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Call New Conference In Hope Of Settling National Coal Strike

PEWEN'S VANDAM'S MAYORS PROPOSE SETTLEMENT IDEA

Union Leader Invited to Meet Them Early This Week.

FEDERAL PLANS BEING DRAWN UP

Hoover Wants All to Benefit by Present Bituminous Output.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—(By The Associated Press.)—Another effort to bring about settlement of the national coal controversy was suggested to President Harding today by Mayor John F. Durkan, of Scranton, one of the five mayors of anthracite cities in Pennsylvania, who have tendered their services to the Administration in the interests of conciliation.

ORDER KLANSMEN DISCARD REGALIA WHEN IN PUBLIC

Action Taken at Behest of Governor—Not Antagonistic to Order.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 22.—The Knights of the Ku Klux Klan have been ordered to discard their masks, robes and other regalia except when in their lodge rooms, it was learned here tonight at headquarters of the organization. The order was first made public in a letter to Governor Hardwick, of Georgia, from E. Y. Clarke, imperial wizard pro tem, mentioned only once in a newspaper article which stated the order was general.

LET CONTRACTS FOR PAVING OF KIMBERLY ROAD

Sidewalks, Curbing, Sewer Lines and Water Mains to Be Placed.

Contract for the paving of Kimberly Road and the placing of sidewalks, curb stones, sewer lines and water mains, were let Friday at a cost of around \$40,000 by the E. W. Grove Investments, and work will start as soon as material can be ordered.

PILOT MOUNTAIN MAN IS SOUGHT IN WASHINGTON

(Special Correspondent, The Asheville Citizen.) WASHINGTON, July 22.—(Myrtle City dispatch.)—The pilot mountain man who was shot near the Harris Hotel, where he had been a guest on July 15 and 16, Simon Everett, 30 years old, of Pilot Mountain, is being sought by the police.

MISS BURWELL WILL WED WILMINGTON PHYSICIAN

(Special Correspondent, The Asheville Citizen.) CHARLOTTE, July 22.—Announcement of the engagement of Miss Mattie Edmund Burwell, of Charlotte, and Dr. John Gerald Murphy, of Wilmington, was made Friday by Mrs. Fred Rameur, at her home in Lincolnton, the marriage to be in November.

WANT LABOR BOARD TO DICTATE FIRMS ACTION

GREENSBORO, July 22.—A strike ballot is now in the hands of the employees here of the Southeastern Express Company, who declare that the company ordered wages reduced on August 1, 1921, and are enforcing the reduction despite the order of the Railway Labor Board repealing the order for reduction. In a statement issued by the Southeastern employees they ask that the company be compelled to be made "law abiding" holding that its alleged failure to obey the Labor Board is not lawful.

THREE MONTHS FIRE LOSS IN STATE A DECREASE

RALEIGH, July 22.—A three million dollar fire loss for the first three months of 1922 in North Carolina shows a decrease in the Asheville County Fire loss in the United States and Canada are \$21,000,000 heavier than for the same period in 1921.

AUTO PLUNGES DOWN BANK ONE WILL DIE

RICHMOND, Va., July 22.—Two persons were injured, one fatally and two others escaped unharmed when an automobile in which they were driving plunged down an embankment and turned turtle on the Richmond-Petersburg turnpike in Chesterfield County, a short distance from this city early today.

MAN DROWNS FRIDAY NEAR GREENSBORO

GREENSBORO, July 22.—The body of Charles York, young white man, was pulled from a pond near here Friday where he had drowned. It is supposed that he fell into the pond while in an epileptic fit. He was subject to such attacks. He was fishing alone when he fell into the water.

WE HAVE WITHIN TODAY W. D. STODDART

He has always been fond of Asheville and would like to live in this section, if it were possible, declared W. L. Stoddart, of New York, nationally known hotel architect, upon his arrival in the city last night.

NEW YORK ARCHITECT IS PASSING THROUGH ASHEVILLE ON HIS WAY TO NEW YORK AND WILL LEAVE MONDAY

Mr. Stoddart is the architect for the new million dollar hotel at Charlotte and also the new Francis Hotel at Charleston, S. C., which is under construction at a cost of \$1,200,000, in addition to several others of magnitude in Southern States.

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PERILOUS TIMES By BILLY BORNE



Warrant Against Kansas Editor Is Formally Issued

Is Signed by Nephew; White Makes Bond for Appearance in October.

EMPORIA, Kans., July 22.—(By The Associated Press.)—A warrant charging William Allen White, author and editor, with violation of the industrial court law in displaying a placard sympathizing with the striking railroad shopmen was issued in district court here late today.

DEMOCRATS SCORE M'CORMICK FOR SLUR ON WOMEN

Say He Has No Right to Declare They Can Hold Only Minor Offices.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Democratic leaders are after the Republicans for the slur that Senator Medill McCormick made about women holding jobs. Cordell Hull, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, called on the women of America to resent the slur that they could hold only minor positions. He said:

SENATE VOTES FOR REAUDIT OF WAR DEBT TO CAROLINA

Wadsworth Says He Hopes State Has Better Luck Than New York.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—A resolution by Senator Wadsworth, democrat, North Carolina, requiring the Treasury Department to reaudit and restate the accounts of government with the State of North Carolina for the latter's expenses and advances for military purposes during the War of 1812, was adopted today by the Senate.

NEW EMPLOYEES TAKING PLACE OF C & O CLERKS

RICHMOND, Va., July 22.—Railroad officials said today that employees were being hired to fill the vacancies caused by the striking clerks on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway and that enough applicants were in hand to take care of the situation. The officials said some of the clerks had returned to work. Spokesmen for the union said the men were standing firmly and they would not be affected by the threat of the railway company to fill the positions of the strikers.

ROCKY MOUNT MAN IS KILLED BY ACCIDENT

WASHINGTON, July 22.—E. V. Hunter, of Rocky Mount, N. C., a baggageman on a Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac train, was killed today in an unusual accident in the Washington terminal yards.

GENERAL MOVE BEGUN FOR LOWER WOOL RATES

WASHINGTON, July 22.—While the embargo preliminary to the battle over the wool schedule in the Administration tariff bill was laid down today in the Senate, under the surface movement was started by Senator Lenroot, Republican, Wisconsin, looking to a general reduction in the higher duties proposed on coarse raw wool and manufacturers of that wool, little of which is produced in this country.

FIVE ARE KILLED IN A HEAD ON COLLISION

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., July 22.—(By The Associated Press.)—English and four passengers, all members of one family, were killed and several passengers injured at 3:50 o'clock this morning when St. Louis-San Francisco Railroad passenger train No. 2, Texas Special, east bound, met in a head-on collision at Logan, Mo. Besides the engineer the dead are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hammer, Stouland, Mo., and two small sisters of Mrs. Hammer, named West.

TWO STRIKING SHOPMEN INJURED IN SHOOTING

LAKELAND, Fla., July 22.—Two striking shopmen were shot and slightly injured late today during a clash between the strikers and new employees at the Atlantic Coast Line shops here.

Intimations Of New Moves To End Rail Strike Follow All Day Conference At Capital

JEWELL DECLARES RAIL EXECUTIVES PREVENT PARLEY

Points to Three Policies in Way of Possible End of Strike.

SAYS STRIKE NOW UP TO EXECUTIVES

Says They and Group Representing Interests Continue Tie-up.

CHICAGO, July 22.—(By The Associated Press.)—Three principal principles must prevent a settlement of the railway shopmen's strike, B. M. Jewell, head of the railway's department of the American Federation of Labor said in a statement tonight.

DAY'S SURVEY OF RAIL STRIKE

President Harding spent most of the day conferring with Ben Hooper, chairman of the United States Railroad Labor Board and members of Senate committee on the railway strike but no course of action was made public.

SENATORIAL CONFERENCE HELD VITAL TO ENDING RAILWAY STRIKE

Jewell and Davis Thresh Over Questions Before Parley Resumed.

MOOSEHEART, Ill., July 22.—(By The Associated Press.)—Following a conference here tonight with B. M. Jewell, head of the striking railway shopmen, the shop crafts president, James J. Davis, secretary of labor, announced that he believed the strike could be settled if the roads would give the striking shopmen their seniority rights and there was a rehearing by the United States Railroad Labor Board on other disputed questions.

CONCILIATION MOVE IS LOOKED FOR THIS WEEK

(Special Correspondent, The Asheville Citizen.) RALEIGH, July 22.—There were no new strike developments today, but the end of the first week of what is regarded as the strike's most serious stage was thoroughly in hand and the week found the Governor's action today in the state, certainly of those who have expressed themselves. The leading state papers indicate that the Governor's action in taking military precautions and his messages to Harding were generally endorsed by those who have given the subject deep thought.

Late Strike News

MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 22.—Disorders were reported late tonight to have broken out in the Louisville and Nashville Railway shops at Albany, Ala., where 1,500 men are on strike. The United States marshal from Birmingham accompanied by 15 deputies left Birmingham tonight for Albany to serve a Federal injunction against picketing and also to reinforce State law enforcement officers who said they were numerically unable to handle any possible disorders.

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