

allowed in groceries for a week is \$5 and in small families the amount is \$2.00.

TO MEET ONE MORE

After a Two Week Recess the Pittsburgh Manufacturers and the Wage Committee Will Meet To-Day and Resume the Wage Discussion.

This afternoon the Pittsburgh manufacturers and the Wage Committee of the Amalgamated Association will resume their discussion of the new Western scale of prices.

It is nearly a foregone conclusion that the Amalgamated Association will not favor the proposed scheme of the manufacturers for arbitration, and no further consideration will be given to the matter except to make a report to today's meeting as to how the question was received by the sub-judges of the organization.

Several of the sub-judges whose decisions have been in for a week or more have sent communications to President Weibo offering various suggestions for bringing about a settlement of the controversy.

All of the officials of the Amalgamated Association are much exercised over the publication that Brown & Co. Limited, of the Wayne Iron Works, has given a reduction of 10 per cent on the prices fixed by the Convention, to go into effect in all iron mills.

WORD FROM O'DONNELL

Reviews the Hopes of the Striking Mill Men at Homestead.

At midnight Tom Crawford, the acting chairman of the Advisory Board at Homestead, received this telegram:

Bercoox, Aug. 8, 1929. To Tom Crawford, Homestead, Pa.: Boston will send you \$1,000 through the proper channels. Will be home Wednesday night.

Crawford read this dispatch to THE DISPATCH reporter and then said: "I wish you would quote me as saying this: The Homestead strike is still on, and the men are satisfied that the strike will last for several days. I have just shown you this telegram from O'Donnell, and by it you can see that we have firm friends on the outside. You will see that the men will gain a complete victory."

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that it is untrue that the Willow Grove Brewery recently filled an order for the Carnegie Steel Company Limited and supplied some of their products to the non-union men in the Thirty-third street mill.

STREATOR IS SUSTAINED

He Is Unanimously Re-Elected Lieutenant Colonel of His Regiment—The Result Cheered With Vehemence—Private Jams Hears the Applause and is Chagrined.

An election was held last night for a lieutenant-colonel of the Tenth Regiment, N. G. P. The commission of Lieutenant Colonel J. B. R. Streator, whose punishment of Private Jams has caused so much comment, expired recently, and this election was to fill the vacancy.

At 8 o'clock 21 of the 24 company officers of the regiment assembled in headquarters. The company officers alone have a voice in choosing a field officer and in this case 13 votes were required for a choice.

There were no other nominations and Captain Westcott, of Company A, of Monongahela City, moved that Captain Lovejoy be elected lieutenant-colonel of the regiment.

The officers broke out into three cheers for Streator that were given with a lusty yell. Colonel Hawkins, Major Mowry and the staff officers present in a chorus of approval, and in a short time the distance from the headquarters in the guard house, and the two reliefs of the guard on duty there heard the news at once.

LEAVES THE FIRM

Night Superintendent Nichols, an Old and Trusted Employee of the Carnegie Steel Company, Resigns His Position.

Discussion last evening among the Amalgamated workmen at Lawrenceville centered upon the resignation of Richard Nichols, who has been in the employ of the Carnegie Company at the Upper Union mills for 18 years past.

His resignation was made in the form of a letter. The communication follows and is self-explanatory:

Dear Sir:—I hereby tender you my resignation as night superintendent and pig registration superintendent and pig registration superintendent and pig registration superintendent.

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WILL GO OVERHEAD

The Ft. Wayne Railroad to Be Elevated Throughout Allegheny City.

PROPERTY BEING BOUGHT

Washington Avenue to Be Included in the Overhead System.

RAILROAD ANXIOUS FOR THE CHANGE

Ever since the Pennsylvania Company, three years ago, submitted to the Councils of Allegheny a proposition to elevate their tracks through Allegheny, so that in the main part of the city there should be no grade crossings, the question has been discussed unofficially by public authorities; but it transpires that the railroad company has been going ahead and making plans for the carrying out of the idea.

The cost of elevating the line from the railroad bridge to Marion avenue will be heavy, but once accomplished there will be not only a large saving to the company from the avoidance of damage suits, but an opportunity for the making of faster time through the city stations to the outer suburbs.

The proposition made by the company to Councils three years ago carried the agreement of the railroad executive to bear the cost of elevating the tracks all the way from the Allegheny river to North avenue, with the requirement that the city should pay about \$40,000 for the slight alteration of a street near the northern end of the railroad bridge, so that the railroad line at that point could have a slightly larger curve.

From Federal street to Pennsylvania avenue there is a very heavy up-grade, and to elevate this from the river westward will, as a matter of fact, mean a comparatively level grade through the central part of the city.

AN IMPROVED RIOT

Two Brawl Gangs of Workmen Make It Interesting on the Northside.

The men of Sloan & McInnis, contractors, who are paving Carson street, struck yesterday for more wages. They were paid \$1.25 per day and wanted \$1.35. The demand was granted, and then they concluded they would have \$1.50. This request was refused and a new gang of men was hired.

GAMBLE WEIR'S ESTATE

An Execution Issued on a Mortgage Against the Deceased Superintendent's Property.

Attorney Morton Hunter, in behalf of Countess Weir, yesterday issued an execution on a mortgage for \$2,570.20 against Harry C. Fehl, administrator of Gamble Weir, the late Superintendent of Public Works.

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O'MARA NOT AFRAID

The Superintendent of Police Says He Will Not Be Intimidated by the Threats to Bring Anarchist Riot to Pittsburgh—Why He Wishes to Come.

Police Superintendent O'Mara makes a complete denial of all the allegations made by Frank Mollik in an alleged interview with the Anarchist telegraphed from Long Branch. He declares he has no fear of any action Mollik may bring against him, because he compelled the fellow to do nothing against his own will. Said the Superintendent:

As to deceiving or improperly persuading Mollik to come here, that was impossible, because he could not understand English and I could not have talked to him if I wished. I don't want to have a controversy in the newspapers about the matter, but if Mollik claims that he is alleged to have said he is simply lying, I don't believe he says that.

I can't say whether Mollik asked for a hearing at Long Branch or not. He was arrested by whites and while here, in charge until the train left the station. They put him on the train and in taking charge of him were the suggestion of Chief Layton, of Long Branch. As to the paper Mollik signed waiving the right to a hearing, I don't know where it was written when his employer, who acted as interpreter in all conversations there, read the paper to him and he thereupon expressed his willingness to return without papers, saying he was anxious to come to Pittsburgh and prove his innocence. He fully understood the nature of the paper and signed it without any compulsion whatever.

After coming here Mollik signed two papers, as he says, but not under force or duress. I sent for Henry Meyer, whose reputation is of good faith. When we learned of the action against Layton for our nation, we explained to Mollik and he will sign a paper exonerating Layton and if he does not, we will sue him. After his hearing and he was a free man, and if he signed any paper, it was not an exculpatory one, but a statement of his coming here from any blame. There was no contract of any kind to enter into, but he stated his belief that no injustice had been done him, and his satisfaction over the fact that he was in Pittsburgh. Mollik knew that the charge of being a fugitive from justice, which I would have made against him, would not be in his name in New Jersey, though it is in Pennsylvania, and that is why he wished to come here.

WANTS TO GET BACK HOME

A Young Philadelphia Becomes Tired of the Homestead Mill.

Thomas Lide, a young Irishman from Philadelphia, who has been working at Homestead, was about City Hill yesterday trying to secure transportation to his home. Lide claimed he had been engaged to go to work at Homestead as a machinist, with the understanding that the strike was over. He did not like the foreman in the department in which he was put to work and quit after working two days, coming to the city yesterday morning. He said he would have remained here for the week with the foreman. Speaking of the men in the mill he said that many of them were unacquainted with machinery and as a result were being injured continually. A number of them had had their fingers smashed or cut off, others had their feet injured, one man having part of his foot taken off, and nearly half the men in the mill are suffering from injuries of one kind or another.

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REED HAD A FRIEND

Peculiar Circumstances Are Found in the Noblestown Affair.

P. WOCHER, A GERMAN BUTCHER, Is Credited With Keeping the Murderer in the Icehouse.

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A DESERTER CAPTURED

A Bright Young Man From Massachusetts, Killed by His Sweater, Joins the Regular Army, Then Deserts and is Captured in This City.

Herbert L. Kellen, a deserter from the United States Army, was arrested in this city last night after nine months' freedom from the service. Kellen is a telegraph operator and has been working in this city since last May for the Postal Telegraph Company. His connection with that company was severed a few days ago, and last night he went to work for the United Press Association. Two hours after he was down at his desk Detective McTigue walked in and placed him under arrest.

Kellen's home is at Dedham, Mass., and he is 27 years of age. In July, 1919, after a quarrel with his sweetheart, he enlisted in Company D, Second Artillery, at Fort Warren, Boston Harbor. After three months' service Kellen became disgusted with his duties as a private in an artillery company, and with the aid of a civilian's suit of clothing escaped from the barracks and deserted.

Until last May he roamed around the country with the fear of capture upon him, regretting the rashness that had caused him to act so hastily, but too proud of the good old family name that his father had carried all through the war to adopt an alias. Herbert Kellen was his name under all circumstances, but notwithstanding the careful vigilance exerted by the Government after deserters, he escaped detection until yesterday.

Kellen comes of a good family and is a young man of superior intelligence. He refuses to tell the story of his life, but from the few remarks he has let fall it must be an unusually interesting one.

The army officials in this city will take charge of the prisoner to-day, and will return him under guard to Boston Harbor. Detective McTigue, under the United States regulations, will receive the \$50 reward for the capture of a deserter. Kellen will no doubt be sent to a frontier post as punishment for his offense, and kept at hard work for the period of time his desertion covers, without pay.

A NEW COAL COMPANY

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio Capital to Open a New Coal Field.

It was reported yesterday that Jamison and Fogg, of Greensburg; C. W. Bathelet, R. A. Cartwright and J. G. Battelle, of Pittsburg, and J. R. McDermott and others, of Cincinnati, had formed a combination to open and operate a new coal field on the upper Monongahela river. It is said that a company with a capital stock of \$250,000 was formed at Cincinnati yesterday. The company, it is said, will be organized under the laws of Ohio, and its main office will be in Pittsburg. Branch offices will be opened in Cincinnati and at Greensburg. The company will not only wholesale its product, but will endeavor to find a large retail field in all the river towns as far South as Memphis.

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August Prices

MEN'S FINEST HALF HOSE

HERMSDORF FAST BLACK, guaranteed not to crock or fade, and free from all poisonous substance.

Regular made, spliced heels and toes, at 12 1/2c, 20c, 25c, 33c, 40c.

Men's Lisle Thread, 35c, or 3 for \$1.

Men's extra 4-thread Lisle, double soles and heels, 40c and 50c.

Men's Silk Half Hose, extra value, 50c.

Regular made Fancy 1/2-Hose reduced to 20c, or 3 pair for 50c.

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OUR PRICES

SELL GOODS FAST IN THE COLDEST SEASON.

BODY BRUSSELS: 1,500 yards of Lowell, Bigelow and Hartford best quality 5-frame Body Brussels at \$1, always sold at \$1.25 to \$1.50. These are full rolls which will not be duplicated.

MOQUETTES: A lot of best quality Moquettes in 15 to 30 yard lengths at 75c a yard; all goods that sold at \$1.25.

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS: 3,000 yards of Tapestry Brussels in latest styles, but patterns which will not be duplicated for the Fall trade.

CHINA MATTINGS: 1,000 rolls (of 40 yds.) Fancy and White Mattings at \$4 a roll that are worth \$7.

SMYRNA RUGS: 1,000 Smyrna Rugs, all new, 40 styles at \$2.00 each. These are special bargains—worth \$4.

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627 and 629 PENN. AVE.

Calling Cards, WEDDING INVITATIONS, Low Prices.

W. V. DERRICK & CO., Engravers, Printers, Stationers, 607 GRANT ST. AND 39 SIXTH AVE.

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The Leading Goods Houses, Tuesday, Aug. 9, 1929.

Jos. Home & Co.'s

Penn. Ave. Stores.

The Second Week

OF OUR August Clearance Sale!

WE OFFER IN SILK DEPARTMENT 3,000 Yards

Printed India Silks, in Dark and Light Colors, with neat small figures, At 65 Cts. a Yard.

This is one of the best lots of India Silk Bargains offered this season and will cap the climax of a big season's business in this department.

A NEW LOT OF Storm Serges,

In Navy Blues, ALL SPECIAL VALUES.

At 50c, 75c, 90c, \$1, \$1.25 and up to finest Imported Storm Serges at \$3 a yard.

About one-half the French Robes

BIBER & EASTON

At \$7.50

Each are still here, but one day's buying will carry them away.

Better values in Dress Suitings at 25 and 50 cents a yard than were ever sold over any counter, including the fine

French Challis

That so many people are coming in for daily.

Cotton Dress Goods

The place where the money goes farthest, unless it is at the

LACE DEPARTMENT

Where you find the trimmings for the Gingham, Satines, Brandenburgs, Canton Cloths and other half-price Wash Dress stuffs.

Lowest Prices in Kid Gloves. One lot 4-Button Suede Gloves, Tans only, at

35 CENTS A PAIR

Ribbon Bargain.

1,000 pieces Fancy Ribbons, widths No. 30 up to 5 inches, at

Blouse Waists

Former price 50 cents to \$1.50 a yard; such unheard-of bargains fill the store these August days.

In the two Suit Departments Summer Goods must go—GINGHAM SUITS, CHALLI SUITS, SILK SUITS—for Ladies and Children all marked down. Children's Suits at \$1.00—Ladies' Suits at \$1.50, think of it—it's a "Clearance Sale," that's the reason.

White Goods

Are worth coming to see, a chance to save 5 cents and more on every yard.

The sale of Children's English Straw Hats

At \$1.00 Each

Goes right on; only about 20 dozen left.

Bathing Suits, for Men, Women and Children, best sorts are here.

We are doing a big Mail Order business during this August Clearance Sale.

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