

# LABOR ORGANIZATIONS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE STATE ARE REPRESENTED AT FEDERATION CONVENTION NOW HOLDING SESSIONS IN THIS CITY



Photo by Koshon.

## Mt. Union Wreck Causes I. C. C. to Urge Proper Safety Signal System

By Associated Press  
Washington, May 11. — The rear-end collision on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Mount Union, Pa., on February 27, resulting in death of twenty persons, was primarily due, the Interstate Commerce Commission reported today, to a heavy fog which obscured block signals. The adoption of a safety device to bring a train

to a stop should it run past a signal is again urged by the commission as a "duty which the railroads owe to the traveling public to the end that these distressing accidents, due to human error, may be eliminated from railroad travel."

The practice of running at high speed through fogs, even when the signals appear to indicate a clear track ahead, was characterized as unsafe.

### ARRESTS-FOLLOW RIOT

By Associated Press  
Belleville, Ills., May 11. — Strike breakers and guards at the stove fac-

tory here where seven strikers were shot in a riot last night were arrested by the police today. The strikers were said to have jeered at the guards.

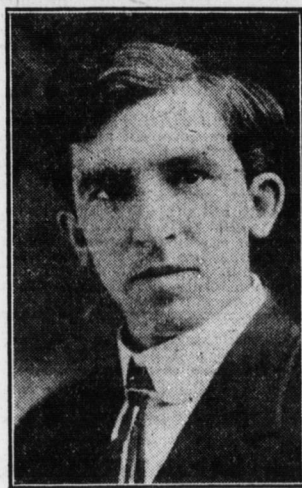
**U-BOAT CAPTAINS LOST**  
Copenhagen, May 11, via London. — The loss of two prominent German submarine commanders, in addition to several previous reported, was disclosed in a Reichstag speech yesterday. The men named were Lieutenant Commanders Wagener and Bus, who were eulogized by Herr Fieger, of the Center party, in remarks giving the necrology of U-boat commanders of prominence who have lost their lives.

## LEADERS IN LABOR CONVENTION



DAVID J. BERRY

David J. Berry, managing editor and treasurer of the National Labor Journal of Pittsburgh, Secretary Charles F. Quinn, of Harrisburg, and R. J. Wheeler, of Allentown, have been prominent figures in the convention of the State Federation of Labor meeting in this city. Berry has been identified with the clearest and best labor problems of the state for many years. Quinn has been connected with the body as secretary for a number of years, and Berry introduced several of the best resolutions that was passed by the convention.



R. J. WHEELER

## WANTS WEALTH OF U. S. CONSCRIPTED

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being the official voice of organized labor of the State of Pennsylvania, hereby pledge our service, and the power of our labor to the nation, to the end that the people of the United States shall not suffer want, and that the war shall be speedily ended.

Almost every resolution presented was sure to be met with cries of "sit down," "keep quiet," and at many times it was impossible to hear the proceedings of the convention. President Maurer was unable to keep order on several occasions. The next meeting place of the convention was again called up and incited a big argument. The meeting place had been determined as Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon.

Various resolutions were adopted urging the members of the Federation to wear and use only such articles bearing the Blue Union label, showing the manufacturer is fair to organized labor.

Officers were to be elected late this afternoon.

**Laud Labor Department**  
The resolution adopted by the State Federation of Labor endorsing the work of the Department of Labor and Industry and Commissioner John Price Jackson follows:

"Whereas, The Department of Labor and Industry, under the able and impartial administration of Commissioner John Price Jackson, has been of the utmost value to the working people of the state, and

Whereas, The employment of able and experienced representatives of labor in the various bureaus of the department has greatly helped the working people in improving sanitary conditions in industry, safeguarding life and health and improving relations between worker and employer throughout the state, and

Whereas, Certain interests hostile to the welfare of the great body of workers in Pennsylvania disapprove of the administration of Commissioner Jackson because of his broadminded impartiality and his vigorous enforcement of laws vitally important to the workers, have launched a bitter campaign of opposition and vilification against Commissioner Jackson, in which they are supported by certain reputed labor papers endeavoring to destroy the usefulness of the department and make the workers of the state again a prey to the inhuman commercial element in industry; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the State Federation of Labor, in convention assembled, do most earnestly endorse Commissioner John Price Jackson and highly commend the work of his department.

We denounce the attitude of certain so-called labor papers and demand of the Legislature that the appropriations for the work of the Department of Labor be supported and the great work be carried on for the benefit of the working people of Pennsylvania.

**Want Equal Pay For Women**  
Resolutions were adopted urging the Federation to do everything possible to secure equal wage for equal work for the women in industry.

Stress was laid on the fact that women have taken an important part in the industries of the state and nation even in the time of peace and when the men are endeavoring to take advantage of the women who have taken the places of the men. The resolution as adopted follows:

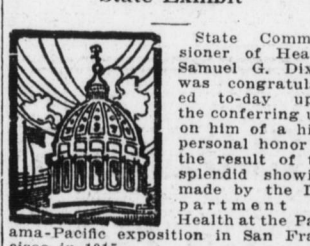
"Whereas, The time has arrived that women have become a factor in the business world, and that during this world war still greater demands are being made upon the women of the country to engage more fully in the occupations of transportation and the production of commodities of industry; and



CHARLES F. QUINN

## DR. DIXON GETS UNUSUAL HONOR

Awarded Gold Medal For Services as Collaborator in the State Exhibit



State Commissioner of Health Samuel G. Dixon was congratulated today upon the conferring upon him of a high honor as a result of the splendid showing made by the Department of Health at the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco in 1915.

The Commissioner returned to the city he found awaiting him the certificate of the International Jury of the exposition awarding him the gold medal as collaborator in the health exhibit of the commonwealth, which attracted great attention.

The awarding of this honor is unusual and a recognition of the personal work of the Commissioner as well as of the place this state has taken under him in the movement for safeguarding of public health as a national asset.

**Seeking a Rehearing**—Efforts are being made to obtain a rehearing for John Nelson, the Wyoming county murderer, whose case attracted much attention when before the State Board of Pardons. The application will be heard next Wednesday when the board meets.

**Hearing Tuesday**—The Philadelphia transit bills will be given an airing in the Senate chamber next Tuesday when the Philadelphia city officials will be here.

**Code Tied Up**—The atrocious code is still tied up in the House Mines Committee, but efforts are being made to get it out on the calendar in the House. Chief Roderick is the chief advocate of the bill.

**Case Postponed**—The hearing scheduled for Philadelphia today for the Reading Transit and Light complaint was postponed for a four-year term, has been sworn in as Superintendent of State Police under the new act.

**Black Gets Big Offer**—Highway Commissioner Black is about to close up arrangements for the construction of ten miles of road from Johnstown to near the Lincoln Highway, the City of Johnstown and Cambria Steel Company to pay for ten miles and the state to pay for resurfacing five miles.



## Attention Men--

You're not all fully equipped for the Spring Campaign. While we've outfitted thousands, yet there are many in the rear ranks ready to step to the front.

### Here's Your Word of Command

Suits that should be \$25 to \$27.50 at \$20 and \$22.50 Beginning Saturday we offer 174 men's suits of the highest standard--we'll not mention the makers name--a belated shipment--should have arrived at the front by April 15--rather than be courtmartialed the maker made us a concession which we pass on to you.

The Materials	The Models
Blue Flannel.	Single-breasted yoke and inverted pleat back--belt all around.
Scotch Tweeds.	Double-breasted--yoke and inverted pleat back--half belt.
Fancy Worsteds.	English form-fitting with angle pockets -- imitation side vents.
English Homespuns.	Conservative youthful models--easy back--soft narrow lapels -- very smart.
Mixed Cheviots.	
Blue Serges.	

### Sunday Is Mother's Day

Then let us cast aside our workaday cares and pay tribute to her -- the most refining, ennobling influence in all the world--Mother.

### On the Firing Line

A regiment of Straw Hats just recruited ready to make the charge at the command of the weather man.

**Straws \$2 to \$4.00**  
**Panamas \$3.50 to \$7.50**



### These Shirts Must Go Out at Double Quick

**\$1.15**

Smart styles of bosom friends that will cling to you for many a day and prove their worth by sticking to their colors.

### This Junior Army--

Of boys' suits will present arms to every parent of economical ideas--They're commanded to move at \$6.50

although they're worth more--fancy cheviots--true blue serges--homespun effects--loyal to the last stitch.

Boys' Waists	Boys' Stockings	Your Boys' Hat
59c	25c	59c to \$3.95

What's the use of making them when we offer such values of woven madras in fast colors in all sizes. Match them at 75c if you can.

Let him choose it here -- he'll be pleased. Every boy knows where the style comes from -- here of course.

# THE GLOBE

"The Big Friendly Store"

"The Live Store" "Always Reliable"

# Keep Business Going!

This is the most patriotic answer to the universal American question, "What can I do for my country?" It applies to us all alike -- men, women, children. It is universal, therefore democratic; and this war is a war for democracy.

A prosperous country can pay for a war, an unprosperous country cannot. A prosperous country can help the Allies, an unprosperous country cannot effectively help herself.

## Keep Business Going

forward so that the country can effectively go forward. Keep money circulating, keep people employed, keep wages good, keep making money so that we may have it to use and to sacrifice in the common cause. Be economical, which means be NOT wasteful. Practice

## Patriotic Economy

by buying carefully and using efficiently. Spend money, don't hoard it; thus your neighbor will spend money and not hoard it; for hoarding stops the wellspring of wealth, lessening the need for employment--possibly in time your own employment. It is hoarding, not war, that makes panic and disaster. Keep

## The Nation Progressing

while the nation helps to keep the world progressing, Civic improvements must go on; road building must be carried forward; railroads must renew their equipment; factories must be kept going; labor must be employed; merchandise must be produced, distributed and used; homes must be kept up. The more we do, the more we CAN do.

The keynote is clearly sounded for us when

## President Wilson Says:

"It is evident to every thinking man that our industries, on the farm, in the shipyards, in the mines, in the factories, must be made prolific and more efficient."

Our industries are prolific only when patronage makes them so. Business slackens when buying slackens. And slackened business cannot grow efficient, any more than stagnant water can grow pure.

## Idle Business Invites Competition

If American business grows inefficient through idleness, foreign business will make inroads upon it after the war. This is a thought for every patriotic American to consider NOW. It is for us--all of us--to keep our own industries mobile and active so they may have the force and momentum to compete when the smoke of battle clears.

## Keep Business Going

for our country's sake. War must be waged and won with the sinews of war.

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