

HUNDREDS RETURN TO WORK IN BRIDGEPORT

RECENT STRIKES ENDED; AGREEMENT HELPS EMPLOYEES

Resume Operations on Eight Hour Scale Without Wage Reduction.

CONFERENCE TO BE IMPORTANT

Will Canvas Situation With Respect to New Campaigns in Other Fields—Question of Discrimination in Remington Plant.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 30.—Many hundreds of factory workers who have been on strike recently, returned to work, their differences with their employers over hours and compensation having been adjusted.

In nearly every instance the workers entered upon the eight-hour schedule without a reduction in wages. The largest delegation of returning employees is that of 800 girls at the Crown and Batholer corset companies.

A conference will begin today to discuss the question of ordering a general strike against the Remington Arms and Ammunition company because of alleged discrimination against polishers.

The conference will deal specifically with alleged grievances at the Remington plant and plans for campaigns for the eight-hour day to be opened in New Haven this week, and later at Waterbury and Hartford, will be considered.

APPEAL DECISION ON STATE FUNDS

Illinois Action in Tying Up Salaries Goes to Higher Court.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 30.—Attorney General P. J. Lucey appealed to the supreme court from the decision of Judge James E. Creighton of the Sangamon county circuit court in which Judge Creighton granted injunctions Saturday tying up \$290,000 of state funds—salaries of state officers for two years, and mileage for legislators and lieutenant governor, which it is alleged were unconstitutionally appropriated by the legislature in the omnibus appropriation bill.

ARMY CAMP NOT TO BE RE-ESTABLISHED

No Decision Has Been Reached as to its Future Location.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Secretary Garrison today announced that the war department had determined not to re-establish the divisional army camp at Texas City, Texas, destroyed by the recent gulf storm.

TAWNEY SAYS IT ISN'T HIS DUTY

Doesn't Believe Flood Situation can be Handled by Commission.

St. Paul, Aug. 30.—Flooding of northern Minnesota farms by the backwater from the dams at Kenora, Ontario, is not a matter for adjustment by the Canadian boundaries commission, in the opinion of James A. Tawney, member of the commission who is arranging for the annual meeting which will open here next Saturday.

Congressman Lindbergh and others have contended that the commission should deal with the question, but Mr. Tawney, former member of congress, said that "if these lands have been damaged by water from dams on the Canadian side the matter should be taken up with the government at Washington."

BERLIN SAYS POLICY IS DECIDED ON

Berlin, via London, Aug. 30.—It is understood today Germany's course with regard to the Arabic case has been decided upon and that it is in line with the recent conciliatory statement by Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor.

MAN JUMPS IN WELL TO ESCAPE CHARGE OF BULL; IS FOUND ALMOST DEAD

Mandan, N. D., Aug. 30.—John Hinrichsen, a farmer near Center, went after water Sunday afternoon and to escape the charge of a neighbor's bull he jumped into the well. He was rescued half drowned several hours later.

PEACE MEETING TO BE CALLED SOON IN MEXICO

This is Report of Villa and Zapata Agents—To Set up Provisional Government

Washington, Aug. 30.—Villa and Zapata agents here said that a peace conference which reached here yesterday neutralized territory in Mexico to set up a provisional government.

MONEY'S ARRIVAL MAKES NO CHANGE

Pound, Sterling, Only One-Eighth of a Cent Above Lowest Arrival.

New York, Aug. 30.—England's \$45,000,000 shipment of gold and securities from Halifax produced virtually no effect whatever on the foreign exchange rates. A pound sterling is quoted at \$4.62 5/8, only one-eighth of a cent above the lowest value ever reached here, which was reached last Saturday.

BISHOP'S RECOVERY ALMOST ASSURED

Father Lesches, who Shot Him, States He is Pleas-ed with the Report.

Winona, Minn., Aug. 30.—No adverse symptoms developed in the condition of Bishop Patrick R. Heffron, shot three days ago by Father Lesches.

Dr. McGeough, who has charge of the case, said the bishop's condition is very satisfactory, and stated if the bishop continues to do as well through tomorrow, recovery is reasonably assured.

AFRICAN DESERT WAR TOLD BY U. S. WOMAN



San Francisco, Aug. 30.—How the Germans in Southwest Africa mined the railroads and how the British, under terrific heat, marched across the desert for hundreds of miles and conquered the German colonial possessions, has just been told here for the first time by an eye witness of this historic struggle.

The witness is Dr. Carlotta J. Maury, an American woman graduate of Cornell and niece of Lieutenant Matthew F. Maury, whose scientific discoveries have become the basis of modern navigation.

Dr. Maury has just returned from Cape Town, S. A., where for three years she has been professor of the geology in Hugenot college, Cape of Good Hope university. She traveled by way of Australia and reached San Francisco on the Union liner Matial.

STATE MAY HAVE TO SUPPORT THE "DRUNKS" HOME

Option Act in Minnesota Takes Income from Inebriate Asylum.

(Herald Special Service.) St. Paul, Aug. 30.—The entire support of the Willmar inebriate asylum may have to come from the revenue funds of the state as a result of the operation of the new county option law.

County after county voted to oust licensed saloons last spring and the revenues expected from these counties to finance the Willmar institution were not forthcoming.

Further complications have resulted from the operation of the new law. The state board of control has outstanding \$51,900 worth of certificates of indebtedness, which were issued in advance of the tax collection for 1914.

DAYTON TOWNSHIP PIONEER SUCCUMBS

Lakota, N. D., Aug. 30.—Will Parker, father of Perry, Tuck and Dick Parker, all well known to Lakota people, died at his home in Canby. The remains arrived in Lakota and immediately after the arrival of the train the funeral was held.

ANOTHER U. S. CITIZEN SLAIN

American Killed by Bandits in Mexico—Blow Up Train.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Official dispatches from Vera Cruz tell of the receipt of mail reports there on the killing of E. F. Welles, an American, and an auditor of a tobacco plantation company.

PROBE CHARGES FILED AGAINST MILITIA MEN

Administration During Colorado Coal Strike is Called to Task.

COURT OF INQUIRY SEIZES DOCUMENTS

Detective Agency, as Well as Federal Government, Engaged in Effort to Uncover Facts—May Be Preliminary Report.

Denver, Aug. 30.—The military court of inquiry appointed by Governor George A. Carlson to investigate the charge against Adjutant General John Chase and other officers of the National Guard of Colorado, resumed taking testimony behind closed doors today.

It is said that an incomplete report might be submitted to the governor before the close of the day, although there is little prospect that the court will complete its work by that time.

ZAPATA IN FAVOR OF ARMISTICE

Answers the Pan-American Note Favorably—Is Latest Success.

Mexico City, Aug. 30.—General Emiliano Zapata has made a favorable reply to the note recently sent by the Pan-American conference to all Mexican leaders, offering to aid in arranging a convention to be held in neutral Mexican territory for the purpose of creating a provisional government to provide for general elections.

J. W. Russell and Frank Asziz, the messengers who carried the note to General Zapata, arrived here today carrying his answer and also favorable replies from Generals Manuel Palafox, Francisco Chazaro, Pacheco, Lazo and others.

CONCESSIONS IN BRITISH ORDER

Probable that Representations of Trade Advisors Will Bring Results.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Concessions in enforcement against American commerce of the British order held council are expected as a result of informal negotiations just completed by the foreign trade advisors of the state department.

The British ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, assured the trade advisors that their informal representations in the cases where British orders have caused "undue hardship" to American commerce, will receive special consideration.

PROVIDE RURAL FREE DELIVERY

Burleson Wants Big Appropriation For Extending Service.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Postmaster General Burleson announced that he would ask the next congress for an appropriation of \$4,000,000 to provide rural delivery service during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1916. The last appropriation for this purpose was \$5,000,000 and the department plans to save the \$4,000,000 without reducing efficiency.

Of the amount to be asked, \$4,000,000 will be used to maintain the service as it is now organized and the remaining \$4,000,000 will be expended on new routes and improvements.

FINDS TELEPHONE IMPORTANT IN WAR



Washington, Aug. 30.—The signal corps—the eyes of the army—has derived less immediate benefit from the European war than any of the other important branches. It has learned one lesson, however, of vital importance—the need of a permanent staff to have been rendered almost unnecessary by the field radio, has again become of almost paramount importance through the developments of trench warfare.

Lieut. Col. George C. Squier, former assistant chief signal officer of the army, has been abroad as an observer of the development of trench warfare. He has reported, however, that our field radio service is as efficient as anything in use abroad. The deadly accuracy of field gun fire, however, because of the ability of aeronautical observers to locate hostile batteries, has made necessary the fighting of guns by individual units instead of as batteries, and the use of complicated trenchments and a semi-permanent nature, but pushed so close to the hostile trenchments as to preclude easy surface communication between field units, has called for the extension of a field telephone service.

GERMAN DRIVE SHOWS NO ABATEMENT; RAPID ADVANCE CONTINUES

English Await Expectantly Result of New Fight in Dardanelles—Marked Activity Along the French Front—Artillery Battles.

London, Aug. 30.—Reports from the eastern front indicating that the Austrians and Germans are engaged in an effort to clear the last corner of Galicia still held by their opponents, excited great interest here.

The Russian lines on the upper Bug river and the Zlota Lipa river have been pierced, but it is not yet clear how serious resistance is being offered to the vast enveloping movement from the south.

Having lost Brest-Litovsk, Grand Duke Nicholas cannot afford to hold the river positions in the south in the face of the important movement, for to do so would endanger his armies.

The opinion ventured by some English critics is that this latest move may conclude for the present the great offensive effort against the Russians, which has been in progress since May, and that once Austrian soil is cleared of the invaders, a new campaign may be started by Teutonic forces, this time in the near east.

In support of this theory was cited the report that the central powers are massing troops near the Roumanian border.

The week-end witnessed violent and continuous activity on the part of the artillery of the allies all the way from the North sea to the Vosges mountains.

There are no indications, however, that this expenditure of big gun munitions is being followed by infantry attacks.

London is again awaiting official reports from the British or French authorities concerning the campaign at the Dardanelles, where, according to Constantino-ple, heavy fighting is under way.

Drive on Russians Still Uninterrupted

London, Aug. 30.—There are no signs yet of any slackening of the German pursuit of the retreating Russians and, according to the official report issued in Berlin today, progress has been made in all sectors of the eastern battle line except that in northern Courland where the armies of Grand Duke Nicholas are offering a stubborn and effective resistance.

From the southeast of Kovno where the Germans claim to have broken the Russian resistance, the advance therefore is approaching Vilna, along the Niemen to Grodno and thence southward through the forest of Bialystok and on to the Prigprie river marches, the Russians are falling back to new positions.

Speculation again is being indulged in as to whether the Germans intend to follow the Russians further or prepare positions from which they can hold the Muscovites, while the Teutons attempt to break in the Balkans or on the western line in France and Belgium. Military observers here are of the opinion that this question must be solved before many days have elapsed, arguing that with the summer coming to an end any ventures proposed for the fall must soon come to a development.

Thus far the Germans have made no move toward a great offensive in the west and the threatened Austrian attack against Serbia has consisted mainly of long distance artillery engagements.

The artillery has been the chief mode of warfare on the western line. The most activity has been displayed here by the guns of the allies, which have been shelling virtually the entire German line. In addition, the allies have been using their aircraft in large squadrons to bombard German barracks and positions.

It is being vaguely hinted here that the general offensive against the Turkish positions at the Dardanelles has resulted in heavy fighting. The Turkish war office announced yesterday that several onslaughts had been repulsed, with heavy losses to the allies. It was also said that a cruiser and a transport of the allies had been hit repeatedly by the Turkish guns. The statement follows:

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What's New? Each day the receiving rooms of the stores grow busier and counters and shelves grow brighter. The seasonal tide has turned—the new goods are coming in. Fall business is in sight. The advanced fashions are getting ready to disclose themselves. It is a period of interest to every woman and every man too, for that matter. And day by day the advertising in The Herald becomes more "newsy" and by the same token more interesting reading.