

BRITISH STRIKE HOLDS MENACE FOR U.S. TRADE

By Ralph F. Couch (United Press Staff Correspondent) Washington, Sept. 30.—American business men today are facing losses that may total \$10,000,000 daily from the strike of British railway men and the threat of transport workers to tie up all operations in the ports of the United Kingdom.

This is the value of merchandise now being manufactured and shipped daily from the United States ports. Part of these shipments already have been cut off by the order of the United States Shipping Board cancelling all sailings to ports in England, Ireland and Scotland.

The cost of living in the United States, on the other hand, may be considerably lowered.

Complete stoppage of all but a small portion of American exports is expected to come before the end of this week if British transport workers strike in sympathy with the railway workers.

American commodities now are being sold and shipped to the United Kingdom ports at a rate of nearly \$300,000,000 a month, or more than ever before, according to commerce department reports.

American manufacturers, farmers, cotton raisers, shippers and exporters will be hard hit by the halting of the stream of gold and dollars that has been pouring into American pockets since January 1, when war export came to an end.

Some of the British markets may have the effect, officials believe to reduce costs here of foodstuffs.

Farm products form the great bulk of the American exports to the United Kingdom. American farmers are now selling for export to the United Kingdom in these quantities: wheat, \$13,000,000; wheat flour, \$20,000,000; corn, \$500,000 and eggs, \$700,000 monthly.

Farmers, it is pointed out, also produce livestock which packers are turning into dressed meats and other products to ship in these quantities: hog products, \$37,000,000 monthly; canned beef, nearly \$600,000; hams and shoulders, \$23,000,000; condensed milk, nearly \$9,000,000 and lard and lard compounds, nearly \$14,000,000.

Some other principal shipments are \$2,300,000 worth of preserved fruits monthly; \$1,000,000 worth of steel billets and ligots, \$1,000,000 in knit goods and \$700,000 worth of canned salmon.

Women workers in the Sheridan cannery in some instances are earning as high as \$7 a day.

Ice Plant For Every Home Comes Next. Say Experts

An ice manufacturing plant in every household, located right in the family ice box, is one of the latest electrical possibilities, according to W. M. Hamilton who has just returned from attending the annual meeting of the Northwestern Electrical Light and Power Association held in Seattle.

The electricians claim that within a short time there will be placed on the market a domestic refrigerating plant, run by an electric motor which will drive a small machine that will produce ice, just as the big plants do.

In the ice box there will be cooling coils and the little machinery for producing ice. All that the housekeeper will need to do when ice is wanted, will be to turn on the switch which turns the motor of the machine which produces ice. The coils will soon be covered with frost and in another part of the box small cakes of ice will form.

Mr. Hamilton says the electrical experts say the home refrigerating plant will be ready for a commercial basis by next summer.

TAXES MUST BE PAID BY SATURDAY NIGHT

To avoid delinquency and interest payment of 12 per cent per annum, the second installment of taxes must reach the sheriff's office by Saturday evening of this week. The time officially expires October 6, but as this happens to be Sunday, Saturday is the limit. If taxes are not paid by November 1, there is an additional flat penalty of 5 per cent.

Sheriff W. L. Needham suggests that those who intend to pay this week should send their checks with the statement of taxes paid for the first half, or if this is not available, to find out from the sheriff's office the amount due and to remit by check. By so doing there will be avoided the grand rush of Friday and Saturday. Mr. Needham says that any checks mailed, on which there is a postmark of October 5 will be received although it will be a day or two later and possibly several days before the sheriff's office can catch up with the work and mail receipts. But the main thing is to pay by check, making it more convenient for all, Mr. Needham says.

W. W. Austen, superintendent of schools, and Philip Ashford, district attorney of Grant county, have resigned, claiming their salaries were inadequate for the support of their families.

CHILDREN FROM ALL PARTS OF U. S. ASK FOR SALEM BOOKLET

The open season is now on for the receipt of letters at the Commercial club from school children in all parts of the country, writing to western cities, asking for information, and pretty pictures and printed matter about all sorts of towns.

In recent years, in order to teach geography as it is and not as in school books, it has been the custom for the bright eyed pupils of the junior high schools and in lower grades to write for illustrated literature, tell all about the beautiful Willamette valley and the beautiful city of Salem, known as the city of magnificent distances.

At the Commercial club today was received the first inquiry which will be marked exhibit No. 1. The letter is from a boy living at Berkeley, attending the Franklin school and is addressed to the chamber of commerce, Salem, as follows:

"Our teacher told us to write and ask you if you would send us some of your pamphlets. Our school is writing to all parts of the New England states and all are anxious to know about them. My name is Herman Nelson. I am in the fifth B class. Our teacher's name is Mrs. Bogart. Please send us pamphlets that you may have containing information about the industries, products and attractions of your neighborhood. We are all anxious to hear from you and to see your pamphlets."

A letter from little Eunice Brown will be marked a hit No. 2. She lives at Sunnyside, Wash., and doesn't intimate that Salem is in one of the New England states. All Eunice wants is some scenic literature. Due to the fact that Salem has had no literature prepared for the past five years, the old pamphlet she will receive will make but little reference to the wonderful industrial conditions that have developed in this part of the valley since the fall of 1914.

Chinese Pheasants Will Be Plentiful Says Game Man

Notwithstanding reports to the effect that Chinese pheasants are scarce over the valley this fall, E. S. Hawkes, deputy game warden for the upper valley counties, says that during the past week in his travels over the country in his car he has seen many more of the birds than he expected to and he predicts that the hunters will have pretty fair shooting on October 1 and afterwards.—Eugene Register.

CLOVERDALE NOTES.

(Capital Journal Special Service.) Cloverdale, Or., Sept. 30.—Carl Wood, Sam Drager and Everett Wood joined Murry Person to go hunting in southern Oregon. They left here early Friday morning and word was received Saturday that they were at Roseburg that evening and found the roads fine all the way.

A. E. Kunko was a business visitor in Salem Friday.

Word was received from Albert Henz, who has been over in France that he is now in Camp Lewis and expects to be home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Farris are moving off their farm, either to go to Salem or Turner and their son, Ray, will take the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Limbo and family of Aulmsville spent Sunday at the John Thomas home.

Charles Cummings and family visited Salem Saturday.

Miss Violet Craig enters the Turner high school today. Two others Tina Weatherill and Ruth Drager will also enter school there soon.

Mrs. F. A. Wood spent Friday in Salem.

Miss Ethel and Violet Craig returned from the hop yards last week.

Mrs. Jessie Moore and daughter Ilene of Salem spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson attended the state fair on Friday.

MT. ANGEL LOCALS

(Capital Journal Special Service.) Fred Genesoider of Portland spent the week end at Unger.

Frank Lais and Mike Shaffer have returned home from several months' overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. J. Keber and family motored to the mountains above Silverton. N. J. Nickel family were also of the party.

Miss Marie Schmidt has returned from St. Paul, where she has been staying with her sister.

Tom Windishar, who, in partnership with his brother, Rudy, has a valianting shop in McMinnville, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

George Stadler also visited at home.

Miss Barbara Erwert spent a few days in Portland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Relling and son, Paul, have returned from Los Angeles, California, where they have resided for the past year. Mr. Relling will again take possession of his butcher shop.

DELEGATES ARRIVE ON EVERY TRAIN TO TIA D MEETINGS

Delegates from all parts of the state were arriving all day Tuesday to attend the 67th session of the Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, being held at the Methodist Episcopal church, State and Church streets, October 1 to 6. Led by Rev. Mr. Avison, of the Salem church, a staff of workers were busy placing the visitors in many welcoming homes about the city.

It is expected that between 300 and 500 delegates and laymen will attend the conference, which promises to be the biggest ever held in the state.

The program, from day to day, of the conference follows:

Wednesday, October 1 9 a. m. Opening session. Address by Bishop Hughes on "The Call to Evangelism." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Organization of the conference. Memorial service.

2:30 p. m. Anniversary of the Woman's Home Missionary society. Mrs. H. Peterson, presiding.

Address, "The Story of a Year's Work," Miss Olga G. Davis.

Address, "The Last Word From Our Conference Work," Mrs. M. B. Parou, nagian.

Address, "Wonderful Highway of Majestic Scenery," Mrs. Mary Cominsky Bliss.

7:30 p. m. Conference missionary sermon, Charles P. Johnson, presiding. Sermon, George H. Bennett, D. D.

8:30 p. m. Anniversary of the board of temperance, prohibition and public morals. Walter Skipworth, D. D. presiding.

Address, Clarence True Wilson, D. D.

Thursday, October 2 8:30 a. m. Message, "The Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God," Joshua Staunfield, D. D.

9 a. m. Business session.

10:30 a. m. Bishop's hour. "The Methods of Evangelism."

2:30 p. m. Anniversary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society. Mrs. D. C. Bevon, presiding.

Address, W. F. Ineson, D. D.

5 p. m. Seminary men's banquet, Leslie church. Secure tickets from Dr. Edwin Sherwood.

7:30 p. m. Seventy fifth anniversary of the founding of Willamette university. Dr. B. L. Steeves, presiding.

Address, "A Voice Crying in the Wilderness," Justice Henry L. Benson.

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MEHAMA NEWS ITEMS.

(Capital Journal Special Service) Mehama, Sept. 30.—School is in progress here now with an enrollment of seventeen. Miss Brown who proved such an able teacher last year is again teaching, and under her supervision the scholars are getting along rapidly.

Mrs. Sarah Morrison of near Burns has left for her home, after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Alice Dixon of the Mehama hotel. They were friends in Michigan but had not seen each other for twenty six years.

Mrs. Wm. Mulkey and family came up from Corvallis Friday evening, returning Sunday. They are cozily settled in their new home, recently purchased at 1702 Jackson street. They will spend the school year there. Lawrence and Miss Meral are students at O. A. C. and Miss Beth in high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mettler left Saturday for Portland and surrounding country. They are looking for a good location, having disposed of their property here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Krise and son Robert Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLaughlin and Mrs. Mary Bollinger visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Champ the past week, they drove down from Portland in their car. Mrs. Bollinger is an aunt and Mrs. Krise and Mrs. McLaughlin are cousins of Mrs. Champ.

W. D. Haley was called to Portland yesterday on account of the illness of his son, Harry Haley. Mr. Haley has been with us since the beginning of the new logging road which is well under way now.

H. E. Hendricks has left for a couple of days visit in Portland.

O. L. Morris has his new pool hall open now and is getting quite a trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parsons left by car for Portland Saturday afternoon, they will visit Mrs. Parsons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hummell.

A. Wasson of Harrisburg is here buying cattle. Mr. Wasson is a large stock-raiser of Harrisburg.

ITALIANS AND JUGO-SLAVS AT WAR, CLAIM

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slon of Fiume. Rusholi has accepted. Athos Gastone Banti, editor of the Florence Nuvo Giornale, will fight on behalf of the reporters.

Incidental to Rusholi's remarks about the Tribuna, a reporter from the Messagero, slapped Former Under Secretary Cottafavi when the latter protested against the Tribuna's attitude in support of Premier Nitti. Cottafavi has preferred a charge of assault against the newspaperman.

San Francisco Taxi Men Strike: Want \$5 Per Day

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—If parlers fail today, the elected who patronize the taxis will have to mix with the proletariat in the streets, for the taxi drivers will be on strike tomorrow.

The drivers demand \$5 a day.

Angel Slabster Leading Coast League Box Artists

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—Ote Crandall, Angel slabster, begins the last week of the Pacific coast league leading the moundsmen as far as number of consistent performances is concerned. Crandall has won 28 and lost 9, giving him a percentage of .757.

Finnegan of the Tigers has a better average but has appeared in only half as many games.

Zamloch, Seals, and A. Arlett, Onks, each glory in 1,000, the former having won one game, the later two and neither having lost any.