TALES OF STRIKER AND DIRECTOR TOLD

Workman Says Without Wife's Help He Could Not Have Supported Family.

OFFICIAL DENIES BLAME

Federal Commission Turns Attention to Labor Troubles at Chemical Plants in Which Strikers Were Killed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 .- An inquiry into the strike at the Chrome and Roesevelt, N. J., plants of the American Agricultural Chemical Company, which sulted in the recent shooting and killing of strikers, was today inaugurated by the Federal Commission on Indus trial Relations. The Commission had before it one of the strikers and one

of the directors of the company.

The striker was Antoni Wister, who testified he tried to support a wife and five children on a ware of \$1.69 a day and failed. Even with additional money his wife was able to earn he could not pay for the bare necessities of life, he said. So he ran into debt.

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The director was A. Barton Hepburn, who is also chairman of the board of directors of the Chase National Bank of New York City and one of the trustees of the Rockefeller Foundation.

Mr. Hepburn said he knew nothing about the condition of the employes of the Chemical Company, and he had never visited the plants in New Jersey. He first learned that strikers had been shot when he read it in the newspapers. He then called up an official of the company and was told that the men were on strike "for more wages and shorter working hours." The official also told him the strike would be of short duration, as there were many men looking for the places the strikers had vacated. had vacated.

had vacated.

The witness said he did not consider himself responsible as a stockholder for the conditions at Roosevelt. He defended the Rockefeller Foundation, its purposes and policies, and said he did not know that among the securities held hy it were those of the American Agricultural Chemical Company.

Miner's Family Spends 870 a Month. Miner's Family Spends 370 a Month.

In the course of Wiater's testimony as to the cost of living, the witness produced bills to show that, living economically, it cost him \$70 a month to pay his expenses and those of his wife and five children. He was receiving \$1.60 a day in wages before he went on strike, he testified, and his wife did washing and other work to help keep the family together.

Winter said that he had bought one suit of clothes in the last nine years. Even when he was getting \$2 a day, hefore the wage cut, he could not buy the necessities of life. At \$1.50 a day he could not buy enough food for his family.

family.
Commissioner Weinstock tried to find out from the witness how he made up the monthly difference of about \$39 between his wages and his expenses. Winter said he worked extra every Sunday and that his wife went out to do washing and other odd work. The witness owed \$53 now to the butcher, buker, grocer and so on. What his wife samed she spent on the children, said Winter.

Legality of Foundations Investigated. Other witnesses today were George W. Kirchwey, professor of law at Columbia. University: Morris Hillquit. Socialist writer, and John R. Lewson, executive board member of the United Mine Workers of America. Professor Kirchwey gave it as his opinion that there was some doubt that the charters of the Rockefeller and Carnegie foun

of the Rockefeller and Carnegie foundations were constitutional, as they failed properly to define the scope and purpose of the institutions.

Mr. Hillquit assailed philanthropic foundations as being "at the bottom of business enterprises" founded by capibusiness enterprises' founded by capitalists, not to relieve the suffering of their fellowmen, but as a means to strengthenling their own social and economic position. While the Rockefeller relief ships for Belgium were being loaded, said be, thousands of American workers were suffering from hunger within one mile of 28 Broadway.

Ald to Foreigners Criticised.

The Foundation's activity in eradi-cating the hookwarm disease in foreign countries, through the International Health Commission, Mr. Hillquit de-clared, were based on Mr. Rocketeller's own admission, upon "economic effi-

This is the situation in a nutshell.

"The American industries car well dispense with a million or so of surplus working population of this country, honce they are permitted to die of consumption or occasional diseases and preventable accidents. The population of undeveloped countries is just beginning to develop an economic importance for American capital. Hence international health

Mr. Hillquit said that while Egyp tians and Malayans were being freed of the hookworm, he could not forget how many thomsands of American workers died annually of tuberculosis, mostly victims of social and industrial surroundings.

FOES FORGET TO SHOOT

Men Busy on Barricades Finish Task

and Say "Good Night."

LONDON, Jan. 20,-(Correspondence of the Associated Press, —'We some-times get so interested in the progress of our work with the spade that we for-get to use our rifles when opportunity offers," writes an engineer officer (25 miles porth of Suez). When they

\$5050 Asked in Suit for Assault.

HILLSBORO, Or., Feb. 4.—(Special.) —Joe Roberto, of Portland, has filed suit in Circuit Court here asking that P. Pliuse, now of Beaverton, pay \$5056 for —Joe Roberto, of Portland, has filed suit in Circuit Court here asking that P. Piliuso, now of Beaventon, pay \$5059 for Deserters from the Turkish forces injuries sustained in an assault at the O.-W. R. & N. shops at Hawthorne and East Water streets, Portland, in May. Place the British troops include many representatives of tribes in Southern Palestine, who detains that Piluso and one G. Roberto assents that Piluso and one G. Roberto assentied of 12,000 men and six batterles."

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British Completely Repulse Attack on Suez Canal.

CROSSING IS NOT MADE

There is a trench position in front attempted to cross the canal on Tuestillery, supported by ships in the canal, VETO IS NOT OVERRULED

dead, while 282 more prisoners were

Port Said: the enemy also attacked, but was driven off, leaving 21 men killed and 25 wounded and 25 unwound-ed prisoners in our hands. "The enemy's force consisted of 12,000

Al- in New Formations.

HAVRE. Jan. 29.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The Belgian army has lately undergone a complete shake-up and reorganization, followed by the retirement of all the generals commanding divisions, including even the brilliant General Bertrand, who is incapacitated by illness. These officers have been replaced by younger and more active men.

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Forced Into Army.

CAIRO, Feb. 4, via London.—The following official statement recounting the repulse of a Turkish force which attacked the Suer Canal was given outher today:

"At daybreak yesterday the enemy advanced on the posts at Toussoum (25 miles north of Suez). When they advanced on the posts at Toussoum (25 miles north of Suez). When they attempted to cross the canal on Tuestatempted to cr

(Continued From Pirst Page.) will be made again in the next Con-

gress."

The vetoed bill passed the House just a year ago today by a vote of 229 to 140. Today's vote showed a gain of 22 votes for it and a loss of 4 votes from the opposition strength.

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Against the veto was: Democrats 101, "Insurgent" Democrat 1. Republicans 22. Progressives and progressive Republicans 2.

was ineffective. The canal and rallway of Nebraska, Park Whaley, Reed, were open to traffic all day.

BELGIAN ARMY SHAKEN UP

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