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NATIONWIDE STRIKE  
OF RAILROAD SHOP  
WORKERS IS CALLED  
BY LABOR LEADERS

Walkouts Occur at Many  
Points Because Settlement  
Promised July 1 Has Not  
Been Made

## WILSON TAKES HAND

Wilson Asks House to Post-  
pone Recess Until Definite  
Action Is Taken on Wage  
Increase for Railroad Men

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—By Associated Press.—The Federated Shopmen's Union today called a nationwide strike of railroad shopmen. Walkouts occurred at Boston, Philadelphia, Denver and elsewhere immediately, and all shopmen will soon be out, it is declared. The strikers say the railroad administration promised a settlement of their claims by July 1, so that they deferred action; but the administration had failed to fulfill its promise.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—A hundred thousand railway shopmen in this district and 30,000 in the Atlanta district struck today for higher wages.

WANTS RECESS POSTPONED  
President today asked Speaker  
left of the house to postpone recess  
until definite action has been taken  
on the request that congress set  
up a committee to pass upon wage  
increases for railroad employees. The  
increases asked by the men now are  
said to total \$500,000,000 a year.

Members of the shopmen's union in this city, who are affiliated with the Portland local, have received no orders to strike. There are about 75 members of the local here. A telegram was received today from the director-general of the railroad administration stating that settlement of the matter is under consideration and asking the local members to stay on the job. No strike is expected here.

Anthony Austin Better—  
Anthony Austin, who was reported as being in a serious condition yesterday, took a change from the better and is greatly improved today.

Not Craft Improving—  
Friends of M. R. Craft will be pleased to learn that his hand is healing up and that he is on the road to rapid recovery. Dr. R. B. Wallace reports that he will be able to be out in about a week.

Pollocks Leave Today—  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pollock and family, Mrs. Wallace and daughter, Mrs. Vesta Fuller, left this noon for Newport for their outing.

Miss Trask Home—  
Miss Zoe Trask, who has been sojourning at Newport for the last fortnight, returned home Wednesday evening.

Home from Vacation—  
Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Churchill returned last evening from a month's vacation spent at New Era, Oregon.

Passed Through—  
Paul Hauser of Hauser Bros. of Salem passed through Albany this morning.

## NEW CLASSIFIED

FOR RENT—40 acres of improved land, all in cultivation, 6 miles north of Albany. Call T. D. Gilbert. 144

FOR SALE—1 1915 Overland, 1 Reo with electric lights, and a 1-ton truck. Highway Garage, Inc., salesroom 306 W. 24 St. 2117

FOR SALE—1917 Ford touring, fine shape, lots of extras. Phone 402. 1229

FOR SALE OR RENT—Four and one-half acres just outside city limits. Terms easy. Call Sharp & Powell, 230 W. 1st St. Phone 122R. 1278

FOR SALE—Ne modern bungalow at 629 W. 9th St., \$4,000, on monthly terms, \$25 per month. Beam Land Co., 133 Lyon St. 122

FOR SALE—Young fullblood white Pekin ducks. Price \$4 a pair. Phone 4F43. S. R. Yutale, R. 1. d124wa58128

High Cost of Living won't get you if you trade at East Albany Grocery. Del Monte solid pack Tomatoes Saturday 10c; standard can 10c per can. 21

3 pkgs. Spaghett, Noodles, Macaroni, etc., for 25c. East Albany Grocery. 21

STATE TROOPS IN  
CONTROL AT CHI.

Riots Believed Ended; Death  
List Reaches 32  
People

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—By A. P.—State troops are in full control of the city. The riots are believed ended. The death list has reached 32.

NO MORE FOREST  
FIRES REPORTED

No more forest fires have been reported today. This noon Forest Supervisor C. C. Hall went to Detroit to look over the field and to superintend work that is going on. All fires that are now burning are under control and no more trouble is expected for the present. The rangers in the field have done fine work in their first encounters of the season.

RUNAWAY GIRLS  
ARE TAKEN BACK  
TO STATE SCHOOL

The two girls who were brought in from the Dave Bones place at Plainview by Sheriff Kendall yesterday were taken to Salem last evening by an official of the Girls Training school, from which they escaped. The girls were taken before Judge Bilyeu, where they gave their names as Moore but the name is thought to be fictitious. The girls were poorly dressed when they arrived, having walked from Salem; but a well-dressed crew and some money were found on them. They are being held for their trial.

ROBBERY AT EUGENE  
STARTED BY SHERIFF

Chief Catlin received a dispatch from the sheriff's office at Eugene this morning that three denuded parlor of Eugene had been robbed of from two to three hundred dollars worth of gold leaf used in dentistry work; also that a house at Irvin was robbed yesterday at 2 o'clock by a common hobo. The family was in the harvest-field and at about 2 o'clock in the afternoon a man about 22 years of age, of light complexion, wearing a dark hat and coat and blue overalls, was seen leaving the premises. On the return of the family it was found that an Elgin gold watch, a child's bank containing \$1.80, and a ladies' purse having \$18 had been taken.

Chief Catlin reports a thorough search of the knights of the highway last night with no results as to the location of the criminal.

MISS HAZEL SMALL  
MARRIES SGT. CHASE

Mrs. H. M. Palmer leaves for Portland tomorrow to attend the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Hazel Small, to Sgt. Charles Chase of the old 3d Oregon. The wedding is to occur at the home of Miss Small's mother in East Portland. Mrs. Palmer will also spend a few days visiting at the home of her daughter in Seattle, Mrs. Rockford.

## Bryant Park Activities

Bryant Park is rapidly becoming one of the most popular places in the valley as most every night a number of tourists camp in the park and picnics of some kind are on the program every evening. Last evening six picnics were in session during the evening by various groups of friends or organizations of the city.

## MEETING POSTPONED

Organization of Fair Association to Be Delayed Until Farmers' Work Slacks Up

The meeting of the Central Willamette Valley Exposition association, which was to have been held Saturday afternoon to complete organization for a permanent fair to be held in this city, has been indefinitely postponed.

Not entirely postponed, however, but put off until more farmers who are interested in the enterprise can leave their bumper harvests and attend the meeting. The fair is being organized especially for the purpose of exploiting the resources of Linn county, and it is desired to have as many farmers present as possible. The date for the meeting will be announced in due time.

Dr. Cox Returns—  
Dr. W. A. Cox returned last evening from Portland where she has been visiting her mother. While gone she made a trip to Mt. Hood. 21

FEDERAL RESERVE  
BOARD SEES SMALL  
HOPE FOR RELIEF  
FROM HIGH PRICES

July Report Notes Increases  
in Many Lines and Board  
Expects Continuation of  
Prevailing Level

## COMMITTEE IS NAMED

Cabinet Officers Appoint  
Body to Consider Means of  
Reducing Costs; People  
Disposed to Accept Prices

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—By Associated Press.—A committee to consider means of reducing the high cost of living and report to the President Monday, was today appointed by a conference of cabinet officers at the office of Attorney-General Palmer.

The federal reserve board's monthly review forecasts no relief from present high prices. It notes that July saw increases in many lines and says there is a disposition to accept the present price levels, and expects continuation of the prevailing level for some time to come.

Attorney-General Palmer said that one suggestion for reducing the cost of living was that the government sell this year's wheat crop at market price, to be determined by the law of supply and demand and make up the guarantee to the farmers out of the billion-dollar fund appropriated for the wheat crop by congress.

To Probe Shoe Costs  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The house commerce committee favorably reported the resolution for a federal trade commission inquiry into the present skyrocketing price of shoes.

President Wilson today accepted the resignation of F. W. Taussig, chairman of the U. S. tariff commission. Mr. Wilson asked congress to create a special investigating commission to pass on wage increases for railway shopmen and other employees.

Is in Bad—  
Oren Backus, who is now the husband of Miss Jomelli, grand opera singer, is being sued for non-support by his former wife in Portland. The first wife alleged that a court decree failed to live up to a month alimony. Backus is said to be ill at his home in Oakland, Cal. Miss Jomelli, who is well remembered here, is now teaching music in private at Berkeley and at the University of California.

Prather Threshes Wheat—  
Cleye Prather of Benton county finds that he has some increase in the production of wheat over last year. On a piece of land from which he threshed 114 sacks last year this season he has threshed 541 sacks of wheat, or a gain of 427 sacks, which is typical of many other cases in the production of grain this year.

Baby Is Born—  
Fine baby boy was born Wednesday evening to Rev. and Mrs. A. W. McFarland. Rev. McFarland occupied the pulpit at Grace Presbyterian Church during the three month absence of Rev. A. M. Williams in California.

Moving Family Here—  
Charles E. Barclay, who recently purchased the Kenton Cash Store with J. S. Webster, yesterday moved his family to Albany from Corvallis. He has purchased a residence on Montgomery Street. Messrs. Barclay and Webster are planning many changes in their business and will start improving the store next week. Mr. Barclay is an expert candy maker and will manufacture candy for the whole sale and retail trade. Mr. Webster has been living in Albany for more than a year, having had a contract for making tent pegs during the war.

Left for Newport—  
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Livingood and daughters, Katherine, Ruth and Helen left today for Newport where they will spend their vacation.

Andersons Coming Back—  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Anderson are expected to arrive in Albany from Alaska about September 1, according to a letter received by Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pirtle from their daughter.

Former Albany Girl Visits—  
Mrs. W. L. Gilchrist, nee Miss Elma Elkins of Fresno, Calif., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Elkins.

On Way to Newport—  
J. A. Neil Murray and children of Portland, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. John Dooley, left this noon for Newport to visit the former's sister, Mrs. Vavanaugh. Mrs. Murray was formerly Miss Minnie Luger of this city.

WORSHIP OF GOD  
IS ACT OF SOUL

Dr. White Interprets Sunday  
School Lesson for Dem-  
ocrat Readers

By Rev. W. P. White  
The subject will be "Worship,"  
founded on the following passages of  
Scripture: Matt. 6.5-6. John 4.1-10,  
10-24. Hebrews 10.19-25. Rev. 7.9-12.

In teaching this lesson one is inclined to confine himself to the 4th chapter of John and open up the splendid lessons of the Samaritan woman; but this lesson is not about Jesus and the Samaritan woman; it is about the worship of God.

I. Worship Defined  
It is a definite act of the soul toward a supreme being. The worship of God is the soul bowing down in absorbed contemplation of Himself and His divine attributes. The term is used today in a very vague, and general and unscriptural way. We speak of the whole service of the Lord's Day morning and evening as "public worship," but there is much in these services that is not worship. Reading the Bible, listening to a sermon, asking God for the things we need, may lead to worship, but these things are not worship. It has been well said that "In prayer we are occupied with our blessings, in worship we are occupied with God Himself."

God would not have us less occupied with our needs, or present them less to Him. Neither would He have us less occupied with thanksgiving, but I am sure He would have us more occupied with Himself in intelligent worship.

In this busy age, when men are so occupied with themselves, with their business, with their families, with their sorrows and their joys, it is pleasing to God and good for the soul to bow our souls in absorbed contemplation of what He is and what He does.

II. The Object of Worship  
I have already indicated the object of worship. In the passage in the Revelation, chapter 7, we are told, "They worshipped God." "Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God and Him only shalt thou serve." But our worship is of God as He is revealed in Jesus Christ. Jesus said, "I am the way the truth and the life; no man cometh to the Father but by Me." "No man hath seen God at any time, the only begotten Son who is in the bosom of the Father, He hath declared Him." There is no acceptable worship offered to God unless it is through Jesus Christ. A denier, or an unbeliever in the deity of Christ cannot worship God. All so-called worship rendered by unbelievers is heathen worship.

Moreover, true worship, the worship acceptable to God, is the worship that the Holy Spirit inspires. (Phil. 3.3.) We must cast ourselves on the Holy Spirit to lead us in our worship. It is all right to say, "meg shall worship God, but in these days that is very indefinite. The Bible distinctly tells us who the God is whom we are to worship, and makes provision whereby we may worship "in spirit and in truth."

III. The Necessity for Preparation on the Part of the Worshipper  
1st.—There must be a knowledge of Jesus Christ as our Priest. Hebrews 10.19-22.

2nd.—The heart must be in tune with God. Heb. 10.22.

3d.—We must shut out "things" and be occupied with God alone. Matt. 6.6.

IV. The Place for Worship. John 4.23, 24

In the Old Testament dispensation the place set apart for the worship of God was the Temple, and even then some of God's choicest saints worshipped Him everywhere. But Jerusalem and in the Temple was the place appointed for worship. In this dispensation the body of the Christian is the temple of the Holy Spirit. The body is the temple of God. 1 Cor. 6.19-20.

We have absolutely no authority in Scripture for dedicating a church building. It is not a holy place. It is only a meeting house for a holy people.

God is with us all the time. He is as truly with us in business and home and social life as He is at the communion table as we take the emblems of the broken body and shed blood of Jesus Christ.

The great privilege of this dispensation is that under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, Christians may "practice the presence of God."

What is needed these days is a greater God-consciousness in daily life, more adoration and praise of an ever-present God who has been made known to us in the person of His Son, and made real to us by His Holy Spirit. And that is worship!

To Leave Saturday—  
D. P. Mason and Daughter, Miss Flora Mason, and granddaughter, Miss Carolyn Cannon, will leave Saturday on their annual vacation at Newport.

Circle Returns Home—  
Mrs. Harry B. Cline and child, returned yesterday from Newport where they have been for the last two weeks.

LENINE TO RESIGN  
IS WORD RECEIVED  
AT STOCKHOLM, HAS  
PLANS UNDER WAY

Bolshevik Minister Reported  
About to Begin Drastic  
Change in Policy and Then  
Retire; Trotsky to Stay

## SUCCESSES REPORTED

Soviet Statement Says 'Red'  
Troops Defeated Allies in  
Onega Sector; Russians  
Defeat Bolsheviks

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 1.—By Associated Press.—The Svenska Dagbladet has information it says, that Nikolai Lenine, Russian Bolshevik premier, intends to inaugurate a drastic change of policy and then retire. The one condition of his retirement will be that Leon Trotsky, war minister, be left in command of the 'Red' army.

Today's soviet official statement reports successes for the Bolsheviks in the Onega sector, near Archangel. It says the Bolsheviks advanced 14 miles aided by a mutiny among the allied troops.

Gen. Denikine Rout Bolsheviks  
LONDON, Aug. 1.—Gen. Denikine, the Russian commander, has gained an important victory over the Bolsheviks and captured the town of Kamishin, on the Volga. Five thousand Bolsheviks, nine guns and large quantities of material also were taken.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The volunteer army of Gen. Denikine, anti-Bolshevik leader, is reported to have scored another signal success, capturing the city of Poltava and stores of munitions there.

JOLLY PICNIC IS  
HELD IN PARK

Probably one of the finest picnics of the summer was staged in Bryant Park last evening when a real bunch of the best young people of the city congregated for an evening's entertainment on the banks of the river. The program consisted of a 'community swim', a big bonfire, a weiner-wurst roast and many other stunts too numerous to mention.

Those in attendance as far as reported were: Heulah DeLancey, Leo Cox, Ella Kroschell, Jennings Cox, Anna Hofflich, Claire Hunt, Lucille Longbottom, Kenneth Burnett, Kamilla Kroschell, John Tate, Thelma Burnett, Howard Salander, Iantha Smith, Floyd Scott, Wilma Junkin, Gilmore Hectur, Grace McCallev, Lois Neberwall, Elton Gildow, Walter Gilbert, Ruth Lockner, Lawrence Moore, Rita Dowlin, Lloyd Johnson and Mrs. Glen Junkin and Mrs. Anderson, who were the chaperones of the occasion.

NO MORE OPEN SEASON  
ON ELK IN OREGON

"There is to be no shooting of elk in Oregon during the year 1919."

Such was the declaration made by State Game Warden Carl D. Shoemaker, who has received a number of inquiries as to the date of the opening of the season for hunting elk. In order that the misunderstanding may be corrected, the game warden explained that the 1909 law protected elk until Aug. 1, 1919, but this law was repealed by the 1913 legislature and perpetual protection was provided for this noble animal.

"There will be no open season on elk in this state at any time unless the legislature fixes one at some future session. We only have a few elk in the state and an open season would kill practically all of these off," said Mr. Shoemaker.

Returned Home—  
Lee Anderson returned home last evening from San Francisco where he has been for several weeks.

George Dooley has received his discharge from the marines and arrived home last evening from Mare Island, morning on his way home after spending ten days at Cascaidia.

Here From Montana—  
Ernest Howard of Loma, Montana, is here for a two weeks' visit with relatives. He reports the crops are badly damaged by the heat.

Mrs. J. R. Baltimore and Mrs. E. L. Humphrey expect to go to Ashland tomorrow for a visit and vacation.

ANTI-JAPANESE  
RIOTS REPORTED

HONOLULU, Aug. 1.—By A. P.—Serious anti-Japanese disturbances are reported at Tsi-Nan-Fu, capital of the province of Shantung, China, recently awarded the Japs by the peace conference. The commander of the Chinese garrison declared martial law. For several months the Chinese have boycotted the Japanese, refusing to deal with them.

HAYS IS NOT TO  
BECOME CANDIDATE

BROOKVILLE, Ind., Aug. 1.—A. P.—Will H. Hays, chairman of the republican national committee, announced today he will not be a candidate for the governorship nomination. He will continue in his present duties.

BELA KUN TO GIVE  
ANSWER AUG. 5

VIENNA, Aug. 1.—A. P.—Bela Kun today told those seeking to establish a new government for Hungary other than his Bolshevik regime that "it was a contest between a lion and a mouse." But he promised to give answer to their demands by Aug. 5. The conference was upon Hungary's frontiers.

GOLDEN RULE DAIRY  
BEGINS BUSINESS

Jay Palmer, who has been working for Henry Stewart in his dairy since his return from the army overseas, closed his labors last night and entered into partnership with his father, H. M. Palmer, in the dairy business beginning Aug. 1. They have bought some additional fine milk cows and with the equipment and practical experience they have in the dairy business the public is assured of first class service in every respect. Mr. Palmer and son were engaged in the dairy business prior to the war but closed out on account of Jay joining the army and no help being available to continue the business. The dairy will be known as formerly, the Golden Rule Dairy.

Returns from Shedd—  
Margaret B. Morrison and daughter Margaret returned home last evening from Shedd where they visited for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Powers.

Leaves for Mountains—  
R. N. Torbet, E. W. Albers, Roy Parker and Hi Torbet left this noon for Detroit with all the field artillery necessary to capture anything that breathes the breath of life in the Cascades. The boys will pack in to the lakes and make a general survey of the beauties of nature, camp out for a few days and eat what fish they may be able to find in the lakes.

Captain and Mrs. R. R. Knox visit—  
Captain and Mrs. R. R. Knox visited between trains at the S. P. depot today on their return from Cottage Grove to Portland where they will remain for a few days before returning to Albany.

Tangent Visitors—  
Mrs. Oro Ireland and Miss Ross of Tangent were Albany visitors this afternoon.

Visited Over Night—  
R. A. Conn of Salem came up last night to visit Toney Austin, who is reported very low. Mr. Conn returned to Salem this noon, expecting to return tomorrow.

Visits at Scio—  
Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Holdredge left this noon for Scio where they will visit relatives and old friends. Mr. Holdredge recently bought a home in Albany which he will occupy in the near future.

Miss Richards Visits—  
Miss Verrina Richards, of Portland, is visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Earl Fortmiller.

## FORGER IS CAUGHT

Clever Detective Work of Chief Catlin Leads to Recovery of Money

Through the clever detective work of Chief of Police John Catlin, the young man who last week forged checks on three local merchants has been apprehended and the money returned to the owners. Worth's Department Store received back their \$35. M. Sternberg & Co. \$25 and the J. C. Penney Co. \$50.

The young man, whose name the stores promised to keep a secret, became known to a well-known Albany family and is said to have never done anything wrong before. The day he forged the checks he went to Corvallis and was married and then took his bride and went to Portland, where he secured work in one of the shipyards. Out of respect to the family and considering that it was a first offense, the stores refrained from prosecuting the case when the return of the money was promised.

MARSHALL SUBMITS  
PROCTOL TO PEACE  
TREATY WITH HUNS  
TO SENATE TODAY

Explanations of Treaty Are  
Agreed to in Exchange of  
Memorandums Laid Before Senate

## LETTERS ALSO GIVEN

Senator Lodge Puts Copy of  
Treaty Between 'Big Five'  
and Poland Into Records;  
Other Washington News

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—By Associated Press.—The protocol to the German peace treaty, defining explanations of the treaty agreed to in memorandums exchanged between German and allied plenipotentiaries, was laid before the senate today by Vice-President Marshall.

The documents were presented by the President yesterday but were too late for submission until today. Explanatory letters from the President and Sec. Lansing were attached.

Poland Treaty Submitted  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Senator Lodge put a copy of the treaty between the 'Big Five' powers and Poland into the senate records today. The treaty is alleged to have been signed at Versailles June 28 and submitted to the British parliament two weeks ago.

New Treaty Proposed  
LONDON, Aug. 1.—The British foreign office announced negotiations under way with the United States for a new commercial treaty. The text will soon be laid before parliament, the Daily News says.

France to Ratify Treaty  
PARIS, Aug. 1.—Ratification of the German peace treaty was decreed today by a vote of 34 to 1 of the special peace committee.

Lacombe Locals  
LACOMBE, Aug. 1.—Special.—The health of the community is improving. There are now few cases of smallpox and all are convalescing.

Mrs. G. W. Soule of Lacombe was very pleasantly remembered last Sunday. It was her 73d birthday and about 30 of her friends called to express good wishes and to leave remembrances. Lunch was served.

Another very enjoyable meeting was at the home of James Burton of Jordan Valley Sunday. Mr. Burton had forgotten it was his birthday but 24 relatives and friends remembered it. A bountiful dinner was served and a very pleasant day spent. Those from this neighborhood present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wirt and children, Mrs. T. M. Downing and daughters Zelma and Carrie and son Earl, and Mrs. Chas. Clark.

Rev. S. L. Boyce and family spent Wednesday at W. C. Skelton's. Visitors from a distance are Mrs. Ostrum and daughter from Nebraska who are visiting at Jno. Johnson's; Mrs. Alice Pomeroy from Idaho, at O. E. Pomeroy's; W. C. Conser's and Clyde Pomeroy's.

Lyman Smal of Crabtree, who has been in the navy for more than a year has returned and brought a charming bride from Virginia. They were guests of honor at the home of Enoch Shelton Sunday. Mrs. and Mr. O. E. Pomeroy and Mrs. Alice Pomeroy of this place had the pleasure of being among the guests. Lyman has many friends here who unite in extending kind wishes to him and his bride.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid held a pleasant meeting with Mrs. C. C. Cox on the afternoon of the 24th. Wool picking was the work of the afternoon. Mrs. Cox served a refreshing lunch at the close of the afternoon.

Jas. Conner, an aged resident of the neighborhood, is suffering from a complication of ailments. He is at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. T. Nave.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Fitzwater and daughter Lillie and Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Burrell and children were Waterloo visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Ostrum and daughter and Mrs. Louise Bothner were Salem visitors Thursday.

Infant Dies at Shedd  
Elva Louise, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McCormick of Noti, died last night at Shedd. She was 24 days old.

From Oakland, Calif.—  
Mrs. F. M. Maxfield of Oakland, Calif., was an Albany visitor today on her way to Alsea Valley to visit with her son.