

STRIKERS ADVISED TO LEARN WAR ART

Pennsylvania Labor Leader Admits on Stand He Has Counseled Shooting.

STATE POLICE BLAMED

Bitter Attack Made on Force Witness Terms 'American Cossacks.'

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Charges that the Pennsylvania state constabulary is used to break strikes and to create reigns of terror in times of industrial disputes were made to the United States Commission on Industrial Relations today by James H. Maurer, president of the Pennsylvania State Federation of Labor and member of the state legislature.

"I have urged on a previous occasion that trade union men learn how to shoot and to protect themselves," he told the Commission, "and next week, at the convention of the State Federation of Labor, I am again going to advise that union men learn the military arts in order to protect themselves against these agents of the commonwealth, who are used against them. We are tired of having our defenseless people shot down and beaten by these officers of the state and if it is going to continue it is necessary that labor men be prepared to protect themselves."

"American Cossacks" Attacked. Maurer submitted to the Commission a pamphlet he had prepared on Pennsylvania state police, which he entitled "The American Cossack." The police were recruited, he declared, from "United States soldiers and degenerate sons of the middle class, who were never worth anything at home."

The witness said that in Westmoreland coal strike in Pennsylvania the state police precipitated trouble between pickets and strikebreakers and arrested only strikers.

"In no instance," he said, "were strikebreakers arrested, and several appeals from us to these police to protect strikers, or men who wished a guard when they desired to go home were unanswered. The state police protect the employers and never the strikers, they are strictly partial in their conduct."

Inciting of Violence Charged. Official charges, Maurer said, were submitted to Governor Tener of Pennsylvania. At the Hazleton trolley strike, he declared, the state police were sent in without uniforms to rail at strikebreakers in order to encourage violence.

"At the recent Bethlehem Steel strike," Maurer said, "there was absolutely no need for the constabulary. There had been absolutely no trouble until the state police reached Bethlehem. Then, within an hour after their arrival there was bloodshed."

Further inquiry into the constabulary will be made by the commission later. Inquiry into Pennsylvania Railroad labor conditions continued today, among the witnesses being Samuel Hoyer, ex-Mayor of Altoona, Pa., who told of the strike in the Pennsylvania shops there in 1911. The striking shopmen were peaceful, Hoyer said, but G. W. Creighton, general superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Altoona, constantly urged him to arrest strikers and labor organizers when he had no right to do so and refused to do so.

Official Resists Settlement. Creighton didn't seem to want to settle the strike, Hoyer said. "I told him he could stop the trouble if he would let the men go back to work, but he said he wouldn't take them back because the time had come to go back by order had expired."

Hoyer said he finally told Superintendent Creighton that if he did not take the men back he would lead the strike himself. This, he said, led to an order to take the men back and all but a few returned.

Regarding the charge made by the Order of Railroad Telegraphers that the Pennsylvania Railroad dominated the City of Altoona, Mr. Hoyer said he did not believe a general charge could be supported.

Early in the day W. H. Pierce, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, charged that W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, was a "traitor to his fellow" in the Altoona strike, in that he deserted the shopmen after promising them support. Lee will be asked to reply to the charges.

TEACHERS TO BE GUESTS

Oregon College Ready to Entertain Visitors From Portland.

500 MEN ARE ON ROAD

WASHINGTON EXPECTS TO HAVE 1000 MEN AT WORK BY JUNE.

Opening Sunset Highway, 185 Are Employed—Convicts Being Selected for Honor Camp.

EX-GOVERNOR GIVES "TIP"

Mr. McConnell, of Idaho, Tells Mr. Lister How to Fight Crickets.

State Wards Taught Agriculture.

CENTRALIA, Wash., May 6.—(Special.)—The inmates of the state school for girls at Grand Moung are making an exceptional record along agricultural lines under the direction of Harriet Wright, the school's women farmer.

AMERICA'S "MOST BEAUTIFUL" GIRL AND NEWPORT'S FAMOUS BELLE ARE ENGAGED TO WED.



MISS TAILOR (LEFT); MISS ANDREWS (RIGHT).

NOTED GIRLS TO WED

Engagements of Misses Tailor and Andrews Announced.

END PUT TO MANY RUMORS

One Pronounced by Russian Grand Duke Most Beautiful Woman in World and Other Is Rival of Miss Sears in Sport Realm.

RENO GIRL TO BE BRIDE

Vancouver License Obtained to Be Married to Oregon City Man.

Partnership Quarrel Fatal.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 6.—J. Rosenbaun today shot and killed George Brown, his partner in a small packing house, and then shot and probably mortally wounded Brown's son, and finally shot himself so severely that it is feared he will die. The three men had quarreled over partnership troubles.

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The form of influenza commonly called "the grip" is no respecter of persons. Rich and poor alike suffer from it.

Economy Sale of Women's Summer Knit Underwear

Union Suits for 39c. Three Suits for \$1.00.

Ribbed Vests 17c

Three for 50c.

35c Union Suits 29c

Fine summer weight union suits, made low neck, sleeveless and all with light knee. Neatly trimmed at yoke and every garment form-fitting.

Economy Basement Store

Untrimmed Hats. Of Hemp, Milan Hemp, Lizarre and Split Braids. Our Regular \$1.50 to \$2.00 Models.

Sale 95c. This is a very clever lot of good, practical hat shapes, reflecting all that is newest in hat styles, in black and all the best colors.

Extraordinary Sale Trimmed Hats. Friday \$1.95. They are really worth much more than \$1.95—many stores would ask as high as \$2.50 and \$3.00—but it is their beauty, smartness and newness that will please you most.

For hats of this character this an extraordinarily low price. The assortment embraces small, medium and large shapes with trimmings of flowers, ribbons, wings and quills.

W. B., C. B. and a la Spirite Corsets. Our Regular \$2.00 to \$3.00 Models. Economy Sale \$1.19.

W. B. and C. B. a la Spirite Corsets in the latest styles, made on special lines to conform to the present fashions. Models that are suited to the slender, to the medium and to the large figures, in all sizes from 19 to 30.

Some models have elastic gores in the bottom to give ease and comfort in sitting. These corsets are made of excellent qualities of batiste and coutil, all with good quality hose supporters attached.

Colonial Rag Rugs. Firmly made rugs in pretty hit-and-miss patterns, in all desirable colors with pretty fancy borders.

In sizes 18x36 inches to 36x72 inches. 50c Rag Rugs for 37c. \$1.00 Rag Rugs for 79c. \$1.50 Rag Rugs for 98c. \$2.00 Rag Rugs for 139c.

Boys' Oliver Suits. Boys' Russian Suits. Sale 50c.

Sizes 3 to 8 Years. Splendid little play suits of white, fancy navy, tan, pink and cadet stripe blouses and plain-colored pants to match, or all tan and blue suits, made with turn-down collars and finished with cord and tassel at neck and large pearl buttons.

A Wonderful Petticoat With Fitted Top of Black Sateen. That Sells Regularly at 75c. Sale 59c.

The finest cotton petticoat that it has ever been your good fortune to secure at such a price, made with the fitted top of a good quality black sateen, with wide flounce. All lengths.

A Great Triple Waist Sale. \$3.00 Crepe de Chine Waists \$2.22.

Waists of a splendid quality crepe de chine, in white and flesh, embroidered effects, trimmings of hemstitching, lace tucked fronts, buttons and loops, roll and flat collars, long sleeves.

\$2.00 Organdy and Voile Waists \$1.23. \$1.25 and \$1.50 Voile and Organdy Waists 98c.

Embroidered organdie, embroidered voile, trimmed with laces, hemstitching, tucks, some with vest effects, others tailored, with new shaped collars. Button trimming.

Plain and fancy collars, some plain material with embroidered fronts. Greatest variety of new styles. Long or short sleeves. Perfect fitting, full cut, best workmanship, excellent materials.

Curtains for Home Furnishers. 75c to \$1.00 Nottingham Lace Curtains 39c Each.

500 curtains purchased especially for this Economy Week-End Sale. Curtains such as these are most unusual at the price, as they are very attractive and good looking, being suitable for living-rooms as well as bedrooms.

Full 2 1/2 yards in length and 40 to 50 inches wide. Made with plain or figured centers, in white and deep cream. From four to six samples of a kind.

Most Important Sale. Boys' Blouses 25c.

Blouses of black sateen—plain blue and striped chambray—striped percales—white madras, tan soisette—and striped ginghams, in blue, black and lavender.

Made in the tapeless style, with yoke back, turn-down pointed collars, open cuffs. In sizes 6 to 14 years.

95c Oval Picture Frames 39c.

These frames are finished in antique gold and come in many sizes, each frame being fitted with glass and back complete, making it possible to frame one's own picture at home. In oval shapes.

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12 and 14 inches high, curly hair with side and center parts. Full-jointed arms and legs.

75c Serving Trays 39c.

These trays are in a very fine mahogany finish, having mounted brass handles, and the centers of cretonne in assorted designs and colorings. Size 9x15 inches.

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FOR FRIDAY ONLY. Wizard Mops absorb all dust, clean and polish all kinds of floors and woodwork.

\$1.50 Mops, special . . . 89c. \$1.00 Mops, special . . . 58c. 75c Mops, special . . . 39c.

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