

CHICAGO STRIKE OFF TODAY IS UNION REPORT

CHICAGO, Apr. 17.—The railroad strike here will be called off today, it was reported from the headquarters of the Chicago Yardmen's association this morning. Officials of the union are to hold a conference with a mass meeting of strikers this afternoon at which they will be told to return to work, it was said.

The men will be advised, it is reported, that their objective has been attained and that their wage demands will receive the prompt attention of the new railroad board.

The new union will continue, it was said, either with or without the sanction of the railroads.

CHICAGO, Apr. 17.—Hope for the settlement of the rail strike was apparently definitely lost today when the grand lodge officers, directors and trustees of the "outlaw" union reiterated their original demands before a mass meeting of union members and brotherhood officials and added new ones to the list.

PITTSBURG, Apr. 17.—At a special meeting of Baltimore & Ohio passenger trainmen, the men voted to return to work at noon today. Officials said this action would restore normal passenger traffic.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. J. J. Furber and children returned last night from Galesburg, Cal., where they have spent the past few months visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Seehorn left this morning for Susanville, Calif., to visit their new grand-daughter, who arrived last night in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lester Turpen.

Mrs. Henrietta Methase returned last night from San Francisco where she has been spending the past few months.

Mrs. C. C. Hogue has returned from San Francisco where she has been spending the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Anton Polivka.

Mrs. J. B. Johnson of Prairie City, Ore., arrived last night to spend the summer at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gerry Cozard.

Archie Henline has purchased a new standard Sport model Columbia automobile from J. H. Garrett and Son.

W. M. Montellus has purchased a new Columbia 6, special Sport model fully equipped, from J. H. Garrett & Son.

WEATHER REPORT

Oregon—Tonight and Sunday, fair; heavy frost in the morning; warmer in the west; northwest winds.

MICKIE SAYS

IT TAKES SUBSCRIPTIONS, ADVERTISING 'N JOB PRINTING TO KEEP TH' HOME PAPER TOOTING TH' HORN FOR THE OLE HOME TOWN. AN' THE MORE BIZNESS, THE MORE TOOT 'N TH' MORE TOOT, TH' MORE TOWN, SO DRAG IN HER BIZNESS



AMERICA NOT IN ON ALLIED CONFERENCE

SAN REMO, Italy, Apr. 17.—Whether the United States will be represented at the conference of allied nations called to meet here, was a question which had not been answered as the chief representatives gathered today for the sessions which are to begin Monday. The conference will have as a program an endeavor to settle the three or four great problems now disrupting Europe.

CROWD PLEASSED WITH CONCERT

(Contributed)

Houston's opera house was crowded to capacity last evening, the occasion being the third concert under the direction of the Musical Study Club.

Mr. Charles F. Bulotti, Mrs. Lillian Jeffry's Petri and Miss Alice Genevieve Smith gave a program of rare beauty.

These artists made their selections with a view to giving the utmost pleasure to their audience and that they succeeded left no room for doubt in the mind of anyone present.

Mr. Bulotti possesses a lyric tenor voice of unusual warmth and sweetness and throughout his range he displays remarkable power and ease.

Of the first group, "Oh Moon of My Delight," by Liza Lehman, was a thing of exquisite beauty and she thrilled his audience with his delightful pianissimo effects. He appeared at his best in the arias from "Elixir d'Amore" and "Rigoletto," and in these left nothing to be desired. Of the second group the familiar selection of "Then You'll Remember Me" was a final touch of tenderness and beauty. The last group of familiar ballads with the harp and piano accompaniments captivated the audience and will long be remembered.

Mrs. Lillian Petri is a musician of marked ability, the features of her playing are a soft singing touch—wealth of temperament and constant appreciation of the innermost meaning of the composition. The beautiful Liszt group was played with artistic restraint and classical feeling. The Nocturn in G by Chopin showed fine pianistic command and the "Witches Dance" was brilliant with dash and fire.

Mrs. Petri's work as accompanist was flawless.

Miss Smith was at her best and carried her audience with her. She combines the most brilliant musical skill with all the dramatic force. No other harpist has achieved the effective, yet difficult, performance of dramatic reading, at the same time supplying her own musical background. She was most gracious, responding to many encores. "The Last Rose of Summer" was a tone poem. A notable feature was the group of negro melodies which struck a responsive cord in her audience that brought repeated applause.

That the concert was more than successful was evidenced by the intense enthusiasm with which the artists were received and the numerous inquiries voiced as to a return engagement of the trio.

ENGLISH PREMIER IS CHARGED WITH MURDER

CORK, Apr. 17.—Charges of wilful murder against Premier Lloyd George were brought in the verdict of the jury at the inquest into the death of Mayor MacCurtain, assassinated last month, which was rendered today.

The verdict also charged Viscount French, lord lieutenant of Ireland, Ian MacPherson, former chief secretary and several police inspectors with murder.

U. OF C. WINS CLASSIC

OAKLAND, Cal., Apr. 17.—The University of California won the annual varsity boat race with Stanford on the Oakland estuary today by three lengths. The time for the three-mile course was 16 minutes, 25 2-5 seconds.

THE NEW SCHOOL SITE

Indications are that weather conditions will be ideal for a stroll out to the new school sites that are to be voted on next Wednesday. The Herald hopes that every voter in the city will go and make the inspection. The people of Klamath Falls have taken but a casual interest in school affairs in the past. It has been a case of let the other fellow do it. Fortunately for the district we have a bunch of pretty good "other fellows" on the school board and we have fared fairly well. But this may not always be the case and there never was a better time for the people to take an interest than right now.

The time is at hand when the district must plan for the future. The growth of the city makes it absolutely necessary for the removal of the Central school from its location in the heart of the business district of the city. That some of the children have not been killed or maimed for life has been almost miraculous and the danger of this is increasing every day—increasing so fast that not a day should be lost in furnishing other schools. The first step in this is the proposed school in the Fairview section. No better location could be found. It accommodates a wide and rapidly growing section of the city. Another site must be immediately selected half way between Fairview and the Mills addition school, and then the question of school sites will be settled for some time.

That is why we urge you to take an interest now. Get out tomorrow and show that you are really a part of the community life of the city; that you want to be a citizen in fact as well as in name; talk to your neighbors about it; acquaint yourself with all of the facts so that you can take an intelligent interest in the question. If there is anything about these sites that you think should be brought to the attention of the people of the city, write us and tell us about it. We do this so as to center your attention on it and that of your friends and neighbors and all of the people in the city. Let us stir up so much interest in this question that Wednesday will see cast the largest vote ever polled on any school question in this city.

Visit the two sites tomorrow.

Site No. 1, is the block bounded by Sargent, Donald, Fulton and Worden streets. The southern end of this block was for several years occupied by the Catholic church.

Site No. 2, is the block bounded by White, Donald, Lookout and Upham. This block is located at the corner where the turn is made onto the Shippington road. After the tunnel is passed you turn east for about a quarter of a block, then you turn north onto the Shippington road. Site No. 2 is the block at your left as you face Shippington and the one through which the deep cut is made.

DEDICATION OF CHURCH SERVICE

Formal dedication of the Presbyterian church will take place tomorrow evening at the church, with a special program, including a dedicatory address by the Rev. J. B. Seeley of Portland and music by a chorus that has been training for the occasion for several weeks. The music will be under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood Eberlein.

There is also a special program for the morning service, the Rev. J. B. Seeley delivering the sermon at this service also, with special musical selections from the best sacred compositions.

No appeal will be made for money, the Rev. E. P. Lawrence announces, but the congregation will be given the opportunity to give a voluntary thank offering. Following is the program for morning and evening services:

- Sunday Morning
- Prelude
 - Doxology.
 - Invocation — Lord's Prayer — Gloria.
 - Hymn No. 33.
 - Responsive Reading Selection 48.
 - Chorus — "Messiah" — And the Glory of the Lord — Handel.
 - Scripture Lesson.
 - Hymn No. 45.
 - Prayer.
 - Announcements.
 - Offertory.
 - Trio "Lift Thine Eyes" Angel Trio from Elijah, Mendelssohn — Misses Augusta and Gertrude Parker, Mrs. E. S. Veatch.
 - Sermon, Rev. J. Boudenot Seeley, Portland.
 - Hymn No. 62.
 - Benediction.

Sunday Evening

- Formal Dedication Service
- Prelude.
- All stand in silent prayer.
- Hymn No. 57 Coronation. (Green Hymnal).
- Responsive Reading, Selection 6 Psalm 24.
- Prayer, Rev. C. F. Trimble.
- Hymn No. 271.
- Dedicatory Service—Rev. J. B. Seeley.
- Dedicatory Prayer—Rev. J. B. Seeley.
- Hallelujah Chorus — Messiah — Handel.
- Scripture Lesson, Rev. S. J. Chaney.
- Announcements.
- Offertory.
- Chorus—"He Watcheth Over Israel."
- Sermon, Rev. J. Boudenot Seeley.
- Prayer.
- Hymn No. 62.
- Benediction.

UNIONS PLAN MASS MEETING

Organized labor of Klamath county will hold a mass meeting at Houston's opera house next Wednesday evening, open to every one, opponents and proponents of unionism alike, leaders of the labor movement here announced today.

Discussion of the aims and purposes of labor will be general, the labor men having volunteered to answer any questions that may be asked of them. The one scheduled address of the evening will be delivered by the Rev. F. C. Trimble, on the topic, "Labor."

All unions affiliated with the central labor council have voted in favor of the meeting plan and all are preparing to be present.

COURTHOUSE CASE ON TRIAL TUESDAY

The long delayed trial of the suit of J. D. Boaglund & company against Klamath county, and others, upon decision of which hinges the location of the Klamath county court house, appears to be at last definitely at issue and the trial, set for next Tuesday in the local circuit court with Judge Hamilton of Roseburg presiding, will be held on schedule. Attorneys for both sides have been busy with the final conferences during the last two weeks and both sides are apparently prepared to open the legal battle without further delay.

The case is one in which every taxpayer and every citizen of the county is interested and the trial will attract much attention.

EVANS' WIFE UNDER ARREST FOR PERJURY

MEDFORD, Ore., April 17.—Mrs. Lark Evans, former Portland and The Dalles woman, has been rearrested on a perjury charge after she had been bound over to the grand jury under \$500 bond at her preliminary hearing on the charge of larceny of an automobile. Her husband, who was recently convicted and sentenced to 15 years in the penitentiary on a robbery charge, is yet in the county jail.

She is charged with having committed perjury by testifying that she and Evans were married eight years ago in Tacoma. The case against her was then dismissed on a technical point. The county clerk's records at Tacoma were introduced showing that a license was issued October 12, 1912, to Mildred Coe, 18, a nurse of Portland, and Wallace Music, 23, an engineer of Morton, Wash. Medford school records were introduced showing that Lark Evans, then residing with his parents, was 14 years

MEXICAN TROOPS DENIED PASSAGE OVER U. S. SOIL

WASHINGTON, Apr. 17.—Senator Knox told the senate today that he was informed that the state department had refused the request of Mexican officers for a permit to transport anti-Carranza forces in Sonora.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 17.—Mexico's request for permission to send troops through United States territory has been referred by the state department to the war department. State department officials said today that the request came from high officials of the Mexican army and not from the Mexican government.

Society

Mrs. James Watkins was hostess at an "Apron Shower" Friday afternoon to the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church. The afternoon was spent in games and at the close delicious refreshments were served. The hostess was assisted by the following ladies: Mesdames Fred Garish, C. V. Fisher, Lawrence Phelps and W. J. Steinmetz. Besides those mentioned the following ladies were present: Mesdames Stenwell, Durbin, Hardenbrook, Jester, Andrew, Nitschlem, Lewis, Wood, Higgenson, Skillington, McDonald, Mills, Guthrie, Momyer, Stewart, Bryant, Douglass, Goss, Halloway, Satterlee, Whitmore, Brown, Chilcote, Belding, Chayne, Fry, Maiers, Hutchins, Meredith, Noel, Howie, Phelps, Roberts, Fisher, Peltz, Steinmetz, Garish and Watkins, Master Melvin Howie, Master James Watkins and Misses Margaret Douglass and Barbara Douglass.

Mrs. W. H. McPherron left yesterday morning for a visit of several weeks to her old home in Nebraska. She went by way of the southern route and will stop for a short visit with her parents who reside in Oakland, California.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Charles F. Stenwell entertained Mrs. James Watkins, Mrs. Fred Garish and Mrs. Gerry Cozad at her home on Ninth street. After cards, which entertained the guests during the afternoon, dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Charles Poindexter will entertain at her home next Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Lee Sutton.

The Musical Study Club is entertaining at the home of Mrs. F. H. Mills on High street in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bulotti, Mrs. Bulotti's mother, Mrs. Gleason, Mrs. Lillian Jeffry's Petri and Miss Alice Genevieve Smith. Mr. Bulotti, Mrs. Petri and Miss Smith, who appeared at the Musical Study club's final season concert last night, will each give a short talk on a musical topic.

Mrs. Bert Carl Thomas is entertaining this afternoon, complimenting Mrs. Robert Davis, a recent bride, who was Miss Cora Simon.

ELECTRICALLY LIGHTED SIGN FOR NEW CHURCH

A new electric sign, six feet high, forty inches wide and five inches through, has been installed by the Presbyterian church. The sign stands on a pedestal on the corner of the church lot at Sixth and Pine streets and the message it conveys is as follows: "The First Presbyterian church, Rev. E. P. Lawrence, pastor."

PLANT MORE SPUDS

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Apr. 17.—With potatoes selling at an exceptionally high price, many farmers in the Sacramento valley are increasing the acreage. In the Sutter basin alone, a recently reclaimed tract, 500 acres have been planted to spuds.

old and October 12, 1912, was a student. Miss Ferguson, a Medford teacher, testified that Lark Evans attended her school.

SCANT NOTICE GIVEN CITY IN WATER HEARING

The state public service commission has announced that a hearing will be held at the courthouse here next Tuesday, April 20, for the investigation of the practices, regulation and service of the California Oregon Power company in this city, in connection with its water and electric utilities.

Complaints have been pending before the commission for the past eight months, charging inefficiency of service of the water supply to Mills addition and the Hot Springs district, and these and other complaints that are lodged and any others that may be forthcoming will be heard Tuesday, unless a continuance is secured.

J. H. Carnahan, city attorney, announced today that he would seek a continuance for ten days or two weeks, asserting that he was not given notice of the hearing until late in the day on April 15, which leaves him scant time to prepare his case and rally witnesses.

"I am informed that notice was served on the power company last Monday," said the city attorney "that the hearing would take place. In fact the manager of the power company so told me. I immediately wired the commission to this effect, pointing out that the power company attorneys have had several days to prepare their case and that the city could not adequately prepare its case in the time at its disposal, and that such crowding would be unfair to us."

"I asked at least 10 days' notice, but in a wire received yesterday afternoon I was informed that the commission's engineer was now in this city investigating the power company case and other cases which have been set for next week, and that the hearing could not well be postponed. The telegram stated that if it was shown at the hearing that a continuance was necessary it might be granted at that time."

Despite the short notice the city attorney is rallying his witnesses and will attempt to make a showing if the hearing is forced upon him Tuesday. The hearing is open to all interested persons and if any persons have complaints against the water or electric service, in regard to the efficiency and adequacy of supply, treatment by the company, or on any other score, have an opportunity to be heard Tuesday, and it would be well for them to be on hand Tuesday prepared to state their grievances.

The other complaints to be heard involve charges that certain crossings of the Southern Pacific company are dangerous.

KIRK NO POSTOFFICE POSTMASTER WARNS

W. A. Deltzell, postmaster, issues the following caution in regard to addressing mail:

Patrons of this office are again cautioned not to address mail to Kirk, Oregon. This is not a postoffice and mail cannot be accepted if so addressed. It is a daily occurrence for mail to be dropped in at our office bearing this address. Avoid delay and annoyance by securing the correct address from your correspondent, as to where he is receiving his mail. Presumably it would be either Chiloquin or Klamath Agency, or possibly thru one of the lumber companies here or at Algoma.

BABY DAUGHTER AT HOME OF MR. AND MRS. PIEL

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Piel of Shippington are the proud parents of a baby girl, who arrived last night at the family home. The young lady weighs ten pounds and has been named Emily Sue. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely.

PORTLAND, Apr. 17.—Karl Oster, convicted of criminal syndicalism, March 21, was sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary by Circuit Judge Morrow. Claude Hurst got two years and Fred Fry was paroled under a two-year sentence. All are members of the Communist Labor party.