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MINERS WILL STICK TO FIRST DEMANDS

FORMER HONDURAN CONSUL IS MURDERED AND WIFE FATALLY WOUNDED BY ROBBER

Mysterious Stranger Who Offers Help in Fixing Auto Turns Out To Be Assassin. Leaves Woman for Dead.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 12.—Dr. Leopoldo Cordova, former consul for Honduras in New Orleans and Mobile, son of the former minister of finance of that republic and for years prominent in Central American affairs, was shot and killed in his automobile last night by a bandit. His wife, also shot, is said to be dying at a hospital where she was taken following the finding of the bodies in a ditch early today.

According to Mrs. Cordova, the murder had robbery as its motive and apparently was carefully planned and daringly executed. As soon as she regained consciousness she told the police the story of the tragedy.

While Dr. Cordova endeavored to put his automobile in running order preparatory to taking Mrs. Cordova for a ride last night, a well-dressed stranger approached and offered his assistance.

"I am an automobile expert," he said, "and will be glad to help you as I see you are in a hurry to be off."

The offer of the stranger was accepted and the couple took seats in the rear of the car. The automobile, which early in the evening was apparently in perfect condition, responded immediately to the stranger's hand and the car was headed from the Cordova house at 1400 Constance street, in the uptown section, toward the business part of the city, the stranger expressing a wish to be taken to Canal street.

Man Opens Fire.

Unsuspecting of danger, Dr. Cordova paid little attention to the route taken by the stranger, and did not become alarmed until Gentilly road, at the extreme downtown section of the city, was reached.

"Where are you going?" he then asked.

"You'll find out very soon," was the reply.

The car was stopped and the stranger produced two pistols, firing several shots at both occupants of the rear seat. Dr. Cordova apparently was killed almost instantly, while Mrs. Cordova received wounds which led the bandit to believe she was dead.

Ward Dickerson, who conducts a general store near the scene of the murder, saw the two bodies in a ditch when he was preparing to open up his place early today. The pockets of the clothing were rifled and jewelry had been torn from the woman's fingers and clothing.

Dr. Cordova was a native of Yuscaran City, Honduras, and was 32 years old. Mrs. Cordova was born in San Salvador City, where she married Dr. Cordova shortly after he graduated from a college of pharmacy. Early in 1913 he was sent to Mobile as consul for Honduras, and last March, when Dr. Soriano left New Orleans to enter the race for the presidency, Dr. Cordova was named as his successor. Alfredo Pinada succeeded him here Sept. 24.

The couple were planning to leave shortly for San Salvador.

SET ASIDE TRACK FOR NEW HAY INSPECTION

The Memphis Grain exchange has completed arrangements with Missouri Pacific railroad for establishing the plug inspection system for all hay received here over the lines of that line and the Cotton Belt road. A track has been set aside for the purpose of hay inspection in the Sargent yards, and the new inspection system will be put into effect at once. By this method, enough hay is removed so that the inspector can enter the car and inspect all the hay in the car and thus arrive at a fair and dependable grade.

A big increase in the shipment of hay to the Memphis market from the territory served by these lines is expected to follow as soon as the plug inspection is established, since many hay shippers refuse to ship to a market where shipments are inspected from the door of the car. The Rock Island and Frisco railroads set aside tracks for plug inspection last May and since that time the amount of hay received over those lines has more than doubled.

The Illinois Central railroad is now the only important carrier of hay to the local market on which plug inspection is not established. The Grain exchange expects to establish the system on this line in the near future.

LANDER COLDEST SPOT WITH 20 BELOW ZERO

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Lander, Wyo., with a temperature of 20 degrees below zero, was the coldest place in the United States today, according to reports to the weather bureau. A cold wave covers the country from the Rocky mountain region eastward to the Missouri valley, with the line of freezing temperature extending into Northwest Texas.

East of the Mississippi river, however, temperatures were well above the seasonal average, as a rule, and were generally higher than on Tuesday.

Cold wave warnings were ordered today for Tennessee, the interior of the gulf states and the Mississippi valley south of Minnesota. It will be much colder tonight and Thursday in Tennessee and in the east gulf states and the Atlantic states, except Southern Florida.

U. S. PEACE ENVOYS TO LEAVE FRANCE

PARIS, Nov. 12.—The American delegation to the peace conference has informed the supreme council of its intention to leave France during the first days of December, according to semi-official information from the French foreign office.

The British peace delegation has also expressed the same desire and the general impression in French conference circles is that the conference will conclude its work by the end of this month.

OFFICERS STOP SUICIDE BY HANGING IN PRISON

Prompt action by Sergt. Joe Cole and Emergency Officer Oliver Wednesday morning probably saved the life of C. B. Smith, detained since Tuesday afternoon at police station pending investigation. Sergt. Cole hearing a call from the inside trusty rushed to the cell where Smith was confined. The man, according to Sergt. Cole, had looped his belt around his neck and standing on the bunk was knotting the other end around upper bars of the cage.

Smith, who gave no address, was brought to headquarters Tuesday shortly after noon. Arresting officers allege he had two pistols on him when arrested in addition to a quantity of dope.

Italy Decorates American General

Brig.-Gen. Charles G. Treat, commander of the American forces in Italy during the war, was recently awarded a decoration by the king of Italy. Prince Monteveale (at the left) is seen pinning the medal on.

MRS. C. H. TAYLOR SEEKS DIVORCE

Charges Desertion and Asks for $500 Per Month During Litigation.

Declaring that her husband deserted her three years ago and has since refused to live with her, and further that he has given her only $25 for maintenance and support during their separation, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson Taylor, wife of Dr. C. H. Taylor, dentist, Wednesday filed suit for divorce, asking for custody of her minor son, Herbert Taylor, Jr., alimony pendente lite amounting to $500 per month and permanent alimony, including half of Dr. Taylor's estate. The suit was filed by Col. J. W. Canada and E. W. Smith.

The bill recites that the couple were married in Los Angeles, Cal., on Sept. 30, 1896.

Mrs. Taylor declares that three years ago her husband deserted her, and although she has entreated him to return to her he has refused to do so. He began to abuse and humiliate her by insulting her in presence of her friends soon after they were married, she alleges.

On one occasion, she says, he accused her of stealing his money, and on other occasions instructed merchants not to sell her goods. He failed to provide for her, giving her only $25 in three years, according to the bill. She was, therefore forced to rent her house and go live with her daughter. Her husband, she says, forced her to give him half of the rent, telling her $75, the other half, was as much as she needed.

Mrs. Taylor declares in her bill that her husband's income is about $15,000 a year from the practice of dentistry in Memphis.

She recites that they have two children, Herbert T. Jr., 19, who is now attending the University of Tennessee, learning a profession; and Mrs. Chapman Dewey wife of a prominent young Memphis attorney.

Mrs. Taylor is the daughter of the late E. G. Robinson, of Los Angeles, Cal., formerly a resident of Memphis, and owner of the Robinson Transfer company.

FREEZING WEATHER HEADS FOR SOUTH

The first real winter weather of the season was to be felt in Memphis Wednesday night and Thursday, according to the official weather forecast for the next 24 hours. A cold wave that will cause a drop in the mercury to a point well below the freezing point but accompanied by fair weather is the official pronouncement.

The cold wave will not be exactly local, but will extend throughout the state of Tennessee and those adjoining. The duration of the cold wave, of course, cannot be predicted at this time but that it will last for several days is the present indication.

The blizzards and snowstorms that have been more or less prevalent throughout the Northwest during the past week or longer are a part of the present cold wave that Memphis was to feel Wednesday afternoon and night.

Weather bureau officials Wednesday morning were busily engaged in sending out warnings to stations within this district in order that ample preparations might be made to protect against the freeze.

AUTO VICTIM BURIED; MOTORMAN ACCUSED

Funeral services for D. E. MacGowan, 55, transfer man, who died at Baptist Memorial hospital Tuesday at noon three hours after he was injured in an auto accident, was held Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock from the Central Cumberland Presbyterian church. Dr. J. M. McLeskey officiated. Interment was in Mount Pisgah cemetery.

Mr. MacGowan is survived by one sister, Miss Lelia MacGowan. He suffered fatal injury Tuesday morning when he was thrown from a truck at Rayburn boulevard and Carolina avenue, following a collision with a street car.

J. O. Persons, 1310 McMillan street, motorman of the street car, was arrested and charged with manslaughter shortly after Mr. MacGowan's death. He made bond. The case was heard in city court Wednesday afternoon.

INQUIRY IN FREY CASE IS ORDERED

Ralph Davis Asks Trial Be Halted, But Is Refused by Judge.

BY BOB HILDEBRAND.

Ralph Davis, attorney for Jack Frey, accused of criminal assault on an 18-year-old girl, again took the limelight in the trial Wednesday morning, when he demanded that Judge J. Ed Richards, of First division, criminal court, halt the case for the time being.

The statement of Judge Richards, in Tuesday's afternoon papers, that he believed the chief state's witness in the McNamara case—Mrs. Mary Thompson McNamara, nee Thompson, had been tampered with—was the base of Mr. Davis' contention.

Mr. Davis contends that the McNamara and Frey cases are so intermingled that they cannot be separated. Mary Thompson, alleged victim of Allen McNamara, married Gus McNamara, Allen's brother, while Allen's motion for a new trial was pending. At the motion, where Allen was sentenced to death in the electric chair for alleged criminal assault on her, Mary swore that she had not told the truth in Allen's trial about the alleged criminal asault. She was arrested for perjury.

The judge's statement that it was his belief that the witness had been tampered with was made about noon Tuesday.

Wednesday morning Mr. Davis, at the opening of court, asked that the Frey trial be halted, while the fullest investigation be made of the alleged tampering with the witness, because she is a witness against Frey also, but not the chief one. Mr. Davis asked that the investigation be made at once, whether by the court, the state's attorney's office, or the bar association.

"I court the most thorough investigation as to my conduct in this matter," Mr. Davis told the court.

"The case will proceed," the judge ruled. "But the investigation will be had, all right, when the proper time comes."

Mr. Davis also pointed out that the affidavit sworn to by Mary Thompson and read in court last Saturday, at McNamara's motion for a new trial, was not the only statement made in the case by her. He pointed out that one witness (W. T. McLain, assistant state's attorney) also had a statement from the girl, taken the day following the assault, and that another witness at the hearing of the new trial motion had sworn that though he had promised to divide his $500 fee from the Bosworth Bag company, where the girls were employed, equally between the girls, he had not done so, because he sent it back when one of the girls married Gus McNamara. The witness he referred to was R. Grattan Brown, attorney employed by the girls' employer to aid the state in prosecution.

The procedure of getting a jury in the Frey trial for the past two days has been tempestuous. Not only has the McNamara case injected itself into the Frey trial, but Mr. Davis has stormily protested, challenged, verbally assailed a number of veniremen in a characteristic, peppery manner that drew from at least one man a hot rejoinder, that "I am as honest as you are."

The Wednesday morning session, after the demand that the Frey case be halted temporarily, was devoted to the examination of veniremen on the regular panel who had not been examined in the case previously. Not a single juror was obtained from those examined during the morning session, though.

A second special venire of 250 men is being summoned by the sheriff and his deputies, to report Thursday morning in the Frey case.

WILL BUILD $60,000 NEGRO MOVIE PALACE

Paul Zerilla, owner of several moving picture shows on Beale avenue for negroes, will erect a new negro movie to cost $60,000 at 336 Beale avenue at once. The old Metropolitan theater building on this site is now being demolished to make way for the new structure.

Hanker & Cairns are the architects.

SENATOR MARTIN, OF VIRGINIA, IS DEAD

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Nov. 12.—Senator Thomas S. Martin, the Democratic leader in the senate, died here today, after an illness of several months. He was 72 years old.

NO CLEW TO BIG LOSS OF MONEY AND JEWELS

Although city detectives have been working for five days on the case, the disappearance of over $700 in cash and two diamonds, said to weigh two carats, which disappeared with the purse of Mrs. Sadie Stearns, Minneapolis, Minn., Saturday from Hotel Chisca dining room; no clew tangible enough to result in definite evidence has been found. Mrs. Stearns, mother-in-law of Julian G. Strauss, Carr avenue, lawyer, told Hulet Smith, chief of detectives, that the diamonds were valued at about $2,000.

Mr. Strauss reported to headquarters that he with his wife, Mrs. Stearns, and several friends were dining at the Chisca Saturday evening. Mrs. Stearns laid her purse on the floor beside her chair. Mr. Strauss noticed it and placed it in a chair adjoining. When the party went to leave the dining room the purse was missed.

Mrs. Stearns was to have left Saturday night for her home in Minneapolis. Mr. Strauss has offered a liberal reward for the return of the stones or any clew that will lead to their recovery. Detectives Wilroy and Roper were assigned to the case.

YANCEY QUITS U. S. SERVICE FOR BUSINESS

Alex I. Yancey, for some time deputy internal revenue collector in charge of the collection of income tax in West Tennessee with headquarters in Memphis, has submitted his resignation to E. B. Craig, internal revenue collector for Tennessee and it has been accepted.

Mr. Yancey will assume at once a position in a high capacity with O. R. Ewing & Co., public accounts. Mr. Yancey is the son of Dr. T. B. Yancey, of Somerville, and enjoys a wide circle of social and business acquitances. Business reasons solely actuated him in severing his connection with the government.

ARMS SHIPPED TO MINERS SEIZED BY GOVERNOR'S ORDER

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 12.—Original demands of a 60 per cent increase in wages, a six-hour day and a five-day week will be presented to operators by mine workers in the joint scale conferences called for Friday in Washington at the instance of Secretary of Labor Wilson, according to Frank Farrington, chairman of the miners' scale committee, who came here today en route to the national capital.

Asked whether the miners would obey the strike-rescinding order of Acting President Lewis, Farrington said:

"In my judgment the miners will not return to work." He added, however, that he spoke only for the Illinois district of which he is president. Farrington said the impression that the "slate had been wiped clean," so far as demands were concerned had no basis in fact, although the miners stood ready to negotiate a new scale without reservations.

"The old demands will stand," Mr. Farrington said. "They were formulated by the Cleveland convention. All of them, however, are subject to negotiations."

Miners' representatives will insist, he declared, that any new agreement be effective at once and not on March 31, 1920, as operators formerly contended.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 12.—Deputy sheriffs, acting on an executive warrant issued by Gov. Cornwell today seized a quantity of arms and ammunition in the express office at Dawes, a mining village in the Cabin Creek district.

The arms were consigned to a miner living in Dawes, and were received at the express offices yesterday. Nine rifles and 1,000 rounds of ammunition made up the shipment, it was announced at Gov. Cornwell's office.

The rifles which were taken to the governor's office proved, upon examination by Col. W. F. Harrell, commanding federal troops here, to be regulation army pattern, and the steel-jacketed bullets in the ammunition cases were the type used in regulation army rifles and machine guns.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 12.—The two outstanding points in the coal mining situation today were the reception by the members of the United Mine Workers of the order of their chiefs calling off the strike and the probable outcome of the conference of miners' representatives and operators with Secretary of Labor W. B. Wilson in Washington Friday.

Reports of the number of men returning to work were slow in reaching headquarters of the mine workers here, chiefly because the order rescinding the strike call of Oct. 15 had not yet been received in many districts and because many local unions will hold meetings before deciding whether to return.

Dispatches received, while not clearly defining the attitude of the men as a whole, were believed to indicate the workers will continue on strike only in isolated cases.

Officials of the unions, members of the scale committee and executive board and district presidents, who wrangled the negotiations conference Friday, were resting after their arduous sessions, and probably will not start for Washington before late tonight or early tomorrow. One representative from each bituminous district in the United States, in addition to the international officers and the scale committee, will attend the meetings.

The miners' executives, who required more than 17 hours of almost continuous debate to reach their decision to comply with the order of the federal court to call off the strike, needed but a few minutes to accept a telegraphic invitation by Secretary of Labor Wilson to meet operators in Washington Friday and resume wage negotiations. The message reached the miners late yesterday simultaneously with a telegram sent to Acting President John L. Lewis by Thomas T. Brewster, chairman of the operators' scale committee, requesting that the scale committee in the central competitive field meet the operators in Washington Monday to negotiate a contract "to be in force upon expiration of the contract now in effect."

The union leaders were equally prompt in their decision to disregard the offer of the operators and immediately sent a reply to Mr. Brewster stating that they had accepted the invitation of the secretary of labor.

According to miners' chiefs, Secretary Wilson's message was timed an hour earlier than that of Mr. Brewster, and did not put any limitations on the representations the miners should have at the meeting. Under the impression that Mr. Brewster must have received a duplicate of the message sent them by Mr. Wilson, officials of the miners declared they saw in the operators' offer a deliberate attempt to entrap the miners into tacit acknowledgement of the existence of a wage agreement, which the coal workers contend has expired. They also read in the Brewster message an effort to dictate the terms under which negotiations would be resumed, in the proposal that the central competitive field scale committee only meet the operators.

The developments in the situation will put the controversy right back where it was when the conference of miners and operators was held with Secretary Wilson just prior to the walkout of the miners, except that there will be no threat of a strike hanging over the country as an argument for the miners.

PORTION OF MINERS MAY NOT RETURN TO WORK

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Resumption of work in the country's bituminous coal mines today was expected to be extensive, but not on a scale that would permit anything like normal production, according to statements of United Mine Workers of America leaders and coal mine operators. In some sections the miners were expected to dispute the authority of the order issued yesterday by John L. Lewis, acting president of the organization, recalling the strike order. The statement of Duncan McDonald, president of the Illinois Federation of Labor, that "if the position of the government is to be taken as a precedent there is no such thing as freedom of contract and the entire issue might as well be fought out now," also was interpreted as being the sentiment of a portion of approximately 425,000 men who went on strike nearly two weeks ago.

The situation in the Illinois fields was complicated further by the possibility of insurgents who caused trouble last summer renewing their activities, according to the union men. In Kansas, where 10,000 men normally are employed, unrest was said to prevail and it was doubtful if that state, already feeling a fuel shortage, would see a very considerable resumption of production immediately.

That many of the miners would return to work was agreed, notably in the Alabama, Texas, Ohio and Pennsylvania coal areas. The situation was doubtful in Iowa, Maryland, West Virginia, Indiana, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

ONLY FOUR MINES OPEN.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 12.—Kanawha coal field miners did not obey the orders of their leaders and return to work today. Only four of the 200 mines in the district began work and these with comparatively small forces.

NO UNION MINE OPEN.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 12.—Not a union mine was in operation in Iowa today, reports to the headquarters here of the state operators' association said. What information was available, owners said, was to the effect that the men intended to remain idle for the time being, at least.

ALL ALABAMA MINERS EXPECTED TO RETURN

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 12.—At least three-fourths of the striking coal miners recalled to work will be again at their posts by tonight, and all should be again in the mines by noon tomorrow, according to Secretary J. L. Clemo, of the United Mine Workers. Production Tuesday was more than 50 per cent of normal.

MEN STILL OUT.

BICKNELL, Ind., Nov. 12.—Official notification that the strike of bituminous coal miners had been called off was received from headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America at Indianapolis, but Bicknell workers did not return to the shafts.

PRICE OF COTTON MEAL UNCHANGED

Arbitrary Order of Milton Whitney Being Fought by Industry.

The arbitrary order, fixing the price of cottonseed meal far below what mill men claim is the cost of production, at present prices of seed, which was issued Tuesday by Prof. Milton Whitney, in connection with orders fixing the price of a number of other articles of Southern manufacture, remained unchanged at noon Wednesday.

The price is $65 a ton for cottonseed meal and is about $7 a ton less than recent prices. Some oil mills have paid as high as $90 a ton for seed recently.

The wires to Washington are being used freely in an attempt to secure a modification of the order.

Southern senators and representatives were being appealed to Wednesday by the cottonseed industry in every Southern state, both through the various state and general associations and through the Mississippi Valley association, and its strong allied affiliations in the valley.

Louis N. Geldert, in a telegram sent to the officers of the Interstate Cottonseed Crushers' association, intimated that it may be possible to secure a modification of the order but at noon no confirmation of his telegram had reached anyone in Memphis.

Hugh Humphreys, vice-president of the Memphis zone for the Mississipp Valley association, has had no definite reply to his telegram to the president, H. H. Merick, at Chicago, but assumes that the force of the association will be placed back of the demand for a rescinding or modification of the order.

MORE COAL AWARDED MEMPHIS CONSUMERS

About 200 cars of coal per day are being handled by the Louisville & Nashville railroad from the West Kentucky mines, which were not affected by the strike. About half of this amount is coming to points on the Memphis division and the rest is going to the Henderson division.

No change in the local situation has been brought about yet by the order calling off the strike, local railway officials said Wednesday.

The regional fuel committee at Atlanta is awarding about 60 cars of coal a day for delivery to Memphis industrial concerns, principally to the public utility companies. There were 244 cars of coal in the Memphis yards Wednesday morning, a slight increase over Tuesday.

TWO FREED ON CHARGES ASSAULT AND BATTERY

A not guilty verdict was reported by a jury in the First criminal court Wednesday in the case of T. J. McDermott, charged with assault to murder and carrying a pistol. Ernest Bell represented McDermott.

Eugene Martinelli, charged with assault and battery, got out on a nolle pros in second division on payment of costs. Ernest Bell also represented Martinelli.

RADICAL CHIEF IS LYNCHED AFTER "REDS" FIRE UPON YANKS IN PARADE; KILLING 4 MEN

Cloture Rule Used To Rush Solon Vote Upon Reservations

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—A movement to limit senate debate on the peace treaty by invoking the cloture rule was inaugurated today by Democratic leaders. A petition for cloture, requiring only 16 signatures for submission, was circulated by the administration leaders and soon had more than double the necessary number.

Some Republican leaders said they would support the Democratic cloture proposal, which had been circulated after consultation between leaders of both parties.

The petition said in the opinion of the signers there was an effort to obstruct the treaty by undue debate and asked that the cloture rule, limiting each speaker's time to one hour, be invoked.

When the petition would be presented was not determined by the administration leaders, who said it was in conformance with the recent Democratic conference action authorizing Senator Hitchcock, administration leader, to make such a move should it be deemed advisable.

An option of cloture requires a two-thirds vote. While all of the signers of the cloture petition were Democrats, Senator Underwood, Democrat, Alabama, who circulated the petition, said it was assured of considerable Republican support.

It was explained the cloture proposal, if presented today, could not come to a vote before next Friday, being required under the rules to lie over for two days.

The cloture move followed charges that a filibuster had been organized by the treaty's irreconcilable foes, seeking to prevent final action at this session.

Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, resumed his attack on the treaty when the senate convened. He proceeded slowly, making long pauses at times to sort over the stack of papers on his desk. Additional time was taken up by a quorum call on the motion of Senator Gore, Democrat, Oklahoma, another opponent of the treaty in its present form.

It was understood Senator LaFollette, Republican, Wisconsin, expected to follow Senator Reed.

The reservation to Article Ten of the league of nations covenant stood before the senate again today as the subject of, the hour, exactly as it did at the opening of yesterday's session, which was consumed with seven hours of debate on various topics except the one under consideration.

Grand Jury Takes Up Election Fraud Cases On Friday

Charges of alleged fraud in the election last Thursday, Nov. 6, will be investigated officially at the regular session of the grand jury next Friday, according to Sam O. Bates, state's attorney.

The first intention of the state's attorney was to recommend that the grand jury hold a special session Wednesday, for the purpose of probing the alleged frauds. But when Judge J. Ed Richards, of First division of criminal court, told the grand jurors they might observe Armistice day (Tuesday) as a holiday, this threw their regular session over until Wednesday and defeated the plan.

LETT ATTACK ON HUNS LIFTS RIGA MENACE

DORPAT, Livonia, Nov. 12. (By the Associated Press.)—Lettish troops in the region near Riga attacked the Germano-Russian forces of Col. Bermondt yesterday and pushed them back several miles along the entire line, the Lettish conferees at the Baltic states conference here were advised today.

The attack resulted in Riga being entirely freed from menace by Col. Bermondt's forces. The Letts, it is added, captured a battery of heavy guns and numerous machine guns.

Here's An Answer To Famous Query

The above photo is printed as an answer to the time-worn academic question as to what happens when "an irresistible force and an immovable body" meet. In Detroit a motor truck tried conclusions with a telephone pole. The result is shown above. The pole was broken into four sections—one below the ground—but the truck was practically unscathed.

Solon Calls Riot Real Revolution

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—The shooting of four ex-service men in an Armistice day parade in Centralia, Wash., was described in the house today by Representative Johnson, Republican, Washington, chairman of the immigration committee, as an "attempt at revolution with bullets and rifles, which the country has long feared." Mr. Johnson sent a telegram to Mayor Rogers, of Centralia, saying the country "must be purged of seditionists and revolutionists to the last one, and if this means war, the quicker it is declared the better."

"We of the Pacific Northwest have long seen it coming," he said. "We have been patient, have avoided bloodshed under every provocation, only to see these young men murdered. Their death will arouse the loyal people of the United States as nothing else has done.

"History will record these heroes as among the first to fall in an armed revolution against the United States, and for which every man who has been preaching syndicalism, communism and class hatred is responsible."

SUGAR APLENTY AT TWO BITS A POUND

Jobbers Seem Quite Cheerful Giving Out Foregoing Forecast on New Crop.

Sugar in ample quantities to supply Memphis and the Memphis trade territory will be received by jobbers during the month of November, in the opinion of a prominent jobber in a statement made Wednesday, but the price is going to be in most instances close to 26 cents per pound.

Small quantities of new crop plantation granulated sugar were received in Memphis the early part of this week, having been purchased at prices ranging from 21½ cents to 22 cents per pound. This sugar was sold to the consuming trade in limited quantities at 22½ and 23 cents per pound.

Considerable quantities of sugar have been contracted for by Memphis dealers for delivery during the present month at prices ranging from 18 cents per pound to 22 cents per pound. Based on these prices the retail price or that paid by the ultimate consumer will range from 22½ cents to 25 cents per pound.

The release of 60,000,000 pounds of sugar held in storage in New Orleans for the British government would not help matters to any great extent, it was stated Wednesday, if the sugar had to be replaced prior to Jan. 1, because before that time the new crop of Louisiana sugar will be moving and will afford at least temporary relief.

Resumption of work by the striking longshoremen at New Orleans will relieve the situation to some extent. A number of vessels laden with sugar and destined for New Orleans refineries have been diverted to other ports and the sugar reshipped by rail to New Orleans. However, these shipments have not been sufficiently frequent to add materially to the present supply.

Dealers generally, in Memphis and surrounding territory, are relying chiefly upon the new crop of Louisiana sugar to afford the relief of the present shortage, but they are almost unanimous in the belief that prices will show an increase of not less than 100 per cent over retail prices in effect before the present shortage.

Despite the announcement of A. Mitchell Palmer, attorney-general, that 17 cents for yellow clarified and 18 cents for white granulated would be acceptable to the government, retail prices will remain around 25 cents, local dealers believe.

Hoover Says U. S. May Shut Doors To Alien "Reds"

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 12.—The American people are growing impatient with foreign agitators and unless the attitude changes, the door that has always been open to Europe may be shut, Herbert Hoover declared here today in an address at the convention of Americans of Polish ancestry.

"Many foolish ideas are being circulated among the foreign-born population of the United States," Mr. Hoover said. "Many of those foreign-born are interesting themselves in the destruction of our primary institutions and defiance of our laws. The American people are fast losing patience with this attitude. It may develop out of this that the 'open door' toward Europe will be in a large measure closed. But worse than this, there may develop out of it a prejudice against every speaker of a foreign language in the United States. It creates prejudice against extending aid to those countries in Europe from which our foreign-born populations spring."

Any needed reforms in the United States, he asserted, "would be carried out by those whose parents have grown up amid our institutions, and those who have become, in sentiment and spirit, a part of our people.

"It is fortunate that the Polish population of the United States has been but little influenced by these forms of agitation," he continued. "If a Pole exists who has associated himself with the organizations that devote themselves to the destruction of our institutions that Pole is not only disloyal to the United States, but is endeavoring to paralyze the arm that is supporting the independence of his own mother country. Those who are dissatisfied always can choose the alternative of retiring to the countries from which they came."

CONGRESS CALLED.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—A special congress comprising representatives of all organized labor was called today to meet in London Dec. 9 to discuss the nationalization of the mines. It will consider what action might be taken to compel the government to bring into effect the recommendations of the Sankey commission that nationalization be effected.

SUSPEND 300 STUDENTS.

WACO, Tex., Nov. 12.—Three hundred Waco high school students, boys and girls, were suspended indefinitely today for quitting school yesterday and staying out all day because they were not allowed an "Armistice day" holiday.

Little City in Washington Is Scene of I. W. W. Outbreak During Armistice Day Parade—Troops on Guard.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 12.—Arrival of a company of state guards here today assured this little city of quiet after nearly 12 hours of disorder, in which five men lost their lives. Three of them, members of the American Legion, were shot down yesterday afternoon as the Armistice day parade, of which they were part, passed in front of the I. W. W. headquarters. Another, also a member of the legion, suffered fatal wounds in attempting to apprehend one of those said to have done the firing, while the fifth, Britt Smith, secretary of the local branch of the Industrial Workers of the World, was hanged by a mob. Five other men were seriously wounded in the disorder.

The guardsmen found the town patrolled by the local members of the American Legion when they arrived, while nearly 500 others from nearby towns were in reserve. The legioners placed themselves at the disposal of the town's police chief, who has but four paid men under him, immediately after the attack on their parade.

In groups, some increased in size by civilians, they scoured the town yesterday afternoon and last night for men suspected of belonging to the radical order or of participating in the attack on the parade. Others patrolled the grounds about the jail. Whether they were on duty there at the time a mob broke in and removed Smith from an unlocked cell is a disputed point. Some Centralians declare the former service men were not there; the police assert they were.

Without warning burst of rifle fire swept the ranks of marching overseas veterans as they paraded past I. W. W. headquarters. From that building and on the roof of a building across the street bullets came. Persons in the crowds that lined the street to honor the returned soldiers also drew weapons and began firing.

Warren Grimm, leading a company of men, dropped, mortally wounded. Arthur Macelfresh, marching in the ranks, was killed instantly. Ben Casagranda died later from his wounds.

John Earl Watt, George Stevens, Jacob Philzler and E. Eubanks also fell, wounded, the first named probably fatally. Stevens was shot when he attempted to disarm an I. W. W. standing on the street.

The fourth death of a parader was added when Dale Hubbard, recently returned overseas man, started after the I. W. W. secretary. Hubbard and the fugitive grappled after a chase in which Smith fired repeatedly at his pursuers. As they clinched Hubbard received four wounds in the body.

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Another pursuer overpowered Smith and he was taken to jail, later to be removed and hanged after citizens learned that four of the former soldiers had died.

An attempt to lynch Smith was made before he was lodged in the jail.

"You fellows can't hang me," he said.

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SIX MORE MEN NABBED.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Nov. 12.—Six more alleged anarchists, one a woman, were taken into custody here early today by federal agents. Forty-one alleged radicals have been arrested during the campaign here and only three have been released.

BUNCH OF BUILDING PERMITS REACH $58,000

Building permits aggregating $58,000 in value were issued by Dan C. Newton, building inspector, Wednesday morning. They include:

Repairs to the Linden station consisting of concrete and brick work, $15,000. E. J. Pearson is the contractor.

The same contractor took out permits to erect four residences for the Union Investment company, as follows: one-story, five-room brick dwelling at 1600 Union avenue to cost $8,000; same type of building at 1602 Union avenue to cost $8,000; same type of building at 1598 Union avenue to cost $8,500; same type of building at 1604 Union avenue to cost $8,500.

A permit was also taken out to erect at 337 Madison avenue a one-story brick store to cost $10,000.

ADMIRAL FIRED ON.

BASEL, Nov. 12.—Budapest newspapers announce a revolver shot was fired at Admiral Horthy, former commander-in-chief of the Austro-Hungarian navy, but the bullet missed its mark. The would-be assailant was arrested.

THE WEATHER

Memphis, Nov. 12, 1919.

Hour.	Temperature— Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humid'y.
7 p.m. yes'day	55	49	64
7 a.m. today	46	45	98
Noon today	57	50	82

Maximum, 57; minimum, 44.

Sun sets today 4:57 p.m. Rises tomorrow 6:33 a.m. Moon rises 10 p.m. Precipitation, none.

Tennessee—Fair and colder with a cold wave.

Mississippi—Fair, colder with a cold wave in interior, frost on coast.

Arkansas—Fair, colder; cold wave in east and south; temperature 18 to 26 in north, 22 to 28 in south; rising temperature in west Thursday.

Alabama—Fair, colder with cold wave in interior, frost on coast.

Kentucky—Fair, colder, with cold wave.

Louisiana—Fair, much colder, cold wave in north and west; temparature 26 to 30 in north, freezing in interior of south, with frost on coast.

Oklahoma—Fair, continued cold, temperature 10 to 16 in north, 16 to 22 in south.

East Texas—Fair, colder, cold wave in east and south, except immediate coast; temperature 18 to 26 in north, 24 to 32 in interior of south with freezing in sugar and trucking region, frost to coast.

West Texas—Fair, colder in south, cold wave in southeast, continued cold in north, with temperature 10 to 20, and 24 to 30 in south.

North Carolina—Cloudy, probable local rains, colder in west.

South Carolina—Cloudy, probably local rains in east, colder.

Georgia—Fair, colder, probable frost in west.

Florida—Fair, colder in north and west.

Kansas—Fair and continued cold.