TROOPS EN ROUTE TO PACIFY BUTTE

Mines to Reopen Today Under Federal Guard.

STRIKE REPORTED AT END

Unofficial Announcement Made of Decision to Quit Picketing; Investigation Is Begun.

BUTTE, Mont., April 22.—Principal developments in the labor situation today following the shooting of 15 pickets and one policeman in rioting near the Neversweat mine yesterday afternoon was the announcement by mine officials that all properties will be reopened tomorrow, that troops were en route to Butte from Fort George Wright, Wash., to preserve order and the unofficial announcement that metal mine workers' union No. 800, I. W. W., had called the strike off and would discontinue picketing.

The city was quiet today, only a few minor disturbances being reported. Confidence was restored by announcement that troops would arrive tonight.

Two Reported Yet in Danger.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon physicians reported that only two of the men wounded in the clash yesterday were in a critical condition. The other 14 will recover, they stated.

An investigation today revealed that 11 of the wounded men were foreign-born and at least seven are not citizens.

Sheriff John K. O'Rourke declared this afternoon that he had definitely established that the building from which the shots were fired in yesterday's clash was the Simons boarding house. Mrs. John Lowney, proprietress, in a public statement this afternoon, asserted no shots were fired from the boarding house.

Watchman Is Fatally Shot.

A watchman at the Butte Daily Bulletin office was fatally shot this morning by a fellow watchman. The newspaper management declared the shooting was accidental. The Bulletin is the official organ of the I. W. W. union.

County Attorney N. A. Rotering announced that his assistants are securing statements bearing on yesterday's riot and declared the investigation would be thorough.

Hugh B. Haran, 19 years of age, was the victim at the Bulletin, where he and a number of other men had been stationed by the publishing company as guards. Joe Pabst, who said he discharged his rifle by accident, killing Haran, was placed under arrest.

County Attorney N. A. Rotering today began taking the statements of men who were injured in last night's affair and of other witnesses, with a view to filing informations if such a course is warranted.

Sheriff O'Rourke has issued a statement saying that he regards the I. W. W. activities in Butte as a revolution, not a strike, and has reviewed all the circumstances leading up to the clash between the officers and the body of pickets, on whom he made a demand three times last night to disperse.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 22.—A detachment of the 21st infantry left Fort George Wright, near here, early today for Butte, Mont., following receipt of orders late last night from western department headquarters.

The troops, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Americus Mitchell, took with them full equipment with heavy marching packs, it was stated. Their stay, according to Colonel George B. Duncan, commanding officer at Fort Wright, will be indefinite. He declined to state how many men were included in the detachment.

At Butte, Colonel Hall from Camp Lewis, Wash., will assume command of the troops, Colonel Duncan stated.

HARDING OR LOWDEN LEAD

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away from him rather than to seize it unduly, courteous to everybody and deferential both to the ideas and to the individual personalities of congress.

Candidate Prefers Senate.

If the old guard leaders could name the republican candidate, could name him of their own will without qualification, could completely ignore the necessity of looking forward to a contest with the democrats—if they did not need to consider the election in November—they would name Harding and have a hallelujah meeting.

But they recognize that they must name not one thing but two things: They must name not merely a man who is to be, they hope, the next president, but who is also to lead the republican party in a campaign against the democrats. And in this latter role of leading the party in a hard campaign they recognize that Harding has limitations. Harding is not a great leader. He is not a forcible character. The very qualities in him which commend him to the leaders as an equable and good-natured president do not commend him as the aggressive leader in a hard fight for the presidency. Harding himself recognizes these limitations and talks about them freely. He speaks of himself as being an "unwilling but confident" candidate. Plenty of us in Washington know that Harding was rather over-persuaded to get into the contest. He would infinitely have preferred, and still prefers, to stay in the senate, where his responsibilities are less burdensome. He knows as well as every thoughtful person knows the arduous responsibilities that will attend the next four years in the White House. He knows this, and, knowing it, he shrinks a little from it.

Unpleasant Things Remembered.

There is another handicap to Harding as a candidate. In the schism in the republican party eight years ago Harding was one of the principal republican spellbinders. In the role of doing his full duty in that relation and under those circumstances he said some very unpleasant things about Roosevelt—repeatedly compared Roosevelt to Benedict Arnold and Aaron Burr. Now that Roosevelt is being canonized by a reunited republican party these old epithets have come back to make trouble for Harding. The old Roosevelt progressives are digging them up from forgotten speeches; are reprinting them; are circularizing Ohio and elsewhere with them, and are declaring they will never vote for a man who thus denounced Roosevelt.

All in all, it may be taken for granted that the old guard leaders will give a last moment of very thoughtful consideration to these handicaps of Harding before they finally fix upon him as their particular standard bearer in the convention fight.

If Harding is not the old guard standard bearer, Lowden will be. Lowden has a little of the same handicap as Harding, for he was a member of the committee on credentials which committed "the crime of 1912" in throwing a number of Roosevelt delegates out of that famous convention. But, in the judgment of the leaders, this relation to the Roosevelt episode is believed to be not quite so odious to the old Roosevelt following as the epithets used by Harding.

Lowden Said to Have Ideas.

Also, Lowden is recognized as a man with greater capacities for leadership and rather greater ruggedness of mind than Harding. Lowden, without being too aggressive, would be a leader both in the campaign and in the White House. Lowden is a man of thought and ideas. Lowden is accustomed to responsibility and authority. He is accustomed to command. (In fact this is what makes the old guard leaders prefer him just a little less than Harding—they are just a little uneasy as to whether they could count on that complete and easy accord with Lowden in the White House that they are sure they would have if Harding were there.)

The net of it probably is that Lowden will have more delegates in the convention than Harding, and at the last moment will make a stronger appeal to those old guard leaders who are at once the most thoughtful and the most responsible. No one at this moment can make the faintest guess as to just how the strategy of the convention will express itself—whether the first big cleavage will come between Wood on the one hand and the entire field on the other; whether it will come between a progressive leader like Senator Johnson as against a stalwart leader like Harding or Lowden, or what other kaliedoscopic combination of elements the first ballots may show. But it can be said with fair confidence that on the whole the stalwart element in the convention will be represented partly by Harding and partly by Lowden. Whether in the later ballots the elements behind these two men will combine behind one of them, or whether, on the other hand, these two men will become acute rivals, is a thing that no man can now predict with any confidence.

SORLLIE JURY IS READY

MAIN EVIDENCE IN I. W. W. CASE STARTS TODAY.

Opening Statements and Brief Testimony Already Heard—Party Membership Charged.

The prosecution of Lawrence Sorlie, I. W. W., who was indicted with 25 others under the criminal syndicalism act, will get its main evidence before the jury today, completion of the jury panel, opening statements and brief testimony occupying yesterday's session before Circuit Judge Morrow.

Sorlie is accused of joining the I. W. W. September 20, 1919, the crime being held to consist in membership in an organization advocating overthrow of government and industry by violence. The case is almost identical with that of Joe Laundy, recently convicted and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary, the chief testimony being directed at the aims of the I. W. W. as an organization.

The defense exercised five and the prosecution three peremptory challenges before a jury finally was accepted. The jurors are: J. Frank Guerin, tax clerk; M. Engertsberger, janitor; Guy V. Thompson, clerk; Christian B. Murhard, plumber; Jonas Halverson, grain handler; George Wiederhold, butcher; Leopold Blaufus, blacksmith; Thomas Fisher, stationary engineer; Enos H. Marvin, farmer; Frank J. Van Winkle, surveyor; Milton H. Tower, confectioner; and Julius F. Mayer, baker.

Opening statements were made by Earl F. Bernard, deputy district attorney, for the state, and George F. Vanderveer for the defense.

Police Captain H. A. Lewis and Police Lieutenant Harvey A. Thatcher were the first witnesses, testifying concerning the raid on the I. W. W. hall the night of November 11, 1919, when the defendant was arrested, together with many other members of the organization.

FLYING ACE TO BE TESTED

Major Schroeder, Record-Breaker, to Take Physical Examination.

MINEOLA, N. Y., April 22.—Major R. W. Schroeder, holder of the world's airplane altitude record, reported at Mitchel flying field today on orders of the war department, directing him to submit to a physical examination, to determine if flying had affected his heart.

When he appeated on the field, Major Schroeder said he was not disturbed by what the examination might disclose, although it had been rumored flying at a high altitude had caused enlargement of his heart. He said his heart beats "speeded up" at times, "but always became normal again."

The major's heart beats will be electrically photographed by Major L. H. Bauer, in charge of the laboratory at the field.

STOCKS RALLY ON LOANS

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multaneous dealings fully 3 cents apart among different sets of brokers. It soon grew apparent, however, that there was to be no further stampede, and that many commission houses had turned to the buying side. This was especially the case after gossip became current that European demand for wheat and rye showed excellent volume.

Oats showed considerable independent power to rally.

Severe declines in the hog market kept provisions mostly on the down grade. Lard touched the lowest price this season.

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WOOD HOLDS STRONG PLACE IN TWO STATES

Lowden Leads Wyoming; General Is Second.

WASHINGTON LIKES "SON"

Delegates Free to Vote for Soldier if Sure Poindexter Cannot Win.

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NEW YORK, April 22.—(Special.)—Results of the republican presidential preference poll taken among the county chairmen by the Sun and New York Herald in the states of Washington and Wyoming are presented this morning.

The first choice of Washington is United States Senator Miles Poindexter of that state. The second is Major-General Leonard Wood.

In Wyoming Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois wins the "first choice" honors, with General Wood running in second place there as well.

There is no preferential primary in either state and the delegates to the national convention are elected in each at the state convention, which meets in Washington, at Bellingham on April 27, and in Wyoming, at Sheridan on May 10.

Washington will have 14 delegates at Chicago and Wyoming 6.

Among the democrats in Washington William G. McAdoo seems to be the most popular of all the presidential possibilities, with Herbert Hoover not far behind, according to the reports of the republican leaders.

Hoover, whatever they may think of him since he declared he would not accept a democratic nomination, was the overwhelming choice of the leaders of that party in Wyoming at the time the poll blanks were filled out.

League of Nations Paramount.

In Washington the league of nations bulks large as the paramount issue, with "Americanism," its natural running mate, coming up right along. Labor problems are bothering in Washington and voters do not exactly approve of the extravagance and "general incompetency" of the present administration.

The league of nations does not seem to be bothering them much in Wyoming, but they are much concerned over the extravagance of the Wilson administration and consider it to be the paramount issue. A general readjustment of economic conditions, which will do something to bring about a more equal distribution of "gain" and cut down the high cost of living, also is considered a factor.

No other than Poindexter and Wood was mentioned for "first choice" in the Washington poll, the former getting 88.88 per cent and the latter 11.11 per cent. Wood was as clearly second choice as Poindexter was the first. The "second choice" percentages were: Wood 66.66, Governor Lowden 11.11, Senator William E. Borah of Idaho 11.11, Senator Johnson of California 11.11.

Governor Lowden and Warren G. Harding, senator of Ohio, were the only "first choice" candidates from Wyoming. The Illinois governor showed his commanding lead by getting 85.7 per cent of the total, with the Ohio senator taking the remaining 14.3 per cent.

Wood Leads Second Choice.

In the "second choice" column General Wood captured 57 per cent, with Harding, Lowden and Coolidge following with 14.3 per cent each. Because Wood's "second choice" percentage was considerably in excess of the 28.6 aggregate polled by Harding in both first and second choice columns he is clearly entitled to the "second choice" preference.

It is certain that the Washington state convention will send the delegates to Chicago with instructions for Poindexter, but according to a special dispatch from the correspondent of the Sun and New York Herald:

"This delegation will not be instructed to await release by Poindexter. If it is convinced that he cannot win, the members will then be free to vote for their second choice.

"The General Wood organizers claim to have second call on the delegation," the correspondent continues, "and this is probably true, as no other candidate has organized here, except Hoover, whose club was not formed until recently, too late to make a dent in the county caucuses, which will be held on April 17."

Pershing Pushed in Wyoming.

The special correspondent of the Sun and New York Herald in Wyoming reports that the candidacy of General John J. Pershing is the only one being actively pushed there. This is natural, as he is the son-in-law of Francis E. Warren, senator of that state, but the reports of the county chairmen do not mention him as either a first or a second choice.

In accordance with the suggestion of Patrick Sullivan, the national committeeman, the delegation of six probably will go to Chicago without instructions, and unless General Pershing objects probably will give him a complimentary vote on the first ballot.

Further indications are given in Wyoming that Hoover was fast getting into a strong position for the democratic presidential nomination, when he announced himself "out of the running" in the San Francisco handicap.

CAILLAUX FOUND GUILTY

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is one of the prominent items, M. Moro-Giafferi of Caillaux's counsel, saying it would reach $30,000.

The crowds around the palace dispersed somewhat sullenly, prodded by gendarmes. Cheers and hisses were about evenly divided, but there was no rioting. The closing scene was devoid even of fisticuffs except for some hair-pulling between two stylishly gowned women.

The Caillaux case, brought to a close with the verdict of guilty on one of the less serious charges on which the ex-premier was tried, had attracted wide attention because of the prominence of the principal figure and the circumstances under which he was accused.

The prosecution brought forth evidence to show that M. Caillaux, during the war, had been in touch with individuals, such as the executed Bolo Pasha, who were known to be German agents or persons who had dealings with the Germans.

Stress was laid on trips he had made to South America and Italy, in which it was alleged he had consorted with persons whose affiliations were inimical to allied success in the war.

Suspicion Long Entertained.

M. Caillaux' activities for a long while were under suspicion by the French government, but he was still such a political force and had so many influential adherents that he was not arrested until former Premier Clemenceau was firmly established in power and was preparing for the final desperate struggle of the last year of the war.

Premier Clemenceau had Caillaux arrested on January 14, 1918, and he had thus been imprisoned, or under detention as a patient in a hospital, for more than two years when he was brought to trial before the senate, sitting as a high court, on February 17 last.

The principal charge against him was that of treason in having been engaged in "intrigues tending to shake the solidarity of the allies and to bring about a premature and dishonorable peace with Germany."

Caillaux' political career began in 1899, when he became minister of finance in the Waldeck-Rousseau cabinet. He served until 1902.

In 1913 M. Caillaux became minister of finance in the Doumergue cabinet, but the following year his wife, Madame Caillaux, shot and killed Gaston Calmette, editor of Figaro, actuated by the editor's bitter criticisms of her husband. Her trial ended in acquittal, but M. Caillaux withdrew from the post of finance minister.

In the trial of the ex-premier the defense maintained throughout that Caillaux had never been the champion of close relations with Germany, but instead had championed the policy of "European conciliation." While he might have been guilty of imprudence and impulsiveness, M. Caillaux himself declared he never was guilty of giving information to the enemy and that he desired only the well-being of France.

MRS. M. HAWLEY APPEALS

DIVORCE CASE TO BE CARRIED TO SUPREME COURT.

Order Reducing Attorneys' Fees Allowance From $10,000 to $3500 Also Contested.

OREGON CITY, Or., April 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. Marjorie Hawley, who lost her suit for divorce against Willard P. Hawley, Jr., in the circuit court of Clackamas county before Judge George R. Bagley, has filed notice of appeal to the supreme court, which will probably mean that about a year will elapse before the case is finally determined by the higher tribunal.

Judge Bagley gave Mrs. Hawley the temporary care of her baby daughter, which she will retain until the final determination of the suit, at least, or until the further order of the court, and she is receiving from her former husband $250 a month as a temporary allowance. No appeal is taken from the order in respect to the temporary custody of the child and the allowance, nor from the court order allowing $1000 with which to prosecute her appeal.

In addition to appealing from the decree of Judge Bagley, Mrs. Hawley takes an appeal from the order reducing the attorney's fees from $10,000, the maximum amount allowed by the court before the case went to trial, to $3500, which Judge Bagley actually allowed after the conclusion of the case in his court.

NEW SCHOOL LEVY URGED

RURAL PAY DECLARED IN EXCESS OF NORMAL SCHOOL.

Miss Jessica Todd, Dean, Declares Difficulty Met Competing With County Boards.

The Oregon Normal school at Monmouth is having difficulty competing with country school boards, which now pay in many places $150 a month and provide living quarters and fuel, according to Miss Jessica Todd, dean of the school, who is at the Seward while in Portland on a buying trip. She is with Miss Cordelia Marvin, state librarian, who is on her way back to Salem from Pendleton, where she attended a county library meeting.

Miss Todd yesterday said the millage bill for institutions of higher learning is occupying the center of the stage in Monmouth at present, and each student has pledged to obtain at least two votes for it. One of the chief needs it will satisfy is for an infirmary, she said, as in case of contagious illness, such as influenza, it has been necessary to send all students home in order to care for patients in the dormitory. More funds are required also in order that the best faculty members may be retained.

Miss Todd and Miss Marvin two months ago returned from a trip in the orient, visiting many points in China. Miss Marvin is now interested in the organizaton of three new county libraries in Deschutes, Malheur and Jackson counties, all of these to be on the Multnomah plan. The meeting she has just returned from was attended by librarians and trustees from all such institutions.

ALBANY MERCHANT HURT

ELEVATOR FALLS AND STRIKES STORE OWNER ON HEAD.

Victim Unconscious Most of Time Since Accident and Extent of Injury Not Yet Ascertained.

ALBANY, Or., April 22.—(Special.)—Walter M. Parker, one of Albany's best-known business men and prominent for years in the official life of the city and fraternal circles here, was crushed this forenoon beneath an elevator leading from the basement to the first floor of his store. He has been unconscious most of the time since the accident. He was severely bruised about the head and it has been impossible yet to determine how serious are his injuries.

Mr. Parker was in the basement when the elevator, half laden with wood, fell and caught him beneath it, the weight coming on his head and shoulders.

Mr. Parker has been in business in Albany for three decades. He served for years as clerk of the school district here and has been school director and city councilman. He is secretary of the Loyal lodge of Elks, is a veteran member of the Knights of Pythias and is prominent in other organizations.

Jefferson Resident Dies.

SALEM, Or., April 22.—(Special.—Willis E. Vincent, until recently a resident of Salem, died at his home at Jefferson last night, according to word received here today. He is survived by his widow and five children. Funeral services will be held in Salem.

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Ovaltine .....65¢
Fruitola $1.35

Phillips Milk Mag'sia 45¢
Regulin .....69¢
Oveferrin .....95¢
Vaseline Hair Tonic..60¢
Ekedee Hair Cerate $2.00
Danderine .....96¢

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EMPEROR OF JAPAN ILL

CROWN PRINCE TAKES PART OF FATHER'S DUTIES.

Indisposition Attributed to Concern Since Beginning of War and to Inclement Weather.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 22.—Owing to the indisposition of the emperor, the credentials of the new ambassador of Great Britain to Japan, as well as the credentials of the ministers of Czecho-Slovakia and Mexico, were presented at an audience granted by the crown prince on April 14, according to cable advices received today by T. Ohata, Japanese consul-general here.

The cablegram, which was transmitted by the Japanese foreign office at Tokio, was dated April 20. It says:

"Since the beginning of the European war matters which require imperial attention have been the cause of much concern to his majesty, the Japanese emperor, making it necessary for him to seek relief for a short time as a precaution for his health. The inclement weather now prevailing in Japan has also affected his health somewhat, obliging him to change the imperial residence from Tokio to the imperial villa at Hayama, in order that greater care may be given to his slight indisposition.

"During the absence of his majesty from Tokio the crown prince will act as the medium for the transmission to his august father of all state affairs except those which require his personal attention.

"Under these circumstances it is reported that the presentation of the credentials of the new ambassador of Great Britain, the minister of Czecho-Slovakia and the minister of Mexico took place April 14 at an audience granted by the crown prince, and that the same have been transmitted to the emperor."

DELEGATES ORGANIZED

District Representatives to Wear Badges of Poindexter.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 22.—(Special.)—The largest pre-convention caucus ever held of delegates from Spokane county to a state republican convention was held this afternoon when 95 of the 120 were present to organize for the Bellingham trip. All but five of these announced their intention of going and probably for the first time in history Spokane will be represented with a full delegation of 120. L. C. Jesseph, attorney, was elected chairman and floor leader and given the power of all the committee appointments.

The matter of committing the delegation to the support of a district delegate or delegate to the national convention did not come up. It will not be decided until the delegation reaches Bellingham, but every indication points to the selection of Thaddeus S. Lane and Charles Gibbert, who, with Lon Johnson, will compose the 5th district representation at Chicago.

The Spokane delegate will go to the state convention wearing Poindexter badges and demanding a solid Poindexter delegation with no second choice, and it will not enter into any deals involving national committeemanship or any other party trades or adjustments that will mean committing it to any other candidate for the presidency than Miles Poindexter. The Spokane delegation will confer with 4th-district delegates and endeavor to line up with them for an east-side man for national committeeman, and it is more than likely it will oppose any national committeeman decision at Bellingham. Its leaders are not for Guy Kelly of Pierce county, or any west-side man at this time.

N. W. Durham was elected Spokane county member of the platform committee of the state convention and Charles P. Lund will be the chairman of the steering committee.

Vancouver Firm Pays Employes.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 22.—(Special.)—Merrill A. Reed, president and general manager of the Reed Engineering company of this city, which had a little financial difficulty in meeting the payroll last Saturday, today informed W. E. Yates, county attorney, that money had been raised and deposited in the bank to meet all debts, and the checks will be made good at once. The men at the plant have been working steadily.

Grounded Steamer Floated.

TRIESTE, April 21.—The American steamer Susquehanna, which went aground Monday on the Dalmatian coast near Pola, was floated tonight. Her passengers, numbering 450, were brought here.

Jensen to File New Tariff.

SALEM, Or., April 22.—(Special.)—N. P. Jensen, of Lakeview, who recently made application to the Oregon public service commission for a readjustment of his electric rates has withdrawn his request and will file a new tariff. This information was received by the public service commission today in a letter from Mr. Jensen.

Albert Abraham Visits Salem.

SALEM, Or., April 22.—(Special.)—Albert Abraham, Roseburg attorney, and opponent of Robert N. Stanfield for the nomination for United States senator at the republican primary May 21, passed today in Salem conferring with state officials. Mr. Abraham has been in Portland for a few days and is now en route to his home in southern Oregon.

Youthful Robber Sentenced.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., April 22.—(Special.)—Olive Weekly, 18-year-old youth who last week held up a logging camp on Gray's river taking $200 from what is said to have been the jackpot of a poker game, was sentenced to the reformatory at Monroe Wednesday.

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