

Tonight and Friday, Generally Fair.

METAL QUOTATIONS table with columns for Silver, Quicksilver, Copper, and Lead.

RAIL STRIKE REACHES COAST

Insurgent Switchmen Control Traffic From Coast to Coast

AUSTRIANS MUST BE HELPED TO SELF SUPPORT

ROME, April 8.—Means of meeting the grave needs of the Austrian republic and the establishment of rapid communications with the United States through Trieste are objects which brought Karl Renner, Austrian chancellor, to Rome.

HIGH HONORS FOR TONOPAH GIRL

Tonopah high school is proud of the distinction received by one of its graduates in the person of Miss Gracella Roundtree of the class of 1917.

Miss Roundtree is a junior at the University of California, and was recently elected to the presidency of the Associated Women's Student body, an organization of over 3,000 women students.

OUT OF VALLEY IN GOOD HEALTH

LOS ANGELES, April 8.—A telephone girl from Death Valley Junction announced the safe arrival there of Milton Moore, a camera man, and M. Wilson, a geologist, who went into the valley two weeks ago on a government photographic mission and for whose safety fears were expressed by relatives.

CHICAGO BUILDS HOME FOR HELLO GIRLS

CHICAGO, April 8.—A home for telephone girls with numerous recreations will be established here soon. A fifty-six room apartment building, to house about eighty girls, is being converted by the telephone company into a boarding house.

PARDON FOR WILLIAMS

According to advices from Carson City, J. J. Williams, who was convicted of embezzlement, has been granted a parole and is now living in Fallon.

THE WEATHER table with columns for Local Observer United States, Weather Bureau, and various weather metrics like Temperature, Current, etc.

SUICIDE BLOWS SELF UP WITH DYNAMITE

FRESNO, April 8.—F. Caterino, of Martinez, was blown to death in a box car by a dynamite explosion. The police said the indications were that the man placed dynamite on his chest, lay down with a stick of wood for a pillow, and lighted the fuse.

WILSON URGED TO ACT QUICKLY

WASHINGTON, April 8.—In view of the railroad strike at Chicago, President Wilson's advisors urged upon him today to send to the senate the nominations of nine members of the railway labor board.

UNITED IRELAND DRAWS CROWD

Friends of Irish Freedom gathered at Knights of Columbus hall last evening in numbers that completely filled the spacious hall and reflected the new spirit of united Ireland typified by the colors green, yellow and white adopted by the society.

An interesting program was rendered, including a solo by Ryder Day, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Frank T. Dunn, reading from a lecture by a non-Catholic by Frank J. Cavanaugh; Irish patriotic songs; Thomas Conors; address by Mrs. Coombs; recitation of a poem by Mr. McGee and vocal solo by Mrs. Gladys Keleher.

FIRE DESTROYS AIR STATION

DALLAS, April 8.—Several airplanes and large supplies of lumber and buildings at the army aviation repair depot were destroyed by fire today. Officers estimated the loss at \$1,000,000.

PRINCE OF WALES A STRENUOUS TIME

SAN DIEGO, April 8.—The prince of Wales passed a quiet day after a strenuous program of entertainment yesterday. There will be a reception aboard his cruiser, the Boreas, this afternoon, but no other functions are planned.

CENSUS RETURNS FROM TWO CALIFORNIA TOWNS

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The census gives Yuba, Calif., 18,822, 40 increase of 48 per cent. Richmond, Calif., 18,842, an increase of 147 per cent.

Movement Gaining In Momentum May Mean Complete Suspension

BONUS SYSTEM A FAILURE IN STOCK YARDS

CHICAGO, April 8.—Judge Alshuler, sponsor for the bonus system for stock yards workers, declared it a failure after he had acted as arbiter in the latest yards wage dispute.

JURY DISAGREES IN DEAN CASE

SAN LUIS OBISPO, April 8.—The jury trying Mrs. Myrtle Dean for the murder of her husband, Fred A. Dean, was discharged at 1:50 o'clock after reporting that they were unable to agree.

MOVING COKE TO TYBO SMELTER

The Tybo smelter is about ready to blow in after eight months of construction, during which the company installed an entire electrical equipment built a smelter and developed the mine to an extent that insures a steady supply of ore for an indefinite time.

FRANK MEYER'S FAMILY ARRIVE FROM AUSTIN

Frank Meyer remains in such a critical condition that it was deemed best to summon his three sisters and two brothers who arrived last evening from Austin. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyer, Mrs. Mary Strahley, Mrs. Flo Cullins and Phillip and Henry Meyer.

FORECAST OF WHAT SHOWS REDUCTION

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The production of winter wheat this year is forecast at 65,417,000 bushels and 170, 18,442,000 bushels, by the department of agriculture. The condition of winter wheat is 75.8, and 75.8.

LOS ANGELES, April 8.—The railroad strike has spread to Los Angeles where the Yardmen's association said between 500 and 1,000 men on the Southern Pacific, Santa Fe and Salt Lake lines walked out in sympathy with strikers on twenty-five eastern roads.

CHICAGO, April 8.—The "insurgent" railroad strike which began week ago in Chicago has spread to many parts of the United States. Switchmen are striking at Buffalo, Kansas City, Joliet and Decatur, Ill.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 8.—More than fifty switchmen employed by the Southern Pacific at Colton struck today in sympathy with the movement which has spread from Chicago to the Pacific coast.

TOLEDO, April 8.—Six hundred switchmen walked out in sympathy with the switchmen in other cities today. It is predicted that all traffic will be tied up within twenty-four hours.

GARY, Ind., April 8.—A strike is threatened at Milwaukee and St. Louis. The Yardmen's association, the insurgent organization which called the strike, is forming branches in numerous terminal centers, reports indicated.

DETROIT, April 8.—More than a thousand switchmen and others in this district struck today.

REBELS ARE SHOT WITHOUT MERCY

PARIS, April 8.—Merciless repression by the Reichswehr forces, in the Ruhr basin is reported by fugitives from Frankfurt, according to a dispatch to the Journal des Debats. The fugitives allege they witnessed the shooting of all Wehrphalons who laid down arms.

FRENCH ARMY MEETS GERMANS

PARIS, April 8.—It is reported from Coblenz that there has been a collision between German and French patrols near Bad-Naumburg and an exchange of shots. A German officer was wounded.

NAVY WAS READY FOR THE ENEMY

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Vessels on the active list of the navy were better prepared for war than when the United States joined the allies and the navy department had full plans to combat a German fleet against the United States coast. Admiral Wilson told the senate committee.

REPUBLICANS WILL ADOPT PEACE PLAN

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Adoption of the republican peace resolution tomorrow by the house was indicated today when the rule limiting debate on the measure to nine hours was adopted by a vote of 214 to 175.

YANKEE COMES FROM FAR EAST

CHICAGO, April 8.—The name "Yankee" came from a Chinese phrase "Yang Jung" by way of East India, where the words were corrupted to "Yang Gee," according to Ter Yi Hsieh, Chinese labor leader who recently arrived here to establish relations with the American federation of labor. "Yang Gee" means "you are a young loafer."

TURKS DESTROY U. S. PROPERTY

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 8.—Turks destroyed the village of Harzuni, Wednesday and burned the American orphanage there. Two thousand Armenian orphans were removed under fire and were taken to Odama in safety by William Gilbey, of Yankers, N. Y.

ADMITS DEFEAT MILITARY BILL

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Defeat of the congressional universal military training provision of the army reorganization bill is conceded by its proponents. The bill is expected to pass off a vote on the issue they planned a substitute program for the military training during the next month.

IRISH PICKETS STOPPED BY WASHINGTON POLICE

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Irish pickets appeared at the British consulate today and were promptly arrested by the police on charges of violating the federal statute.

The arrested were Harry Galvin, Maura Quinn and Katherine McKinnon. The women did not furnish bail and were taken to the house of detention to await preliminary trial, which probably will be Monday.

CHICAGO DEMOCRATS WOULD CHANGE FROM SAN FRAN. TO OAKLAND

FRANCE ACTED WITHOUT ALLIES

LONDON, April 8.—Both the Central News and Exchange Telegraph company stated today that the British and associated governments have been opposed throughout to French occupation of German towns and France acted on its own initiative.

FRANKFORT, April 8.—This afternoon a clash between French troops and the population resulting in the killing of six Germans, and the wounding of forty others, was followed by a strong display of French military force which restored order by night.

SOVIET MAKES UP WITH CHINA

PEKING, April 8.—Restoration to China without compensation of the Chinese Eastern railway, all mining and forestry concessions seized by the former Russian imperial regime of Alexander Kerensky and others is announced in a note to the Chinese government from the Soviet authorities at Moscow.

JERUSALEM IN HANDS OF MOB

JERUSALEM, April 8.—Although martial law was proclaimed here Monday and the city is under heavy control by British troops, scattered fights occurred between Jews and Mohammedans Monday and Tuesday in the narrow lanes of the old city and outside the city walls. Several persons were killed on both sides and 250 injured. Turkish nationalists have taken over control of the village of Bardiza, fifty miles from Constantinople.

MARINE WORKERS STRIKE IN FRANCE

PARIS, April 8.—A strike of marine workers has been ordered by the marine union in all parts of France. The strike is already in effect in Marseilles and Dunkirk.

HUGHES IS RETAINED AS MINERS' COUNSEL

NEW YORK, April 8.—Charles E. Hughes has been retained by the United Mine Workers of America as chief counsel to defend the forty-three union officials under federal indictment in Indianapolis on charges of conspiring to raise coal prices. The announcement was made today by John L. Lewis, international president of the union.

LUMBER PRICES DROP

DENVER, April 8.—Lumber prices dropped approximately 5 per cent in Denver today. Dealers announced "downward in production costs" was responsible.

CHICAGO, April 8.—Fred Lynch, national committeeman from Minnesota, said today dissatisfaction of democratic leaders with convention accommodations at San Francisco will be aired before the committee meeting here April 29, when a proposal to move the convention across the bay to Oakland will be presented.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Postmaster Charles Fay said the statement of Fred Lynch that a proposal be considered to remove the democratic convention from San Francisco "must be inaccurate." He said the delegation headed by Lynch already had made arrangements for accommodations. Fay added, "I have heard of no dissatisfaction and am most certainly in a position to hear all complaints."

LOWDEN SCORES ADMINISTRATION

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 8.—Gov. Frank O. Lowden, candidate for the republican nomination for president declared in a speech before the Columbia club today that the government of the United States was primitive and in need of revision along business lines. He quoted statistics to show that in October 31 last, there were 102,000 government employees in Washington, as compared with 30,000 in 1916.

The first step toward reform is the creating of a business ministry with power vested in the secretary of the treasury," he said. "Then all unnecessary offices will be uncovered."

Banking and manufacturing practices have been revolutionized a half dozen times since the constitution was adopted, but in the same time the government has not only not progressed but has in fact retrograded.

FATAL EXPLOSION OF A GAS RANGE

JUNEAU CITY, Okla., April 8.—Two persons are dead and three others were seriously injured as the result of what is supposed to be a gas explosion in a restaurant kitchen.

BUTLER THEATRE advertisement listing today's show 'OWEN MOORE and Beautiful SERENA OWEN' and other acts.