

NEW RAIL CONFERENCE SET

MINERS OF 7 STATES WILL BEGIN WORK TODAY

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 15.—Immediate resumption of coal production in bituminous mines scattered over seven states was ordered tonight and in some places the cutting of coal will be started tomorrow. Orders for miners to return to work were sent by district union officials after operators had signed an agreement renewing the wage contracts that were in force when the men quit the mines last March 31.

PASTOR WHO ELOPED WITH GIRL AFTER SENDING WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN AWAY, LODGED IN JAIL

McALESTER, Okla., Aug. 15.—The Rev. J. C. Trotter, pastor of the Methodist Church, South, of Haileyville, Okla., who eloped last week with Miss Audrey Campbell, nurse, after sending his wife and three children to Chattanooga, Tenn., was arraigned here late today on a charge of embezzling approximately \$3,200 from Brooks Institute, a hospital and community home at Haileyville. Mr. Trotter was financial secretary of the institute.

Mr. Trotter was arrested with Miss Campbell last night at Kufala. She gave up her position as head nurse at the institute to elope with the minister. Miss Campbell admitted improper relations with the minister and told the county attorney that her love for Mr. Trotter was so strong that she intended to elope with him to the east. She was released on bond shortly after she was brought here by officers. The minister's wife and three small children left Haileyville last Friday for Chattanooga. Mr. Trotter then disappeared. A check of his accounts resulted in the search for him.

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"I'M TESTING LOVE," SAYS GIRL WHO POSTPONED NUPTIALS



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HARDING TO TELL NATION HIS STAND ON SITUATION

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The Association of Railway Executives tonight granted the request of the five railroad brotherhoods for a conference looking toward a settlement of the shopcrafts strike, and agreed to meet the union representatives here next Thursday.

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ALAN REED TEST HAS GAS FLOW OF 2 MILLION FEET

WELL DRILLING AT 2,800 FEET AND OPERATIONS WILL CONTINUE

ALAN REED, Texas, Aug. 15.—Harvey Well No. 1, came in here today with a gas flow estimated at 2,000,000 cubic feet. The well is drilling at 2800 feet and announcement was made that the test will go deeper in search of oil. Thousands of people came to Alanreed to see the well when news spread over the country about encountering gas. Visitors were permitted to go near the well about 2 o'clock this afternoon and hundreds took advantage of the opportunity. The well is one-half mile north of Alanreed.

CONGRESS WILL MOVE TO PREVENT UNDUE PROFITS

LEGISLATION ON PRICE CONTROL AN DISTRIBUTION SOUGHT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Congress will be called upon for legal weapons to arm the government for war against coal profiteers. It was announced today by high administration officials. Legislation will be required, it was declared, to assure price control and equal distribution of coal, in the event of a settlement of the whole national coal controversy.

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VALDEMAN LEADS MISSISSIPPI FIELD

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 15.—With a total of more than 113,000 votes accounted for returns compiled by the Commercial Appeal up to midnight in today's Mississippi democratic primary give former Senator James K. Vardaman a lead over Hubert Stephens of 60 votes for the U. S. Senate.

WORLD FAMOUS MAN TO SPEAK FOR P. P. C. C.

ARTHUR NASH, OF CINCINNATI, WILL BE IN AMARILLO IN SEPTEMBER

ARTHUR NASH, internationally known author, philosopher and philanthropist, will speak in Amarillo during the Panhandle Plains Chamber of Commerce convention September 29 and 30.

STONE ORDERS MEN TO RETURN TO THEIR JOBS

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—The following message was received by A. G. Wells, president of the Amalgamated, Textile & Santa Fe Railway from Warren S. Stone, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers at Cleveland:

SAFETY LAWS MUST BE STRICTLY ENFORCED ORDERS HARDING WHEN TOLD RAIL EQUIPMENT INJURED

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GERMANS SERVE NOTICE THEY CAN'T PAY PRESENT NOTE

BERLIN, Aug. 15.—The German government today addressed a note to the British, French, Italian and Belgian governments, declaring "that in consequence of the demand for foreign exchange to pay for urgently needed necessities of life, and in consequence of the fall in value of the mark it could not meet the clearing house installment of 2,000,000 pounds sterling due today in payment of pre-war debts to allied nations."

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OPEN PORT LAW

The Daily News will publish the text of the Open Port Law, passed by the 66th legislature two years ago tomorrow morning. The bill was approved by the legislature on August 15, 1920, and became effective on August 15, 1921.

100 SHOTS FIRED IN RAIL STRIKE BATTLE

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—A battle between strikers and non-striker employees of the Missouri Pacific Railroad today resulted in 100 shots being fired.

SOONER UNIVERSITY OFFICIAL PUBLICLY REPRIMANDED FOR HIS PART IN KU KLUX CAMPAIGN

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 15.—Robert H. Lusk, president of Sooner University, was publicly reprimanded for his part in a Ku Klux Klan campaign.

FIREMAN SHOT WHILE IN CAB, IS REPORT

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—A fireman was shot while in the cab of a fire engine today, it is reported.

RECEIVED WAGE CUT

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—The threat of a strike of 32,000 employees on the Canadian railways was temporarily averted tonight when the presidents of the Canadian National, Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific telegraphed President W. L. Mackenzie King that the wage cut of \$200,000 ordered would be rescinded.

OPEN PORT ZONE IN CHILDRESS ENLARGED

AUSTIN, Aug. 15.—Open port territory of Childress was extended today as a result of threats made against Childress, which was stationery and to prevent further intimidations outside the railroad yards. Governor Neff stated tonight when he formally announced extension of the territory. It became known this morning that the limits under the state law would be broadened.

WAS NOT TARRIED

LEBENSVILLE, Aug. 15.—An erroneous report August 9 from here said that Travis Barnhill had been seized by masked men, taken to the country and given a coat of tar and feathers. The masked men were reported to have seized Travis Barnhill of mistreating his wife. Subsequent investigation shows that Travis Barnhill was not the man attacked and accused and that Barnhill. The two men, who are relatives, were confined in the first report. Travis Barnhill was not involved.

SAVES POWER IMPROVING

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Hale Holden, a stockholder of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, asserted tonight that he was sure active power on most of the property roads had shown a distinct and substantial improvement for the past several weeks. He made the statement when informed that Christian M. Cannon of the Interstate Commerce Commission had informed the president that motive power on many roads were deteriorating and said the commission had its attention on July reports which conditions were at their worst.

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