

END OF TEAMSTERS' STRIKE BELIEVED TO BE FAR IN FUTURE

Another Report Says Professional Strikebreakers Coming From Chicago—Union Men Say They Won't Work.

Professional strikebreakers are said to be on their way to Portland from Chicago and other eastern points. The hope of the employers' and draymen's associations is that the strike may be brought to speedy end by putting transfer wagons on the streets again in charge of nonunion drivers. For a week the transfer company teams have been idle. Freight has not been moved. Such wagons as have been in operation have been driven by the officers of the companies.

As a consequence the congestion of freight has become serious. Railroads have commenced refusing ordinary local shipments into the city, since cars must stand on sidings unloaded. Contractors are seriously embarrassed in efforts to transfer building materials. Wholesale fruit dealers declare they have lost thousands of dollars' worth of perishable fruits.

Efforts to secure nonunion men in Portland to drive the teams are proving futile. Each time a nonunion driver prepares to work he is surrounded by a crowd of union pickets and "persuaded" to desert. Many of these nonunion men have subsequently joined the union.

All Drivers Interested. "Every team driver" in the United States is financially interested in the Portland strike," said Peter Burke, third vice-president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, this morning.

"We are ready to finance the expense of this walkout if it should continue for two years. We never have been unsuccessful in our history. This kind of an experience is a lesson alike to employers and workmen. It teaches the men to think and to understand what organization means to them. Strikebreakers will not be put to work on Portland streets because strikebreakers will not work here. Every man who is made to understand conditions here keeps his hands off Portland labor troubles."

The offer of the strikers to drive teams in the parade last night was not accepted by the management of the Rose Festival. Teams were furnished by M. C. Bamfield, president of the Employers' association.

Both strikers and employers have nearly given up hope that the strike may be arbitrated by a commission of citizens. Dr. Blanton Young and H. W. Stone called on the employers and upon the strikers yesterday, but did not succeed in getting time and place fixed for a general conference.

E. F. Carlson, business agent of the machinists, "denied" vigorously today that a majority of the striking machinists will go back to work tomorrow.

"We have more men enrolled and greater hope of success today than yesterday," said Carlson. "None of the men is going back to work. We have pickets around every closed shop. None has even tried to get back in."

"The machinists have walked out on their own and a little better in the cities where the strike was called at the same time as in Portland. We are more hopeful than ever, and we are going to win this strike. We understand that efforts are being made to import machinists to take our places, but that they cannot be secured."

H. L. BENSON DOES NOT WANT TO BE GOVERNOR

Klamath Falls, Or., June 8.—Judge H. L. Benson positively denies that he is to be a candidate for governor at the coming election. He says that he has no aspirations for the office at this time. He says so far as he knows, his brother, Frank W. Benson, will be a candidate to succeed himself as secretary of state. Judge Benson is not a candidate for any office, but has retired to his private law practice.

He has also been urged to again become a candidate for the office of district judge, which he resigned, but he refuses to become a candidate. There are several Republican aspirants for this office. Judge Noland, Democrat, will be a candidate to succeed himself.

THIS BUSY WEEK FOR CRIMINALS

Many Citizens Report Loss of Valuables Stolen by Burglars and Pickpockets.

Sneak thieves, pickpockets and petty criminals are busy this week. Many residents took heed of the warning sent out last week by Chief of Police Cox and Captain of Detectives Moore to guard their valuables, but there are many who are paying no attention to it. The Rosenthal sisters, living at 609 Lovejoy street, reported last evening that their rooms were entered by burglars and jewelry to the value of \$200 stolen. Entrance was gained by forcing a rear window.

Abraham Friedman, 733 Kearney street, reported at midnight that thieves had broken into his home and taken jewelry, silverware and several small articles. A \$45 suit of clothes was also taken.

F. H. Fogarty, 145 North Twenty-fourth street, reported his home was robbed between 8 and 12 o'clock last night. Only \$5 was taken.

Fred Nolter, 701 Lovejoy street, discovered two men had entered his home through a rear door and ransacked the place. They took several pieces of jewelry lying on a dresser and escaped through the front door.

R. G. Busse, 423 East Forty-third street, asked a man to ride over town with him Monday evening in his buggy. In the ride the stranger extracted \$9 which Busse had in his pocket.

James Green, who came from Seattle to see the Rose Show, was robbed of \$10 in a saloon at Sixth and Burnside streets. He charges John Ericson, the bartender, with taking it. The latter was arrested.

While E. E. Laramore, 330 Clay street, was down town sneak thieves entered his home and stole a gold ring, bracelet and silverware.

THE STRANGER WITHIN OUR GATES

A. A. Terwilliger, Brookline, Mass.—Let me tell you what impresses me with the west. It is not your wealth of roses nor anything like that. It is the sign of things. You do things on such a magnificent scale, just like the country. I refer mainly to the reclamation projects through which we passed on our way here. I have inquired into the growth of some of the towns of Idaho and Oregon and they are simply wonderful, almost unbelievable.

W. A. Woodward, Kansas City, Mo.—You have got our Priests of Pallas parade beaten four blocks. We always thought you were more or less gorgeous but your flowers and general decorating effects are far superior. I will have some mighty good ideas to suggest when I return home.

David A. Smuta, Amarillo, Texas.—Texas is suffering from the would-be county divisionist, as well as Oregon. But in Texas we need many counties divided. Some are as large as three or four states and some of the big ranch owners whose properties hang over into four counties are the ones who are after the division. If one division proposed is made one man will own an entire county.

ACCIDENTS DUE TO CROWDS IN STREETS

Charles Ryan, East Twenty-eighth and Couch streets, was knocked down by an automobile last evening at the east end of the Burnside bridge. He sustained a deep gash in the right temple. He was taken to the Good Samaritan hospital and later removed home. The driver of the car did not stop.

Fred Markham, another pedestrian, was struck by a horse at First and Pine streets. He also received a temple wound, and was taken to the Good Samaritan hospital. The horse belongs to Frederick Borden of the Northwest Trust company.

John Bick, an east side resident, was hit by a St. Johns car on Union avenue, and knocked to the pavement. He was taken to the St. Vincent hospital. His wounds are not serious.

The gas tank in the automobile of Fred Young, an eastern Oregon rancher, exploded last evening at Sixth and Yamhill streets. "The fire department was called and the blaze soon extinguished."

MASTER GRANGER TELLS FARMERS HOW TO BALLOT

Washington Farmers Are Advised to Support Initiative and Referendum, the Recall and Better Roads Campaign.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pullman, Wash., June 8.—The 22nd annual convention of the Washington State Grange, now in session here, is well attended and much interest is shown. Nearly 600 delegates are present and every county in Washington is represented. Forenoon, afternoon and night sessions are being held. There will be no election of officers, except a lecturer. All state officers, elected last year, hold office for two years. The lecturer resigned and his successor and the board of directors are to be elected at this session. Little business was transacted yesterday.

Today the grangers have been busy. Beginning at 10 o'clock, with a short program by the school of elocution of Washington State college, a secret session was held from 10:30 to 12. The afternoon session began at 1 o'clock and was taken up by State Master C. B. Kieley, of Palouse, in delivering his annual address, which occupied an hour. Master Kieley touched on all of the important matters of state and national legislation and urged the members to take an interest in public questions. He urged the postal savings banks, the parcels post, initiative and referendum, and the recall. He also urged the united efforts of all farmers' associations to secure legislation, both state and national, favorable to the farmer class, and for better roads.

This afternoon's session, after 2:30, will be devoted to secret work and the conferring of degrees upon a large class of candidates and tonight the fifth and sixth degrees will be conferred upon a number who have taken all degrees before those of the morning. A session here until 3:30 Friday afternoon.

GREAT THROG COMING TO ATTEND WOOL MEET

January 5, 6 and 7, 1910, have been fixed by the executive committee of the National Wool Growers' association as the dates for the next annual convention which is to be held in Portland. The Portland Commercial club was so notified yesterday through D. O. Lively, general agent of the Portland Stock Exchange.

"The coming convention should be one of the best attended ever held," said Mr. Lively this morning. "There probably will be over 5000 delegates here. It is up to the Commercial club and the citizens of Portland to see that they are properly entertained. The feature of the convention will be a sheep show at which between 3000 and 4000 sheep will be exhibited. The exhibit should exceed in excellence that of the convention in Oden last year, as Portland is more of a sheep raising center."

FIRE THREE SHOTS AT MAN WHO HUGGED WIFE

When Joseph Sanduski, 113 Knott street, returned home last night he found his wife in the arms of another man, who ran through a rear door. The angry husband fired three shots at the fleeing man.

The husband has warned the man not to visit his home, but despite this warning he took chances last evening when he knew Sanduski was over town. The wife promised her husband she would never see the man again.

PORTLANDER WILL RUN AGAIN FOR CONGRESS

Salem, Or., June 8.—George S. Shepherd, of Portland, today filed with the secretary of state his declaration of intention to become a candidate for congress from the Second congressional district. He adopted as his slogan "Deep water to the land" and says if elected will work assiduously for it. He was candidate for the same position at the last election. This is the first declaration filed by any candidate.

BOTH SIDES FIRM IN METAL STRIKE

More Small Employers Join With the Larger—Unions Claim 1600 Men Out.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Los Angeles, June 8.—No sign of yielding was evident today in the camp of either faction in the metal workers' strike and a long struggle is anticipated.

Officers of the Founders and Employers association, following a meeting last night, stated that 13 of the smaller machine shops of the city had cast their lot with the larger establishments, already members of the association, to fight the strikers. Thirty-seven foundries and shops, according to these officials, are now affiliated.

It is against the Founders and Employers association that the metal workers are making their strongest fight. They allege that no metal worker can obtain employment in Los Angeles except through the association and that none of its members is permitted to employ men directly. Union men, they allege, cannot secure work while they hold their cards, nor can employers accept positions carrying higher wages with other employers without first obtaining the consent of the association.

Fred L. Barker, president of the Barker Iron Works, one of the largest establishments in the city, admitted today that scores of letters had been received from metal workers in eastern and middle western cities who want to come to Los Angeles to take the places of the dissatisfied men. Many of these, he said, had been employed.

Barker expressed the belief that less than 800 metal workers had joined the strike.

Union officials remain firm in their statement that at least 1600 men are out.

RANCHER'S WIFE SAVED FROM BRUTAL ASSAULT BY HER FAITHFUL DOG

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Bernardino, Cal., June 8.—To the faithfulness and courage of her dog, Mrs. J. D. Hoover, wife of a rancher, probably owes her life. The animal drove away a man who attacked Mrs. Hoover near her home last evening, and his barking attracted the attention of the woman's husband, who came to her assistance. The man who attacked Mrs. Hoover is supposed to be an escaped inmate of the state insane asylum at Highland. He beat her into unconsciousness and with a knife had stripped the greater part of her clothing from her body when the dog bounded down a road from the ranch house and sprang upon him. Mrs. Hoover was badly bruised, but sustained no serious injury. Officers at the asylum and county officials in this city were notified of the attack.

Two posers are on the man's trail.

GOHL STILL IN JAIL; TRAVELING GUARDSFEW

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Aberdeen, June 8.—Owing to the large number of prisoners that have to be taken to the penitentiary at Walla Walla, and the fact that there are but two guards to do the work, William Gohl is still in the county jail at Montesano. It is expected, however, that he will probably be taken to Walla Walla to begin serving his life sentence the first of next week. He has a law library and a typewriter which he wishes to take with him, and will probably be allowed to do so. It is reported that he is thinking of writing his autobiography in his leisure time.

CURTISS PROPOSES NEW YORK TO BOSTON

(United Press Leased Wire.) Boston, June 8.—Desirous of excellent his recent flight from Albany to New York by aeroplane, Glenn H. Curtiss is considering a flight of 217 miles from New York to Boston. He plans to make three descents on the journey.

STANDPATTERS TO FIGHT LAFOLLETTE AND ALL HIS KIND

Meeting at Milwaukee to Plan Campaign for Utter Extermination of Insurgents the Country Over.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Milwaukee, June 8.—Republicans in Wisconsin have gathered today for a meeting expected to check "insurgency" in Wisconsin. The distinct purpose of the meeting is to fight the renomination and election of LaFollette to the United States senate.

It is generally believed here that the meeting is being engineered by Washington politicians and that it is the beginning of a determined fight against the spread of insurgent ideas.

LaFollette will be attacked, it is understood, because he has opposed the Taft policies. The meeting is expected to result in a renewal of the old fight between the progressives and the stalwarts in which LaFollette figured when he made his first race for governor and which has continued intermittently ever since.

Vice President Sherman and former Congressman James E. Watson of Indiana, ex-whip of the house and a close friend of Speaker Cannon, will address the meeting.

A platform will be adopted and candidates recommended for state offices, to be voted for in the coming primaries. The indications are that Governor James O. Davidson will be endorsed by the "stalwarts" for reelection.

ANOTHER PIONEER REMOVED BY DEATH

Mrs. Lucina Coffin, 91 years old, widow of General Stephen Coffin, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Powell, 265 Eleventh street, at 3:30 Monday afternoon. Mrs. Coffin was one of the three original owners of the townsite of Portland and in 1861 was the brigadier general of the Oregon state troops.

Mrs. Coffin is survived by four children as follows: C. H. Hill, Orling, Wash.; Mrs. W. S. Powell, Portland; J. W. Coffin, Springfield, Or.; and E. C. Coffin, whose address is not known. Three generations of Mrs. Coffin's descendants were present at her bedside.

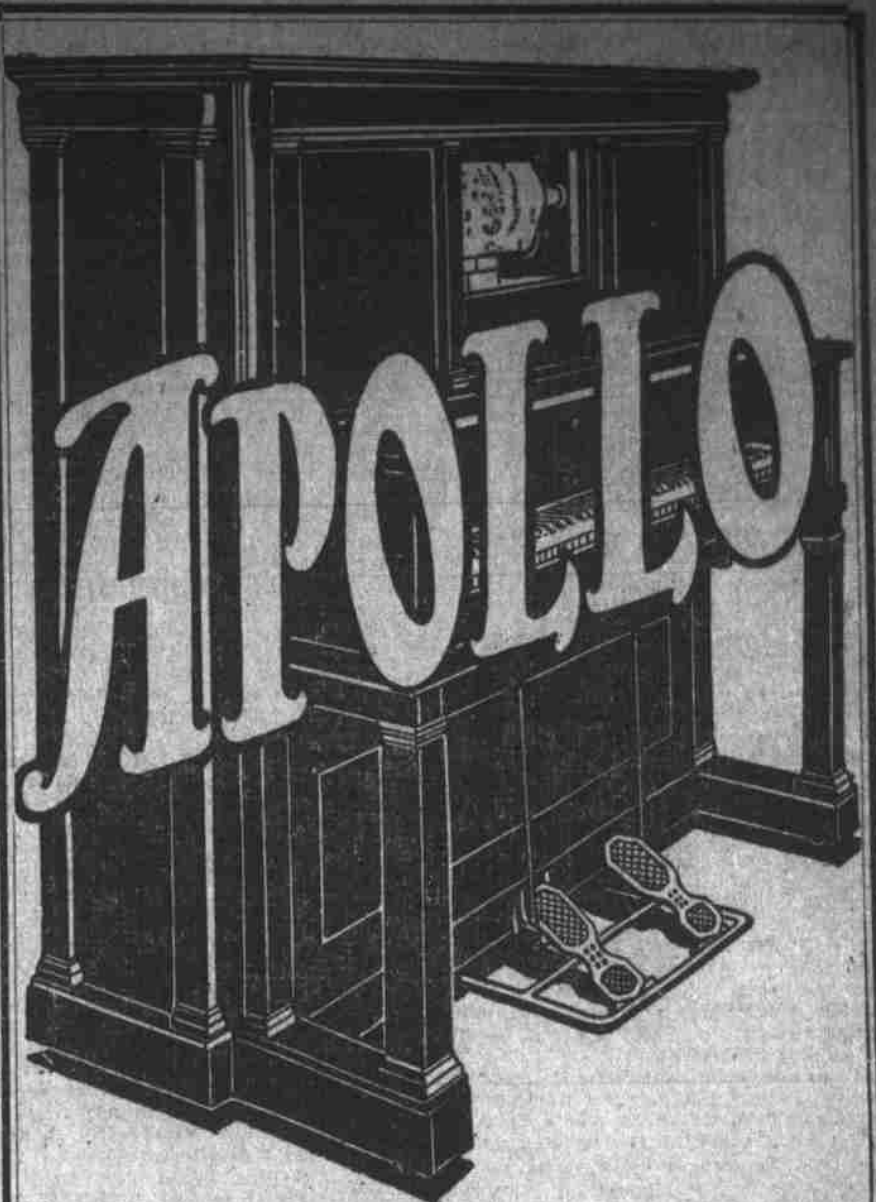
A funeral service was held yesterday afternoon at the Powell residence. Dr. Benjamin Young officiating. The body was taken to Dayton, Yamhill county, for interment.

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An unusually handsome exhibit of the products of the Pendleton woolen mills is on display in a sixth street window of Meier & Frank's. Among the products of the mill shown is an elegant bath robe, which was fabricated to order for James J. Jeffries.

Major Lee Moorehouse, who is in charge of the exhibit, has arranged a typical Umattila Indian tepee, a brave arrayed in a gorgeous Indian blanket and numerous Indian relics, as a setting for the display, which includes bath robes, Indian robes, fine white blankets and steamers.

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