

I. W. W. LEADERS DEPORTED

WOMAN SUFFRAGE IS DEFEATED IN THE SENATE

54 AGITATORS GO THROUGH CHICAGO EN ROUTE TO ATLANTIC PORT; WILL BE SHIPPED TO RUSSIAN PROVINCES

THE ARRESTS FOLLOW INQUIRIES

For Past Year Secret Investigations Have Been Underway by Government Agents Which Led to Arrest of the Trouble Fomenters.

LABOR CONDITIONS IMPROVED

Tacoma, Washington, Strike Declared Off This Morning, Whole Labor Officials Consider Same Move in Seattle—Eastern Troubles.

CHICAGO, FEB. 10.—(By Associated Press.)—Fifty-four members of the Industrial Workers of the World passed through Chicago last night in a special train under heavy guard on their way to an Atlantic port, where, it is said, they will be deported at once by immigration authorities.

Forty of the prisoners came direct from Seattle, where it is alleged they took part in fomenting the general strike which has paralyzed the industries of that city for several days.

Three leaders of the Seattle strike, one Spokane agitator, and an I. W. W. leader from Denver and five alien convicts, arrested in Chicago, were among the prisoners gathered in the federal net.

The majority of the men were alien labor agitators picked up by officers of the United States immigration service during a year of secret campaigning in industrial centers of the Pacific coast.

The majority of the prisoners will be sent back to Russian provinces. They are principally Norwegians, Swedes and Finns, according to guards on the train.

SOLDIERS STOP PICKETING BY STRIKERS AT BUTTE; DISCHARGED SOLDIERS AMONG THE STRIKERS

BUTTE, FEB. 10.—Strikers in the mines of Butte who object to the recent reduction of \$1 a day in wages and who are insisting on the abolition of the "rustling" card system were halted on their way to picket the mines today by guards of United States soldiers. Those men who decide to go to work were permitted to pass.

Discharged soldiers who still wore the army uniforms were among those doing picket duty for the strikers. They were singled out by the regular army men and were ordered to immediately discard their uniforms or cease participation in the attempted picketing.

Denver Schools Suspend

Denver, Feb. 10.—Twenty-five of the 65 public schools of Denver were closed today as a result of the strike of stationary engineers employed by the school district, which went into effect at 8 o'clock this morning. The failure of the school board to meet the demands of the engineers for increased salaries resulted in the strike.

Consider Seattle Strike

Seattle, Feb. 10.—Conservative leaders of union labor met at 9:30 o'clock this morning with the general strikers conference in an effort to induce the committee to recommend that the general sympathetic strike in progress here be called off.

Strike Leader Arrested

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 10.—Irene Kaplan, secretary of the committee directing the textile strike here, was arrested today on the federal charge of evading the draft.

Kaplan was taken by local authorities to Camp Devens, Mass., to be turned over to army authorities. It was announced he would be charged with failure to register in the draft, either in 1917 or 1918. Several hours after Kaplan's departure for Camp Devens his wife appeared at police headquarters with his registration card, which showed that he was registered at Pittsfield, Mass., and placed in class five. The police declined to say what action would be taken in regard to the detention of Kaplan in view of this development.

Tacoma Strike Off

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 10.—Following the decision of the central labor council last evening, the general strike is off in Tacoma today, and members of the union who went out in sympathetic strike went back to work at 8 o'clock this morning.

Paris, Feb. 10.—Twelve American holders were injured, eight of them seriously, in a collision yesterday of a troop train with a locomotive on the Bordeaux-troop line.

DOGS AND ROADS WILL HAVE CENTER OF STAGE

Legislative Outlook for the Week May Locate Building Shortly. As Seen Briefly by Tom East—

(By W. T. BOST.)

Raleigh, Feb. 10.—With both houses of the general assembly to meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon the legislative work for North Carolina promises to be largely to dog law and road legislation. It is considered probable that the legislators will take most of Tuesday off to attend the meeting called to discuss the state cotton situation.

The road legislation is believed to be shaping up pretty well and while western members of the senate desire to tighten up Ray's dog law already passed by the house it is expected to go through in its present shape, save that George Holderness intends to secure a trifle more protection for goats.

The war over the location of the new building for the state department of agriculture continues, but it is understood that the committee is practically unanimous in favor of the state college site. It is altogether possible, however, that the row will end in no new building.

PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE IS BACK IN LONDON

London, Feb. 10.—Premier Lloyd George, who returned from Paris Saturday night was engaged yesterday in discussing the labor troubles in the United Kingdom with the cabinet ministers and board of trade officials. Many meetings of railway workers were in progress during the day for the discussion of labor questions from the national standpoint.

Immediately upon the return of Arthur Henderson from the continent, a joint meeting will be held of the labor party and trades union parliamentary committee and other interested bodies to discuss the entire situation.

MEANS RUINATION TO FURTHER RAISE RATES

Washington, Feb. 10.—Charles E. Cottrell, of Atlanta, representing the Southern Traffic League, told the senate interstate commerce committee today that many southern business men would be forced into bankruptcy "if the wholesale revision of freight rates initiated under the arbitrary power of the director general was continued." He said it now was proposed to establish mileage rates on 80 southern commodities for which he declared there was no justification. He urged that Congress refuse to extend the period of government control of the railroads.

Jesse Jimmies Work At Minneapolis; Rob a Bank

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 10.—Four armed men held up the Liberty State bank on Franklin avenue shortly before 10 o'clock this forenoon and escaped with cash and securities. The first announcement of the bank estimated the robbers' haul was \$25,000.

LAWYERS FALL OUT OVER THE INQUIRY

Mr. Mayer Calls Mr. Heney Several Kinds of a Liar—in Mean-time Good Time is Had by All, Including Senators.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Levy Mayer, counsel for J. Ogden Armour, denied emphatically and flatly before the senate agricultural committee today that he had offered employment with the big packers to Francis J. Heney who is conducting the examination of packers' witnesses before the committee. He read a telegram from Frank P. Walsh who, Mr. Heney said, Mr. Mayer told him had been made a similar offer, stating he had heard nothing of it.

Mr. Heney who made the charge before the committee Saturday was not present until after Mr. Mayer had made his preliminary statement. The telegram from Mr. Walsh in St. Louis was sent, Mr. Mayer said, without his request.

"This is the statement of an honest man," the witness added "in contrast to his claim, the transparent, dishonorable and unprofessional lie of Mr. Heney."

Mr. Mayer remarked that Mr. Heney had charged the alleged offer was made on January 24 and questioned the propriety of his having not made this public before if it were true. He said he was not in the city when the charge was made and consequently was not able to answer it then.

SPARTACANS CONTINUE IN THEIR ROUGH HOUSE ANTICS
Zurich, Feb. 10.—Spartan disorders of a grave nature broke out in Berlin Saturday evening according to advices received here. Soldiers and sailors commanded by former Chief of Police Eichhorn are reported to have occupied Alexander Platz and government troops opened fire on them, eight persons being killed and 40 wounded. German censorship is withholding details of the trouble.

INCOME TAX PLAN CAUSE OF CONCERN

Business Men of State to Appear Before Finance Committee at Raleigh Tonight in Effort to Defeat the Rufe Doughton Income Tax Amendment.

TOM GOLD-HAS SAPIENT OBSERVATION ON MATTER

Good Roads Interest Still Holds Up and There Are Many Ways and Means Advanced for Getting the Money Necessary to Finance Roads.

(By W. T. BOST.)

Raleigh, Feb. 10.—As final hope of escape from the income tax that Representative Doughton's constitutional amendment would impose, business men from all sections of North Carolina will be here tonight to appear before the finance committee which has the great issue up.

The town now is full of prominent business individuals who have been working on the members for a week. It so happened that the proposed child labor act as well as the income tax amendment interested the big business people. The textile men were here to see that the child labor law should be put under the enforcement of men not hostile to them. For that reason they had introduced into the house a bill providing that the commission to enforce this act should not have the commissioner of labor and printing on it. Governor, superintendent of public instruction, and secretary to the state board of health would be that commission. Governor Bickett will decline.

And being here, the business men interested in the most lenient child labor law are likewise determined to accept no tax legislation that swells their burdens. To show along what lines Mr. Doughton is proceeding, Representative Gold, of Guilford, has a sapient observation. He says income tax, he declares, because he lucklessly makes more than \$1,250 a year. But a big business earning great income for its stockholders or chief owners, pays "absolutely nothing." Mr. Gold says. And the Doughton amendment would get six per cent from that business.

There is to be a great fight for defeat of this bill, but it is going to pass and in 1920 the people will have an opportunity to ratify it on the general election. Mr. Doughton, considered the wisest man in the house, is on fire with some tax reform and he can't be stopped. The minority in both houses is said to be working with him.

Next to the taxation question comes good roads as a divider. The Scale-Stevens horsepower bill has been debated long in the senate. It has been shot to pieces and will go for good to make an entirely new start. The Democrats are frightened about this bill. They have been warned that if it is put

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PLAN TO BRING HOME ALL BURIED IN FRANCE

Washington, Feb. 9.—Plans for bringing home the bodies of all officers, sailors and marines now buried on foreign soil are being worked out by the navy department and the actual work will be undertaken within the next few months. The wishes of relatives, however, will govern not only as to the return of the bodies, but also as to their final disposition. Those brought home either will be sent forward for private interment or buried in the Arlington or some other National cemetery as the relatives may decide.

Paris, Feb. 9.—(Havas.)—The Ukrainian soviet government has announced that it is willing to accept the invitation of the allies to the proposed Marmora conference of Russian factions, according to The Temps, but it considers the date fixed, February 15, too near at hand.

TRADED CHILD FOR COW, IT IS STATED

Woman At Head of Georgia Orphanage, Faces Charge of Swapping Child for Cow and \$30 to Boot.

Marietta, Ga., Feb. 10.—(By Associated Press.)—Investigation of charges that Mrs. Naomi V. Campbell, head of the Undenominational Orphans home near here, had trade one of the children confided to her care for a milk cow and \$30, was being made today by Solicitor General J. T. Dorsey, who began an inquiry into charges of cruelty to children made against the woman.

Relatives of Hazel Rankins, the little girl who figures in the trading, came there to remove her after a justice of the peace had held Mrs. Campbell under \$750 bond for a grand jury investigation of charges of severe whippings of children, of putting salt and pepper into wounds she is alleged to have made in them and of causing a little girl's hands to be burned as a punishment.

Little Hazel was not at the home and the investigation, relatives said, disclosed that she had been given for a cow and money to a woman in Wococo, Ga., without the knowledge of her relatives.

BOARD MEETING AT COMMERCIAL CLUB

Much Accomplished at Saturday's Meeting of Chamber of Commerce—\$4,000 Now in Organization's Treasury.

The board of directors of the High Point chamber of commerce held a very important meeting at the Commercial club Saturday night. All of the members of the board that were in the city attended and for that reason more was accomplished at this meeting than at any previous one. The canvassers compared notes and found that around \$4,000 had been subscribed to the chamber.

Plans were formulated during the meeting for a thorough canvass of all the firms and corporations of the city. The money obtained so far has come from individual subscribers but the canvassers started a vigorous campaign among the large business concerns of the city early this morning. According to the program adopted at the meeting Saturday night this last campaign is to last until next Thursday night. At that time another meeting of the board of directors will be held and if a sufficient amount of money has been secured the organization will be completed by an election of a secretary.

A committee of three was appointed at the meeting to find a suitable location for the offices of the chamber of commerce. Several locations in the business section of the city are being considered but the actual selection of the location has been left to the committee composed of the following: Carter Dalton, A. E. Tate and Charles L. Amos.

PORTO RICANS WANT MUCH MONEY FROM CUBA

Saint Juan, Feb. 10.—Efforts of Cuban planters to import Porto Rican laborers for work in Cuban cane fields apparently have failed. The Cubans offered \$2 a day with no extra pay for overtime work. The Porto Rican employment service replied demanding time and a half pay for overtime, free transportation to Cuba and return, free housing and no discrimination as regards color.

The Cubans have replied characterizing these terms as prohibitive.

SENATORS FAIL TO APPROVE ASPIRATIONS OF WOMEN FOR EQUAL RIGHTS OF SUFFRAGE



Jules Cambon is considered an especially valuable member of the French peace delegation, as he has been French ambassador to both America and Germany. His appointment was especially pleasing to the American delegation.

Japan To Help One Russian Party Says Report

Vladivostok, Saturday, Feb. 8.—(By Canadian Press.)—Reports from Omsk state that the government there has accepted an offer from Japan of men, money and arms to settle Bolshevik difficulties.

This step, it is stated, is due to reports that the allies are to withdraw their forces from Siberia and also to a fear that the conference at the Princes Islands will result in recognition of the Bolsheviks.

In return for the aid she is to give, the report states, Japan will secure an iron and coal concession in the Primur district.

NEGRO MAN BURNED AT ASPHALT PLANT

Lonnie Williams, Negro Employee of Lassiter Company, Painfully Burned—William Martin is Slightly Burned.

William Martin and Lonnie Burton, two negroes employed by R. G. Lassiter company at their asphalt plant near the C. and Y. railroad depot, escaped the "grim reaper" by a very narrow margin last Saturday. The two men were opening the valves on a tank car of asphalt to connect a pipe to run the asphalt into the plant's receptacles. In heating the asphalt in the cars high pressure had been generated in the tank and when the men opened the valves the hot asphalt shot out the top of the tank striking both of the men.

Martin's burns were very slight and he experienced only a momentary discomfort, but the Burton negro was burned so severely as to make it necessary for him to be taken to the hospital. Doctors say that while Burton's burns are painful they are not serious and he will soon be able to leave the hospital.

Coblenz, Feb. 10.—Memorial services for Theodore Roosevelt were held yesterday by the American army of occupation. The order for the services received at the various headquarters was that such services should be held in memory of the former President of the U. S.

PROPOSED CHANGE PROMPTLY BEATEN

At 12:40 This Afternoon the Senate Began Consideration of House Resolution With Both Sides Confidence of Quick and Final Win.

SENATOR POLLOCK WARM SUPPORTER OF SUFFRAGE

South Carolinian Speaks Right Out and Tells Crowded Galleries and Women Why He Favors Suffrage—Appreciation of Women's Work.

Washington, Feb. 10.—(By Associated Press.)—Woman suffrage by federal constitutional amendment was beaten again today in the senate.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Before crowded galleries, with most of the senators in their seats, the house resolution proposing submission of an equal suffrage amendment to the federal constitution, was called up in the senate today at 12:40 o'clock. Both sides were prepared for a final test and confident of a final decision before adjournment.

Unanimous consent was given for the consideration of the resolution. Before the debate began petitions from the Kansas, Michigan, Nevada, Maine and Missouri legislatures in behalf of the resolution were presented by senators from those states.

Replying to an inquiry by Senator Williams, the chair announced that in view of the fact that the resolution was up for passage on third reading it was not subject to amendment except by unanimous consent. When the resolution was up for consideration previously the Mississippi senator sought to exclude negro women from its provisions, but his amendment was defeated.

In explaining his vote in support of the resolution, Senator Pollock, of South Carolina, Democrat, declared the women of this country because of their patriotism, should be given the right to vote. "They earned this consideration," Senator Pollock said, "at the hands of the manhood of America before this awful war, and who will say that the women of this land have not justly earned all they ask, all they desire; all that could be bestowed upon them, by their magnificent spirit of patriotism since we have been engaged in this war for world freedom? America has done and is doing with women's help what she never would have done without it."

Replying to arguments of southern opponents opposing the resolution that it would increase the negro vote, Senator Pollock said:

"I say here today that I have confidence in the white people of America—blood is thicker than water! Efforts may be made by certain politicians to force upon us the rule of the ignorant, the vicious and the inferior; some men who do not appreciate the burden of the white men in the south may undertake to turn over to the negro control of our affairs in the south."

SIMMONS AND OVERMAN REMAINED AGAIN IDEAS

(By W. C. LYON.)

Washington, Feb. 10.—Senators Simmons and Overman remained firm in their opposition to the resolution to submit the amendment to grant suffrage to women when the vote was called in the senate today in spite of last minute appeals from the state. Senator

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