

U. S. AGT IN STRIKE AWAITING MORE DATA

Agents of Department of Justice Investigating.

RAIL LABOR BODY NAMED

Wilson to Send Appointments to Senate Today for Approval. Solution Seen in Law.

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STRIKE HALTS INDUSTRIES

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and that embargoes had been partly lifted. The general managers' association denied that any negotiations were being carried on with the railroad yardmen's association, and said no party would be entered into.

Contracts Declared Void. In requesting negotiations looking toward the end of the strike, President Granau of the yardmen's association said contracts the railroads have with the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Switchmen's Union of North America did not apply to membership in his union.

Outlaw Move Held on Wane. "The men realize they have no leadership and that nothing is to be gained by remaining out," he said.

ASPIRIN FOR HEADACHE

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" as a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuritis, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years.

GOUGH'S SITUATION GROWS DAILY WORSE

Strike Is Developing Hardships for Thousands.

FOOD SUPPLY DWINDLING

Few Shipments of Commodities Manage to Get in—Freight Service Paralyzed.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The strike of railroad workers here tonight presented the most menacing situation the city has faced since the unauthorized walkout began.

Only freight shipments received were "specials" of solid food trains brought from Chicago by the New York Central, and a few cars which crept in over the New Haven and Pennsylvania roads.

First Violence Reported. Strike sympathizers committed their first act of violence when an iron bar was hurled through the window of a Central Railroad of New Jersey train.

Food Supply Dwindling. Railroad officials sought in vain to learn the source of maintenance of the strikers.

NEW MEN ARE EMPLOYED

Pacific Coast Conditions Reported "Steadily Improving."

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Conditions in the Pacific coast states, arising from the unauthorized strike of railroad switchmen, were reported tonight as "steadily improving."

MINES NEAR BISBEE CLOSE

Freight and Ore Shipments Interrupted by Strike.

BISBEE, Ariz., April 12.—All mines in the Warren district deriving power from the Bisbee Improvement Company were closed down in order to conserve fuel when 30 yardmen of the El Paso & Southern Railway walked out this afternoon.

SALT LAKE CAR SHOPS CLOSED

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, April 12.—Because of the strike of switchmen and yardmen employed by the company, the car repair shops of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad here closed late today and about 800 employees were laid off.

TRAFFIC IS NEAR NORMAL

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LIVING WAGE IS DEMANDED

Statement Issued by Striking Yardmen at the Dalles.

THE DALLES, Or., April 12.—(Special.)—With the declaration that their wages of \$5.11 a day were wholly inadequate to meet the increased prices and asserting that they had been put off with broken promises long enough, a committee of the striking yardmen composed of J. E. Merritt, J. Bowen and C. E. Amsherry, local switchmen, gave out the following statement here today:

"For the last two years we have been living on promises, and have still remained in our country. With the cost of living continuing to rise and the brotherhood officials remaining stagnant, the pressure was becoming unbearable, and a new organization was formed for the sole purpose of a betterment of conditions.

YARDMEN REPUDIATE STRIKE. Southern Pacific Employees Against Anything Radical at Present.

EUGENE, Or., April 12.—(Special.)—Decisive action was taken on the strike question by the Southern Pacific yardmen here at a meeting Sunday afternoon.

MEMORIAL TO BE IMPROVED

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CLEVELAND PRICES GO UP

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Butchers, marketmen and grocers outbid each other for available stocks in local packing houses and commission markets, prices in many instances reaching new high levels.

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CONTROLLED POWER advertisement for Pierce-Arrow Dual Valve Six cars, featuring an illustration of a car and text describing its performance and availability.

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THE STRIKE OF THE SWITCHMEN

To the Public:

Strikers who have, not returned to work are being replaced by new men. This work will be swiftly and vigorously followed until normal service is restored.

The strike was without notice to the railroad. It is not authorized by any railroad brotherhood. It violates working agreements, violates the rules of the brotherhoods to which the men belong, and violates the law of the United States (Section 301, Transportation Act of 1920).

It is in defiance of the orders of the railroad brotherhoods' executives, and has neither the sympathy nor support of the majority of railroad employees.

New men will be given seniority rights in order of employment, wages are sixty-four cents an hour for eight hours' work a day and ninety-six cents an hour for overtime. Good board and lodging are arranged for at the jobs. Protection assured. Apply to Superintendent, Room 32, Section Floor Union Station, Portland.

(Signed) SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY, J. H. DYER, General Manager.

"WET" OR "DRY" advertisement for Shredded Wheat Biscuits, featuring an illustration of a child and text describing the product's benefits.