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Both Sides Warned By Government Against Interference.

TROOPS TO BE USED

Garfield Tells the Owners Property to Be Taken If They Balk.

THREAT TO TAKE MINES

Guard Field and Workers When States Ask for Federal Aid.

OPERATORS TAKE HEED

Post Notices Granting 14 Per Cent Increase to All Employes.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The government today issued a warning that legal prosecution would be instituted against any person who interferes with the operation of the mines.

It is not the intention of the government to let the mines remain idle with half of the country in the grip of cold weather and the coal supply diminishing.

The administration, it was thought by those in position to know, had fully expected the miners to reject the 14 per cent increase offered by the federal administrator.

Plans Perfected. Anticipating this, plans had been considered for augmenting the present output of bituminous mines.

A statement by Assistant Secretary General Ames issued today, today gave assurance to all miners that they would be afforded ample protection if they returned to work.

Operators sought out to resume production so far as that was possible under the modified conditions.

There were few expressions as to how this information might be received.

To Take Mines. Doctor Garfield had explained earlier in the day that he required 14 per cent as just and sufficient wage advance for mine workers.

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Judge Ames States Government Policy to Get Coal Supply

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The statement issued tonight by Judge C. E. Ames, assistant attorney general, follows:

All United States attorneys in the bituminous coal fields have been officially advised of the result of the negotiations at Washington and have been given instructions relative to the situation.

It is, of course, obvious that the time has come when ample production will be furnished at work in mines.

FAMINE NEARER IN COAL SUPPLY

Drastic Moves Made to Curtail Use During Shortage.

THEATERS ARE CLOSED

Kansas City Acts—Schools Will Also Be Closed Indefinitely to Save Fuel.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—Fear of a possibility of bituminous coal mines remaining idle all winter, was expressed by Thomas T. Brewster, chairman of the coal operators' scale committee, on his return from Washington today.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Notes for drastic curtailment of the use of soft coal, especially in the middle west, southwest and central west, were made today to meet the shortage.

State and local officials tonight were considering methods of resuming production and of conserving stores of fuel, which in many localities were exceedingly slender.

As a result of the diminishment of the supply, fuel directors of the central western and northwestern railroad regions declared today they were strictly adhering to the rule of releasing coal only to essential industries.

NO ORDERS YET, SAYS DICKMAN. SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Nov. 28.—When asked concerning the reports that Governor Robertson of Oklahoma had asked for troops from the southern states to give his guards to volunteer coal mine workers, Maj. Gen. Joseph T. Dickman stated tonight that he had received no orders as yet to furnish such troops.

GARDNER WAITS ON GARFIELD REPLY. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 28.—Gov. Frederick D. Gardner of Missouri announced tonight he had not received a reply from the federal administrator.

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Whitehurst Takes Steps to Procure Men to Dig Coal To Meet Demand.

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Federal troops from Fort Sill and San Antonio, Texas, to guard the mines and afford the fullest protection to the workers against any attempt at interference from union sources, were asked in a telegram sent by Governor Robertson to Secretary of War Baker.

John A. Whitehurst, chairman of the state council of defense, sent a telegram last night to the county defense chapters of the state, asking them to submit an immediate report to the number of men that would be available from their section for service in the coal mines as volunteers.

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By International News Service. LONDON, Nov. 28.—The Italian socialist deputies have adopted a resolution calling upon the government to suppress Gabriele D'Annunzio and institute a blockade of Fiume, said a Central News dispatch from Milan today.

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