

The Evening News

METAL MARKETS.
NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Bar silver, domestic unchanged; foreign 95c.
Copper, iron, antimony, lead and zinc unchanged.
The firm, spot \$48.00; futures \$48.10-15.
At London, spot copper 134; electrolytic unchanged; tin 1274, 150.

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THE NEWS THE DAY IT HAPPENS

WOMEN OF NATION ARE GIVEN BALLOT

CHAS. SPRINGER SILENCES MAGEE AT HEARING

Editor Admits He Knows Little About Taxation in State

SANTA FE, N. M., Aug. 18.—It is the height of injustice to tax present owners of mining properties for profits that may not be marketed for 2,000 years, in the opinion of J. M. Sully, general manager of the Ohio Copper company.
Mining properties ought to be assessed at their full going value, just the same as any other kind of case of property, it was asserted by Carl C. Magee, editor of the Albuquerque Journal and author of the editorial charges that the Springer interests are shamelessly robbing the state of New Mexico of millions of dollars every year.
These were the most widely opposed statements made this morning at the hearing by the special revenue commission. All of today are being devoted to the subject of equitable taxation of mines.

Springer's Defense.

In the beginning of the session Charles Springer declared that he could not speak on a personal matter before going into the subject of taxation of mines. He then referred to the journal's charges that the Springer interests are shamelessly robbing the state of millions of dollars, and declared that the charge was wholly without foundation. He took exception also to the journal's declaration that after all he had been simply rewarded for his war work since the payment of a million dollars a year would cause even the journal to be amiable and patriotic.

Income Tax.

J. Van Houten, president of the Springer Coal company, agreed with Springer that the mine tax question cannot be satisfactorily solved by an income tax. Springer said he believed the sentiment of the state is to have the mine tax on the property, not on the production of coal and not to penalize them. He said he knew of some mines in the state that are being operated at an actual loss, and still are paying a tax on the property.

Sully said that as to the ownership of 200,000 acres of coal, having an eight foot vein, and on the basis of 10 per cent extraction, 2,000 to 4,000 years would be required for the operation. If all the coal could be brought to the surface and put on the market in a short period, the product would be without value, he said. He quoted a report of the special revenue commission to show that rural property having a sale value of about \$15,000,000 was assessed for about \$2,000,000; urban property with a sale value of \$4,777,000 was assessed at \$2,000,000, an average assessed valuation of about 50 per cent, while the Ohio Copper company is assessed at about 85 per cent of the market value of the stock. The Springer company, Van Houten said, is assessed at about 65 per cent on this basis.
The hearings are being continued this afternoon.

BULLETINS

WARRENSBURG, Mo., Aug. 18.—

Twenty persons were injured, some severely today when the tender and ten coaches of Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 12 westbound, between Kansas City and St. Louis, left the track three miles west of Warrensburg. A broken rail is believed to be the cause. The injured were riding in a chair car, which turned over. The injured were returned to Warrensburg in ambulances. Among the injured was J. W. Shepard, Pueblo, Colorado, minor bruises.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 18.—

A presidential commission will leave for Lower California to arrange for Esteban Cantu to hand over to Luis M. Palazar the office of governor, according to an official bulletin. Agricultural machinery and school books required by Francisco Villa, have been ordered sent to him, the bulletin says.

Weather

AS THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO, ALBUQUERQUE
For 24 Hours Ending 8 a. m.

Highest temperature	80
Year ago	85
Lowest temperature	62
Year ago	63
Daily range temperature	18
Mean daily temperature	71
Relative humidity 1 p. m.	27
Relative humidity 8 a. m.	71
Precipitation	0.019
Maximum velocity of wind	13
miles per hour	10
Prevailing direction	N. W.
Character of the day	partly cloudy

State Weather
New Mexico: Generally fair tonight; Thursday unsettled and cooler.

LABOR ENTERS INTO POLITICS IN THE STATE

45 Union Leaders Meet Here to Frame Questionnaire

Labor representatives from various parts of the state—45 in all—who met at Labor Temple this morning for the first meeting ever called in the state by labor for political purposes got a slow start and from the looks of the business ahead of them this afternoon, the prospects were that the sessions would not be ended before tomorrow.

The chief business of the morning session was the election of temporary officers and the appointment of committees. The committees were making their reports to the representatives this afternoon.
William Cole, president of the state federation of labor who called the meeting, was elected temporary president; G. W. Austin, temporary secretary and John K. Burks of Las Vegas, vice president. The committees appointed were: W. L. McGrath, of Helen; Tom Clark and W. S. Patterson of Albuquerque; Charles Williams of Salinas and A. E. Elliott of Deming, committee on questionnaire; R. K. Benedict, L. M. Needham, W. J. Baker, W. N. Phillips, John K. Burks, M. R. Haimin and Gus Leshman of San Marcos, committee on organization; R. M. Cole, W. J. Shampson, J. J. Heaney, John Winbourn and Mr. Dickens, committee on finances; J. J. Votaw was elected sergeant at arms.

Keynote Speech

The keynote speech of the meeting of the representatives, to be known as the State Non-Partisan League, was made by Mr. Cole.

"The American Federation of Labor" said Mr. Cole, after making a few introductory remarks "has advised us to take such action and to work for the men who we have every reason to believe will represent us to the best of their ability, preferably men from the ranks of labor."
"I believe it is out of the question at this time, to consider placing an entire labor ticket in the field for these reasons: first we have no political organization; second, we have not the finances to campaign the state. I trust that this meeting will be the forerunner to such an organization that four years hence may be able to place an independent ticket in the field and to successfully elect that ticket."

"Vote as Body"

"Let us lay aside our indifference," he said, "and our political belief and act as a body. Let us elect representatives, regardless of their party affiliations. The speaker explained how difficult it often is for labor to have legislation in favor enacted and how the election of proper candidates can make enactment of certain legislation easier.
"Mr. Cole said he believed it the duty of present labor to take an active part in the coming election by endorsing and working for men who they believe will favorably represent them, regardless of their party affiliations. The speaker explained how difficult it often is for labor to have legislation in favor enacted and how the election of proper candidates can make enactment of certain legislation easier.

Least Populous County Has Only 67 Inhabitants

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—

Census of the least populous county in the country, Cochran, Texas, was announced today. It has 67 people, two more than ten years ago, making its growth more than 3 per cent.
Cochran has an area of 849 square miles, with one person to approximately every thirteen square miles. The county is in northwestern Texas. It is unorganized and has not even a postoffice.

Otto Stifel, Former St. Louis Brewer, Ends His Life

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 18.—Otto Stifel, former brewer and horseman, and republican nominee for congress from the eleventh district, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head, at his home in Valley Park, Mo., eighteen miles west of here today. He was 53 years old.

'Equal Partners Now, Ma'



PEACE TERMS READ TO POLES

Russians Expect Answer Today; Battle Turning Against Them

MONSIEUR, Aug. 18.—The Russian peace terms were read to the Polish delegates at their first meeting with the soviet representatives in Minsk Tuesday. The Polish answer will be returned today.
Leon Trotsky, soviet minister of war, today issued a call for volunteers for service on the southern front. The call was issued in the course of an address at a meeting in honor of Bela Kun, communist leader and former foreign minister of Hungary.

TIDE OF BATTLE TURNING TO POLES

PARIS, Aug. 18.—The Poles have captured Novo-Minsk, a short distance east of Warsaw, according to a dispatch from the Polish capital today. The battle of Warsaw appears to be favorable to the Poles, the dispatch says.
The Polish counter offensive with Thorn as its base has successfully cleared the Danzig corridor of Russian troops, according to a report received from the French mission in Poland today. The Polish forces are still driving eastward, the report says.
The French government intends to protest energetically against the decision of Sir Higiniaid T. Tower, allied high commissioner at Danzig who yesterday forbade further debarkation at Danzig of French munitions for Poland, it was learned today.

Americans Capture More Olympiad Honors In Today's Events

ANTWERP, Aug. 18.—

Americans captured the first two places in the qualifying round of the 16 pound bantam throw today while another American took fifth place. Patrick J. Ryan, Loughlin Lyceum, New York, threw the hammer 52.33 meters, 1.91 meters short of the Olympic record made by M. J. McGrath, of the New York A. C., at Stockholm in 1912. B. Bennett, of the Chicago A. A. was second with 48.22 meters. McGrath took fifth place with 44.67 meters.
America was represented by only two of three qualified entrants in the final heat of the 10,000 metre walk. The event was captured by Frigerio, Italy, who won by three quarters of a lap from J. H. Pearson, New York A. C., in 44 minutes, 4 1/2 seconds.
Earl Thomson, Dartmouth college star, who is representing Canada, was the final heat of the 110 metres hurdles, finishing up a new world's record of 14 4/5 seconds. H. E. Barron of the Meadowbrook club, Philadelphia, was second and Fred S. Murray of New York A. C., third.

WOMAN'S BODY FOUND IN RIVER

Arms and Legs Chopped Off; Torso Had Been Weighted Down

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—The torso of an unidentified woman, with head, arms and legs chopped off, was found last night by longshoremen in the Hudson River.
Clinging to the skin were shreds of cloth, whips of twine and minute pieces of wrapping paper. The police expressed the opinion that the package probably had been weighted down, but that water had rotted the wrappings and the torso allowed to come to the surface. Medical examiners estimated it had been in the water about two weeks. The police believe that the woman was about 25 or 30 years old.
The Guildenstippe case, to which the present mystery bears resemblance held the attention of the country for many weeks 23 years ago. The trunk of a man, later identified as that of William Guildenstippe, a Turk, both rubber, was found floating north of Brooklyn bridge. The legs and arms, similarly wrapped, were later fished out of the East river. The head was never found.
Later a man and woman confessed that they had killed Guildenstippe and cut up his body in a bath tub and then threw the pieces off a ferry boat.

Harding Receives Six Barefoot Boys On Front Porch

MARION, Aug. 18.—

Senator Harding received his blithest front porch delegation today. It consisted of six barefoot Marion urchins, who marched up in military dignity under the command of a rocky leader, bearing aloft an American flag and a Harding picture nailed to the back of a snow shovel. They serenaded the senator with a campaign song and were rewarded with a handshake and a smile apiece and the privilege of having their pictures taken with the nominee.

Gold Found in Heart of New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—

Engineers in charge of an excavation in the heart of New York's financial district today were treasuring some tiny yellow metal flakes that one of them scraped from his muddy shoe. Tests have been applied and indications point to discovery of gold in the very shadow of the sub-treasury building.

PHOTOS REVEAL MOB LEADERS

Camera Evidence Used Against Denver Rioters

DENVER, Aug. 18.—Photographs taken during the worst rioting that marked the strike of tramway employees in this city will be introduced at the grand jury investigation of the disturbances which caused seven lives, scores of severe injuries and property loss of a quarter million dollars, it was disclosed today.
The source of the photographs is being kept secret by officials, but reports indicate that many were "shot" by newspaper cameramen. It is said several clearly depict the leaders of the various mob attacks on cars, strike breakers and buildings. According to reports, many of these leaders shown in the photographs, have denied having participated in the rioting.
It was expected that the close of the day's court would see the jury box filled and all in readiness to begin the formal inquiry.
The principal witnesses are to be Chief of Police Hamilton Armstrong, and several police sergeants.
Settlement of the walkout of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway workers, G. Y. Harty, a federal mediator, who in the city advised such action, Harty was called in at the request of A. H. Burt, international organizer of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway workers.
The trades and labor assembly last night voted to ask all unions to call a one day "general vacation," August 23, and to extend the vacation indefinitely unless all the strike breakers were removed from the city.

TODAY'S RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE	
Cleveland	6-5
New York	10-6
Baltimore	10-6
Quinn, Collins and Roof	
BOSTON	
Detroit	9-3
Boston	9-1
Baltimore	9-1
Ayers and Stange; Meyers and Schang	
PHILADELPHIA	
Chicago	5-0
Philadelphia	7-0
Baltimore	7-0
Quinn, Collins and Roof	
ST. LOUIS	
St. Louis	15-6
Washington	10-1
Baltimore	10-1
Shaw, Acosta and Gharvey	

TENNESSEE COMPLETES RATIFICATION OF THE SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT

17,000,000 Women Will Be Eligible to Vote in Presidential Election This Fall—Ends Fight That Has Been Carried on for Years

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 18.—Tennessee today became the thirty-sixth state to ratify the Susan B. Anthony federal suffrage amendment. The constitutional change thus will become effective in time for the 17,000,000 women of the country to vote in the presidential election in November, unless the lower house of the Tennessee assembly rescinds its action today in adopting the ratification resolution, 49 to 47.
Speaker Walker, leader of the anti-suffragists, put opponents in a position to demand reconsideration by changing his vote from nay to aye and moving to reconsider. The house adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow when the speaker's motion will have the right of way. Suffrage and anti-suffrage forces tightened their lines this afternoon, for the final fight and both sides were claiming victory.

The suffragists, however, had the advantage of today's victory and expressed confidence that Speaker Walker's motion would be voted down tomorrow. The next step then would be the certifying of the action to the secretary of state of the United States, who would issue a proclamation declaring the amendment ratified.
The lineup of the democrats and republicans on the vote for ratification follows:
Democrats, aye 35; no 34, absent 1.
Republicans, aye 15; no 12, absent 2.
Fight For Another State
The Tennessee senate ratified the amendment last Friday by a vote of 35 to 4.
Suffrage leaders declare they will not slacken their efforts, as they desire to have at least one other state ratify before the November elections, as they expect a fight to be made against Tennessee's action because of the clause in the state constitution, which prohibits any assembly from acting on an amendment of submitted before the members were elected. Both United States Solicitor General Frierson and the attorney general of Tennessee have declared this clause unconstitutional in the light of the recent decision of the supreme court in the Ohio referendum case.
Ratification by the Tennessee legislature was the culmination of an intensive drive made by suffrage proponents to have the amendment made effective in time for the women of the country to vote in the presidential election in November. The drive was started when West Virginia became the thirty-fourth state to ratify early this year.
Washington was the thirty-fifth to ratify and on the same day it acted—March 22—Governor Townsend of Delaware called a special session of the legislature of that state to act on the amendment. The Delaware assembly met early in May and the senate quickly ratified, but action by the house was delayed despite presidential efforts to hear the leaders of both great political parties and by President Wilson. Finally on June 2 the legislature adjourned with the referendum still in the hands of the committee of the house.
Meantime the Louisiana legislature met and efforts were made to have it act favorably, but it adjourned July 5 without acting.

Civilization Saved, Gov. Cox Declares; Harding Pleased

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 17.—The following statement was issued by the Ohio legislature today by Governor Cox:
"The civilization of the world is saved. The mothers of America will stay the hand of war and repudiate those who trifle with a great principle. The action of the Tennessee legislature has without significance. It is an earnest effort of the Tennessee people to pay its historic obligations."
Harding Satisfied
MARION, Ohio, Aug. 18.—Expressing satisfaction with the action of the Tennessee legislature, Senator Harding said:
"All along I have wished completion of the ratification, and have said, 'God bless them who have all the citizenship of the United States take part in the presidential elections. The republican party will welcome the response of American women to its appeal to the confidence of all our people.'"
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25,000,000 Women Enfranchised; History of the Fight for Suffrage

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Ratification of the suffrage amendment to the constitution of the United States which began in this country before the colonies declared their independence. It will eventually enfranchise 25,000,000 women.
Woman suffrage first raised its voice in America in Maryland in 1847. When Mistress Margaret Brent, heir of Lord Calvert, demanded a place in the legislature of the colony as a property holder of wide extent. And in the days of the revolution Abigail Adams wrote her husband, John Adams at the continental congress which was framing the laws of the infant nation that, "if—in the new laws—particular care and attention are not paid to the ladies, we are determined to foment a rebellion and will not hold ourselves bound to obey any laws in which we have no voice."
Organizing work for woman suffrage began in the United States at the Woman's Rights convention in Seneca Falls, N. Y., 1848 in which was called by Lucretia Mott and Elizabeth Cady Stanton, early leaders of Massachusetts and New York, in response to the indignation aroused by the refusal to permit women to take part in the anti-slavery convention of 1840. From the date of that convention the suffrage movement in the United States began the fight that lasted seventy years and ended with victory. Another convention followed in 1852 at Syracuse, N. Y., at which delegates from Canada were present and it was there that Susan B. Anthony assumed leadership of the cause to which she devoted her life.
Associations Formed
In 1849 the National Woman Suffrage association, with Miss Anthony and Mrs. Stanton at its head, was formed in New York and in the same year the American Woman Suffrage association was organized in Cleveland with Lucy Stone and Julia Ward as its leaders. At first differing widely in policy, the national association working to put a suffrage amend-

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