

IN WASHINGTON
WHAT IS TAKING PLACE BY
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UNITED STATES SENATOR

The high degree of Congressional interest in the labor situation, reflected in the current hearings on a proposed minimum hour and wage law, in the studies of strike developments, and in numerous legislative plans for stabilizing labor conditions, is evidence that progress is being made in the effort to improve working conditions and strike a medium as to the respective rights of capital and labor.

Already there are indications that under the drive for unionization of all workers and the plans of employers to meet this wider organization of all workers and the plans of employers to meet this wider organization of labor, the public generally will, through the forces of government, be the arbiter of respective rights. In other words, employers and workers, must be and are prepared to adjust their battle tactics to public sentiment. To put it still another way, agencies of government must be prepared to umpire labor difficulties and see that the public interest is fully protected. This is the objective of all new legislation dealing with labor problems.

It is interesting to note that the tremendous strides in labor organization today are under far different conditions than those of seventeen years ago, when trade union memberships passed the five million mark. With the outbreak of the World War, political and economic conditions highly favorable to the growth of organized labor were created. The flow of European orders into this country and later the heavy war purchases by our own government produced a state of great business activity and demand for labor. The stoppage of immigration and the withdrawal of man power for military purposes also helped to tighten the labor market and strengthen the bargain power of labor.

And with industrial peace essential to continued production,

the Federal Government encouraged the extension of trade unionism and collective bargaining.

Conditions for the present drive for the stronger organization of labor are, of course, entirely different from those of the war period. Instead of a shortage of labor we have a surplus and unemployment is wide. Personal contacts between employers and employees are fewer. The trend toward larger establishments employing great numbers of workers continues. For labor, this means that workers must place more dependence upon employe representatives. In a word, individual bargaining over terms of employment is being replaced by mass bargaining.

Increased mechanization is a contributing factor to maintaining factory output with fewer workers. Small and inefficient plants are being eliminated and regional shifts of factories and scientific management are having great effect. Thus labor's powers of adjustment to changing conditions are even more demanded in the future than in the past.

Obviously, the part of the government in these changes is tremendous. Maximum effort is necessary to the end that neither capital nor labor will encroach on the rights of the public. The farmer, who is directly affected, must be protected. Agriculture occupies a dominant place as a source of supply for raw materials for factory and food for workers. And Congressional leaders are determined that the rights of the farmer shall not be overlooked as our rural population watches the fight between the organized forces of industry and the organized forces of labor. There are high hopes that Congress will, through desirable and equitable legislation now pending, contribute to a solution of the problem with due regard for the rights of all.

COOL SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. John Burton of Winston-Salem, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Holbrook. They were accompanied by Mr. Burton's parents.

Mrs. Paul Newman visited her sister, Mrs. Conrad Holcomb, of Mooresville, last week. Mr. Newman visited them near the end of the week; also Miss Edna Couch was among the party who motored down for Mrs. Newman.

Several people of this community visited our friend, Mr. L. M. Hinshaw, at his home near Elkin, Sunday. Mr. Hinshaw was a

teacher in our Sunday school, a former superintendent, and served two years as teacher in the Cool Springs school, and was well beloved by this entire community and we are grieved to hear of his death, which came Monday morning.

We were pleased to have with us at the weekly prayer service Saturday night Mr. Morten Luffman, a former member here, and at present superintendent of Little Elkin Sunday school; also Mr. Morgan Jolly.

Mr. Dick Cummings spent the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Darnell.

Among our visitors for preaching hour yesterday were Misses Metta Lou and Cloyce Key, Mr. Jesse Adams of Burlington, Mr. Neil Lyon of Elkin, Miss Laura Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Pettyjohn, Mr. and Mrs. John Stout, Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morrison, Mrs. Herman Gentry, of Elkin, Mrs. Frank Hicks, and Johnny Pettyjohn of Winston-Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wall of Elkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pettyjohn had as their guests Sunday several relatives.

Miss Metta Wall, who conducted the Y. P. M., here last evening, did credit to her father's training. We were glad indeed to have the Cool Springs Quartette to render special music for the occasion. Several of the young people participated in the program; speaking, reading, singing, and a general good time was had by all. Next Sunday evening Miss Sylvia Darnell will have charge of the program.

Rev. I. W. Vestal, pastor, filled his appointment Saturday afternoon and Sunday. His subject Sunday was "Waiting the Fulfillment of God's promise."

Miss Lula Mae Luffman was the guest of Misses Lucy and Dessere Newman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hanes and sons, Mahlon and Jimmie, and Mr. Ed Moody, all of State Road, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Harris Sunday; also Mrs. Harris' father, Mr. L. F. Adams, and Mrs. Adams.

Prayer service again Sunday evening. Come be with us! Sunday school Sunday morning. Young Peoples' meeting Sunday evening.

Little Mountain

The farmers of this section are very busy harvesting their grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Absher and family, of Elkin, were the Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cockerham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Burchette and family and Mr. Burchette's mother spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Al Reynolds of Little Elkin.

Mr. Spurgeon Gentry visited his father, Mr. Shirley Gentry, of Benham, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Burcham and family, of Benham, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Byrd.

Mrs. Tommie Byrd of Lomax, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Tharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Barker and family, of this community, and Miss Lucy Holbrook, of Trap-hill, were the Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. West and family.

Master Edsel Carter of Elkin, spent the week-end with his brothers, Messrs. George and Alton Carter, of this community.

Of interest to friends here is the marriage of Miss Brettie Barker and Howard Cockerham. They were married Saturday, June 5. The bride is the daughter of Mr. Tom Barker and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Sallie Cockerham, both of this community. They will reside with the bridegroom's mother.

Rev. White, of Ronda, preached at the Little Mountain school-house Sunday afternoon. A large number of people enjoyed the sermon.

MOUNTAIN PARK

Rev. Scales Draughn filled his regular appointment at Mountain Park Baptist church Sunday at eleven o'clock. He preached a very uplifting sermon.

We are glad to note that little Elisha Craig has returned home from Hugh Chatham Hospital, where he has been very ill.

Mr. Walter Andrews of Hollywood, Calif. and Mr. Ernest Andrews of South Dakota, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Landreth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Walters and family spent Sunday in Mt. Airy visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eldridge of Lexington, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Cockerham over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Landreth and family spent Sunday in Sparta.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walters had as their Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Walters of Mt. Airy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Williams had as their Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams and family of Yadkinville.

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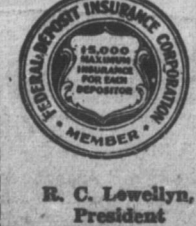
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See the Safety Parade to be Held in Elkin Next Saturday at 3:00 P. M. Drive Safely — SAVE A LIFE!



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