

SHOPMEN MAY GIVE GOVERNMENT CHANGE

Executive Committee Suggests Truce for Ninety Days.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Industrial peace in the United States depends on the results the government can show in the next ninety days in its campaign to reduce the cost of living.

That time limit was tacitly set by the executive council of the railroad shop crafts in suggesting to union locals throughout the country that President Wilson's compromise offer in response to their demand for higher wages should be accepted pending the outcome of the effort to restore a normal price level.

If the cost of living does not come down the 500,000 members of the shop crafts would reserve the right to strike for money, and with them probably would be associated the remainder of the 2,500,000 railroad employes, all of whom have been considering the same problem.

The letter of the executive council served to compose somewhat the uneasiness felt in official circles over the immediate labor situation and to focus attention on the legal measures being directed by Attorney General Palmer and his assistant, Judge Ames, to take the inflation out of prices by punishing hoarders and profiteers.

"In our opinion," the letter said, "the next ninety days will bring the entire situation to a head, and if a strike is to take place every class of railroad employes should be willing to join in the movement, share their full measure of responsibility and not leave the issue to be decided by the 22 per cent of the railroad employes represented by the federation trades."

Apprehension was evident, however both in the letter and in the conversation of the international officers, that the men might not be willing to accept the suggestion that the question of a strike be left in the hands of the executive council and a suspension of work to be ordered only after a "reasonable time" had made it clear that such a step was necessary to afford relief. The letter said the proposal was certain to draw criticism from individuals "which have not as yet indicated a desire to listen to reason" and it was conceivable some men would want to rush into a strike now. Officers of the unions declined to hazard a guess whether the advice would prevail, but hoped that the more moderate element would dominate the deliberations.

Attorney General Palmer has said that a few convictions for flagrant cases of profiteering and hoarding would end that trouble within sixty days. In order to obtain criminal convictions for such persons whom the administration believes to be guilty of bringing the country into more serious danger than the war with Germany, amendment of the food control law now pending in congress is necessary. The legislation to impose \$5,000 fine or two years imprisonment or both for violation of the law has been reported out in both house and senate, but neither has acted on it.

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Evening Chat

A Clever Toy.

I saw the cleverest thing in the way of a toy the other day and the inventor of this plaything will certainly deserve the gratitude of children. The toy is a doll that actually walks as naturally and gracefully as any child you ever saw. The dolls are imported and met with a ready sale in the United States and, according to retailers, who have visited the East recently, the shops where they are on sale have been literally besieged with buyers despite the fact that they are quite expensive.

This doll I saw was almost life size and had real auburn curls and was dressed just as our little girls are dressed with fluffy dress bonnet, shoes and stockings. She moves by the operation of springs which work automatically and does not require winding of any kind. Her little girl mother simply took her baby by the hand and she walked along as cute as anything you ever saw and it was difficult to tell whether she looked cuter from the front view, the rear view or the view presented when you walked beside her. Her little feet swung out with exactly the same rhythm as did the feet of her little mother and people who saw her in the shop where she was visiting or on the street paused, young and old, to gaze and admire her. By the way, this doll also had walked so much that the soles of her kid slippers had become much worn and will soon have to be replaced. The little girl who owned her was a real artist and according to a local man who had seen these dolls demonstrated in the Eastern markets she outdid any of the demonstrators there. She carefully measured her steps to meet the requirements of her baby—much better than real grown ups do for real babies—and to see the two step off together you could readily believe it was a little girl and her baby sister approaching you. Little tots who came suddenly upon the doll opened their eyes in wonderment and could hardly keep their hands off her.

The little girl that owns this doll has never been partial to dolls and though she has dozens of them, pre-doll has touched a responsive chord in her make up and is her favorite toy and she spends hours with it. Dolls that shut their eyes, that have real hair, pretty white teeth and many other accessories that make them desirable to little tots, have been on the market for years but I don't believe anybody ever thought there actually would be a doll manufactured that could walk but this has been achieved and it is hoped that the demand will create a supply so large that all children may possess one.

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Four Minute men as follows will deliver addresses during the sessions: J. Walter Barnes, H. H. Rose, H. S. Lively, Harry Shaw and Ira Smith will speak at 2:00 p. m. each day on Better Americanism. Supt. Hupp, of Paw Paw district, will be chairman of the Rural Section in place of Mr. H. J. McGinnis, of the Normal faculty, who was to be in charge. Mr. Wilson, will be in charge of the city section.

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