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MAY CALL A BIG STRIKE

Labor Leaders Threaten to Tie Up All Industries in Greater New York City.

SAM. GOMPERS RECEIVES HURRY CALL TO N. Y.

Representatives of Car Company Employes Say Many Lines are Now Tied Up.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Sept. 9.—Union labor leaders of State and National prominence were called into New York transit situation today with the announcement by local organizers that in 24 hours a conference will be held here, the outcome of which might be a tieup of all industries employing men affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. A telegram has been sent to Samuel Gompers, president of the latter organization, who is on a vacation in Maine, asking him to hurry here and the Central Federated Union announces after an all night meeting that a committee has been empowered to call a general sympathetic strike in all trades, that this action will be necessary to help the employes of the rapid transit companies in New York to win their fight for annulment of the contract binding the men not to ask for a wage increase in two years.

Meanwhile it is announced on behalf of the Interborough that it will apply for a court injunction to restrain labor leaders from preventing the men working.

Police reports indicate that under guard the elevated service was normal and the situation on surface lines affected is considerably improved. Labor leaders claim on the other hand that surface roads are badly affected. Disorders of a minor character continued throughout the day and there were 18 arrests.

AN IMPORTANT SESSION THINKS CLAUDE KITCHIN

"More Constructive Legislation Enacted Than at Any Other Session," He Says.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Without the customary songs, shouting and handshaking, the first session of the 64th Congress adjourned at 10 o'clock today and tonight there is hardly a handful of senators and congressmen in the city.

Speaker Champ Clark came into the house this morning with his wide-brimmed hat in his hand. It lay on the speaker's desk during the few minutes that body was in session today and within 10 minutes after he had adjourned the house he was on a Pennsylvania train speeding to Mexico, Mo.

With the exception of Senator Simmons, who keeps a home in Cleveland park, none of the North Carolina delegation are here today. Representatives Page and Webb left by automobile early today and Majority Leader Claude Kitchin caught a noon train for home. Senator Overman left at midnight last night and the rest of them are on their way home.

UP GOES BREAD FOR BIRMINGHAM.

(By Associated Press.) Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 9.—Beginning the 11th 24 ounces of loaf bread will be sold for ten cents, an increase of five cents a loaf, according to announcement made today by local bakers. The advance is attributed to the high cost of flour and other ingredients.

Senator Overman, Mayor Woodson and local officials of the W. O. W. have been invited to be present at the opening Monday. A full program of the daily routine will be published Monday afternoon for the information of the public.

UNIFORM RANK, W. O. W. HOUSED AT FAIR GROUNDS.

Military Organization of Woodmen in North and South Carolina Housed Under Canvas Here—Colonel Mather, General Lewis, Captain Ladd, U. S. A., and Other High Officials Here—Thursday the Big Day.

The joint meeting of the local camps of the Woodmen of the World last night was a most interesting one, and the business transacted was not only of interest to the members of the fraternity but the general public of Salisbury at this time especially. The meeting was presided over by General E. B. Lewis, of the Uniform Rank, one of the Sovereign managers of the order in the United States, who is here for the encampment. Present on the rostrum with General Lewis was Colonel E. G. Sigfher, of Lumberton, and Colonel V. E. Grant, of Hendersonville, and Captain Ladd, also of Hendersonville, the latter being an attaché of the United States Army who has been granted a leave of absence by the War Department on request of Senator Overman in order that he may be here next week to inspect the Woodmen troops.

General Lewis gave much information relative to the encampment of the Uniform Rank, W. O. W., to be held at the fair grounds in this city next week. Among other things he reminded the Woodmen that this was

the only organization in the country using the regulation U. S. Army uniform, and although a recent act of Congress prohibits the use of this uniform by other than U. S. Army men President Wilson had granted a special dispensation allowing the Woodmen of the World to continue to use this uniform until November 1st of the present year. There are now 20,000 Woodmen in North Carolina, and it may be of interest to know that the first camp in this State was organized in Salisbury, Hickory camp No. 49, now having a large and influential membership, its roll containing the names of men high up councils of the nation and many local business men and mechanics. Two thousand five hundred new members were enrolled during the past year in this State and 110,000 new men were added to the list in the United States in the past year, and \$198,000 was paid out in death claims in this State last year, more than all other fraternal orders combined. There are 114 degree companies in North and South Carolina. (Continued on page 4.)

IN UNIVERSITY AT 14.



THEODORE STEINMAN.

Theodore Steinman, fourteen-year-old son of Alfred Steinman, a merchant of San Diego, Cal., has registered as a student in the University of California. He is the youngest pupil ever to apply for admittance. He has fifty six entrance units to his credit. The requirement is only forty-five. He attended grammar schools of San Diego up to the sixth grade and entered the San Diego Army and Navy Academy. When Steinman completes his seven year medical course he will be twenty-one years old, a graduate physician at the age of the average junior class student at Berkeley.

PRESIDENT AT SHADOW LAWN.

Mr. Wilson Motored Over from Atlantic City and Was Quietly Received by the Citizens.

(By Associated Press.) Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 9.—President Wilson arrived at Shadow Lawn the summer capital today after an uneventful trip by automobile from Atlantic City. A small crowd greeted him. The President plans to spend the most of his time here until after the election.

HOLDING EGGS IN STORAGE.

Many Thousands of Eggs Being Held in Storage by Few Farms.

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Sept. 9.—Two hundred and twenty farms are holding nearly five million cases of eggs, or about 143 million dozen—in cold storage according to the latest reports to the department of agriculture. The report shows the amount ten per cent less than a month ago.

Infantile Paralysis Epidemic.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Sept. 9.—There was a slight increase in the infantile paralysis epidemic and a drop in the number of deaths as announced here today by the health authorities. The new cases numbered 55, seven more than yesterday, and there were 10 deaths, a decrease of five.

PRESIDENT PLEASED WOMEN DELEGATES

The Speech Which the President Delivered Before the Convention Well Received.

PREDICTED EARLY VICTORY FOR THE WOMEN'S CAUSE

When He Entered His Machine This Morning to go to Shadow Lawn President Was Cheered.

(By Associated Press.) Atlantic City, Sept. 9.—Delegates to the Woman's Suffrage convention are apparently pleased with the address of President Wilson of last night, and today began working on the closing sessions of the convention with the expectation of completing their work tonight.

What specially pleased the delegates was the statement of Mr. Wilson that he had come to Atlantic City "to fight with someone," which the suffragists took to mean that he was enrolling himself under their banner. They were also elated with his declaration that they would be triumphant.

The President predicted that the cause would triumph in a little while. "I have come here to fight with you," the President declared. Immediately the 4,000 women present stood and cheered. A few minutes later Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, honorary president of the Association, with Mr. Wilson still present, declared:

"We have waited long enough to get the vote. We want it now. I want it to come during your administration." Again the great audience of women stood and cheered, waving handkerchiefs.

The President's pledge of support to the suffrage Association caused Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the organization to say in a speech soon after he closed:

"You touched our hearts and won our fealty when you said you had come here to fight with us."

The President did not speak on the method by which he would bring about woman suffrage, but said "we shall not quarrel in the long run as to the method."

The women in their speeches also failed to mention the question of method.

Cheered Along the Route. Atlantic City, Sept. 9.—President Wilson, who spoke to the Suffrage convention here last night, left the city this morning by automobile for Long Branch, to make an extended stay at Shadow Lawn.

A large crowd along the board walks and the streets of the city cheered as he entered his automobile and during his progress along the city. In the crowds that cheered the President were many delegates to the convention which he addressed last night.

Little Miss Louise Traden who has been visiting in Salisbury this week returned to her home in Greensboro today.

LONDON NAVAL ATTACHE.



CAPT. W. H. McDOUGALL.

Captain W. H. McDougall, formerly of the President's yacht Mayflower, has been appointed American naval attaché at London. He is a son of the late General Clinton McDougall, once a member of congress from New York.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE OPENS WITH 350 MEN.

Davidson College, Sept. 8.—At the present the prospects look for the biggest and best year that has ever been in the history of Davidson College. Up to Wednesday night a total enrollment of 350 men had been registered. Out of these 150 are new men, 141 being Freshmen. On the same date of last year, there was a mere about 200 men enrolled in the college to total enrollment of 301. This number's fullest capacity. Both in class room and dormitories. It is expected that there will probably be thirty or forty more enrolled within the next few days.

There are two new additions to the faculty of the college this year, Prof. A. W. Withers, who will be one of the instructors in French and English. Prof. S. Macon Reed, the other new man will teach Greek, Latin and Mathematics.

HIGH POINT BUSINESS MAN FOUND UNCONSCIOUS.

High Point, Sept. 8.—Lewis Woodson, proprietor of the Elmwood Hotel, was found unconscious on the road near his farm, and at first the physicians pronounced it a case of paralysis. For several hours he lay in a helpless condition. Today he has rallied and now has the use of his limbs.

The attack was caused by the intense heat. He had been busy about the farm all afternoon. When he got into his buggy to return home, he was stricken.

The horse, having free rein, came on to the city. Mr. Woodson was found along the road by citizens coming to town. In falling, he suffered a cut across his face.

SENDING AMERICANS MAIL FOR CHINA AND OTHER ORIENTAL COUNTRIES ON ARMY TRANSPORTS WILL GIVE IT A PRETTY CERTAIN GUARANTEE OF REACHING ITS DESTINATION WITHOUT SEIZURE OR DELAY.

COTTON AND STOCKS

New York Stock Market.

New York, Sept. 9.—United States Steel reached a new high record of 1.02 on the stock exchange this morning and over night gain of more than two points and exceeding the previous record by almost a point. Other industrial issues were very strong also copper and leading rails.

Wheat Shows Weakness. Chicago, Sept. 9.—Wheat showed some weakness today largely because of the bearish construction which many traders placed on the government crop report. The opening which ranged from 1-18 tower to 1-4 advance was followed by moderate additional losses and then a fair rally.

New York, Sept. 9.—The cotton market opened steady as follows:

October	15.12
December	15.27
January	15.39
March	15.52
May	15.70

Market Opened Steady at Advance.

New York, Sept. 9.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 1 to 8 points today and sold 14 to 16 points net higher during early trading. The close was irregular.

October	14.96
December	15.13
January	15.21
March	15.36
May	15.55

SERBIANS TAKE THE OFFENSIVE

After Violent Engagement Last Night They Capture a Height West of Lake Ostrovo.

GERMANS AND TURKS IN FIERCE BATTLE

Germany Invites Greece to Quit Florina Where Greek Administration Will Be Suppressed.

(By Associated Press.) Both the French and British took the offensive on the Somme front last night in relatively small areas. The French report the capture of a small wood east of Belleay and says 7,700 Germans have been captured since September 3 and a great number of German dead found on the field and in trenches after an unsuccessful counter attack of the Germans yesterday. The attack of the British was made in the vicinity of Highwood where London announces a trench was captured and heavy losses inflicted. On the Verdun front the Germans renewed the counter attacks but the French war office announces they were repulsed.

The Russians have again instituted a violent effort to break over the mountain barrier which separates them from the Hungarian plains.

In the direction of Halicz in Galicia below Lemberg heavy fighting continues. The Russian statement says counter attacks by Turks and Teutons were repulsed.

Press dispatches from Berlin report that the Bulgarians and Germans have beaten down all opposition in eastern Rumania, having already advanced 50 miles north of the Bulgarian frontier along the Black sea coast.

SATISFACTORY CONCLUSION REACHED.

London, Sept. 9.—Satisfactory conclusion was reached at a series of conferences held this week between the French and British ministry of war and the ministers of munitions, says a British official statement issued this afternoon, regarding the most effective employment of the joint military resources of France and Great Britain.

Serbian Take Offensive.

Paris, Sept. 9.—The Serbians on the Macedonian front took the offensive last night in the region of Lake Ostrovo. The war office announces that after violent engagements they captured a height west of the lake.

French Make Further Gains.

Paris, Sept. 9.—Renewing their assault on the Somme front last night the French made further gains. The capture of a small wooded area is reported today by the war office. German attacks in the Verdun sector also were repulsed.

Germans and Turks Battle.

Petrograd via London, Sept. 9.—German and Turkish troops engaged in a stubborn fight with Russian forces in Galicia on the river Naraiuvka in the direction of Halicz, according to an official statement issued by the Russian war department. A counter attack made by the Turks and Teutons, the statement adds, was repulsed by the Russians.

Invite Greeks to Quit Florina.

Paris, Sept. 9.—A dispatch to the Ilavos agency from Athens dated Friday says the German comissat has invited the Greek authorities to quit Florina where the Greek administration is being suppressed.

Flora is on the railway in northwestern Greece and about 15 miles southeast of Monastir, Serbia.

Russian Pressure Effective. Berlin, via London, Sept. 9.—Forces of the central powers in the Carpathian mountains west of Kapul, says today's official report issued by the German general staff, yielded yesterday before the pressure exerted by the Russians.

Advance of Fifty Miles.

Berlin, via wireless to Saville, Sept. 9.—Correspondents with the Bulgarian and German forces which have invaded Rumania report along the Black Sea coast an advance of about 50 miles beyond the frontier already made. They express the opinion that the progress of the invaders who have occupied several important positions on the coast and elsewhere in Borudka explains the comparative inactivity of the Rumanian forces.

Fighting on Rumanian Soil.

London, Sept. 8.—Rumania which entered the European war less than two weeks ago, now is the scene of a great battle between Russo-Hungarian forces and armies of the Central Powers. The southern part of Dobruja, or eastern Rumania has become a fighting ground and the opposing armies are engaged from the Black

PUBLISHER FOR DEFENSE.



JOSEPH H. COIT.

Joseph H. Coit, president of the publishing house of Moffat, Yard & Company, has been elected chairman of the board of trustees of the American Defense Society.

TWO TRAINMEN KILLED AT BILTMORE STATION

Engineer Enloe and Fireman Pitts Meet Death When Their Train Is Struck By a Runaway String of Cars Loaded With Coal.

Asheville, Sept. 8.—Ben Enloe, engineer, and Irvin Pitts, flagman, were instantly killed at Fairview crossing, just beyond Biltmore station, tonight when their train, backing in toward Biltmore was struck by a runaway string of cars, loaded with coal, which had broken loose at Buena Vista hill, three and a half miles further on. Engineer Enloe was backing a work train into Biltmore and Flagman Pitts was on the engine with him when the runaway cars caught up with and smashed into their train on a small bridge. Engineer Enloe was buried beneath an avalanche of coal and his body has not yet been recovered. Flagman Pitts was found shortly after the wrecking crew arrived. The track will hardly be cleared before some time tomorrow morning. Two other men were slightly injured.

Located on the right of the road—the great highway, the mill will stand just this side the toll bridge, the company promoting the mill owning large lands on either side of the road. The mill will be one story only. It is to be 300 feet by 140 feet and will use many thousands of gallons of water daily, and this latter fact explains the location by the Yadkin, for the water will be pumped from the river into a large filtering basin and then carried on into the mill vats and used in the process of mercerizing the thousands of yards of goods brought to its doors from many other mills of the South.

The mill is being built close by the main line of the Southern, just a short distance from the point of crossing the Yadkin. From the main line a spur track is being built that cars may be loaded and unloaded in front, while another track is being planned to skirt the mill to the south to connect with the boiler and engine rooms between the mill and the river.

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A gas plant will be installed for the local supply, while water and sewerage will be in every house. At the foot of the hill and along the main thoroughfare will be located business houses, plans having already been made and lots bought for stores and other places necessary to a well ordered town.

Yadkin is certainly fortunate for location. It seems an ideal site for a town, and it is believed that a large development is beginning at this point, that it will only be a short while until other manufacturing plants will be located there. Plenty of water, ideal railway facilities and a naturally beautiful location combine to make this an ideal home and manufacturing point, and it is clearly indicated that a town of large magnitude is beginning on the Rowan side of the Yadkin.

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YADKIN AN IDEAL SITE FOR TOWN

New Rowan Town is Ideal Place Beautifully Located With Ideal Surroundings.

FINISHING PLANT ON THE BANKS OF YADKIN

Mill On One Side of the Highway and a Town on the Other is What is Coming.

Yadkin is a busy place. Between fifty and a hundred men are working constantly at the new town site at the river. The mill building is being built, a side track is being graded and other activities are keeping pace with the rising walls of the big mercerizing plant close by Salisbury and Spencer. Hardly had the announcement been made that a mill was to be built at this site than work was begun, and before the public became familiar with the location, the foundation walls were being built and well laid plans were working out the realities of a new manufacturing center for the state.

It is doubtful if there is a more beautiful manufacturing site in the State. On the high hill overlooking the Yadkin, with the Southern main line one side and the great Washington to Atlanta highway on the other the second largest such finishing plant in America will in need command a most excellent site. Far above the waters of the Yadkin, a half hundred feet above all danger marks and commanding a splendid view of each side of the majestic Yadkin the new mill will rise for a long and useful career.

This is a finishing mill, as has been said before. It will receive the newly made cotton goods and putting them through a process of finishing will send them on to markets a finished product. This will be second only to one plant of its kind in America and has in the beginning large manufacturing connections which will furnish the goods to be finished before marketing.

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"So you don't think much of that young man? Why, he's an efficiency expert. Great at locating the waste." "I didn't find him so," said the summer girl. Kansas City Journal.

Tell a girl she is a vision of loveliness, but never say she is a sight to behold.—Detroit Journal.