

LANGDON DEPORTS I. W. W. INVADERS

TROOPS HELD IN READINESS TO
BE RUSHED TO WEST VIRGINIA;
MORE ARMED MEN ARE MOBILIZEDNUMBER OF MINERS
REPORTED KILLED
IN MINOR BATTLES

Union Officials to Make Another Effort to Send Miners Home.

THREE REGIMENTS
AWAITING ORDERS

Secretary Wants Word From Bandholtz Before Making a Move.

Washington, Sept. 1.—A third regiment of infantry was today ordered by Secretary Weeks to be gotten in readiness at Camp Dix, New Jersey, for possible service in West Virginia. This will be the second regiment to leave Camp Dix in case the troops are put in motion, and the third will go from Camp Sherman, Ohio.

10,000 in Camp.
Madison, W. Va., Sept. 1.—Armed men making their way to the concentration camps around Blair, Clothier and Jeffrey, were passing through Madison all of today, county officials estimating the number of reinforcements at no less than 500. One train controlled by miners, went from Whitesville to Clothier. It consisted of an engine and four flat cars, the cars carrying men and a number of machine guns. Sheriff Hill said he had heard that numbers of miners had been killed in the fighting along Spruce Fork Ridge yesterday, but he was unable to estimate the number. When asked to estimate the number of armed men in the villages at the foot of the ridge, he said: "There can be no less than 8,000 or 10,000 of them."

To Attempt Settlement.
Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 1.—An effort will be made to induce the armed bands on the Logan-Boone county line to return to their homes before further steps are taken to bring federal troops into West Virginia, it was announced here this afternoon by William Petri, vice president of the United Mine Workers after a conference at the office of Governor Morgan.

Petri said that General Bandholtz and Governor Morgan were present and that a special train carrying Major C. F. Thompson, U. S. A.; W. S. Ray, international board member, United Mine Workers of America, and David Fowler, international organizer, would leave Charleston this afternoon. They plan to address the miners and urge them to go home. They will carry letters from Governor Morgan and General Bandholtz to the men, Petri said.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 1.—Exploration at noon today of the time limit fixed by President Harding for proclamation of dispersal of the armed bands of citizens in West Virginia's mine disorders, found White House and war department officials waiting a report from Brigadier General H. H. Bandholtz, the army's representative on the scene, as to the situation.

With officials awaiting the report on which a decision is to employment of federal troops and declaration of martial law will rest, all was in readiness for the federal government to step into West Virginia should that be found necessary.

Trains were said by Secretary Weeks to be standing ready on the

HARDING SPEAKS
AT OPENING OF
ARMY COLLEGE

Says There May Never Be Time to Completely Abandon Arms.

Declares West Virginia Trouble Due to Misunderstanding.

Washington, Sept. 1.—President Harding, speaking today at the opening of the fall term of the army war college, declared that "no matter where the best aspirations of the world lead us there may never be a time without the necessity for armed forces."

The president, in his brief address, however, pledged the two hundred officers in his audience that during his administration they would never be called to perform military service if they could not enter into with all their heart and soul as Americans.

Lack of Understanding.
Referring to the situation in the West Virginia coal fields, the president said: "We ought not to have a conflict like that which is going on in West Virginia. It is due to lack of understanding."

Mr. Harding said there were "two relative essentials to the civilization which we are applying to in understanding among men at home and the other an understanding between nations."

The president expressed the belief that the time was coming when the "burdens of armament could be diminished."

"I wish with all my heart," he added, "that there will be no armed men."

Declaring that through four thousand years of human history, and two thousand years of Christian civilization the world only lately had come to a civilized state of armed warfare, the president reiterated that he thought it "perfectly futile to think there never may be armed conflicts."

"We of America, without necessary boasting," he continued, "have come nearer to civilized warfare than any nation."

DECISION REACHED
TO REWRITE HOUSE
TAX LEGISLATION

Washington, Sept. 1.—Decision was reached today by the senate finance committee to rewrite the house tax bill as to include in one document every internal revenue law on the statute books.

TO SENTENCE WEISMAN.

Hutchinson, Minn., Sept. 1.—Mike Weisman, of Minneapolis, convicted of operating an establishment for immoral purposes in that city, will be sentenced Saturday, September 3.

Just before the case was to come up for sentence in district court here today, it was announced that illness in the family of Judge Albert Johnson of Red Wing, who was to pronounce sentence had caused continuance of the case until Saturday at 10 a. m.

MINNESOTA STATE
OFFICIALS HAVE
NARROW ESCAPE

Fergus Falls, Minn., Sept. 1.—Ray P. Chase, state auditor; N. J. Homburg, state commissioner of agriculture; Dean C. W. Coffey of the University farm school; O. H. Smith, state commissioner of immigration, and F. R. Johnson, superintendent of schools at Hibbing, Minn., narrowly escaped death when an automobile in which they were riding, plunged down a 16-foot embankment, turning completely over and falling forward on its top, near here late yesterday. It was only the top of the car which saved the lives of the officials. It was said.

THE WEATHER.
Minnesota: Generally fair tonight and Friday; possibly becoming unsettled by Friday night; not so warm in northwest portion Friday.

North Dakota: Generally fair tonight and Friday; not quite so warm in west and north portions tonight and in southeast portion Friday.

Here's Method For Good Deserving
Leaguers To Finance Ventures In
Banking by Aid of the Bank of N. D.

The Thirteenth in a Series of Articles on the Bank of North Dakota.

As has been shown the Bank of North Dakota was more than liberal to the Peoples' State Bank of Leith in the matter of both deposits and loans in spite of the fact that the examiners' report indicated plainly the precarious condition of the Leith bank.

About the only reasonable conclusion as to the cause of this generosity appears to be the fact that the majority members of the State Industrial commission, which controlled the Bank of North Dakota, were high in the councils of the Nonpartisan league and the Peoples' State Bank was largely controlled by J. I. Cahill, also high in the league councils, who is at present a member of the state board of administration.

Aided in Financing.
But the kindness of the Bank of North Dakota went even farther than that. It appears pretty plain that a large part of the capital of the Peoples' State Bank of Leith was indirectly furnished or replaced through the Bank of North Dakota.

In the first place the records of the state examiner's office disclose that the capital and surplus of the Peoples' State Bank of Leith was \$21,500, the capital being \$20,000 and the surplus \$1,500. This was divided into 200 shares, and incidentally the indications are that the well-known J. J. Hastings and his associates who organized the bank got a commission of \$5 per share.

Stock Notes.
However, the records show, that of the \$20,000 capital, \$8,000 is being carried in stock notes by the Peoples' State bank itself.

Whether or not this has any bearing on the loan of \$9,000 which the records show to have been made to the Peoples' State bank of Leith by the Bank of North Dakota the public may judge.

Borrowing Transactions.
But the records go farther than this. They show that the Peoples' State bank of Leith borrowed \$14,000 from the Scandinavian-American Bank of Fargo on certificates of deposit issued to J. I. Cahill and two other stockholders of the Leith bank. The Scandinavian-American Bank of Fargo then placed these certificates of deposit in the Bank of North Dakota as collateral for a loan from the state institution.

State Examiner's Testimony.
O. E. Loftus, state examiner, a Nonpartisan leaguer, admitted under oath on the witness stand that these loans plainly represented a large part of the capital of the Peoples' State Bank of Leith.

Here is part of the transcript of his testimony before the house audit committee showing the interpretation of the facts in the case.

Question: "Then Mr. Loftus, just to close up this Leith transaction, we find that \$8,000 of this paper of the capital is in the Leith bank itself?"
Answer by Mr. Loftus: "Yes, Sir."

Q: "And fourteen odd thousand is in the Bank of North Dakota?"

A: "Yes, Sir."

Q: "So the Leith bank received \$14,000 plus of its capital from the Scandinavian-American bank?"

A: "Yes, Sir."

Q: "Then the transactions between the Scandinavian-American bank and the Bank of North Dakota resulted in this paper being placed in the Bank of North Dakota?"

A: "Yes, Sir."

How Do You Like It?
Rather a simple way for good and deserving Nonpartisan leaguers to finance their banks with the public funds of the state isn't it?

But the question is, how long are the people of North Dakota going to allow an Industrial Commission which permits such practices as this to remain in power?

Isn't it about time these men were removed by the exercise of the recall?

PLAN TO GIVE
EMPLOYMENT TO
MANY WORKERS

Hundreds of Men Forced Into Idleness Will Work in Woods.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 1.—Employment during the fall and winter will be provided several hundred workers who were forced into idleness during the summer by the closing of many mines operating in the Minnesota Iron ranges through early resumption of the annual cutting in the north woods by lumbering firms and general woods operators, unofficial word from firms interred.

"Saw mills are now operating on an extensive scale over the northern part of the state, according to C. A. McDonald, lumber jobber, who recently returned from an inspection tour of the country in the vicinity of the Canadian border.

This expected early opening is heralded with unusual interest by employment agencies who previously had been more or less pessimistic over the outlook for work for the idle miners and the hundreds of seamen who will be thrown out of work when the present navigation season closes.

Saw mills in the north woods are obtaining sufficient common labor for \$2.50 a day, said Mr. McDonald.

FIGHTING IS
RENEWED IN
BELFAST TODAY

Death Toll Totals Sixteen; Troops Patrolling Streets.

Belfast, Sept. 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—Soldiers were rushed to the Grosvenor street section of Belfast this morning, when several shots were fired in that district. When the troops arrived, however, the gunmen had vanished. This was the first recurrence of the street fighting since yesterday, when six persons were killed and thirty were injured.

To date the death toll totals sixteen. Troops are patrolling Springfield road in the area which causes the authorities some concern as it is part of the Falls division where the fiercest riots of the past year occurred. The origin of the trouble here was an attack on Mackie's Foundry Works, the police driving off the assailants with rifle fire.

The carters and motormen issued an ultimatum to the authorities today declaring they would withdraw from the streets unless afforded protection. The tramcar drivers also are affected by the decision. Two members of the drivers' union were killed in the rioting of the last few days and seven were wounded.

LITHUANIA-POLISH
DISPUTE SETTLED
Geneva, Sept. 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—The dispute between Poland and Lithuania regarding Vilna was settled between representatives of the two countries here this morning. They agreed that there should be two Lithuanians, one the district of Kovno, which shall be independent, and the other Vilna, in which the Polish will supervise the administration.

NOW, SAY IT TO MY FACE!

By MORRIS

Three Farmers are "Stuck" for
\$7,967 On Note They Signed
To Accommodate League Daily

Three farmers must pay \$7,967.71 on a note which they signed for the benefit of the Grand Forks American under a judgment which has been entered in the Grand Forks county district court.

The American got the money, but the farmers must pay it as the situation stands at present.

The records show that on October 15, 1920, Henry G. Link of Niagara and G. P. Ulberg and H. O. Homburg of Grand Forks for \$7,967, bearing interest at 5 per cent. This note was signed for accommodation purposes, the proceeds going to the Grand Forks American, a Nonpartisan league paper formerly published in this city.

The Peoples' State Bank transferred the note to the National City bank of Chicago.

When the note came due the American was unable to produce the funds to pay it with, and as a result the Chicago bank brought action against the three farmers who had signed. This resulted in judgment being entered against the three farmers in the Grand Forks county district court.

So as the matter stands at present, the farmers are "stuck" for the amount owed by the American, unless the American can come to the rescue, which at present it is apparently unable to do.

DE VALERA SENDS
REPLY TO LLOYD
GEORGE TODAY

Contents Not to Be Made Public Until Word Comes From Premier.

Reported to be Acceptance of Proposal For New Conference.

Dublin, Sept. 1.—The reply of the Irish republican cabinet to the latest communication of Premier Lloyd George on the British government's peace proposals, was dispatched last night to Mr. Lloyd George, who is in Scotland.

The publicity department of the Sinn Fein will await announcement of its receipt by Mr. Lloyd George before making its contents known, or issuing a statement concerning it.

The reply is being taken to Lloyd George by Robert C. Barton, member of the Irish republican parliament, who has acted as courier for Eamonn de Valera in his other communications to the premier. It is reported here that the cabinet's reply was redrafted since the outbreak of the rioting in Belfast.

It was authoritatively stated here this afternoon that the reply is an acceptance of the invitation of Mr. Lloyd George for a further conference in London. No plenipotentiaries have yet been nominated, however.

SALE OF BANK
STOCK HALTED
BY INJUNCTION

Peoples' State Directors Claimed to Have Exceeded Powers.

The sale of some 150 shares of stock in the Peoples' State bank, ordered by the board of directors of that institution to satisfy an unpaid assessment of \$50 per share, which was scheduled to take place this afternoon, was halted by an injunction order issued by Judge A. T. Cole of Fargo.

The injunction was issued last Wednesday on the application of the O. E. Hunt estate, owners of ten of the shares scheduled to be sold today, represented by Bangs & Robbins, attorneys of Grand Forks.

Claim Levy Excessive.
Mr. Bangs contends that the order of the board of directors under which the sale was to be held is irregular in that the directors have no authority over the affairs of the bank which kept in the hands of the state examiner. It is also contended that the assessment is excessive.

A hearing in the case will be held by Judge Cole in the Tuleria court house. The assessment of \$50 per share was levied by the board of directors of the closed bank on July 9 last. On August 1 notice was given that the assessment had not been paid on the following shares, which were advertised to be sold this afternoon:

Name	No. of Shares	Assessment
C. A. Digness	10	\$500.00
Joe Williams	12	600.00
Richard Larson	10	500.00
H. G. Link	2	100.00
O. E. Hunt	10	500.00
A. J. Hultgren	2	100.00
W. J. Peterson	1	50.00
Dr. J. G. Arneberg	4	200.00
Daniel Aakus	1	50.00
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John Lundhagen	1	50.00
F. B. Wood	15	750.00
A. J. Hammer	10	500.00
Lydia O'Brien	1	50.00
The Service Co.	25	1,250.00
A. J. Truckenbrod	10	500.00
Emily Rowans		
Woods	3	150.00
R. J. Walker	5	250.00
G. N. Mortensen	25	1,250.00
M. E. Bye	5	250.00

AUTHORITY GIVEN
RAILROADS TO CUT
EXPORT GRAIN RATE

Washington, Sept. 1.—Authority was granted by the Interstate Commerce commission today to western and southwestern railroads to reduce 5 1/2c a hundred pounds on rates on grain or grain products for export from Missouri and Mississippi river points and on grain from the territory between the rivers and from Illinois to gulf ports, Mobile to Galveston, inclusive.

PARTIAL VICTORY.

Kobe, Japan, July 26.—(Delayed.)—A partial victory for capital in the big struggle here between shipbuilders and their workmen was evident today when about thirty per cent of the employees returned to their benches when the shipbuilding plants were reopened. The police maintained that whatever resistance is left is kept alive by labor agitators and that thought that this influence would be removed.

On the other hand, labor leaders declare that the struggle which involved a form of syndicalist control as in Italy, is not over.

SENT SOUTH
ON FREIGHT
UNDER GUARD

Seventy-five Who Arrived Wednesday Night Quickly Rounded Up.

FOUR DETAINED BY THE OFFICIALS

Remnant of Invading Force Will Be Kept Going By Deputies.

(Special to the Herald.)

Langdon, N. D., Sept. 1.—Seventy-five of the seventy-five Industrial Workers of the World who invaded this county on Wednesday night, were sent south on a Great Northern freight train.

The 75 will be guarded as far as Union, which is the most southern town in Cavalier county, by Cavalier county officers, and none will be permitted to leave the train. At Union, it is expected, that the train will be met by a party of Walsh county deputies who will see that the wobblies remain on the train until the Grand Forks county line is reached. It is expected that the Reds will then be allowed to disperse.

Four Are Detained.
Four of the invaders are being held by the Cavalier county officials. Three of them are said to be leaders of the gang and to have taken a prominent part in engineering the "invasion," which had for its object the forcing of the release of the five wobblies already held in the county jail. The fourth man held is charged with carrying concealed weapons.

E. J. Burkhardt, one of the chief agitators of the gang, was allowed to depart with the rest of the Reds. Before being loaded on the train the entire bunch was lined up and their photographs taken in order that if any of them returned to Langdon they might be readily identified.

No Resistance Made.
No resistance was made by any of the wobblies as they were marched to the train under a heavy guard and the town is now quiet.

The men who were shipped out today reached Langdon Wednesday night on a Great Northern freight train. They were the remnant of a force of Industrial Workers of the World, 260 strong, which gathered at Larimore Wednesday morning with the intention of going to Langdon to force the release of five wobblies held in the county jail there.

All but 50 of this gang dispersed when warned by Langdon officials that they would run into trouble if they persisted in their intention of invading Langdon, but 50 persisted in the original invasion plan and started for Langdon on a Great Northern freight train. They were reinforced by about 26 recruits at Bemidji, and were about 75 strong when the train pulled in to Langdon.

Herded in on Arrival.
Langdon citizens, 150 strong, were waiting at the depot, many of them armed with baseball bats and pick handles.

The train was surrounded and the wobblies herded together without any force being required. The invaders were then taken to the city hall, where they were searched and their weapons found were confiscated. They were then locked up for the night and kept in the city hall under guard until it was time for the scheduled freight train to pull out this afternoon.

No resistance was made by the I. W. W. at any stage of the proceedings.

Hearing Postponed.
The four wobblies who have been in jail for several days on the charge of being implicated in an attack on four American legion men, were scheduled to be given a hearing before the police magistrate today. The hearing was postponed, however, and it is understood that a change of venue will be asked.

With the departure of the wobblies this afternoon, conditions in Langdon have returned to normal following the excitement which has prevailed during the last few days. The freight train on which the deported wobblies are traveling is expected to reach Larimore late this evening.

NEW YORK CLAIMS
TO BE LARGEST
CITY IN WORLD

Washington, Sept. 1.—New York has a valid claim against London for classification as the largest city in the world, according to the National Geographic society. Discussing the recent announcement of the British census that "Greater London" has now a population of 7,476,168 persons, a society bulletin today questioned the right of London City proper to claim all that population and suggested that "New York's 5,529,948 souls actually within one municipal unit, under one municipal government make it largest."

NEW WEAPONS OF
AERIAL WARFARE
TO BE TRIED OUT

Washington, Sept. 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—New weapons of aerial warfare will be given an initial test when the army air service conducts its next bombing operation—a night attack on the city of Birmingham, Alabama. The present plan is to stage the attack about September 15, probably at the scene of the recent tests upon the former German craft, off the Virginia coast.

"A light barrage, composed of giant aerial fires, such as more than 300,000 candle power, will be one feature of the attack."

Robert Ryan, director of the Great War, which White House "inspired" him, is in Italy, is not over.