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ELEVENTH HOUR ARRESTS BLOCK STRIKERS PLAN

Six Hundred Men and Women Taken In Raids; Russians Head Movement

(By United Press)
 A nation-wide revolutionary plot in the United States, alleged to have been fostered in Russia, has been frustrated by federal agents, it was announced in Washington today.
 The uprising which is said to have been planned to start with general demonstrations today, apparently was averted through a series of raids by department of justice operatives in nearly a score of cities last night and early today, in which close to 600 men and women were arrested.
 The revolutionary movement, according to government officials was directly in charge of the Union of Russian Workers, declared to be "more radical than the bolsheviks." Organized in Petrograd, it was said to have 7000 members in this country who were ready to establish their own form of government as soon as the United States government had been destroyed.
 According to government officials, quantities of arms, gathered in preparation for the revolution, was seized in the raids. It was regarded as significant that most of the prisoners were Russians.
 By Ralph F. Conch
 (United Press staff correspondent)
 Washington, Nov. 8.—Raids upon radicals which began last night constitute the beginning of a nation wide campaign by the government to suppress the Union of Russian Workers.

COURT ORDERS UNION LEADERS TO WITHDRAW STRIKE ULTIMATUM

MINERS GIVEN UNTIL TUESDAY TO END TIE-UP

Judge Anderson Fim In Stand Rebellion Charged of Striking Men

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 8.—Officials of the United Mine Workers of America today were ordered by Judge A. B. Anderson to withdraw their orders closing 400,000 members to strike.
 The judge also made the restraining order preventing them from furthering the strike by a temporary injunction.
 The union leaders were allowed until 6 o'clock November 11, to withdraw the strike order.
 The judge interrupted arguments of attorneys for the miners to state that his mind was made up on the questions involved.
 Considered Rebellion
 "I think this is the most lawless thing I ever saw in my life," he said. "I consider this rebellion. That is what it is."
 "The government is supreme, even to labor unions," he said.
 The judge declared the strike would result in "irreparable injury."
 "The government alone stands to lose millions of dollars through lack of coal supply," he said.
 The judge said that he did not think the question of when the war ends a just issue in the case.
 Charges Politics
 "It is a political question," he said, and the courts must follow the statutes.
 "The Lever act applies to the very thing these defendants have done. It is in force until the war is legally ended. The war has not been officially ended."
 The judge would not permit attorneys for the miners to present their arguments.
 When he said his mind was made up that the act was in force Attorney Warrum said:
 "I am through," and sat down.
 Statements Useless
 William Rooker took up the miners' arguments, but Judge Anderson said his statements were useless.
 At the opening of the arguments Attorney Warrum asked that the hearing be postponed for one week.
 "The questions at issue are of such vital importance to the whole country that they must be settled immediately," Judge Anderson said.
 Union officials refused to comment following the decision.

LABOR WARNED TO RID ITSELF OF RADICALS

Senate Committee Reports To Congress On Findings Of Investigation Of Steel Strike Today

By Raymond Clapper
 (United Press staff correspondent)
 Washington, Nov. 8.—Warning that labor must rid itself of ultra radicalism if it expects to hold the nation's confidence, and recommending legislation to minimize danger of strikes and industrial conflict, the senate labor committee today made a report to congress on its investigation of the steel strike.
 The committee asserted employees should recognize the right of collective bargaining and that labor must select for its leaders only those whose Americanism is above question.
 "Reds" used the steel strike to further their interests, the committee charged. It expressed regret that President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor had not more firmly dealt with "reds" in his own organization.
 The committee's program of legislation to guard against further industrial commotion follows:
 1.—Establishment of a body similar to the war labor board with power of compulsory investigation, large powers in mediation and conciliation, but no authority for compulsory arbitration.
 2.—Americanization legislation.
 3.—Federal aid, as an encouragement to home owning, this being considered an antidote for unrest.
 4.—Revision of naturalization laws to require immigrants to learn English within five years after arrival in this country.
 5.—Enactment of strict laws to curb anarchists and revolutionists.
 The committee criticized William Z. Foster, strike leader.
 "There is no place in this country for either industrial despotism or labor despotism," the committee declared. "Strikes are a relic of barbarism, but at present strikes are apparently the only way for labor to secure even its just demands if employers refuse to grant them or to submit to arbitration. It is not to the credit of our nation that no way has been devised to settle these disputes outside of strikes."

Wets Win Ohio By One Vote In 1,000,000 Cast

Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—Figures indicated today that the wets had a majority of one vote of nearly 1,000,000 cast on Ohio's ratification of the national prohibition amendment with practically complete, though unofficial returns for the entire state.
 The figures, compiled in the office of the secretary of state, follow:
 For the measure, 492,925;
 Against it, 492,926.

COAST LABOR HEADS OPPOSED TO COOLIE HELP

Jordan Plan To Import Chinese For Farm Work Is Attacked; Standards Held Jeopardized

(United Press)
 Representative labor leaders of the three coast states today went vigorously on record as opposed to the plan of Secretary of State Jordan of California for importation of Chinese coolie labor for farm work.
 Jordan plans a trip through these states of California, Oregon and Washington to sound out public sentiment on his plan to memorialize congress for admission of Chinese labor for farm work only.
 Here are some of the statements of labor leaders:
 "We couldn't under any circumstances agree to the admission or use of any form of Asiatic labor."—President Murphy of the California State Federation of Labor.
 "All thinking men will vigorously oppose the plan."—President Hartwig of the Oregon State Federation of Labor.
 "I am opposed to importation of any cheap labor."—William J. Coates, Washington state labor leader.
 San Francisco, Nov. 8.—Clasping the employment of Chinese coolie labor for farms as the worst form of economic slavery, officers of the state federation today vigorously opposed Secretary of State Jordan's plan for the importation of Chinese coolies as a solution of the farm labor problem.
 "We couldn't under any circumstances agree to the admission or use of any form of Asiatic labor," Daniel C. Murphy, president of the state federation of labor, told the United Press today.
 "Recently Secretary of State Jordan came to me with the proposal that Chinese coolie labor be admitted for work on the farms. But I certainly didn't admit that his plan might work."
 "There is no necessity for admitting Orientals and we do not want them here," Murphy said.
 Portland, Or., Nov. 8.—"All thinking men, whether or not they belong to labor unions, will bitterly oppose any plan to import coolie labor for work on farms—or any other place," Otto Hartwig, president of the Oregon Federation of Labor, told the United Press this afternoon.

Wilson Wears Gray Sweater With Rip In It

Washington, Nov. 8.—President Wilson is still wearing his old gray sweater and a rip in the shoulder has not been darned, according to Senator Hitchcock, who visited him.
 The president was wearing this sweater when the king and queen of Belgium visited him and it was said he tried vainly to hide the rip.

RED CROSS WORKERS SOLICIT ON STREETS TO BRING UP QUOTA

Leaders in the third Red Cross roll call were soliciting subscriptions personally on the business streets of the city today, in an effort to bring Marion county's quota up to standard. The returns up to noon were \$1524, which, with the exception of one rural district is all from Salem.
 Mrs. Frances Cornell has taken charge of the campaign affairs at the academy and Mrs. I. N. Smith has taken the matter in hand at the feeble minded school. Mrs. Lewis Griffith is managing an extensive territory assigned by Mrs. E. Cooke Patton, Mrs. Edgar Hartley, Mrs. C. H. Robertson, Mrs. F. M. Spencer and Mrs. Thomas Kay. Mrs. F. G. Bowersox, with Mrs. Glenn office acting as her lieutenant, is covering the section from Mission street to the city limits.
 The district of which Mrs. John McNary was captain, assisted by Mrs. George Waters and Mrs. T. S. Smith, has been completely canvassed and the returns sent into headquarters.
 Mrs. Harry Hawkins, in charge of the supplies and returns, at the office in the postoffice building, was confident this morning that the first of the week would witness the renewal of the drive with increased enthusiasm, and that Armistice day would mark the close of a campaign as successful as the preceding ones.

ART LEAGUE PLANS TO HOLD SEVERAL MEETS

The art appreciation department of the Salem Art League, will meet at the public library Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Tuesday, the regular monthly meeting of the entire league will be held in the library and a special program of varied interest, has been prepared by the different departments.
 A special invitation is issued to all residents of the city who are interested in art, literature and music, to attend the meetings.
 Thursday evening, in the studio of Elma Welton on North Liberty street, the music department of the league will enjoy another Schubert evening, at which works of the great master will be reviewed.
 Monday, November 17, the interior decorating department will meet at the home of Mrs. W. P. Babcock to discuss matters of professional importance.

CITIZENS OF NORTH SALEM DEMAND MORE POLICE PROTECTION

Three hundred residents of north Salem, meeting in enthusiastic session at the North Salem Improvement Association's meeting at the Highland school last night, demanded "more and better" police protection for citizens. The vote on the resolution, presented by Benjamin R. Perkins, was unanimous.
 During the discussion on the resolution one old man arose in the throng and shouted for "more and better" police protection.
 "I'm glad that there is one man in the city who has nerve enough to fight the mayor," said Perkins.
 In presenting the resolution Mr. Perkins lauded the members of the council who were not afraid to fight for right in spite of the majority.
 Sewage Inspection Asked
 Mr. Perkins also submitted a resolution inviting the city health officer to make an investigation of sewage conditions in North Salem. It passed with equal support.
 Mrs. Dr. E. E. Fisher spoke at length on playgrounds, and urged that the old woolen mill site be utilized for this purpose. James Elvin, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. also spoke in behalf of the playground for children, declaring it was one of the things that Salem should count most important in its plans of development.
 An enjoyable entertainment was given preceding the business session.
 Two of the largest property owners on Hazel street, Mrs. J. N. Smith and Mr. Presnell, requested approval of the association of the paving of Hazel street, the question of width being left to the discretion of the city council.
 The paving of this street and of Front street were heartily endorsed by the association without a single negative vote.

NEW CLAIM METHOD WORKS TO SUCCESS

The application of a new and more expeditious system of handling the claims of injured workmen has enabled the state industrial accident to dispose of a total of 613 more claims during the month of October than were filed.
 According to the monthly report of the commission just issued there were a total of 2682 reports—of which 16 were fatal—reported during October. In the same period a total of 3690 claims were disposed of.
 The new system, evolved by Commissioner Will T. Kirk through the cooperation of the heads of various departments, not only insures promptness in the payment of claims of injured workmen but will enable the commission to overcome the heretofore rapidly mounting mass of claims which the department receives.
 A total of \$202,533.25 was received by the commission during October and \$129,346.95 disbursed on claims of injured workmen.
Last Of Yanks In France To Be Home By Christmas
 Paris, Nov. 8.—The last American doughboys in France will be home for Christmas, General Connor announced today.

THIEVES ABANDON CAR; FLEE SOUTHWARD

George V. Hovendes, Hubbard, will leave soon for Cottage Grove to recover his auto, stolen several days ago by a man believed to be Garland Brooks, 19. According to information received here by the sheriff today the auto was abandoned at Cottage Grove, and the thieves, stealing bicycles, continued south. They were last seen going through Roseburg, after muddy roads made the use of bicycles impossible.
 Mr. Hovendes, who had employed Brooks, returned from Portland to find the auto and Brooks gone. Brooks is believed to have stolen the car. Who the other youth is who was seen with him at Roseburg is not known by authorities here.
 Young Brooks is a parole violator from the state reform school. He is said to have been implicated in numerous petty thefts before.

PRESENTATION OF FLAG TO BE EVENT OF ARMISTICE DAY

One of the principal features of the Armistice day celebration will be the presentation to the local post of the American Legion, of a huge silk flag, by the citizens of Salem. Major W. Carlton Smith will receive the gift from the hands of Mayor Otto Wilson. The flag, four by six feet, will be trimmed with a two inch gilt bullion fringe. It will be elaborated with a gilt tassel and cord, will have a walnut pole with a tube joint and brass eagle head, and be supplied with a patent leather belt, rain cover and carrying strap.
 Money for the purchase of the flag is the surplus from the fund of the national league of women's service, which, during the period of the war, conducted tag sales, and received private contributions for the purpose of supplying fruits and delicacies to the men in Oregon and Washington camps and hospitals. Mrs. Walter Spaulding, Mrs. Russell Catlin and Mrs. R. E. Lee Steiner, Salem representatives of the league, have decided that this is the most appropriate use to which the surplus money could be put, and are responsible for the entire idea.

Patent Signed By Lincoln Is Recorded Here

One of the most historic and interesting papers ever to be filed at the county recorder's office, was entered on the books there this morning. It was a patent from the United States government to Private Captain John W. Bacon, Nesmith company, Oregon militia, to 160 acres of land, now known as the Bacon donation land claim, signed by Abraham Lincoln.
 The patent was given to Captain Bacon January 25, 1862. It was brought to the recorder's office by the Salem Abstract company to file in clearing up title to a portion of the Bacon claim.
 In spite of its age the document is still legible and shows little wear.

What's Matter With Salem

What is the matter with Salem people? What kind of a citizen are you? Why are the Red Cross solicitors meeting with such poor success? It is reported that a great many people in Salem are unwilling to enroll their names with the Red Cross and it would appear that they are too stingy or too un-American, or just plain ignorant of what the Red Cross has done and is doing at this time or stands ready to do whenever and wherever the necessity arises. It is almost beyond belief that a solicitor should have the door shut in her face when she calls at the better class of homes in Salem to ask that the owners of that home enroll their names with the Red Cross.
 Mr. Man or woman in Salem who has refused the Red Cross solicitor your name and one dollar (no more is asked of any one), just what do you think of your action? Do you stand ready to say to the world that you do not want this great society to go on with the work of mercy? Are you so stingy or so ignorant of the work this society has accomplished that you feel that it is not necessary to support it?
 I can tell you why I am for the Red Cross—can you tell me why you are against it?
 (Signed) J. F. HUTCHASON,
 Advertising Manager Third Red Cross Roll Call.

RESIDENT OF TWENTY YEARS PASSES AWAY

Abner John, 85, for 20 years a resident of this city, died at his home, 2295 North Fifth street, nearly this morning. The body is at the undertaking establishment of W. T. Rigdon company and will be forwarded Sunday morning to Albany for burial and funeral services.
 Mr. John was born in Ohio. He came to this city from Albany. He leaves three grandchildren, Paul John and Mrs. Maude Jones of this city, and Mrs. Charles Hlatt of Albany.

HOUSING MASS MEET TO BE HELD IN CHURCH

Due to the fact that seating capacity in the city hall is not considered large enough to accommodate the crowds expected to attend the public mass meeting called for Tuesday night in the interests of the housing campaign, the meeting will be held in the Methodist church, State and Church streets.
 Will E. Purdy, back of the mass meeting movement, after a conference with representatives of the Ministerial Association, secured the use of the church for that night.

SHIP SALE ORDERED

Washington, Nov. 8.—The house today, by a vote of 238 to 8 passed a bill ordering the sale of all shipping board vessels to American interests.