

TROOPS TO COME IF
I. W. W. STOP WORK

No Half-Hearted Measures to
Be Taken to Keep War
Industries Running.

APPREHENSION IS FELT

Government Officials Consider as
Ridiculous Demands of I. W. W.
That All Members in Jail
Be Released at Once.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Governmental agencies were placing themselves in readiness today to meet any situation which may develop in the Northwest and on the Pacific Coast as a result of the threatened strike of Industrial Workers of the World, August 20, in Washington, Oregon, Montana and Idaho. Extreme measures, even to the despatch of Federal troops into the affected section, will be taken if necessary.

Troops will be sent, it is said, only in case of serious disorder which local state and Federal authorities may be unable to meet adequately or to insure the non-interruption of war industries. Officials are united, however, in the opinion that there must be no cessation of activity in such industries as regarded as essential to prosecution of the war.

Civil Authorities Relied On.
The civil authorities are prepared to take extraordinary measures to keep war industries moving. The situation is not serious, it is said, and no general strikes of industrial activities result, troops are available.

Reports from the affected districts today showed little change in the situation and officials here, while not minimizing the extent of the threatened disturbance, are hopeful that it will not assume such magnitude as to make extreme corrective measures necessary.

Labor Department Interested.
Secretary Wilson, of the Labor Department, returning to Washington after an absence of several days, received officials of the situation and began to determine if the service of his department could be utilized in averting the threatened strike. Conciliators of the Department are already in the districts affected.

The food administration is concerned with reports that the strike might retard harvesting and that damage had been done to fruit and vegetables in California which are needed for canning.

The board of mediation and conciliation, while without direct representation in the territory affected, is prepared to act quickly in case the threatened strike should result in interruption to train service. G. W. W. Hanger, of the board, is at present in San Francisco.

Apprehension Is Felt.
Department of Justice investigators are inclined to view the situation with some apprehension, and United States Attorneys in the four states mentioned in the proposed general strike are authorized to act quickly in case of disorder.

So far as the Department of Justice is concerned, only an overt act can result in action.

Should the civil authorities deem it advisable to have Federal troops sent to guard industries, they could be sent upon the request of state authorities or the Department of Justice itself.

No Half Measures Wanted.
Officials unite in saying there will be no half-measures by the Government with persons attacking the war industries essential to prosecuting the war. Extreme measures, it was said, would be resorted to without hesitation.

In view of the nature of the demands made by the Industrial Workers of the World, including the release of all members of the organization at present in prison in the four states, it was thought likely that the strike would be called. The demand is regarded by officials here as preposterous, and one that could not possibly be acceded to.

DETROIT, Aug. 17.—Declaring their belief that Industrial Workers of the World are responsible for recurring labor difficulties, the board of directors of the Great Lakes Engineering Works, near River Rouge, a suburb, authorities of that village have issued notice that every member of the organization must leave immediately. Those who fail to obey the order, it was announced, will be rounded up and placed in jail.

Three strikes have been called and adjusted at the shipyards in the last ten days. Although the company recently granted a general increase of 10 per cent, agitation among the workers, it was said, has continued.

It was announced today that 400 Industrial Workers of the World have left River Rouge during the past 48 hours. A threatened strike at a shipbuilding plant there has been avoided and conditions seemed normal this afternoon.

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., Aug. 17.—A company of 100 guards relieved the last night arrested and deported 23 alleged I. W. W. members who persisted in camping in fruit orchards. The men were packed aboard an east-bound freight train.

AMERICA IS NOT FEARED

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ruthless submarine warfare against England. He said that three months' time was all that would be required to bring England to her knees and end the war.

And, in fact, so cleverly did Von Tirpitz, Grand Admiral von Moser, the Conservatives and the enemies of the Chancellor and other advocates of submarine war carry on their propaganda that the belief was ingrained in the whole of the German nation that a resumption of this ruthless war would lead within three months to what all Germans so ardently desired—namely, peace.

German Peace Impossible.
It was impossible for any government to resist the popular demand for the use of this illegal means of warfare, because army and navy people were convinced that ruthless submarine war spelled success and a glorious peace.

But this peace, of course, meant only a German peace; a peace as outlined to me by the Chancellor, a peace impossible for the allies and even the world to accept; a peace which would leave Germany immensely powerful and ready to start another war.

I received on January 30 a definite

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House provisions levying a 5 per cent tax upon gross sales of many manufacturers and designed to raise \$115,750,000 were formally eliminated, the new automobile and other reduced excise taxes being substituted.

The Senate also accepted the finance committee's action on striking out the House provision for additional Federal taxation of inheritances, designed to raise \$6,000,000. New England Senators protested that inheritances are a prime source of local state taxation, and should not be interfered with by the Federal Government.

Surtax Cut on Autos.
An amendment to the automobile section, suggested by Senator Newcomb, and adopted, imposes a surtax of \$10 for each \$500 value on cars costing more than \$5000. As accepted, the section now provides the following motor vehicle taxes, payable by owners of those not used exclusively for business purposes:

Motorcycles, \$2.50; automobiles costing under \$500, \$5 annually; costing between \$500 and \$750, \$7.50; costing between \$750 and \$1000, \$10; with \$5 additional for each \$500 up to \$3000, and \$10 for each \$500 above \$3000.

The tax based upon original list price would be reduced by 10 per cent for each year's use of the vehicle, up to a gross allowance of 50 per cent.

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Main Floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

New hair bow ribbons 29c

—New hair bow ribbons in all the popular shades have just arrived. They are full five inches wide, of fine quality taffeta, fancy satin borders and corded borders.

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New jabots and new stocks
\$1.00

—More new Autumn neckwear has arrived. A shipment of smart new jabots and stocks, made of white and cream net. Every day we are showing new neckwear.

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Salute! Girls' new dresses for school!
in serges and plaids

\$4.95 6 TO 14 YEARS

—The plaid is high waist style, with wide belt and white flannel collar, fancy pockets, fancy stitching and button trimmed.

—The serge comes in navy, brown and wine; V necks, wide belts with small slip pockets, pleated skirt, collar, cuffs and trimmings in contrasting colors.

—Serge and serge and silk smart school dresses for girls 6 to 16 years, \$5.95 to \$18.50.

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NEW WASH SCHOOL DRESSES \$2.75

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—We are pleased to announce the arrival of this famous hosiery in black, white and in over 60 popular shades; in all sizes from 8 to 10.

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—For boys, 25c, 30c and 35c
—Our school stockings are here; good, strong hosiery made for boys. Fast black with double knees.

—For girls, 25c and 35c
—Girls' lisle and cotton stockings in black and white with double knee and reinforced heels and toes.

Main Floor

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Pulman aprons in rubberized cretonnes, 59c
Rollups for soldier boys and travelers49c
French ivory combs49c
Lavender flowers, per bag10c
Rose water, two ounces for7c

Tintex for coloring silks, laces, etc.25c
Lithia tablets, three grains for19c
Senna leaves, per box8c
Rubber gloves, red rubber35c
Beef, iron and wine59c
Colorite hat dye, makes old hats new 25c

Main Floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Boys' school suits
New Fall models. All sizes 6 to 18 years

\$6.50 to \$18.00

Fourth Floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

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—With leather at the highest price it has been for years, this special sale is extraordinary; quality extra fine.

—Many smart, attractive styles are featured on this occasion in whites, patents and dull leathers.

Other pumps at \$3.90 and \$4.90

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