

BROADER TEXTILE INQUIRY PLANNED

Present Hearing Closes With Testimony by Representatives of Owners.

CHILD LABOR IS DEFENDED

Missionary Under Pay of Company Says Work Done by Young Folk Is Proper—Strikers' Attack on Mills Described.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—An investigation of the American Woolen Company, its organization, capitalization, labor conditions and status as a corporation, is expected tonight, would be recommended to Congress by the House committee on Friday as a result of the preliminary inquiry, which closed today.

That a broad investigation would be recommended was indicated. The rule committee has been proceeding under two resolutions of January 1912, which were introduced by Representative Wilson of Pennsylvania and called for an investigation of strike conditions and the alleged brutalities which attended the attempt to remove children from the city.

Child Labor Defended. The hearing closed today after representatives of the American Woolen Company had been heard. Before their testimony was given, Charles C. Lawrence, a city missionary in Lawrence, Mass., whose salary is paid by the mill owners, was examined as to conditions in the city, as well as several members of the citizens' committee.

Lawrence made a statement, declaring that the description of incidents at Lawrence have been going through newspapers that no one that has not been there can appreciate. He said: "There have been attacks on the houses of people who were coming to work at the mills or refused to strike. Their doors have been broken down and windows broken. Missiles have been thrown into the houses of people."

Bank Deposits Large. He gave a compilation of savings bank statistics in Lawrence, showing the total savings to be \$21,000,000, which, on a basis of 40,000 population, gave an average per capita wealth of \$524. The statement showed that the foreign population is well represented in the deposits of all the banks.

Frank Sherman, cashier of the Wood mill, gave a graphic description of the attack by the strikers on the mill when the strike was called. "With ungodly yells," he said, "they broke down the doors, burned down the mill, cut off the power and drove the employees out. They pulled revolvers and knives. Girls fainted all over the mill."

NEGLIGENCE IS CHARGED. Coroner's Jury Holds Hurley-Mason Company Culpable for Fatality. Criminal negligence on the part of the Hurley-Mason Company, contractors at work on the new Lipman, Wolfe building, at Fifth and Alder streets, is charged in the report of a coroner's jury submitted yesterday concerning the death Wednesday of Nicholas J. Houch, a workman on the building.

SOLDIERS' PRESENCE ASSURES Lawrence Resident Says Strike Is Led by Socialists. SALEM, Or., March 7.—(Special.)—Deciding that if it were not for the soldiers and the police being present for protection of the mills, the strikers could do what they pleased, a letter was received from Lawrence, Mass., today by a prominent Salem business man from the American Woolen Company, said the advance in wages given by the company in the past 10 years was 25 per cent.

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Project to Be Kept Alive. SALEM, Or., March 7.—(Special.)—A. D. Katz, of Portland, has given full support to the Columbia Southern project alive until the next Legislature, in a document drawn up by the Desert Land Board today.

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When discovered he was trying to force a way out of the jail with timbers from the prison cot. After a cat-and-mouse game he was overpowered and passed the remainder of the night handcuffed and hobbled. Just now the local authorities are working hard to apprehend him. Monday, the prisoner yesterday added to his record of lawlessness by demolishing the interior fittings of Bend's jail.

TAFT FAVORED IN TACOMA Mass Meeting to Organize County Club Will Be Held Monday. TACOMA, Wash., March 7.—(Special.)—A mass meeting to organize a Pierce County Taft Club, will be held in the hall of the Tacoma Hotel Monday night. Taft enthusiasm has been running high in Tacoma since it became evident that his nomination would be contested.

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Week-End Sale of Dependable Merchandise

Rubber Goods on Two-Days' Sale

- THE DEPENDABLE SORT IS THE KIND YOU WANT. \$1.50 3-quart maroon Water Bottle... 98c 90c 3-quart Water Bottle... 63c \$1.50 3-quart red Fountain Syringe... 97c \$2.50 2-quart red Combination Bot... \$1.59 1.50 Century Nose and Throat Atomizer... 98c

Leather Goods on Two-Days' Sale

As an illustration of value giving we point to our Leather Department. We are particularly anxious to reduce present leather stocks to a minimum during this month and will make prices so attractive that our object will be accomplished. Note the following prices: Ladies' Hand Bags in tan, black and brown; outside pockets, fitted with extra coin purse. A regular \$2.00 hand bag at 79c. Wicker Suit Cases, 24 and 26-inch, reinforced sole leather corners, lined linen. Selling \$1.50 to \$1.00 at... One-Third Off. Pegimond Suit Case, sole leather corners, with and without straps; selling regularly at \$4.00, for two days only... \$2.59. Trunks, \$7.00 to \$75.00, reduced... ONE-FOURTH. \$1.50 'Cross' English Chamois Gloves... 98c.

Stationery Sale

We are now offering tremendous bargains in boxed papers—all of a high quality paper with latest cut envelopes. Let us show you. 2-quire box Stationery, 85c value... 49c 1-quire box imported Stationery, tissue-lined envelopes, 75c value... 47c 1-quire box Stationery, 35c value... 17c See our window display of Stationery; 10c Tablets... 7c.

Fountain Pens

'Wood-lark' Self-filling Fountain Pens. The best pen made to sell at \$1.50. Selling these 2 days, special, 98c. We have the most complete line of Fountain Pens in Portland, such as Waterman's regular, self-filling and safety; also Conklin's self-filling, non-leakable. We invite your critical inspection. Pens cleaned and filled, Free. 25c Ginger, can... 14c 10c Pepper, can... 7c.

Patent Medicines on Two-Days' Sale

- Our regular low prices are reduced still more for two days' selling: 50c Sulphur Tablets... 33c \$1.00 Hood's Sarsaparilla... 69c 50c Sal Hepatica... 29c 50c Pinex... 31c \$2.50 Eskay's Food... \$1.89 \$1 Pyramid Pile Suppos... 65c 25c Mentholatum... 29c 25c Arnica Salve (Bucklen's) for... 15c \$1.00 Warner's Kidney Remedy... 75c 50c Watkins' Liniment... 32c \$1.00 Kodol... 69c \$1.00 Maltine and Cod Liver Oil... 73c \$1.50 Gombault's Caustic Balsam... \$1.19 \$1.00 Simmons' Liver Regulator... 69c 50c Murine Eye Water... 29c Sulphurro... 50c and \$1.00.

Novelty Jewelry on Two-Days' Sale

Here you will find many pieces of exclusively designed Jewelry, imitations that are difficult of detection, and the prices we ask are exceedingly small. 35c to \$1.50 Hat Pins, all new... 25c \$5.00 to \$60.00 Long Chains in silver and gold; amethyst and other stone settings. Your choice at... ONE-HALF OFF. Our new Rhinestone Shoe Buckles are proving decidedly popular. Have you seen them? \$2.50 to \$10 values at QUARTER OFF.

We Take Canadian Money at Par Woodard, Clarke & Co.

Toilet Necessities on Two-Days' Sale

- Well-known preparations, indispensable in the make-up of your toilette. Two days in which you can save one-fourth to more than one-half on your purchases. Lola Hudson's Oregon Rose Cleaning Cream, regular 50c, at... 23c Lola Hudson's Retiring Cream, regular 50c, at... 23c \$1.00 Danderine... 69c \$1.00 Potter's Walnut Stain... 69c \$1.00 Pinaud's Eau d'Quinine... 69c \$1.50 Oriental Cream... 98c 50c Espey's Cream... 31c 25c Lyon's Tooth Powder... 9c 50c Satin Skin Cream... 31c 25c Mennen's Violet Talc... 9c 25c Euthymol Tooth Paste, 9c 10c Bon Ami... 6c Ivory Soap, 7 cakes for... 25c

Sanitol Toilet Preparations Free

Free—Sanitol Tooth and Toilet Preparations given away. With each purchase of any of the Sanitol preparations amounting to 25c we give Free a neat vanity box, containing mirror, powder and puff. With each 50c purchase we give Free a package containing Sanitol Liquid Shampoo, Tooth Paste and Liquid Antiseptic for the teeth and mouth. Ask for them.

Household Drugs on Two-Days' Sale

- Preparations thought of householders use every day. Your saving will be considerable if you take advantage these two days: 10c Old Dutch Cleanser, can... 8c 15c Washing Ammonia, bottle... 7c 30c Wood Alcohol, bottle... 25c 25c Castor Oil (crystal white), bottle... 14c 10c Chalk and Orris (tooth powder) package... 6c 10c Spirits Camphor, bottle... 7c 25c Witch Hazel (Dickinson's best), bottle... 17c 25c Sodium Phosphate (Merk), lb... 14c 25c Petrola (amber), can... 18c 25c Bay Rum, bottle... 16c 10c Many-Use Machine Oil, can... 6c 15c Lime Water, quart bottle... 9c 10c Sweet Oil, bottle... 6c 35c 'Wood-lark' Liquid Soap (special), pint bottle... 25c

Medicinal Liquors on Two-Days' Sale

Our Wines and Liquors are unexcelled for purity and are of the highest medicinal value to the invalid and convalescent, as well as for table use. Note the extremely low prices now offering: \$1.25 Old Overholt or Old Cloverdale Rye, bottled in bond, your choice... 98c \$1.00 Chicken Cock Bourbon, bottled in bond... 89c \$1.00 Carlisle Rye, bottled in bond... 69c \$1.25 House of Lords, Scotch... \$1.05 50c Sherry, Burgundy, Zinfandel, Claret, Sauterne, Riesling, Tokay, Muscatel, Angelica and Catawba, 34c, 3 for... \$1.00 25c Claret, 18c, 3 for... 50c—75c Sherry, 61c, 3 for... \$1.50 Good California Sherry, Port and Claret, gal... \$1.00 Extra fine California Wines, gal... \$1.50 Highest grade California Wines, gal... \$2.50.

Picture Sale

After the house-cleaning and repainting comes the thought for wall decorations. Let our Art Department be your guide. Just now we have one of the best values ever offered, pictures that would be hard to duplicate at \$3.00. Take your choice from about 400 subjects at only... 98c.

will depart for England immediately after his luncheon with the Emperor and sail thence for America.

TACOMA MAY CHOOSE INITIATIVE. TACOMA, March 7.—The City Commission voted today to hold an initiative election April 2, that the people decide whether to have water mains laid by the general fund instead of being charged to the abutting property. It also involves the question of repaying abutting property-owners who have paid for mains in case the people decide on paying for the work out of the general fund.

WEST NAMES VETERINARY BOARD. SALEM, Or., March 7.—(Special.)—Governor West has announced the appointment of Dr. W. H. Lytle, Pendleton; Dr. S. R. Foster, Portland; and Dr. Robert E. Hunt, La Grande, as members of the Oregon State Veterinary Medical Board. The appointments will hold office until July 29, 1915, the appointments being for four years.

Dear to the Hearts of the Women. DR. T. FELIX GOURAUD'S Oriental Cream OR MAGICAL BEAUTIFIER An Indispensable and Necessary Article for Particular Women who Desire to Retain a Youthful Appearance. Every woman owes it to herself and loved ones to retain the charm of youth. Half a century this article has been used by actresses, singers and women of fashion. It renders the skin like the softness of velvet leaving it clear and healthy white and is highly desirable when preparing for daily or evening attire. An equally white and non-greasy preparation. It remains unimpaired. When attending dances, balls or other entertainments, it prevents a greasy appearance of the complexion caused by the skin becoming heated. Gouraud's Oriental Cream cures skin diseases and relieves Sunburn. Removes Tan, Pimples, Blackheads, Moth Patches, Rash, Freckles and Vulgar Redness. Yellow and Muddy skin, giving a delicately clear and refined complexion which every woman desires. For sale by Druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers. No. 10 Ferd. T. Hopkins, Prop., 37 Great Jones Street, New York.

NEW LOCATION 244 Washington Street Between Second and Third Ground Floor Same Old Prices Knight's SAMPLE SHOE SHOP