

DEPORTATION PROBERS NAMED BY PRESIDENT

Will Investigate the Deportation Grievances and the Labor Situation in the Rocky Mountain Region and on the Pacific Coast. A Statement President Wilson.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Following a recent protest by President Gompers against the deportation of workers in several western localities, President Wilson has appointed the following personal representatives to investigate this question and the labor situation in the mountain region and on the Pacific coast:

WILLIAM B. WILSON, Secretary of Labor.

R. P. MARSH, President Washington State Federation of Labor.

JOHN H. WALKER, President Illinois State Federation of Labor.

J. L. SPANGLER, retired coal operator, Pennsylvania.

VERNER Z. REED, metal operator and rancher, Colorado.

In a statement announcing these appointments President Wilson said:

"It will be the duty of the commission to visit, in each instance, the Governor of the State, advising him that they are there as the personal representatives of the President with a view to lending sympathetic counsel and aid to the State government in the development of a better understanding between laborers and employers, and also themselves to deal with employers and employees in a conciliatory spirit, seek to compose differences and allay misunderstanding, and in any way that may be open to them to show the active interest of the National Government in furthering arrangements just to both sides.

Whenever it is deemed advisable conferences of employers and employees should be called with the purpose of working out a mutual understanding between them which will insure the continued operation of the industry on conditions acceptable to both sides.

"The commission should endeavor also to learn the real causes for any discontent which may exist on either side, not by the formal process of public hearings but by getting into touch with workmen and employers by the more informal process of personal conversation.

"I would be pleased to have the commission report to me from time to time such information as may require immediate attention."

Catfish Club Notes.

The Viking King is now pulling ten miles an hour, and then some.

The Viking King made a successful run to Thornberry on last Sunday.

The autumn races of the Catfish Club were postponed for a week on account of some necessary alterations in the gas boilers of the speed boats.

Former Engineer Walter Croom, who is now working at Petersburg, was telling his fellow catfishermen funny stories during the past week, while visiting his family.

Former Captain Camache, of the Blue Cat, who left for Northern points recently, must have landed on a big fat keg immediately after arrival and rolled into Dreamland, for all efforts to learn of his fate have been futile.

There will be another race between the Blue Cat and the Viking King tomorrow. Engineer Croom having enlisted in one of Uncle Sam's cantonment squads, it is expected Purser Robinson, who has recovered from his injuries in his last "round up", will be pressed into service. Purser Robinson is an expert "gas artist," especially under "high pressure" on pay day, and Commodore Olson expects to make a saving on gas when the next "instalment" arrives.

Demand the Union Label!

SETTLEMENT NOT IN SIGHT.

Street Car Men of Chattanooga Are Willing to Arbitrate But Officials Are Contrary. Citizen Indignant.

(Special to The Record.)

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 5.—No settlement of the controversy between the striking street car men and the Chattanooga Power and Light Company is in sight. Tuesday afternoon the city commissioners named three men as arbiters, and the union named two men, following an order of the commissioners issued last week. The company has not named a committee to represent them, and there is no indication that such committee will be named by the power and light people. The men named by the city and the union will sit on the case and while they have no authority to settle the strike, they can make an investigation of the situation, and report to the city commissioners, thus furnishing the commissioners with grounds upon which to act.

People generally are very indignant over the company stubbornly refusing to arbitrate the question. Many are loud in their denunciation of the general manager, F. W. Hoover, who is now under a \$10,000 bond in the murder case of Will Massengale. It is said that Hoover is determined to break the union or break his company, and the latest move now suggested is to place the company in the hands of a receiver. Under such action it is claimed that the receiver could operate the cars and the strikers would not be allowed to interfere.

proper sense! Stay away from the scab shows in this city. You can at least sacrifice that little bit for Organized Labor.

Boosters From The Union Herald.

No, sir! There will be no scab band doing business at the State Fair.

The carpenters have nearly a 100 per cent organization in Raleigh. Just a few more meetings and all will be in the fold.

The railway clerks appreciate the help given them by the union forces in their struggle with the railroad for a bit more pay. They mean to stick to their organization.

Mr. W. J. Sherwood Upchurch, manager of the Academy of Music, says that he not only has employed a union electrician, but the stage will be directed by a union man, and he would be better pleased if the whole working force were unionized. Fine business.

There are twenty electrical workers on a big job near Charlotte. They want to join the Union. They were attracted by Raleigh's 100 per cent organization and will arrive in the city within a few days and become members of this lusty local.

That was a fine thing Secretary Daniels did when he raised salaries on the News and Observer force. He appreciates the high cost of living and is doing his best to meet conditions. He will do even more if the prices continue "sky-scraping."

GRANT HAMILTON WILL SPEAK IN ASHEVILLE

Legislative Representative of the American Federation of Labor Will Speak on Questions of Interest to Unionists—Public Invited to Attend.

Asheville, N. C., Oct. 5.—Grant Hamilton, legislative representative of the American Federation of Labor, will speak at the county court house next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Hamilton is one of the most forceful speakers in the Organized Labor movement, and his work at Washington has had a very telling effect. He has been in the headquarters of the American Federation of Labor or the past fourteen years, and during that time he has spoken in nearly every State in the Union on questions affecting the laboring people. The meeting will be for the public, and all citizens are invited to attend.

It is expected that a large crowd of union men and their wives will hear Mr. Hamilton. This will be his first talk in this city. Mr. Hamilton spent a week here during the summer but was not able at that time to make an address. While the session of Congress was very trying on Mr. Hamilton, he is much stronger now, and delighted the Asheville Unionists when he agreed to come here for an address.

Mr. Hamilton is a member of the Typographical Union, and up until the time he was called to the office of the American Federation, he was a lino-type operator in the newspaper offices in Denver. His writings and speeches on Labor attracted the attention of the executive department of the American Federation of Labor, and he was called to Washington fourteen years ago, where he has worked constantly for the Labor movement.

OUR ADVERTISERS.
Please mention this paper when patronizing advertisers.

Read the new ad. of the Harriss Printing and Advertising Company on the fourth page of today's paper. They are now in their new home, No. 14 Princess street, and are prepared to handle all kinds of high-class printing. This is a strictly union shop and uses union label No. 6. Demand this label on your printed matter.

H. M. Tieneken, the popular cash grocer, has an ad. on the fourth page announcing the removal of his business, to 402 Castle street, where he carries an up-to-the-minute line of family groceries at reasonable prices. He advertises special prices for Saturday.

The Salary Raising Exhibit which is being held today at The Orton Hotel, will close tonight at 12 o'clock, and all who have to earn a living should see it, for it is imperative, on account of the high cost of living, that every man increase his earning capacity. See ad. on 4th page.

The J. W. H. Fuchs CasS Department Store advertises some attractive prices this week on their big line of men's and boys' clothing. This popular store will give any person who will out this ad. out and present it when purchasing any of the suits and shirts contained in it 25 cents rebate. See ad. on fourth page for special prices on fall clothing.

Let us help you buy your home. Stop paying rent, advises the officers of the Orton Building and Loan Association, which opens a new series of stock today. See their attractive ad. on the fourth page.

See attractive ad. of G. Danuebaum on the fourth page. They specialize on Dresses, Coats and Coat Suits, and guarantee prices and quality to please. See their Fall display before buying and you will make money by saving on goods purchased from them.

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A REAL UNION RALLY.

Street Car Men's Smoker Was a Most Enjoyable Event.

The "Get Together Rally and Smoker," under the auspices of the Street Car Men's Union, at J. O. U. A. M. Hall on Thursday night, preceding their regular meeting, was a most enjoyable event and many good talks were made by visiting friends and zealous whole-souled members, which went a long way towards convincing several prospective members of the good of organization.

After more than an hour of union boosting, President Hall announced that refreshments of the good old-time kind would be served, and Brother Richter, of the Stage Employees, proceeded to feed the bunch to the queen's taste.

Then, when every one present had satisfied the inner man, came the smokes of the union-label kind, which are furnished by the Wilmington Cigar Co.

A few more boosting sessions of this kind and the Carmen's Union can register 100 per cent membership.

Agitate, educate, organize!

Machinists Raise Wages.

Baltimore, Oct. 4.—Organized machinists employed by the Crown Cork and Seal Company have raised wages 8 cents an hour, making the minimum rate 55 cents for eight hours and the union shop. Over 350 workers are benefited.

LATE NEWS OUTLINE.

Bituminous coal miners of the central competitive district have won their fight for a general wage increase.

The Iowa State Council of Defense has passed a resolution denouncing Senator LaFollette and demanding his expulsion.

More than 1,000 South Carolina negro troops are now at Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C. Five hundred more are expected to arrive today or Sunday.

The U. S. Senate will have a five-hour discussion of the disloyalty charges against Senator LaFollette. He will make a three-hour speech in defense of his public utterances.

Gen. Halg's force captured 4,446 prisoners in the drive in Flanders this week, and are holding all points won from the Germans. They are now preparing for another drive.

Baseball fans in Chicago are lining up at the park entrance already for the World Series game this afternoon. It is expected the crowds may set a record.

A revolt against the Mexican government has been started by General Porfirio Gonzales, a former Carranza commande. He has mobilized 800 followers 100 miles south of the Texas line.

An appeal to Congress to prevent the sending of a drafted army to Europe, on the ground that it violates the Constitution has been sent to Congress by Hannis J. Taylor, former minister to Spain. It was referred to the Military Committee.

Pay your subscription, brother, The Saturday Record is labor's paper, and labor must support it.