

# I. W. W. Strikes in Washington Fails

## SHINGLE MILL OWNERS PLEASSED

SMALL PER CENT OF EMPLOYEES WALK OUT WHERE LARGE NUMBER IS COUNTED UPON. FIFTEEN MILLS CLOSE

SEATTLE, Wash., July 17.—With less than 4,000 out of 40,000 employees striking, the lumber shingle mill owners of Western Washington have branded the strike by the Industrial Workers of the World as a failure.

Only fifteen mills are now closed. The reason assigned by the people of Western Washington for the failure of the strike is that so few of the Industrial Workers of the World are really workers, and that when they are called out on strike they form such a small proportion of the employees that the result is generally a fiasco, insofar as handicapping the work is concerned.

## TERMS OF PEACE NAMED THURSDAY

GERMANS EXPECT NEW CHANCELLOR MICHAELIS TO TAKE A DECIDED STAND AT THE REICHTAG ON THURSDAY

COPENHAGEN, July 17.—Berlin dispatches say that a majority of the reichstag plans to present peace terms resolutions at the meeting on Thursday.

A demand has been made of Dr. Michaelis, the new chancellor, that he accept this principle.

The chancellor is now working night and day on the program speech which he expects to make at the meeting of the reichstag.

## I. W. W. LEADER TAKEN AT DORRIS

IS FOUND AFTER SEARCH HIDING IN FREIGHT CAR — FEDERAL DEPUTIES HAVE LEFT TO RETURN HIM TO CITY

Carl Iwigdim, an alleged I. W. W. leader here, has been captured at Dorris, and federal deputies from here left late this afternoon to take him into custody. He was reported in that vicinity, and a search was rewarded by discovering him in a freight car.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donart will leave tomorrow for a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Donart's sister, in Portland.

Marion Nine of the Nine Lumber company at Bray, Calif., is here for a short business visit.

D. Bowman from Plentywood, Montana, a brother of C. R. Bowman of the Klamath County High school, is visiting Klamath County. The two brothers have been fishing at Spring Creek, and intend going to Crater Lake in a short time. Mr. Bowman is interested in the mining business in Montana.

## Dramatic Critic Passes Away



William Winter, the most famous American dramatic critic, who thru the columns of the New York Tribune, made himself known all over the world, is dead in his 81st year.

## NO AUTOS NOW BY STATE BANK

ORDINANCE FORBIDS PARKING ON EAST SIDE OF FIFTH BETWEEN KLAMATH AND MAIN FOR MORE THAN 20 MINUTES

The city ordinance prohibiting the parking of automobiles along Main street and other streets for a period of over twenty minutes was last night extended by the city council to include the easterly side of Fifth street between Klamath avenue and Main street.

This block is a very popular one for the parking of cars during business hours, and with both sides filled with cars it interferes with the fire truck getting thru, especially on a hurried call.

## CAR STRIKE ON SEATTLE LINES

MOTORMEN AND CONDUCTORS HOLD UP TRAFFIC FOR RECOGNITION OF THEIR UNIONS. AGITATED FROM TACOMA

SEATTLE, Wash., July 17.—With street cars are running on the Puget Sound Light and Power company owing to a strike of 1,600 motormen and conductors for recognition of their Union.

The strike was precipitated by a strike of the Tacoma employees of this same company.

Mrs. William Maguire and daughter Helen, who are spending the summer at the Pelican Bay logging camp on Upper Klamath Lake, are in town for a few days.

# All Deputies Report Tomorrow Morning at Nine

## CITIZENS COM. IS NOW MADE A PERMANENT BODY

TOWN RESPONDS TO CALL FOR PROTECTION LAST NIGHT

Housing Meeting of Large Crowd of Citizens at Court House Shows Spirit of Community — Stirring Talks Are Made—Charles F. Stone Is to Head the Permanent Organization.

Redoubled efforts will be made by loyal citizens to protect the homes and industries of this city. This was clearly demonstrated last night at a meeting at the court house, at which about 200 were present.

The idea of the meeting was to effect a permanent citizens' committee to cope with the serious local situation.

The meeting was called to order by W. P. Johnson, who delivered a brief, stirring address on the critical position in which the community is placed and on the necessity, in view of the national call for men at the front, for those at home to be prepared to meet all emergencies that may arise in a capable manner.

The temporary committee, which has headed the citizens' movement thus far, retired in order that a permanent organization might be created, and Charles F. Stone was selected as chief executive of the reorganized body.

A nominating committee then withdrew and made the following recommendations for an executive committee to act with Chairman Stone: Frank Ward, C. J. Ferguson, W. S. Wiley, Harry Stiltz, Dr. R. R. Hamilton, J. A. Gordon, O. W. Robertson, Bert Withrow, Harry Telford and Charles Riley. Bert Withrow was elected executive secretary.

Joe Smith was elected chief of Police and Sam Walker assistant chief of the citizens' committee. All those present then signed the roll of the committee, and stand ready for call for whatever duty may be selected for them by the executive board. A session was immediately called of this board following the meeting, and plans for immediate moves made.

## NO BOOZE FOR PORTO RICO NOW

DISTRICT GOES DRY AT ELECTION YESTERDAY BY OVERWHELMING MAJORITY — ONE TOWN VOTES NEARLY 900 TO 1

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, July 17.—With sixty-two out of seventy-six municipalities reported, yesterday's elections showed Porto Rico voted for prohibition by more than two to one. Cavey, a mountain summer resort town, voted over 2,000 for prohibition and only sixteen against it.

## RUSS CABINET FUSSES WHILE ARMIES ADVANCE

SLAVS MAKE SUCCESSFUL GAINS IN GALICIA

Cabinet Torn by Disagreement of Policies—Four Ministers Resign Following Controversy—Believed That Many Will Now Join Russ Forces in the Successful Drive on the Eastern Front.

By Associated Press. Russian armies are continuing their vigorous offensive in Galicia. Other groups of their countrymen are apparently ready to spring into action at various points along the 800-mile front.

Meanwhile Russian governmental affairs are ruffled with a cabinet disagreement. Four ministers, including Minister of Finance Shingaroff, have resigned because they object to policies decided upon by other ministers in Ukraine, which desires independent government. It is hoped that the resignations will be withdrawn.

## BERNSTORFF IS DANISH MINISTER

FORMER AMERICAN AMBASSADOR IS SENT TO COPENHAGEN. DID NOT SUCCEED SECRETARY ZIMMERMAN, AS EXPECTED

PARIS, July 17.—A Zurich dispatch says that Count von Bernstorff, former ambassador to America, has been appointed German minister to Copenhagen.

It had been previously reported that Bernstorff was a candidate to succeed Foreign Secretary Zimmerman, who resigned recently.

## SOCIALIST RIOT QUICKLY HALTED

DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT ARE SHORT LIVED—SEVERAL ARE KILLED AND WOUNDED

PETROGRAD, July 17.—Two demonstrations against the government resulted in the firing of shots in the Nevsky district about midnight.

A number were killed and wounded by the firing, apparently as a result of stray shots, which started the panic. The demonstrators turned the rifles and machine guns among each other.

Quiet was restored after a few minutes. The majority faction of the social democratic party organized the demonstration.

## Who Manages Selective Draft



General Enoch H. Crowder, provost marshal of the United States army, is managing the selective draft by which an army for service in France will soon be chosen. He has been very busy for weeks naming members of the local exemption boards.

## PROTECTION FOR CITY PAVEMENTS

ORDINANCE WILL PREVENT TRUCKS OF EXCESSIVE WEIGHT FROM BREAKING THE CITY STREETS

To protect the improved streets of the city from damage by heavy trucking, an ordinance was introduced and passed to second reading at last night's council meeting which prohibits the hauling of engines with corrugated wheels over any of the pavements. The ordinance further provides that no load over five tons, including the weight of the truck, shall be hauled, and that all loads of more than two tons must be on tires of four inches width or wider.

It is believed that with the passage of this measure a great saving will be made to the city streets. The ordinance was passed to second reading.

Captain J. W. Siemens has returned from a ten day visit to Portland, where he has been attending to matters of business. He reports a pleasant trip.

William Dalton, a prominent stockman of the Mallin section, is in the city today with his family.

## DRAFT COMMENCES LAST OF WEEK

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 17.—It is expected that draft drawings will begin Friday or Saturday. Ten states have not yet completed the organization of committees.

## ALL DEPUTIES REPORT

Sheriff George Humphrey requests that all deputies appointed bring their guns and report at the city hall at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

## AUSTRIA VOICES ITS DISCONTENT

PROMINENT CITIZEN DECLARES HATE OF WORLD DIRECTED AGAINST GERMANY, NOT AUSTRIA—MUST BREAK WITH ALLY

ZURICH, July 17.—The Austrian reichsrath was thrown into an uproar on Saturday when the former Czech minister, Herr Praechek, declared the hate of the entire world was directed against Germany, and that Austria should detach herself from her ally, says a Vienna dispatch.

"How are we to obtain peace?" demanded Herr Praechek. "If we cling to the German side? Must we continue to submit to the German militarism that has drawn us into this war?"

The speaker declared that Czech deputies had been imprisoned for attempting to bring about an alliance of Austria with Russia and France, and added that if they were to be stigmatized as traitors, then all Czech who believed similarly should be so stigmatized.

## GREAT NAVAL VICTORY WON

ELEVEN SHIPS Routed IN BATTLE JUST REPORTED

Telling Blow Is Struck at the Enemy's Sea Forces in Big Engagement. Three Ships Returned to Port, Four Were Captured, and Four More Are Sunk.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 17.—A dispatch just received from Ymuden says that British destroyers in the North Sea have sunk four ships of the German fleet, captured four and forced three to return to Rotterdam.

The captured vessels are small. The three beached were badly damaged by gun fire.

## E. T. SHEPHERD AWAY ON TRIP

Good conditions prevailing in Klamath County are evidenced in the report of the sale of five grand and player pianos recently by Earl T. Shepherd. Some of the instruments run as high as \$1,000 in value.

Mr. Shepherd left today for his annual tour of Eastern Oregon, and will be away several weeks. Mrs. Shepherd will not accompany him at this time, but will remain in Klamath Falls.

## \$30,000 LOSS AT MOJAVE, CALIF.

STRANGER IS HELD BY AUTHORITIES ON ADMITTING THAT HE WAS IN BUILDING WHERE THE FIRE STARTED

MOJAVE, Calif., July 17.—One-third of the business section of Mojave, including the postoffice, a newspaper office, the telephone exchange and telegraph office were wholly destroyed by fire. A stranger giving the name of J. O. Day, said by the authorities to have admitted he was in the building of the Mojave Press, where the fire started, is under arrest.

Otto Haas, the postmaster, entered the burning postoffice in an attempt to save a big bag of mail, and was caught under falling timbers. He was dragged to safety by firemen after his feet has been seriously burned.

According to the officers, Day was left in charge of the Mojave Press office by W. J. Evans, the editor, who left town for a vacation a few hours before the fire was discovered. Day was arrested, the officers said, as he was walking along the railroad away from town. It was also asserted by the officers that they discovered yesterday that a fire hydrant across from the burned buildings had been tampered with.

Day, the officers said, admitted responsibility for the fire, but maintained it was the result of the accidental dropping of a lamp in a bucket of gasoline. He denied having touched the fire hydrant, they said.

## AVIATION BILL RUSHED THROUGH

SENATE MILITARY COMMITTEE REPORTS FAVORABLY WITHOUT AMENDMENT—FOOD BILL TEMPORARILY SET ASIDE

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 17.—Another speed record in considering the \$40,000,000 aviation program bill passed last Saturday in five hours, was made today when the senate military committee at a 45-minute session unanimously ordered a favorable report without amendment.

Leaders hope to have the food bill temporarily set aside tomorrow. They expect to have the aviation measure passed with a brief debate.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hasenbeck have left for their home in Lawton, Okla., following a four weeks' visit with Sid Evans and family of this city. Mrs. Hasenbeck is a sister of Mrs. Evans.