

# No Conspiracy Against West Virginia Coal By United Mine Workers

Special Dispatch to The Intelligencer.—Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 20.—The very last word of a conspiracy in which United Mine Workers' officials would be interested would be one that might arise from the market West Virginia coal.

C. Frank Kenney, president of District 17 of the mine workers' organization, and Fred Mooney, district secretary, emphasized the above statement upon their return to union headquarters here. The officials had been absent since September 18, being held in Mingo and Kanawha counties on grand jury indictments in connection with the "Tug River Warfare" and the "Armed March on Logan" respectively.

"We would gain nothing by entering any conspiracy to drive West Virginia coal off the market," the president asserted. "Such a condition would result in closing of the mines in this state and consequent unemployment would be the result. The United Mine Workers in this district have no desire to enter into any sort of a conspiracy or campaign that would mean idleness for the union's membership."

Mr. Kenney's remarks were occasioned in his first public statement since Williamson field coal operators through the Borderland Coal corporation, seeking to restrain further activities by the union in the Mingo field, charged a conspiracy between the mine workers and the operators of the central competitive states to drive West Virginia coal off the market.

It was the operators' contention to which the miners agreed. Mr. Kenney pointed out that the operators of West Virginia must be put on a competitive basis with the central states in order that they could compete in the open market. This basis, which was mutually agreed to and accepted at a joint convention of operators and union representatives in Huntington in 1933, has been the basis, Mr. Kenney said, for the wage agreement arrived at ever since.

# MINERS' CHIEF ALLEGES STATE AGT IS UNFAIR

Denver, Colo., Nov. 20.—In response to a telegram from John P. McLennan, district president of the United Mine Workers of America tonight telegraphed the American (Liberal) newspaper, New York City, that "unfair law was declared by the governor of Colorado in Hurffano county without any justification, before the miners suspended work."

Hurffano county is in the southern Colorado coal fields where miners employed by the Colorado Fuel & Iron company are in strike in protest against a thirty per cent cut in wages.

"There was not and is not now any cause for suspension of the civil rights of the people in the mining districts, and there is no disturbance, actual or threatened," read McLennan's telegram.

Governor Shoup, who is an associate of Rockefeller in the oil business, has played the forces of the state behind the Rockefeller interests here in their attempt to set aside the award of the federal government.

"The Colorado industrial commission, which is considered an adjunct of the Rockefeller plan, is now threatening wholesale arrests of the miners who quit work in protest against the Colorado Fuel & Iron company's defiance of the United States government."

# Declares U. M. W. Is In Control of So-called U. S. Steel "Trust"

Pittsburg, Kan., Nov. 20.—John H. Walker, president of the Illinois State Federation of Labor, told several hundred miners, the most of them followers of Alexander Howat, in a meeting at Franklin today, that the Illinois miners would be behind them, and provide relief to sustain the strikers as long as relief is needed.

Walker announced that he had come to Kansas to stay "as long as I am needed, and there are nearly one hundred thousand other coal miners in Illinois who will come here to help if they are needed."

"The international union of the coal miners now is in the control of the steel trust," Walker declared. "The Kansas industrial court is in the control of the steel trust."

Resolutions commending Howat and Auggus Derry, leaders of the strikers, and thanking Frank Farrington, president of the Illinois district, and the Illinois miners for their support of the Howat strikers, condemning John L. Lewis, president of the international miners organization, and the industrial court and Governor Allen, and declaring that the miners are standing almost one hundred per cent solid for the strike, and there are not now to exceed three hundred men who are at work in the coal fields, were adopted by a meeting.

# MOVIE PICTURE MAY BE CAUSE OF O. S. PROTEST

Columbus, O., Nov. 20.—Coach Willie of Ohio State announced late tonight that he may protest yesterday's football victory of Illinois over Ohio State, following the exhibition of motion pictures of the game at a downtown theatre tonight, which showed clearly that in the forward pass which resulted in the Illinois touchdown, the ball hit the ground before it was recovered and dashed several yards to the goal line.

He said the Illinois victory probably would stand, but added that the referee and umpires should know the facts. He did not indicate that he would protest the score to the Western Conference officials.

"We at least will have the satisfaction of knowing the truth," Coach Willie said.

Motion pictures distinctly showed the ball striking the ground before hitting Captain Myers.

Following the public showing of the football film was run slowly seven times before an audience of newspaper men late tonight. Coach Willie announced that he would view the pictures tomorrow morning at a special exhibition.

The theatre showing of the pictures announced that it will present the film to the Ohio State University athletic department.

Grounding of a ball in a forward pass makes the play a failure and the ball is returned to the original position. Game officials yesterday held that on this forward pass play, the ball touched Walquist's hands, then struck Captain Myers of Ohio State, and bounced off his chest, and was recovered by Walquist without the ball having touched the ground.

# Brazilians Give Honor at Bier of Countess

Paris, Nov. 20.—The body of Countess D'Eu, daughter of former Emperor Dom Pedro II. of Brazil, who died here Monday, was returned yesterday from Rio de Janeiro where the funeral services were held Friday. The casket was covered with the Brazilian flag and was escorted by J. Ruy Barbosa, secretary of the Brazilian embassy, and the Brazilian consul-general, Count 1932, telegraphed the Brazilian ambassador, Gaston Darcunha, thanking him for his expressions of sympathy and the wreath sent to Rio. The body was taken from here by automobile to Brazil, where it will be placed in the Orleans family vault.

# GERMANS NEED DAY OF GRACE IN REPARATIONS

Berlin, Nov. 20.—(By the Associated Press)—A communication handed to the reparations commission by Chancellor Wirth, telling of the German government's willingness to seek foreign credits required to meet the January reparations payment to the allies, has been received by the public as confirming the belief popularly held that the government possesses no illusions as regards its ability to secure a period of grace in which to meet its obligations. The commission left yesterday for Paris without answering the communication, but in official quarters the belief is expressed that a reply will be forthcoming from Paris.

The belief has prevailed in Berlin official circles since the arrival here ten days ago of the members of the reparations commission that it was the primary object of the commission to obtain at first hand an idea upon which to base its attitude for an adjustment of Germany's reparations payments, subsequent to the falling due of the January and February installments.

Teacher of Grammar: Your English is bad. Are you making such mistakes all the time?  
Pupil: I—I guess I make 'em only when I talk.

# VISITATION WAS GREAT SUCCESS

LITTLE PRINCE LODGE, KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, ENTERTAINS VISITATION ASSOCIATION.

Splendid Program Rendered—Next Visitation Here Tuesday Evening, December 6.

On Saturday evening, November 17, Little Prince Lodge No. 19, Knights of Pythias, of Moundsville, entertained the Visitation Association in the second scheduled fraternal visitation meeting of the season. The large auditorium of the Moundsville High school building was crowded, and every subordinate lodge of the First Pythian district was represented. It was the intention to hold the meeting in the Castle Hall of Little Prince Lodge, but long before the hour scheduled for the opening of the meeting every available seat in the Castle Hall was occupied and the crowd was still swelling. The committee in charge, anticipating a record attendance, secured the High school auditorium, and a enthusiastic group of Dokes, marched from the home of Little Prince Lodge to the High school building, where the Sunshine Boys (the Dokes) made things lively for all present, singing their familiar songs and giving the yell that has become famous in the Temple. Temple exists, Captain Louis Hartens, of the Brigand Team of Dahna Temple No. 164, was in charge of the Dokes.

Splendid Program.

The committee in charge of the Moundsville visitation had planned a splendid program which consisted of the following numbers:

Address of Welcome—Supreme Representative W. B. Pack.  
Selection—Little Prince Orchestra.  
Address—Grand Vice Chancellor Hart, E. R. Bell.  
Selection—Harmony Quartet.  
Supreme Representative W. B. Pack.  
Selection—Harmony quartet.  
Reading—Miss Virginia Walk.  
Reading—Bro. P. J. Sullivan.  
Selection—Little Prince Orchestra.  
Address—Bro. J. D. Parriott.  
Selection—Little Prince Orchestra.  
The selection of Miss Walk and the singing of the Harmony Quartet were especially well received, and each responded to several encores. The Harmony Quartet is composed of Lee, Arch and Harry Clark and John Rosenmarkle. These boys are all members of Little Prince Lodge, and are well named the "Harmony Quartet."

Pythian Love Feast.

At the conclusion of the above program, the Knights of Pythias, headed by the Dokes' Flying Squadron, marched back to the Castle Hall of Little Prince Lodge where a splendid social, get-together session was held. As each member entered the Castle Hall the committee on refreshments served him with a hot beef sandwich and coffee. During the entire evening a white uniformed Pythian dressed fresh country buttermilk. The feast was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

The real feature of the evening followed when 200 Pythian brothers of the First Pythian district indulged in a "Pythian Love Feast" that will not soon be forgotten. Hand-shaking, song and sociability reigned supreme, and as the clock on the school house tower, a half block away, sounded the hour of midnight, and the lights were lowered, all left, feeling that Little Prince Lodge had scored another triumph, and the Pythians of the get-together association had spent another delightful evening.

Congratulations were showered upon the general committee and each member of Little Prince Lodge who assisted in making the evening so pleasant for all. One of the most tireless workers for the success of the event was District Deputy Grand Chancellor Victor E. Myers, a past chancellor of Little Prince Lodge.

Wheeling Lodge No. 114 will entertain the next visitation gathering at No. 1407 Market street, Tuesday evening, December 6.

# YANKEES PLAY COLUMBIAS 0-0

LARGE CROWD WITNESSED CLASH ON TUNNEY GREEN GRIDIRON YESTERDAY.

Both Teams Battled Hard, but Neither Could Score—Columbias Threatened Twice.

In the best and most thrilling grid clash ever staged on Tunney Green, the aggressive Columbia Athletic club battled the strong Yankee club to a scoreless tie yesterday afternoon before three thousand enthusiastic fans, and the result is that the city championship title still hangs in the balance, as the two teams, who lost on a tie, are scheduled to meet again later this season.

First Quarter.

The Yankees received on the twenty yard line, but made only five yards before being downed. They made their first down via forward, but could not repeat. The oval was then in possession of the Columbias, who made first down on the next play through an intercepted fumble on their own thirty-five yard line. The Columbias then made first down once via line plunges, but lost on a fumble. The pigskin was then carried to mid-field by the East Enders, where it remained till the end of the quarter.

Second Quarter.

The Yankees failed at first down. Columbias then pulled a long forward for twenty-five yards, bringing them on the East Enders twenty yard line. A series of line plunges and yard runs, however, failed to count, and the oval moved back and forward until the end of this half. During this period the Columbias seemed to outgeneral and outclass their opponents in every department of the game and were never in danger, while the Yankees were given a number of scares, and it looked for a while like the South Side lads might carry the pigskin across the goal.

Third Quarter.

The Columbias received on the fifteen yard line and traveled twenty-five yards before being downed. End runs and forward brought the ball up to the Yankees' twenty yard line, but was lost on a short forward over center. The Yankees attempted center rushes and line plunges, but their efforts to budge the stone wall defense of the Columbias failed, which made it necessary for them to resort to punting to avoid danger. During this period the pig was in possession of the South Siders most of the time, but breaks of hard luck prevented scoring.

Final Quarter.

Both aggregations opened up like houses afire, and a series of end runs and passes brought the Columbias up on the East Enders' eight yard line. Four downs brought the pigskin on the three yard line, but the Columbias couldn't quite make the raffle. The ball then went to the Yankees, who punted from under the goal post. The punt was blocked and covered by a Columbia lineman on the six yard line, and had it not been for the fact that the crowd was standing right on the goal line (the blocked punt having hit some of the crowd on the goal line and then bounced out), it is probable that the Columbias would have scored a touchdown or a safety. The Columbias then failed to carry the pigskin over from the six yard line in three downs, and attempted a field goal on the final down, but failed. This brought the oval out on the twenty yard line, and at the climax the ball was in possession of the Columbias in mid-field.

Throughout the entire engagement the Columbias were never in danger of being scored on, while the East Enders' goal was endangered on a number of occasions. Both teams gave a wonderful exhibition of good football, and the fans were more than pleased with the treat.

The lineups:

Columbia:	Englemeyer	.....L.E.	West
	Junkins	.....L.T.	Miller
	Wissel	.....L.G.	Hester
	Clemens	.....L.P.	Larue
	Pugh	.....R.G.	Fandow
	Howley	.....R.T.	Kloetzer
	Leinweber	.....R.E.	Marker
	Clarke	.....Q.B.	Crook
	Blessing	.....H.B.	Norman
	Dalier	.....F.B.	Smith
	Schafer	.....F.B.	Spence

Substitutions: Columbias—Nolan for Englemeyer, McGrath for Junkins, Voelting for Wissel, Lilly for Clemens, Adams for Pugh, Netzel for Howley, McEntee for Leinweber. Bridling for Dalier, Burkhardt for Blessing, Salina for Dalier, Stromp for Schafer, Yankees—Snyder for Miller, Doyle for Hester, Sora for Larue, Samuels for Fandow, Lynch for Kloetzer, Minder for Crook, Ford for Norman, Frazier for Smith, Kindelberger for Spence.

Score:

Columbia	.....0	0	0	0
Yankees	.....0	0	0	0

Officials: Referee, Gardiner; umpire, Connors; line-man, Magers; time-keeper, Horn; scorer, Miller.

Time of quarters: 12, 15, 13, 15.

DR. NICHOLS RESIGNS.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 20.—Dr. Ernest Fox Nichols has resigned the presidency of the Massachusetts Institution of Technology, and his resignation has been accepted by the executive committee of the corporation.

Dr. Elith Thompson, of Swampscott, chief consulting engineer of the General Electric company, who served as acting president after the death of President Richard O. MacLurin in January, 1929, has again been appointed to that position.

# English Heavyweight Dies Two Weeks After Battle With Roberts

New York, Nov. 20.—Herbert Crossley, English heavyweight pugilist, who recently came to this country, died today after a week's illness.

His last bout was with A. L. Roberts of New York about two weeks ago.

# "DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS" AT ST. MATTHEW'S

Discerning evidence of keen interest is being shown in the coming musical event, "The Daughter of Jairus," at St. Matthew's church next Sunday afternoon at four o'clock under the direction of Mr. Paul Allen Beymer, organist and choirmaster.

Mrs. Elsa Gundling Duga, Wheeling's foremost soprano, is one of the leading figures. Her voice is in splendid condition as a result of several weeks' rest study in New York City under Mr. Herbert Witherspoon of the Metropolitan Opera company. Mr. David Crawford, bass, and Mrs. John O'Connor, tenor, are artists of the same calibre and are preparing for the event. The power and resonance of these three voices blend harmoniously together in the big finale—a trio obligato over a chorus of forty-five voices. This chorus is a very brilliant number displaying the greatness of the composer and bringing out the full volume of the choir resulting in a tremendous climax at the close. Mr. Bernard J. Schaffer, popular tenor of the city, will play an important part in the quartet work. This work is very beautiful and will be enchanting to the ears of all listeners.

Mr. Beymer has been drilling the boys for several weeks with untiring zeal, and wonderful results are being accomplished. The four-part chorus "Sweet Tender Flower" is especially well adapted to the technique and expression of the boy's voice. The male solo boys ranging from fourteen to eighteen years sang in addition to the performance of the choir, the flute-like quality of which will be clearly discernible.

This production gives promise of being one of the biggest and best musical renditions of the season.

# Woman in Death Plunge From Ferry Into Hudson

New York, Nov. 20.—A woman autoist today lost control of her machine when on the ferryboat Weehawken, at West Forty-second street, drove through the gates of the ferry, plunged into the Hudson river and was drowned.

Her body and car were recovered.

The woman is believed to be Edith R. Stewart, a high school teacher at Wilkes-Barre, Pa. Deck hands said the woman drove her car on board the ferry and up to the gates facing the Jersey shore, and when she attempted to bring the car to a halt, apparently had stepped on the accelerator instead of on the brakes and the car shot forward through the gates and plunged into thirty feet of water.

# Terre Haute Flooded By Waters of Wabash

Terre Haute, Ind., Nov. 20.—There has been no prospect in sight today of relief from the high water which have flooded the lowlands of the Wabash river in this district. The river reached a stage of 16.8 feet today and was still rising. Many families in the lowlands have been forced to leave their homes, and much damage has been done to horticultural crops.

Local weather bureau officials said tonight residents of West and Central Terre Haute will be forced to evacuate their homes if the water continue to rise for the next twenty-four hours if the river should reach a stage of 18 feet. The officials said, West Terre Haute, with a population of about 20,000 would be completely inundated.



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# JAP BUSINESS MEN GET WARM WELCOME

Washington, Nov. 20.—The Japanese business men's mission to America, which arrived in Washington last night, will remain here until Wednesday. One group will then go to Boston, another to Pittsburgh, a third to Detroit, Cleveland, Niagara Falls, and Shenandoah, and the others interested in cotton will leave for Dallas and Houston, Texas, New Orleans, Birmingham and Atlanta.

The delegation, which is described as strictly non-political, will be accompanied tomorrow, while on Tuesday it will call on Secretary Hoover at the commerce department.

Mr. Hoover entertained the mission at dinner last night after its arrival here.

# BENWOOD A. C. SWAMPS PADEN CITY ELEVEN

Playing hard and consistent football from the beginning of the game to the end, after starting like a whirlwind, the Benwood A. C. eleven delivered a 28-0 drubbing to the Paden City eleven yesterday afternoon on the Nick Hill field at Benwood.

Tucina and McShane starred for Benwood in an open field running. McShane going for a 45-yard run from a pass for a touchdown. Hipps and Andy were the line plunging stars.

Potts was the only man from Paden City to show up well, playing a stellar game at quarter.

Benwood outplayed the visitors in every quarter of the game. Touchdowns were made by Tucina, Robinsky, Andy and McShane. Andy kicked goal each time.

Next Sunday the Benwood eleven goes to Hayland to battle the strong team of that place, and a hard game is anticipated.

In a preliminary to yesterday's game, the Bear Cats of Benwood, met the Nyal Juniors eleven of the South Side and swamped them under a 42-6 score. The South Siders carried their one touchdown, but were never dangerous.

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- 1—Patank-Morse Oil Engine, Single, 250 H.P.
- 1—General Electric Co's A.C. Generator, Type "H" No. 76747.
- 1—Coal Trestle, length 432 feet.

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