well. As chief statistician for manufacturers of the census bureau, Mr. Hartley will be able to give a first hand account of the bureau's activities along the line of presenting industrial statistics and a discussion as to the value and application of the industrial statistics to the manufac-

Building Biggest Navy.

The most powerful Navy in the world is being constructed by the United States with the addition of her hattle-cruiser program is the belief of Representative Britten, Republican, of Illinois, a member of the House Naval afficient

The Illinois Congressman has just completed a comparative study of the navies of the world with that of this

speed the United States now and built or building the most powerful navy in all the world," comments Represen-

tative Britten. It is expected that Mr. Britten will

House at an early date. Among the facts brought forth by Mr. Britten, a summary is made:

It is interesting to note that the launching of our first 20,000 ton battle-skip (North Dakota) immediately followed by the Delaware and Utah in 1909, Great Britain launched her Neptune of 20,200 tons, so that we each started off to build dreadnaughts about llyears ago. In subsequent years when the Unit

STABS HIMSELF AT HOME of States was laying down but one ship or two per annum, Great Britain was launching from five to eight ships whose tonnage varied from 20,600 to

NEW YORK ADOPTS OVERALLS AS ITS MOST POPULAR FAD

Movement of Moment

GAINING CONVERTS BY HUNDREDS IN GOTHAM

Hundred Several Made In Latest Styles To Accommodate Fastidious Men; Will Cause Small Trouble

New York, April 19.—Supported by many prominent men and women, the overalls and gingham movement continued to gain converts here tonight. Heads of business concerns officials and actors donned blue denim or calico and announced their intentions of backing the campaign. Jacob Luft, president of the Getsel Chemical Company, declared 1,200 employes of his concern had agreed to wear overalls and that he will encourage workers in six other factories in which he is interested to join the movement.

Several hundred backers of the movement this evening marched through the theatrical district, singing and urging spectators to don blue denim and join the parade. Many of the paraders were members of clubs or students in schools. Members of the Botary and Cheese clubs also were in the procession. After the parade many of the marchers at-tended a munical comedy at which a spectators to don blue denim and join special performance was given, the chorus appearing in overalls. Tomoractors and members of the row night members of the Cheese club, an organization of newspaper writers, and press agents will attend a Broad-way theatrical performance in overalls and later will dine at a Broadway cabaret. No silk hats or top coats will

be permitted to be worn.

Men who have refrained from joining overalls clubs here because of the styles prevailing in the loose garments

Adoption of overalls and gingham tuss the relation and value of the but will serve only to throw many but states Census to business.

act of Congress, approved March

David N. More, executive director of the Associated Dress Industries of America, declared today. Increased labor and production are the requisites needed to solve the high cost of clothing

and other necessities, he said.

An attempt at profiteering by overalls dealers will be met by Federal prosecution under the Lever act, Federal agents deelrede. It is charged Saturday by a representative of the Knights of Columbus, that second-hand army overalls sold by the government for 16 cents a pair are being offered at three dollars.

REVOLUTION IN SONORA RAPIDLY GAINS GROUND

Independent State Government Guarantees To Protect Commercial Interests

Agua Prieta, Sonora, April 19 .- The revolutionary movement, of Sonora country, and with the co-operation of the office of naval intelligence of the Navy Department, interesting figures have been brought forward.

"I think I can prove without fear of successful contradiction that in first line 20,000 ton ships of at least 20-knot speed the United States now has in speed the United States now has in speed the United States now has in Santa Rosalia, Chinashua, had revolted to the Cold for the Sonora troops in this district, spinounced General Francisco Urbalejo, with his Carranza forces at Santa Rosalia, Chinashua, had revolted to the Cold for the Sonora troops in this district, spinounced General Francisco Urbalejo, with his Carranza forces at Santa Rosalia, Chinashua, had revolted to the Cold for the Sonora troops in this district, spinounced General Francisco Urbalejo, with his Carranza forces at Santa Rosalia, Chinashua, had revolted to the Cold for the Sonora troops in this district, spinounced General Francisco Urbalejo, with his Carranza forces at Santa Rosalia, Chinashua, had revolted to the Cold for the C Santa Rosalia, Chihushua, had revolted and would take the field for the Sonora movement. Urbalejo was reported to have four hundred Yaqui Indiana under utilize the information which he has secured a basis for a speech in the House at an early date. Among the facts brought forth he Man also were received it was facts brought forth he Man also were received it was said.

said. Military headquarters at Hermoxillo also sent out a report today that the troops of General Angel Flores were continuing their march toward Mazatlan, an important West Coast port of Mexico.
From Nogales, Sonora, came the report
that the Independent state government
of Sonora, through its secretary of state,
had issued a statement guaranteeing protection to all commercial interests in Sonora. Sonora's chief force to oppose President Carranza on the Chi-huahua frontier will be Yaqui and Mayo Indians, it was mid. Heavy concentra-tion of the Indians is being made here to attack the forces of the Mexican president, seconding to the announce-ment of General Pino.

Upshaw Wins Convert. Washington, April 19 .- The "went-

POLICE COMMISSIONER **FACES TRIAL IN GOTHAM**

TWELVE PAGES TODAY.

Police Detectives Testify That He Was Found In Compromising Position

New York, April 19 .- Augustus Drum Porter, who was third deputy police commissioner, until his recent indict Supported By Prominent Men was found in a compromising position with a woman November 12, last, in with a woman November 12, last, in a raided upper West side appartment, police detectives testified at his trial

here today. Hilbert Wheelwright, a member of the "vice squad" for two years prior to his transfer last March to patrol duty, declared that he and two other plain clothes men saw Third Deputy Commissioner Porter enter a West 96th March Through Principal street apartment, accompanied by a woman dressed in deep mourning. Wheelwright testified that he and Fred Sorger, a plain clothes man, later entered the apartment by way of the fire escape. The door to the room having been fastened by a hook inside. There he said, he found Porter and the same

The trial of Mr. Porter is the first in the "vice war" between Assistant District Attorney Smith and the po-lice department. The trial of the former deputy commissioner will be fol-lowed immediately by that of Inspector Dominick Henry, of the "tender-loin," indicted in connection with his administration of that district. Three detectives who operated there under him will also be tried later.

COURT DECLARES BOARD CAN'T REQUIRE REPORTS

Federal Trade Commission Enjoined Against Securing Coal Production Reports

Washington, April 19.-The Supreme Court of the District of Columbia ruled today that the Federal Trade Commission was without authority to enforce its order requiring monthly reports of production costs from coal mine companies and other industries.

panies and other industries.

In granting the application of the Maynard Coal Company, of Kentucky and Ohio, for an injunction to restrain the commission from proceeding to collect a penalty of \$100 a day for every day of failure to report, Justice Bailey declared that the powers the commission sought were "vast and unprecedented," and beyond the provinces of Congress to convey. Congress to convey.

The court's decision affects virtually

styles prevailing in the loose garments will have an opportunity of purchasing suits of dealms in the latest fashion, according to announcements by a firm of the latest styles have been made, as well as models of gingham and calico for women.

Oirls employed as stenographers, elerks and secretaries by the Serbian Child Welfare Organization today organized a "middy" club. The girls expressed the intention of replacing georgette and other expensive waints with middy blouses and of wearing cotton skirfs.

Adoption of overalls and gingham

The count's decision affects virtually every mining and manufacturing company in the country, it was said to make they said would send striker the manding assurances of a "substantial guarantee of increased wages, which have an edited by the yeard would send striker the manding assurances of a "substantial guarantee of increased wages, which have an edited by the yeard would send striker the "the commission in January.

Justice Bailey held that if the business of the concern from which production costs reports were demanded was entirely an interstate commerce, the commission's claim of authority might be valid, but that in the Maynard case the valid by the serior that it was said to they said would send striker the "The yourpost as a subrepant of association, they said would send triker the "Railroad Workers of America, the "Railroad Workers of America, the "Railroad Workers of America, the "Commission of the interaction of association, they said they said would send triker the "Latest they said they said would send triker the "Railroad Workers of America, the "Railroad Workers of America, the "Railroad Workers of America, the

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Twenty-five Years

Petersburg, Va., April 19,-B. Stark, 81 years of age, one of the old and most prominent citizens of Peters-burg, died at his home here early today. His body will be taken to Ral-eigh for burial.

Bolling W. Stark, who died at Petersburg early yesterday, was well known to the older residents of Raleigh, having been manager of the local office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for more than 25 years. He left Raleigh for Petersburg, the city of his birth, in the early eighties. Mr. Stark was the father of Mrs. M.

R. Newson, of 112 New Bern avenue, this city, who, with several other daugh-ters, sons and grandchildren, survive. The body of Mr. Stark will reach Raleigh today and burial will take place Wednesday afternoon. Funeral arrangements, which had not been completed late last night, will be announced

PROMISE RELIEF BILL FOR ABOUT MAY FIRST

Washington, April 19.—Republican House leaders today tentatively agreed to present a soldier relief measure to the House about May first.

the House about May first.

Besides carrying cash compensation the bill will include alternative offers of priority in land settlement, home building aid and extension of voestlonal training. Two plans for adjusted cash compensation have been submitted by a sub-committee; one carrying one dollar for each day's service, and the other authorizing payment at the rate of \$1.25 for each day, with no payments for the first two months of service. Under the latter plan, members said, those exempted because their service was less than sixty days and those serving for a tricles of food, remained wirtually unchanged during the month ending March 15, the Department of Labor's bureau of labor statistics reported today. Figures made public showed that the cost of the 22 stricles of food was only six tenths of one per cent below the cost of the same articles in January when prices reached a high water mark.

Wholesale prices of food, remained virtually unchanged during the month ending March 15, the Department of Labor's bureau of labor statistics reported today. Figures made public showed that the cost of the 22 stricles of food, remained virtually unchanged during the month ending March 15, the Department of Labor's bureau of labor statistics reported today. Figures made public showed that the cost of the 22 stricles of food, remained virtually unchanged during the month ending March 15, the Department of Labor's bureau of compted because their service was less than sixty days and those serving for a longer period would be treated impartially, no payments being authorized to any one for the first two months' service.

Increased more than eight per cent ever Pebruary. Only cloths and clothing showed a small net decrease. Clothing any one for the first two months' services, however, have increased sixty-four per cent over March, 1919.

It is proposed to begin cash payments

BOARD REFUSES TO HEAR STRIKERS IN **REGARD TO WAGES**

Representatives of Employes Who Walked Out To Present Written Protest

BEGIN HEARINGS TODAY ON WAGE CONTROVERSY

Railway Labor Body Will Proceed With Wage Dispute Involving Claims of Nearly Two Million Men; Heads of Four Brotherhoods and Chairman of Railway Executives Attend

Washington, D C., April 19.—Unde-terred by the refusal of the Railroad labor board to hear them today, Representatives of the railroad strike announced that they would present written complaints together with demands for a "living wage" to the board which tomorrow will-begin formal hearing of

the big wage controversary.

The board flatly declined to "receive, entertain or consider" complaints from strikers, declaring it would only hear those who were adopting every reasonable means of avoiding inter-

rention of railroad service.

The board will proceed with the wage dispute involving claims of nearly two million men which failed of adjustment when the bi-partisan board eeased to function April first. Heads of the four- brotherhoods and the chairman of the association of railway executives, all of whom were present

today, will attend.

Timothy Shea, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Firemen and Enginemen, said tonight that speedy settlement would be urged. Refusal of the board to hear strikers, Shen, said, would have effect of sending all of the strikers back to work, many of whom had been led astrny he thought in the

Delegations claiming to represent milroad men of all crafts in various cities who have "quit work" a at the offices of the board to at the offices of the board today de-manding assurances of a "substantial guarantee of increased wages," which they said would send sirkers be "with the said would send sirkers be "to the the said send sirkers be "to the Bailroad Workers of America, in-sisting that they still retained their membership in the recognized union.

over which it has control and which, under the constitution, it has power to regulate," the decision said.

VETERAN TELEGRAPHER

DIES IN PETERSBURG

B. W. Stark, Manager of Western Union In Raleigh For

The stark of the stark of the recognized unions.

General dissatisfaction with the board's action was expressed by the milroad workers. Edward McHugh, representing strikers in New York and New Jersey, declared that he would continue his efforts to obtain some assurance of an increase from the board. surance of an increase from the board, adding that 5,000 men in the New York district would not go back to work until such assurance was received.

> TURKISH TREATY WILL BE DRAFTED IN LONDON

Allied Council Decides Upon General Form at Meeting in San Remo, Italy

San Remo, April 19.—The Turkish treaty was approved by the Allied council today in the general form in which it was drawn by the council of foreign ministers in London. Changes were made in two points, but these were not disclosed. It was decided to request the Turkish plenipotentiaries to present themselves in London on May 14 to re-

Paris, April 19.—The Supreme Counsell has definitely decided to internationalize the Dardanelles, according to a Havas despatch from San Remo, Al-lied contingents will be stationed in

Constantinople. Food Prices Unchanged.

Washington, April 19.—The cost of living, as represented by prices of twenty-two articles of food, remained

No Presidential Honors.

Washington, April 19.—The "wearweralls movement" started in Congress
laturday by Representative Upshaw,
Democrat, Georgia, appeared today to
lave won over only one convert. A
House doorkeeper appeared in blue
leaim.

Pay 46 Per Cent Dividend.

Chicago, Illa., April 19.—Directors of
Scars Roeduck & Company, a mail order
touse, today voted a forty per cent stock
lividend to be paid July 15 to stocklividend to be paid July 15 to stocklolders on record June 15.

It is proposed to begin cash payments
on January 1, 1921, continuing in quartorism and on gross sales
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