

25,000 JEWS IN HUB VOTE TO BACK COPS WITH STRIKE

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—Announcement that the United Hebrew Trades, numbering 25,000 workers, had voted to strike at a call from the Central Labor Union, in sympathy with the striking policemen, and reports that sentiment in other unions where voting is in progress show that organized labor is about equally divided on the question, were the outstanding developments today at the opening of the second week of the policemen's strike.

Labor leaders opposed to any radical action acknowledged that telephone messages from President Samuel Compers, of the American Federation of Labor, who is in Washington, indicated he might come here to handle the situation and perhaps exert his influence to prevent a general walkout.

Some Workers Exempt. Influential labor leaders, it was stated, propose to refrain from extremes if all unions line up in favor of a general strike by a referendum vote now being taken.

Workers whose activities are regarded as vital to the health and the general welfare of the community—such as the food, pumping station, hospital and a few other workers—would be exempt from a general strike call.

Troops Still Patrol Streets. Other phases of the situation today were: Absolute calm on the streets, with guardsmen on patrol duty. Situation between striking policemen and Police Commissioner Curtis at a deadlock.

Establishment of a force of policemen to replace strikers meets a snag when only eleven of twenty men qualified by civil service commission report. Six of these, it was reported, plan to go into the union once they are sworn in. Commission certifies 123 more.

Vermont authorities ship to Boston 400 riot guns and 20,000 rounds of ammunition.

Captains and lieutenants in Boston fire department voted not to go on strike, but directors of firemen's union hold secret meeting.

Mayer Peters announces that main pay for policemen and is raised to \$1,400 a year.

Curtis Blamed for Riot. Organizer F. H. McCarthy, of A. F. of L. issues statement blaming Curtis for riots, saying: "The policemen are struggling for right, justice and Americanism in their employment and shall so continue to fight until victory perches on their banner."

Governor Coolidge received nearly 1,000 letters and telegrams regarding his course in police crisis. With three exceptions these commend the governor's attitude toward the strikers. A State grange, representing 40-

Shoestring Saves Life Of Man Thrown Down Precipice by Bandits

BROWNSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 16.—Thrown over a high embankment by highwaymen, when they failed to find a cent in his pockets in a hold-up, Martin Matey, aged fifty, saved his life when he tied a shoestring tightly above a wound caused by a fracture of the bones of his leg, which protruded through the flesh.

Matey was on his way from Briar Hill to Republic when attacked by two men, who, after searching him, picked him up and tossed him into the valley below. In a short time, blood was flowing freely from the wound in his leg, and Matey quickly took a shoestring from his pocket and tied it around his leg.

900 farmers, congratulated the governor. In a statement the governor said he had no authority to call out troops until there had been actual disturbances. "Perhaps I am culpable in this respect," he added; "if I am, then I will take the blame."

City Councilman James T. Moriarty, member of the A. F. of L., issued a statement claiming State guardsmen on strike duty "shot up" his home.

MAN PLAYS SPOOK IN WEED PATCH

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The mystery of the haunted weed patch at Lexington street and Taylor avenue, Oak Park, has been solved.

For more than a week the police had been listening to stories of women who had fled in terror past the patch. A hidden hand had clutched at them, some said. Others had been startled by a wild, scendish face framed in the foliage. Policemen stood guard near the lot, but no one was seen to enter or leave.

Yesterday came the first daylight complaint. Sergeant Fred Kyuger went to the lot and found a pit six feet square and three feet deep covered with a board camouflaged with leaves. They kicked the covering away and found an old man cowering in a corner of the hole. He gave his name as Antoni Wagner. He will be examined as to his sanity.

NOISY BURGLAR ALARMS BANNED

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—District Attorney Swann's fight against noisy burglar alarms, which grew out of the complaint of a night watchman and a policeman, among others, has resulted in this amendment to the sanitary code:

"Noise from bells, gongs, etc., prohibited.—No person shall cause, suffer or allow to be attached to, or maintained in or upon any building or premises any bell or gong which shall, by noise, disturb the quiet or repose of persons in the vicinity thereof, or to the detriment of the repose or health of such persons. All persons participating in the violation of this provision, either as proprietors, owners, tenants, managers or superintendents of such buildings or premises, or licensees or licensees of such electric bell or gong, or otherwise, shall be liable therefor."

BILL PASSED TO STOP AUTO THEFTS

\$5,000 Penalty Provided for Transporting Stolen Cars Between States.

The House yesterday passed the bill by Congressman Dyer of Missouri fixing a penalty of \$5,000 for the theft of an automobile stolen and removed from one to another State. A similar bill would also be assessed a "fine" for receiving a stolen motor vehicle.

"The purpose of the proposed law," Mr. Dyer told the House, "is to suppress crime in interstate commerce. The larceny of automobiles is made a crime under the laws of all the States in the Union. No good reason exists why Congress, invested with the power to regulate commerce among the several States, should not provide that such commerce should not be polluted by carrying of stolen property from one State to another."

There are approximately 500,000 automobiles stolen annually in this country. Thousands of them are taken from one State to another, Mr. Dyer said, turned over to "fences" to be repainted, renumbered and resold.

Because of the failure to recover many cars, automobile insurance has increased more than 100 per cent during the last few years. In some cases owners of the cheaper class cars are unable to get insurance.

There are now in use in the United States 6,500,000 motor vehicles, having an approximate value of \$7,800,000,000.

FIGHT GOLD SWORD FOR GEN. PERSHING

House Members Say Congress Should Honor Enlisted Men As Well.

General Pershing may have to worry, along without that \$10,000 gold sword that Congressman Julius Kahn wanted Congress to give him. This sword is being fought yesterday afternoon, when Mr. Kahn got ready to call up his gold sword bill. Members on both sides of the House made it plain they would oppose it unless some provision is made for honoring the enlisted men.

Members of the House do not object to the proposed honor for Gen. Pershing, but hold to the opinion that all of the honors of Congress should not be showered on army and navy leaders, while enlisted men are overlooked.

Congressman Claude Kitchin plans to ask for some reward for the enlisted men when Mr. Kahn finally calls his sword bill. A special rule will be necessary before the bill can be considered.

CONFER TO BETTER WOMAN'S POSITION

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Problems affecting the physical and moral welfare of women are being discussed at a six weeks' international conference of women physicians, which opened here yesterday.

Delegates from thirty countries are attending the sessions. Among questions to be taken up at the conference will be: Dress as an index of the position of women, including corsets and hygienic footwear; place of sex in life; venereal diseases; white slavery; study of human motives, and conception of the health of women in marriage.

Among delegates on the program for talks are Anna Norris, Minneapolis; Agnes Burns Ferguson, Pittsburgh; Edith Helen Switzer, Boston; Bernard Hart, London; Beatrice Hinkle, New York; Minna C. Tobler, Zurich, Switzerland; Mary Gordon, London; Christine Murrell, London; Estrid Hein, Copenhagen, Denmark; Anna Moutet, Nantes, France; Ada Potter, Utrecht, Holland; Alice Moreno, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Grace Fulmer, Los Angeles.

ASKS STRAY LETTER SENT TO GRANDPA

Mrs. Margaret Elgar Sherman Jones, of the Briers, Olney, Md., made application yesterday to the postal authorities here for the so-called "mystery letter" which was mailed to her grandfather, Col. Charles E. Sherman, thirty-seven years ago and which only came to light in the Washington postoffice several days ago.

The letter was addressed to Colonel Sherman at the Metropolitan Hotel in 1852, and was written on the stationery of the Ebbitt Hotel. When opened the letter bore the date of September 5, 1854, although the postmark on the letter was April 16, 1852.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

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LAST RITES HELD FOR R. S. DENNY

Funeral services for Richard Samuel Denny, veteran of Lee's army and for thirty-six years connected with the Southern railroad offices here, were held at 9:30 o'clock this morning at the Confederate Memorial Home, 1322 Vermont avenue-northwest.

Members of Camp 171, United Confederate Veterans, acted as honorary pallbearers, while active pallbearers were selected from among the ranks of his friends in the Southern railroad offices.

Mr. Denny died Saturday at his home, 1618 Seventeenth street northwest.

He was a native of Virginia and was educated in the Virginia schools. At the outbreak of the war he cast his fortunes with the Southern cause and enlisted in the signal corps of the Army of Northern Virginia. For the greater part of the war he served under General Lee, acting on many occasions as a scout.

At the close of the war he made his home in Virginia, coming to this city in 1883 to take a position with the Southern Railway. He was serving as an accountant in the office of the auditor at the time of his death.

Mr. Denny is survived by his widow and two daughters.

MRS. M. B. RICHEY.

Mrs. Minna Blair Richey, wife of Stephen Olin Richey, one of the most prominent of Washington physicians and surgeons, and a member of one of the most prominent of Washington families, died Friday at Jamestown, R. I.

Funeral services are being held this afternoon at St. John's parish hall, in this city.

Mrs. Richey, formerly Miss Minna Blair, was widely known here. She was born in this city and had lived here all her life.

Mrs. Richey was a lineal descendant of Francis Blair, one of President Jackson's famous "Kitchen Cabinet," and a prominent national political figure.

She was prominently connected with many local clubs and organizations and was former president of the Washington Club.

Three brothers, Montgomery and Woodbury Blair, leading Washington lawyers and attorneys, and Major Gist Blair, survive her in addition to her husband.

MRS. SARAH ECKHARDT.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Eckhardt, a lifelong resident of this city, will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at her home, 1140 Eighteenth street northwest.

The services are to be conducted by Rev. John E. Ruple, of St. Mark's Lutheran Church. Interment will be in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Eckhardt, who was seventy-two years old, died yesterday at her home, following a year of serious illness. She is survived by her husband, Nicholas, four sons, Nicholas, Jr., Joseph E., Dr. John C., and Fred, two daughters, Mrs. C. Klapp and Mrs. Beale C. Dismar; nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

She was the mother of the late Cornelius Eckhardt, a Washington newspaperman for many years.

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MARRIAGES

Rowland Goodman, 53, of Palmyra, Va., and Iona C. Oliver, of Arvon, Va. The Rev. J. B. Briggs. J. Vernon Rice, 25, and Laura Fulton Garber, 25, both of Richmond, Va. The Rev. J. B. Briggs. Augustus C. Archer, 35, and Ella Thacker, 35, both of Petersburg, Va. The Rev. J. B. Briggs. Grover L. Rainey, 25, of Fabers, Va., and Mary Ella Haysell, 22, of Hummelstown, Pa. The Rev. J. B. Briggs. Charles Manton Christian, 25, and Sadie Mahone, 25, both of Williamsburg, Va. The Rev. D. R. Cowell. Percy James Seale, 25, and Edith Mankin Hoopland, 25, both of this city. The Rev. M. McNamara. Wm. W. Manley, 45, of Cambridge, Md., and Carrie Louise Goodwin, 27, of Charlottesville, Va. The Rev. H. D. Mitchell. Walter Forrest Fowler, 25, of Clifton Forge, Va., and Sallie Anne Bennett, 20, of Greenup, Ky. The Rev. G. A. Miller. Samuel Allan Connor, 27, and Mary Anne Roe, 25, of New York city. The Rev. M. C. Brier. Lewis Rodney Bradshaw, 27, and Nellie Rose Sicking, 21, of Toledo, Ohio. The Rev. J. J. Dimon. Leo Brison Norris, 27, of this city, and Marion Hungerford, 19, of Charles county, Md. The Rev. J. B. Pitter. Oscar M. Hall, 25, of Bloomington, Ill., and Helen Calhoun, 25, of this city. The Rev. C. E. Wheeler, 25, of this city. J. Felix Smith, 23, and Ida May Dinwiddie.

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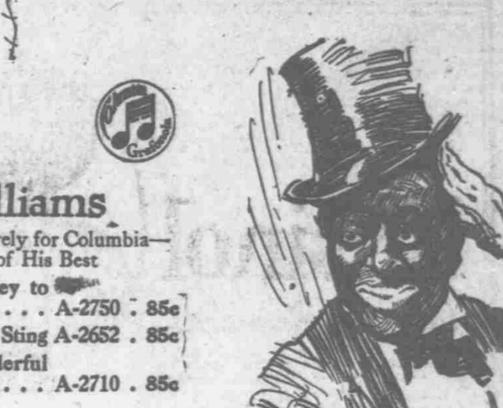
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