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REV. TOM P. JIMISON IS ATTACKED ON STREETS

John Sloop, an Employee in the Salisbury Postoffice Knocked Him Down Just After Noon.

NO WORDS PASSED, SAYS MR. JIMISON

Mr. Sloop Said That Jimison "Had Abused Enough People Already."—Would Say Nothing Further.

Salisbury, Aug. 21.—Tom P. Jimison, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Spencer, and champion of the striking shopmen here, was knocked to the pavement in Salisbury shortly after noon today by John Sloop, an employe in the Salisbury post office.

Mr. Jimison said he did not know Mr. Sloop and that he had never seen him before the encounter, and that no words were passed preceding the incident.

Mr. Sloop stated that Mr. Jimison had "abused enough people already," and would say nothing further regarding the affair. A number of people including some striking shop men, gathered, and violence was feared for a few minutes after the encounter.

Mr. Sloop was arrested, but was later released on bail. Mr. Jimison accompanied by several friends, returned to his home in Spencer.

ADVANCES TO BE MADE TO COTTON GROWERS

No Farmer Need Be Afraid That His Advance Will Not Be Ready for Him.

Raleigh, Aug. 21.—"Arrangements are fast being completed for making advances to the growers," said Secretary A. E. Bing, of the North Carolina Cotton Growers' Co-operative Association, who is daily receiving reports from banks over the cotton belt, assuring the Association of their support in a statement today.

"Many of them have already agreed to loan us money for our revolving fund," Secretary Bing stated, "and no farmer need be afraid that his advance will not be ready for him on the very first day on which we begin to receive cotton. Some large banks outside of the State have expressed their willingness to handle our paper on quite favorable terms in case it should be necessary for us to call on them. It has been definitely settled that this paper will be eligible for rediscount with the Federal Reserve Bank.

"Within the next few days a whirlwind campaign is to be begun among the banks located at receiving points for the purpose of making them thoroughly acquainted with the part which they have to play when the cotton begins moving. In view of the fact that a large volume of available funds will start moving into the banks as soon as we begin receiving cotton, thus relieving them of the burden on financing the farmer, which they have been carrying for some time and which they would be called upon to keep on carrying if the individual farmers hold their own cotton, it is expected that the bankers will co-operate with us fully."

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Association, it was decided to advance $50 flat on each bale of cotton at the time it is delivered to the Association. Further advances will be made just as soon as sales of cotton adopted by the Texas and Oklahoma cotton associations last year, after they had had experience in handling cotton for their members.

It was also decided that all old cotton will be received and sold with the same grades of new cotton. The date set for the first delivery of cotton is September 1, but General Manager Blalock expects to receive cotton before that date, if the early maturity of this year's crop should make it necessary.

At the Theatres.

The Pastime Theatre today is showing Dick Hatton in "Fighting Fool," also a Century comedy entitled "Kid Love."

"Quick Action," with William Russell in the leading role, and a Sunshine comedy "Laughing Gas," are on the program at the Piedmont today.

A Paramount feature picture, "The World's Champion," with Wallace Reid in the leading role, is the attraction today at the Star Theatre.

Hinton Hops Off for Nassau.

Miami, Fla., Aug. 21.—Lieut. Walter Hinton in his giant seaplane, the Sampaio Correia, hopped off at West Palm Beach this morning at 10:15 expecting to reach Nassau in a couple of hours. The lieutenant had good rest last night, and with the plane's machinery working satisfactory and weather conditions favorable he hoped to make a pleasant trip over the Gulf Stream to the Bahamas.

"Fatty" Arbuckle to Leave U. S.

Expressing himself as disguted with motion picture conditions in the United States, "Fatty" Arbuckle, dethroned movie comedy king, declares that he intends soon to sail for the orient. The length of his absence, he said, would depend upon many things which he refused to discuss.

Arizona copper mining companies are to co-operate in financing a $6,00,000 hydro-electric power project in the Salt River region near Phoenix.

CABARRUS SUPERIOR COURT

Second Week of Three Weeks Term Began This Morning.

Cabarrus County Superior Court began its August term on last Monday with Judge T. B. Findley, presiding. Solicitor Hayden Clement was present to prosecute all criminal cases for the state. The present term will run for three weeks.

The grand jury was empaneled, with Mr. R. L. McEachern, as foreman.

A number of submissions were heard at the opening of the court, and sentences passed on some of them as follows:

Roy Kiser plead guilty of an affray. Judgment was continued upon payment of the costs.

Luther Stancil plead guilty to a simple assault and was fined $50 and the costs.

George F. Rinehardt plead guilty to an assault with a deadly weapon. He was made to pay costs, and judgment was continued for two years during which he must show good behavior.

John Ellis plead guilty to larceny. Judgment was continued for two years upon payment of the costs.

George Furr plead guilty to driving a car while drunk, and was fined $10 and the costs.

E. C. Smith and H. M. Joyner were both found guilty of prostitution. Sentence has not yet been pronounced by the court.

Jess Palmer plead guilty to forcible trespass. Judgment was continued for two years, and he was made to pay the costs.

Guy Plunkett, alias Guy Williams, plead guilty to trespass. Since he was only 14 years old, the court placed him in the hands of John A. Carter, of Charlotte, who is to report his good behavior.

Ernest Lisk plead guilty to operating an automobile while drunk. Judgment was continued for two years upon payment of the costs.

Bunnie Garner plead guilty to carrying a concealed weapon, and drew the regular fine of $50 and the costs.

Walter Basinger, charged with seduction, was found guilty after a jury trial. Sentence has not been passed upon him.

J. W. King and J. K. Eaves plead guilty to a simple assault. Judgment was continued two years upon payment of one-half of the costs by each. They are to appear each January and August term of court to show good behavior.

W. L. Rimer plead guilty to carrying a concealed weapon, and was fined $50 and the costs.

John Manly and Henry Jenkins, charged with driving an automobile while drunk, assault with a deadly weapon, and carrying a concealed weapon, were found guilty on all three counts after a jury trial.

Ernest Swicegood plead guilty to larceny and receiving stolen property. He was sentenced to six months on the roads at the discretion of the county physician.

Charles Ritz and Sol Yachelson were found guilty of assignation by the jury. Sentence has not yet been passed.

J. D. Boyd and L. B. Cruse plead guilty to an assault with a deadly weapon and submitted their case to the judge. They were each fined $50 and one-half the costs and are to show good behavior for two years at each January and August term of court.

Willie Cranford plead guilty to store breaking and was sentenced to 12 months on the roads.

Willie Davis waived trial on a charge of assault on a female, and accept the judgment of the court.

T. H. Honeycutt plead guilty to receiving more than one quart of whiskey and was given six months on the roads.

WIDESPREAD "ONE BIG UNION" PROPAGANDA IS BARED

Papers Seized in Chicago Raid Last Night Show This.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Early morning examination of papers and correspondence seibed in a raid last night on the offices of Trades Union Educational League, headed by Mm. Z. Foster, who led the last steel strike, and who recently was deported from Colorado as one of the foremost radical leaders of America, bared a widespread "one big union" propaganda among railway workers and gave valuable information concerning systematic series of radical meetings in rairoad centers, according to States Attorney Crowe.

No arrest was made, but a long list of names of radical leaders was unearthed, Mr. Crowe announced.

COOLIDGE SEES PROSPERITY

Declares Rail and Coal Strikes Indicate Conditions Are Good.

Tocoma, Wash., Aug. 18.—Calvin Coolidge, vice-preident of the United States, who, with Mrs. Coolidge and his two sons, were here yesterday, declared the rail and coal strikes were indications of prosperity. They also indicate, he said, the restless state of the public mind generally, which will become stable when the strikers are back at work.

"There are no strikes when conditions are bad," he said. "When there is general unemployment men hang on to their jobs. But when conditions are good and other jobs are available, they will go out on strike."

Connelly Springs the Scene of Methodist Camp Meeting.

Connelly Springs, Aug. 19.—Starting tomorrow and continuing through September 30, a camp meeting will be held under the direction of Rev. H. C. Morrison, of Wilmore, Ky., and Rev. Joseph Owen, of Boaz, Ala. Connelly Springs is a new field for Methodist camp meetings. It was opened a year ago, but has attracted wide-spread attention, and people are expected to flock here from many places in the state.

RUMPLE WILKINSON

Miss Ella Mae Rumple Becomes the Bride of Mr. William A. Wilkinson.

The following announcements were received in the city this morning:

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rumple
announce the marriage
of their sister
Ella Mae Rumple
to
Mr. William Andrew Wilkinson
On Sunday, August the twentieth
Nineteen hundred and twenty-two
Concord, North Carolina

Cards as follows accompanied the announcement:

At Home
After August Twenty-Fifth
Two twenty-eight North Union Street,
Concord, North Carolina

The ceremony was performed last evening at 7:30 o'clock at the manse of the Bethpage Presbyterian Church by Rev. Ovid Pullin, the bride's pastor, in the presence of several of the friends of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson left by automobile for Salisbury where they took the train for Washington, Baltimore and New York. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson have many friends here and elsewhere who will be interested in the above announcement. Mr. Wilkinson having been associated in business in Concord for a number of years. Mrs. Wilkinson has taught in the public schools of the county for some time, and is well-known and very popular.

Upon their return to the city they will make their home at the home of Mr. Wilkinson on North Union street.

BALL GAME SATURDAY

Gibson Defeated Cabarrus in a Snappy Game by Score of 2 to 0

The Gibson baseball team on Saturday afternoon took sweet revenge on the Cabarrus team for the shutout game Cabarrus recently handed them, when they evened up the score by a 2 to 0 score at the Cabarrus Mill park.

The game, which is the second one played by the two teams, was witnessed by a good sized crowd, and was a splendid exhibition of the national pastime.

Moore for Cabarrus and Leonard for Gibson did the pitching, and both of them worked out a splendid game. But for one wild throw by catcher Meehan in the first inning of the game, allowing two men to score, indications are that darkness would have found the teams still tied up. Two hits and a sacrifice in the first inning had preceded this miscue.

The fielding of both teams was the feature of the game, Smith being the star for the Gibson aggregation in this phase of the game. This performer pulled down several line drives in center field which would have been god for extra bases, and was a big factor in the defeat of Cabarrus. Ed Misenheimer, for Cabarrus, got in a two base hit. Two double plays by the Cabarrus team added much interest to the game.

The Gibson and Cabarrus teams will meet again on Saturday afternoon, and interest in the series of games they are playing continues to grow.

The score by innings follows:

		R	H	E
Cabarrus	000 000 000	0	5	1
Gibson	200 000 000	2	5	1

PRINTING OF THE NEW TARIFF BILL DELAYED

So Numerous Were the Changes Made That the Experts Were Unable to Get a New Print Over Sunday.

Washington, Aug. 21.—So numerous were the changes made in the administration tariff bill during its stormy course through the Senate that the experts and government printing office working jointly and overtime were unable to get a new print over Sunday with the result that the printing of the measure was delayed.

Chairman Fordney, of the Ways and Means Committee, said today he expected the reprinted bill to be ready tomorrow for House action. In that event it would be sent to conference under special rule. Conferees would begin work late tomorrow or Wednesday.

SAYS BOTH PARTIES FAVOR THE BONUS BILL

Hanford MacNider Declares a Personal Canvass Shows This.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Hanford MacNider, national commander of the American Legion in a statement today, declared that a personal canvass of the bonus bill situation showed that "a majority of the Senate, including both parties, favored the bill and is pledged for its passage."

Mr. MacNider predicted that the bonus bill which is slated for Senate consideration beginning Wednesday, would be passed by the Senate this week.

Nominate Duncan For Raleigh Postmaster.

Washington, Aug. 18.—William B. Duncan gets the nomination for postmaster at Raleigh as he has been forecast in this correspondence. His name was sent to the Senate this afternoon by the President and there will be no trouble as to his confirmation, this to follow the first meeting of the Senate committee on postoffices. Another nomination sent to the Senate, this also forecast in this correspondence, was that of Ross Matheson for Taylorsville and a third nomination for postmaster was that of Nolle M. Patton for Morganton.

In the person of George L. Stark, not yet 21 years old, the town of Alma, Kas., believes it has the youngest cashier or officer of any national bank in the United States.

Bituminous coal is mined in twenty-eight States; anthracite in but one—Pennsylvania.

The total value of fish exported from Canada last year was $26,668,817.

NO DISORDERS HAVE BEEN REPORTED TODAY

At Spencer After the Blowing Up Sunday of Water Main Supplying the Shops There.

WORKMEN BUSY REPAIRING MAIN

Finally Succeeded in Restoring the Water Supply—No Clue Found as to Perpetrator of the Crime.

Spencer, N. C., Aug. 21.—Quiet prevailed here early today after a Sunday marked by the blowing up of a water main supplying the Southern Railway shops, the burning of several box cars in the yards, and an early morning outbreak of promiscuous and apparent harmless firing. No disorder was reported during the night.

Workmen were busy throughout yesterday repairing the 12-inch main broken by the explosion and finally succeeded in restoring the water supply. Lack of water caused considerable delay in moving trains. Sheriff J. H. Krider and other officials today had not found a clue that would assist in fixing responsibility for the blast.

Col. Don E. Scott, of Graham, in charge of the nine national guard organizations encamped at the Fair Grounds three miles from the shops, considered the advisability of placing guards about the shop enclosures, but has not yet ordered soldiers detailed for such duty. Local authorities have not yet made any requests for guardsmen for patrolling the shops.

ANNUAL SESSION LUTHER LEAGUE

Reception For Visitors on St. Paul's Church Lawn Features Opening Conclave.

Wilmington, Aug. 16.—A full delegation was present at the first session of the second annual convention of the Luther league of the Lutheran church of North Carolina, which met with St. Paul's Lutheran church this morning at 10 o'clock. The devotional service was conducted by the Rev. Kenneth Otten. Following the devotional S. White Rhyne, of Goldsboro, the president, formally opened the convention.

John Henry Gergen, the president of the local league, delivered the address of welcome. The keynote of his theme was "We Expect You To Be One of Us While In Our City." This address was responded to by Curtis Wise, who very appropriately summed up his remarks with the thought that the delegates felt the hospitable spirit of the local people and knew that it was only the beginning.

Most of the delegates arrived yesterday afternoon. There was a special car from Charlotte, which came by Salisbury, Greensboro, Raleigh and Goldsboro, gathering the delegates all along the way. The train was met by the local leaguers and their friends, giving the incoming delegates a most cordial welcome.

The climax of the first day's stay in the city was reached when the local congregation gave a reception for the visitors on the church lawn. Miss Marie Rheder was in charge of the exercises.

The afternoon meeting began at 3 o'clock with the devotionals, conducted by Rev. R. L. Patterson, D. D. After the declaration of the opening of the business session the fraternal delegates responded. Following this the committee on revision of constitution reported, which caused a great deal of discussion.

The vespers were held at 8 o'clock. The address of the evening was delivered by the Rev. W. D. Haltiwanger, whose subject was "Jesus Calls to the Gospel Ministry."

Press Seeks to Revive Turkey's Economic Life.

Constantinople, Aug. 21.—A campaign for the revival of industrial activity in Turkey has been started by the Turkish press. The influential Ileri, a morning newspaper, says:

"The slow extinction of Moslem economic activity has been going on now for several years. This can only serve the interests of our enemies, who observe our lamentable economic situation and gain the idea that the day will soon come when the Turkish nation will die out automatically.

"We must arouse ourselves to this danger. Day by day our commerce and industry are bidding us farewell. We are selling to strangers our house properties and our real estate, and very soon we shall begin selling them our furniture and moveable property. Turks must awake from their slumber; they must link their private life to the national needs. They must economize and save and work, remembering that to waste a single piastre is an attack upon the national destiny."

Pupils of the Lewis Peak school, 25 miles east of Walla Walla, Washington, are studying hard while most school children of the country are enjoying their vacation. The weather is so cold and the snow so deep in winter that school is not feasible in that district and it is then that the children have their vacation, which they spend in hunting and trapping in a region infested with deer, bear and coyottes.

In early times the diamond was credited with the power of guarding its wearer from poison, insanity and timidity.

TO RESUME WORK ON CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL

Work Interrupted by the World War Is To Be Completed.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 21 (By the Associated Press).—Preparations are nearing completion for the resumption of work on the Confederate memorial monument on the east side of Stone Mountain, an undertaking interrupted by the world war. Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor, who was engaged by the United Daughters of the Confederacy, under whose auspices the monument is to be hewn out of the face of the great monolith, has already returned to Atlanta and is shaping his plans to take up the work where it was left off when Uncle Sam's demands incident to America's entry into the world war temporarily halted completion of this memorial to the heroes of another day.

Mr. Borglum is having a specially designed lens ground for the projection of figures of increased size against the side of the huge mass of granite, by means of which with a powerful light photographs of models may be thrown against the face of the mountain in great sizes.

Such methods have never been used before, according to the sculptor, who has gotten down to the actual work of drawing in the groups of heroic figures to be carved out of the side of the big rock. The work of projection has to be done at night, he said, but added that it is practicable. "Why I told the scoffers they could project pictures on Mars, if they could get a powerful enough light," he said.

Carving will begin either at the head of General Robert E. Lee or that of President Davis, but it has not been settled which.

A crew of men has been at work for several weeks extending the scaffolding to the point on the mountain side where will rest the principal group, and various electrical and compressed air apparatus also has arrived and is ready for installation, Mr. Borglum said.

The project calls for the sarving in bas-relief on the nearly perpendicular side of Stone Mountain of a colossal monumental panorama to commemorate the heroic deeds of the Confederate armies. This side of the mountain affords space for a mile or more of gigantic sculptured figures of men and horses, fifty or more feet in height, with all the paraphernalia of war.

The mountain side and an extensive tract of land on the plain at the base of the mountain to provide a national park, from which to view the achievement when completed, have been deeded to the Daughters of the Confederacy.

Stone Mountain is 15 miles east of Atlanta. It is said to be the largest solid granite monolith in the world, rising 686 feet above the surrounding plain and standing a dome-like mass of solid rock, seven miles in circumference.

THE COTTON MARKET

Showed Renewed Strength Early Today, Being 31 to 53 Points Higher.

New York, Aug. 21.—The cotton market showed renewed strength early today with prices making new high ground for the sharp advances of last week. After opening firm at an advance of 31 to 63 points, active months soon showed net advances of 48 to 55 points, with December selling at 22:28.

Cotton futures opened firm, Oct. 22:90; Dec. 22:80; Jan. 22:50; March 22:55; May 22:46.

Miss Margaret Hendrix Hurt in Auto Accident.

The condition of Miss Margaret Hendrix, who was injured Saturday in an automobile accident is reported today as practically unchanged. Miss Hendrix in company with Mrs. Joe Hendrix, Mrs. Gilbert Hendrix, Mrs. Ed Hendrix and Mr. Wallace Clyde, brother-in-law of Mrs. Ed Hendrix, were riding out the old Concord-Charlotte stage road, past the county home, with Mr. Clyde driving. Just before reaching the bridge across Rocky River they met a truck driven by a negro, who kept to the middle of the road. Mr. Clyde, in trying to avoid colliding with the truck, ran close to the edge of the fill, which gave way under the weight of the car, causing it to roll down the embankment. Miss Hendrix jumped when she saw the automobile was going to turn over, but she failed to get out of the way and the heavy car fell over her. She was rushed to the Concord Hospital immediately after the accident, and an examination there failed to show any broken bones. However, she is badly bruised and it is not known whether or not she suffered internal injuries. The other members of the party escaped with only slight bruises and scratches.

Three Asheville Strikers Given Thirty Days in Jail.

Asheville, Aug. 18.—Thirty days in jail, the maximum sentence within the jurisdiction of the magistrate's court, was the sentence yesterday in the case of E. R. Henderson, E. G. Knootz and Frank Briggs, striking railroad shopmen, convicted before Magistrate B. L. Lyda for assault on Sam Harris, an employe in the local shops of the Southern railroad company.

Notice of appeal was given and each of the defendants was required to make $1,000 bond. The three men were convicted after it was shown that they dragged Harris from behind a store counter and carried him out the back door.

Many Ministers Attend School.

Asheville, Aug. 18.—Three bishops and nearly a dozen prominent ministers of the south will take a leading part in the school of evangelism which is to be conducted at Lake Junaluska, the summer assembly grounds of the southern Methodist church, starting today and continuing for the next 10 days.

DR. R. W. KILGORE DELIVERS ADDRESS ON MARKETING

Tells Cabarrus Farmers of the Advantages of Co-operative Movement.

Dr. R. W. Kilgore, director of the North Carolina Agricultural Service and of the North Carolina Cotton Growers' Co-operative Association, addressed the farmers and others at the court house in Concord last Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A goodly number of Cabarrus County farmers were present. Dr. Kilgore entertained the audience for about an hour, speaking on the subject of Co-operative Marketing. Although court is in session here at this time Judge Finley kindly consented to adjourn Saturday afternoon in order that the farmers of Cabarrus might hear Dr. Kilgore in the council room of the Cabarrus County Court House.

Great interest was shown at the meeting. The audience was attentive and farmers continued to crowd into the court room throughout the meeting. Hand bills bearing the endorsements of the Cabarrus County Banks, as well as the local leading merchants of Concord, were distributed among the farmers and all of them carried the papers away with them. Not a single hand bill was left on the floor. This fact showed clearly that Cabarrus County farmers are interested in co-operative marketing and want to know the facts regarding it. It will be of interest to every cotton grower in the county to know that every bank in the county has endorsed the movement, as well as the leading merchants of the city of Concord.

Dr. Kilgore spoke of the rapid development of the co-operative marketing idea, comparing it with the growth of the suffrage and prohibition issue, which, he said, were agitated several years before any definite steps were taken toward their development.

The co-operative marketing idea, Dr. Kilgore stated, almost instantly rooted itself in the minds of the public and within less than two years has covered the entire United States. Growers all over the country, he stated, are finding that it is very advantageous for them to market their produce through the co-operative associations.

Dr. Kilgore stated that every state in the union that is producing cotton has an association that is organized in the same way as is the North Carolina association. These various state associations have been affiliated into the American Cotton Growers' Association, the members of which will produce more than 85 per cent. of the cotton of the United States. There are more than 27,000 members of the association, Dr. Kilgore stated, and they have contracted to supply the organization with 4,000,000 bales of cotton this season.

He spoke briefly of the personnel of the North Carolina organization, making especial mention of the acquisition of F. B. Howard, of Atlanta, former member of the cotton firm of Inman and Howard, as sales manager for the American Cotton Growers' association.

The force of the North Carolina association is made up of men who have been selected for their proven ability in the work they are to do, Dr. Kilgore said. The employes of the association and the expenses of the state association have been held to the smallest number and amount possible, he stated, the organization having been completed with the expenditure of the membership fees.

This, he pointed out, is a record that no other state association has been able to attain.

The war finance commission has given North Carolina a loan of $10,000,000 which is the largest amount loaned to any state for the marketing of the cotton crop.

Eight states have been loaned 51 million dollars to handle the advances to be made to the farmers when the cotton is delivered to the banks, Kr. Kilgore said.

An initial advance of $50 is to be made on every bale the farmer delivers to the warehouse of the North Carolina association, Dr. Kilgore stated.

Speaking of the benefits of the organization, Dr. Kilgore pointed to the fact that the Oklahoma and Texas associations during the past year obtained an average of three cents a pound more than the market price.

In the carrying on of a campaign for more members to the state association, Dr. Kilgore gave as a reason the fact that the more cotton the association is able to furnish the mills and the foreign trade, the greater the influence the organization will have on the price of the commodity.

The idea of the organization is not to hold the cotton off the market for exorbitant prices but to see that the farmer obtains the best price possible for the product, thus enabling him to produce the staple with a reasonable margin of profit.

The merchants and business men of the country will be of great aid in the addition of new members to the association, Dr. Kilgore stated, explaining that these men are looked upon by the farmer as his friends and their advice taken for its worth.

Following the meeting in Concord, community mass meetings will be held throughout the county at which cotton growers will be given an opportunity to join the Association. Good speakers have been secured for these meetings and they will not only inform the citizens of each community about co-operative marketing in general, but information about the marketing of this year's crop of cotton will be given out also. Members of the association should advertise these meetings in their respective communities and have every cotton grower present. Read the newspapers and watch for posted advertisements for information.

There will be a speaker to discuss co-operative marketing at the farmers' picnic to be held at St. John's on next Wednesday. Let every cotton grower in number eight township be present and hear the story of co-operative marketing.

SCONTINUE IN SHOPMEN'S STRIKE

Despite the Fact of Assurances by Big Four Chiefs That There Will Be No Sympathetic Strike.

DISORDER AT COLUMBIA, S. C.

Eleven Men Brought in by Southern Attacked by the Strike Sympathizers—Violence in Many Places.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Disorders continued in the rail shop workers' strike during the early hours of the eighth week, despite peace negotiations pending at New York and assurances by the chiefs of the "big four" that no sympathetic strike of train service employes impends.

While Michigan Central detectives were investigating the Gary, Ind., wreck in which two of the train crew were killed early yesterday, violence broke out anew at scattered points from coast to coast.

On the Atlantic side disorders occurred at Columbia, S. C., where eleven men brought in to work in the shops of the Southern Railway were attacked by a crowd of strike sympathizers.

Hostilities broke out again in San Bernardino, Cal., where four employes of the Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe shops were beaten.

Hurrying to Kansas City following a near riot in the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific shops there, Governor Allen, of Kansas, gave Mayor Burton 24 hours in which to restore order, threatening to send troops if the situation did not improve.

The states attorney investigation began immediately after receipt there of the report of the Michigan Central wreck at Gary, Ind., in which two men were killed and two injured, and the discovery of two sticks of dynamite on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks.

Railroad officials said that the Michigan Central express train had been deliberately ditched. Spikes were removed from ties and rails loosened, they said.

The raid of Foster's headquarters was planned after hurried consultations with authorities in other rail centers where rail disorders have occurred, and where meetings of railroad men have been addressed by radical leaders.

FACT-FINDING COAL COMMISSION MAY BE CREATED

As Recommended by President Harding's Special Message to Congress.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Chairman Winslow, of the House Commerce committee, after conference today with President Harding, announced he would introduce immediately a bill to create a fact finding coal commission as recommended by the President in his special message to Congress.

The measure, Mr. Winslow said, would call for appointment by the President of a commission not to exceed nine members, with instructions to report to the chief executive and Congress by July 1, 1923.

The commission would have wide powers of investigation including the right to examine books of various coal producing companies.

Mr. Winslow said his commission would meet later in the day to consider the measure with a view to immediate favorable report.

President Harding Favors Military Training.

Washington, Aug. 21.—President Harding in an address here today to citizen soldiers from Camp Meade, Md., declared he favored military training "for more than 100,000" civilians annually, not for any prospective aggressive warfare, but to preserve peace. The President called attention to the fact that 28,000 civilians were afforded training this summer, compared with 11,000 last year.

Ex Governor Folk's Condition Is Improved.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Jos. W. Folk, former Governor of Missouri, and at one time widely supported for the democratic nomination for President, was said by his physicians today to be recovering rapidly from a critical illness due to a nervous breakdown. His collapse was attributed to overwork.

Bus Line for Spartanburg.

Spartanburg, S. C., Aug. 19.—Abandonment of street car service in Spartanburg and the substitution of an up-to-date bus line service is being sought by the South Carolina Light and Power and Railways company, operators of street cars here.

Furr Reunion.

There will be a Furr reunion at the Wilson Furr place in No. 9 township, in Cabarrus County, near the Tuckertown bridge. Everybody is invited to come and bring dinner.

R. B. FURR,
Mt. Pleasant, N. C., Route 3.

The New York Public Library is experimenting with a method to preserve newspaper files for future use in centuries to come. Japanese paper, which is transparent, is pasted on every page, rendering the page impervious to the agencies that destroy newsprint. Thus protected they will last indefinitely and constant handling gives no evidence of wear.

The Sacramento-San Joaquin Valley of California produced farm crops valued at $256,000,000 annually.