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TORONTO WORKERS WALK OUT

Orders For Strike Of 15,000 Tradesmen In Ontario Are Put Into Effect At Early Hour Today.

CANADIAN SITUATION SHOWS NO IMPROVEMENT

Winnipeg, With No Indication Of Violence Appears As City Enjoying Prolonged Vacation.

Toronto, Ont., May 30.—(United Press.)—Orders for a strike of 15,000 workers in many trades in this city went into effect at 10 a. m. today, as leaders announced today. Strike notices were being rapidly distributed but labor men said the full effect of the walk-out would not be felt before tomorrow.

Mayor Church announced appointment of a citizens committee. He said the authorities, however, did not expect trouble. The mayor warned that agitators from Winnipeg must not attempt to come here.

Letter carriers decided not to strike. Street railway employees will take a strike vote Saturday night.

Situation The Same.

Ottawa, Ont., May 30.—(United Press.)—With the walkout of workers in many trades in Toronto today, the strike situation in Canada showed no improvement.

The trouble in Toronto has not all the aspects of a general strike, as many trades remained at work. Fifteen thousand men were ordered out, according to advices here, and 16,000 more were to vote on the proposition of striking. Arbitration of the workers' demands for a 44-hour week has been refused by the men.

The Winnipeg strike continued. A few civic workers returned to their jobs and an effort was to be made today or tomorrow to run street cars, but the general tie-up still held the city in a firm grip. Mail carriers who worked had mounted policemen as bodyguards.

Prince Albert, Sask., reported a walk-out of freight handlers and shop men.

Insurance Rates Soar.

Railway shops at Fernie, B. C., were closed and the city's light were shut off.

Four thousand miners quit at Lethbridge, Alberta.

Postal workers at Regina, Sask., refused to strike.

At Port Arthur and Fort William, Ont., citizens leagues were formed to "uphold constituted authority."

Rates on \$20,000,000 in riot insurance held by Canadian firms in Montreal and Toronto have been tripled.

Bookkeepers threaten to join the strikers at Hull, Quebec.

Citizens manned the fire protection.

Abe Martin.

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Rhineland Republic Is Declared Tuesday, Says Dispatch From Geneva

Geneva, May 30.—(United Press.)—The Frankfurter Zeitung states that a Rhineland republic was declared in Coblenz on Tuesday.

The newspaper adds that a general strike was declared immediately and that when the necessary demonstrations for an independent republic occurred, committees were formed in many parts of that region.

American intelligence officers in Coblenz, the newspapers say, are enforcing strict measures against demonstrations in favor of the republic. Two agitators are said to have been arrested at a street meeting in front of the railway station. Military police also broke up secret meetings in hotel rooms, it was said.

COMMITTEE OF NINE SELECTED TO PROBE CHARGES OF KEELEY

Governor Orders Investigation Of Industrial Accident Commission In Dibbern Case.

Following as a sequel to the recent unpleasantness between Attorney LeRoy K. Keeley of Portland and the industrial accident commission over the matter of a 40 per cent fee in the case of a client who was a claimant under the compensation act, there have been persistent efforts on the part of Keeley and others to discredit the work of the commission by circulating serious charges with regard to its operations. Consequently Commissioner W. A. Marshall has sent to the governor a request that a thorough investigation of the charges be made. In his letter to the governor he says in part: "I know, and it has been proven by the contract in which Keeley secured the agreement of a widow, a beneficiary under the compensation law, that she would give to Keeley as her sole right receive for the death of her husband, that the motives of Mr. Keeley are purely selfish and result from a desire to be revenged upon the commission."

"I nevertheless recognize the fact that a consistent campaign is being carried on to injure the work of the commission. This has created distrust in the minds of other citizens to whom the compensation law applies and because of this I believe that the issue should be met by a thorough going investigation in such manner as you may approve."

"If an investigation be held, I reiterate my previous promise to you to aid in every way possible."

Honoring this request, the governor announced that he would ask a committee of nine citizens to act upon such a committee, which should be constituted as follows: three members to be selected by the industrial accident association of Oregon; three to be selected by the state Federation of Labor, and three to be selected by himself as representing the citizens of the state at large.

Charges have been received in the executive offices of alleged wrongful administration of the affairs of the commission and a number of labor unions and similar organizations have asked that a searching investigation be made.

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AMERICANS PAYING TRIBUTE TO NATION'S WAR HEROES TODAY

President Gives Memorial Address at Suresnes; French Share Observance.

By Ed L. Keen
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Paris, May 30.—The seventy thousand heroes of the "silent army of democracy" passed in review in the hearts of America and France today.

Wherever America's sons had given their lives that liberty might live—from Flanders to the Vosges and from the Argonne to the ports of the Atlantic and Mediterranean—the homage of the two great nations was offered in simple, impressive ceremonies.

WAR VETERAN NAMED MULTNOMAH JUDGE

Jacob Kanzler Appointed To Preside Over Domestic Relations Court.

Out of a score or more of Multnomah county attorneys whose names have been pushed to the front by "admitting friends" as candidates for the coveted position of judge in the "domestic relations" court of that county, three have been sifted out by the committee of circuit judges and recommended to the governor as candidates. These are J. L. Hammerly, Martin Hawkins and Captain Jacob Kanzler. These three have been given due consideration by Governor Olcott and out of the trio he has selected Captain Kanzler, who has recently returned to America after a long and honorable service with the famous 91st division in France.

He has besides his record in France a long record of activity in national guard work. He has been a resident of Oregon for more than ten years, being for some time connected with the Portland Chamber of Commerce, and later practicing law in that city. His election to the office to which he has been appointed awaits only the formal opinion of Attorney General Brown as to the constitutionality of the act providing for the court of domestic relations.

District Attorney Evans of Multnomah county recently rendered an opinion to the effect that the law creating the new court, or parts of that law at least, is unconstitutional. The fact that a question has been raised as to the validity of the law will cause the governor to ask for the opinion from the attorney general, the executive assuming the position that it is better to determine this question at once, rather than to possibly create difficulties in connection with the functions of the act after its administration is under way.

Commenting upon the appointment, Governor Olcott expressed the opinion

RETAIL BUSINESS IN HEALTHY CONDITION

Trade Assuming Unprecedented Volume Federal Reserve Bank Shows.

Washington, May 30.—(United Press.)—Despite "abnormally high" prices retail trade throughout the country is assuming an "unprecedented volume," the federal reserve bank declared today in its monthly digest. General manufacturing is reported as showing a decided improvement.

"Practically uniform reports from all federal reserve agents point to a summer and autumn of unusual activity," said the report, "with many indications of business prosperity, especially in agriculture and merchandise, and to some degree in manufacturing."

Some points in the report are:

Retail establishments report business volume 96 per cent greater than a year ago in New York and from 25 to 50 per cent greater in Chicago.

Cool operators are "optimistic for the future," due to "a large accumulation of fuel," although output is 70 per cent below that of a year ago.

Progress toward normal is being made especially in big manufacturing centers where labor "is fairly well employed." New England cotton textile mills have made "notable" wage advances.

The April export balance was \$442,000,000.

Building shows a distinct revival throughout the country and especially in Chicago where permits showed a gain of 160 per cent compared with a year ago. Only in New York has building been retarded because of difficulty in obtaining loans.

Steel stocks are reported as having "materially advanced" in price despite reduced output at the mills. Activity is placed at 70 per cent normal in United States Steel corporation plants and 50 per cent in independent plants.

President Challenges League Opponents Over Graves Of Dead Heroes

By Lowell Mellett
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Paris, May 30.—Facing thousands of white crosses marking the graves of American soldiers dead in the beautiful little cemetery of Suresnes overlooking Paris, President Wilson today flung a challenge to the opponents of the league of nations, in the course of his Memorial Day address.

"You are aware that the standards of the old order are attempting to reassert themselves," the president said. Declaring that these standards are the roots of war he added: "Any man who so counsels is an advocate of the renewal of war, for if this is not the final fight there will be another which will be final."

The league of nations, the president said, is a covenant to insure that the men who gave lives in battle did not die in vain.

"The nation drawing out of this common agreement," he said, "would betray the human race. As union soldiers gave their lives for the freedom of the American nation, these men gave theirs for the freedom of the world."

Vancouver Workers Want Children Informed As To Truth About Bolshevism

Vancouver, B. C., May 30.—(United Press.)—Deciding that Vancouver school teachers and trustees lacked education on the Russian situation, the labor and trades council last night appointed a committee of five delegates to call on the teachers. They will threaten withdrawal of their children from schools if the Russian situation, particularly regarding bolshevism, is not taught to them correctly, say the delegates.

One delegate told the meeting that his children have been coming from school and informing him that the Russian revolutionists are "a gang of outlaws." Other delegates related instances where their children are being "misinformed" and discussion resulted in appointment of a committee to explain the "true situation in Russia" and ask that it be given the pupils in a fair manner.

WARDEN STEVENS AND PAROLE OFFICER ASK RELIEF OF GOVERNOR

Resignations Are Submitted Today; R. E. Lee Steiner To Be Temporary Head Of Penitentiary.

R. L. Stevens, warden of the state penitentiary, and Joseph F. Keller, state parole officer, both submitted their resignations to Governor Olcott today. The warden's resignation becomes effective immediately, at his own request. Mr. Keller will remain as parole officer at the penitentiary until July 1. He has been evolving out of ideas gathered from a number of states. At the request of Governor Olcott the parole officer will remain at the prison until July 1 to complete the new record system.

Superintendent R. E. Lee Steiner of the Oregon State hospital will succeed Warden Stevens at the penitentiary, only temporarily, however. State Treasurer Hoff was called in and an agreement reached that Superintendent Steiner may resign from the staff of the state hospital to take over the reins at the penitentiary until such time as a permanent selection may be made of his successor. When such selection is made Dr. Steiner will return to the superintendency of the state hospital, under arrangement by the board of control. While he is in charge of the prison Dr. J. F. Griffith, chief assistant to Dr. Steiner, will become temporary head of the state hospital.

Private Business Calls.

Warden Stevens, in submitting his resignation, stated to the governor that for many weeks he has had under consideration his leaving the institution. He has a number of personal matters which have taken his attention and is offering his resignation to the Governor stated that he was anxious to give his

Few Changes Made In Voting Places Since Last Election

Very few changes have been made in the voting places for the special election next Tuesday.

Voting in the fairgrounds precinct will take place at the new fire station in the fair grounds. This station has been offered by A. H. Lea, secretary of the state fair board.

In the city, voters in precinct 1 will cast their ballots in the basement of the United Brethren church, 17th and Nobles streets. Formerly the voting place was at the Promontory barber shop.

In precinct 12, Salem, the voting will take place at the home of E. H. Jory, 775 Mill street. The election board thought this location was better than the old one on 12th street.

At Shaw the voting place has been changed to Trumm's hall. The voting there was formerly in the Shaw school house.

The polls Tuesday will be open from 8 o'clock in the morning until 5 o'clock in the evening. Those not registered and entitled to vote may be sworn in by two free holders.

At each voting precinct, there will be two judges and three clerks for the day shift and the same for the night shift, beginning at 5 o'clock in the evening. The judges at each precinct select one party to deliver the ballot box to the sheriff. This must be done as soon as the votes are counted, or early the following morning.

CHANGES IN TREATY ARE ALL MINOR

Modification Of Terms As Requested By Germany To Be Slight And Confined To Few Sections.

ECONOMIC PROVISIONS ARE ADMITTED STIFF

Many Entente Delegates Of Opinion Clauses On Reparations Should Name Specific Amount.

By Fred S. Ferguson
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Paris, May 30.—Such modifications of the peace treaty as may be made in response to Germany's final counter proposals probably will be limited to the economic, reparations and territorial sections, it was learned from an authoritative source today.

Germany's contention regarding a plebiscite for upper Silesia are understood by the allies. There are many responsible persons, too, who admit the economic provisions are at least "pretty stiff."

Reparations Criticized.

The reparations plan also has been freely criticized. Many of the allied peace delegates are known to feel as the Germans declare, that the reparations clause should name a specific amount rather than take on the nature of a blank check—although there is no disposition to agree with the enemy that the amount should be only \$25,000,000,000.

There appears to be little likelihood that Germany will be immediately admitted to the league of nations, as the counter proposals demand. In the conference it was stated authoritatively that there is absolutely no chance of her ever entering the league with a mandate over her former colonies—she must consider her colonies lost irrevocably.

The Germans' refusal to give up the former Kaiser may or may not bring a renewed demand. Belgium has indicated an unwillingness to act as prosecuting witness in demanding extradition and if Germany will not request the return of Wilhelm, no indication has been given as to what plan will be followed in bringing this about.

Paris Papers Bitter.

While only three copies of the counter proposals were delivered to the allies yesterday, it was understood that 250 additional copies would be turned in today. The document contains about 180 pages, totalling 80,000 words.

The Paris newspapers were bitter today in their denunciation of the German communication.

"Lies and duplicity," declared the Echo De Paris. "Refusal to deliver

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