

GARFIELD DENIES RAISE IN WAGES TO COAL MINERS

Demands Violate Two-Year Agreement, He Says; to End Bonuses

Washington, Aug. 24.—Increase in the wages of coal miners as a substitute for the payment of bonuses for the stopping of which drastic steps are to be taken will not be approved by Fuel Administrator Garfield. President Frank J. Hayes and other officials of the United Mine Workers of America received this answer from the fuel administrator yesterday in response to their request for a flat increase in wages in lieu of the payment of bonuses.

Doctor Garfield recalled to the mine workers that they had signed the so-called Washington wage agreement under which they agreed that wages shall not be increased during the war, and in return have demanded that our agreements are sacred and binding, then we can't say that democracy can make the world safe." Doctor Garfield told the district presidents.

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The result of an increase in one industry is increased cost of its product, in a perpetual seesaw, until the saturated man is submerged and the new wage is made starting.

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Columbia Council Prohibits Motion Pictures on Sunday

Columbia, Pa., Aug. 24.—Council at a recent meeting unanimously adopted a resolution prohibiting the manager of the Columbia Opera House from showing motion pictures on Sunday. Council has jurisdiction over the opera house as it is the property of the borough. At a united church service this week a formal protest was filed against the proposed action of the opera house manager.

Reserves Are Given Some Strenuous Work

Members of the Harrisburg Reserves were given some strenuous work at the Island drill last night in addition to the instruction which they gave to drafted men. Some of the men who are more advanced and who will leave for Camp Lee Monday drilled with the Reserves. Captain J. J. Hartman, who assisted at the drills last night, put the Reserves through skirmish drill, while the usual street work was carried out without regard to weather. Training of drafted men went on all evening, while Bugler Kurkenkabe had men learning to blow the calls.

To-day Major Stine took details of the Reserves to upper end boroughs to complete drilling of drafted men who start next week. At Elizabethville some of the other men who will instruct men in the draft, so were put through paces, while men from several boroughs were gathered at Loyalty picnic for their weekly drill.

Soldiers of Kaiser and Charles Drive in Albania

Rome, Aug. 24.—In Albania the forces of the Central Powers yesterday renewed their attacks from the Mali Tomorica, it was announced today by the Italian war office. In the center the enemy made progress to the north of the head of the Buvalica.

GOT FAKE SUBSCRIPTIONS W. H. Warner, who was held for court in York on a swindling charge yesterday, admitted that he had operated in this city. He admitted securing subscriptions for magazines which he did not represent.

RAIL TRAFFIC DELAYED Traffic on the east line of the Pennsylvania railroad at Dauphin was delayed for several hours yesterday in a rear-end collision of an empty engine and a freight train. Damage was only slight.

Serving With 112th



W. T. Haak, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haak is serving in France, according to a card received by the parents. He is attached to Company D, 112th United States Infantry. He was formerly employed at the Evangelical Publishing House as a printer.

A Slipping Clutch and the Brakes Out of Order!



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Must Restore Belgium, Return Alsace-Lorraine and Free Russia



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Sentiment in the House apparently is very strong to force into military service the 20,000 or more men of military age who are working in civil life for the government in departments and commissions in Washington and elsewhere.

FOOD TO ALLIES U. S. WAR TASK, HOOVER WARNS

Fats, Beef and Sugar to Be Supplied From America, He Declares

New York, Aug. 24.—The United States will share with the Allies their sacrifice of food as well as blood in the cause of world democracy, declared Herbert C. Hoover, federal food administrator, on his arrival here yesterday on his way to Washington after a brief visit to England and France.

Asserting that "we have to make good" and that he had given a pledge to this effect to the Allied food administrators while sitting "at a common table in a common cause," Mr. Hoover said, to do so, America next year will have to supply the Allies 4,000,000,000 pounds of fats, 500,000,000 bushels of cereals and 1,500,000 tons of sugar.

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"Upon North America falls the burden of food supply. While Canada can export 100,000,000 bushels of grain this year, the major part of the Allies' program for next year falls upon us. We have also to feed our own enormous army. We can do it if we simply have the will to live with every economy and to waste nothing."

"By the great effort of our farmers our United States harvests are better this year, but in order that we may build up a surplus of wheat this year, as against possible crop failures such as we had last year, we have decided to mix twenty per cent. of other grains with wheat flour in all the countries fighting Germany. We cannot ask for better than France and we propose the American people should maintain a common standard of bread with them."

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124 NAMES ON WAR ZONE LIST OF CASUALTIES

Mt. Holly Springs and Newville Soldiers Reported by General Pershing

Washington, Aug. 24.—The army casualty list reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces to-day contained 124 names, divided as follows: Killed in action ..... 9 Missing in action ..... 17 Wounded severely ..... 73 Died of wounds ..... 12 Died from accident and other causes ..... 6 Died of disease ..... 1 Wounded, degree undetermined .. 5 Prisoners ..... 1

Total ..... 124 The following Pennsylvanians are named:

- KILLED IN ACTION
Corporal J. Floyd Simons, Bethlehem.
Private Paul E. Bills, Somerset.
Charles E. Kelly, Meyersdale.
DIED FROM ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES
Corporal Clarence E. Knaub, Red Lion.
SEVERELY WOUNDED
Sergeants Stewart Donald Graham, Meadville.
Carl LeRoy Peterson, Bradford.
Corporal Clarence A. Baxter, Pittsburgh.
Privates Stanford W. Burke, Scranton.
William Cammer, Scranton.
Carlton Monroe Cowher, Mapleton Depot.
George Dougherty, Mt. Holly Springs.
William Arthur Fraker, Newville.
William Kemok, East Stroudsburg.
Merle John Leopold, Bradford.
Reigh A. Marietta, Brownsville.
Oscar Leonard Sandberg, Kane.
Mike Sushok, Homestead.
James D. Van Tassel, Halton.
Dominick Rogers, Danville.

MISSING IN ACTION
Corporal Leo F. Harvey, Philadelphia.
Privates Gilbert Burns, Mahanoy City.
William W. Keeler, Clearfield.
William R. Lower, Lewisburg.
Earl E. Smith, Pottsville.

PRISONER
Lieutenant Edward R. Taylor, Bellefonte.
MAY ENTER NAVY
Notice was received at state draft headquarters to-day from Provost Marshal General Crowder that leave of absence would be granted to men to enter training courses to become naval officers.

YOUNG TROUT GO INTO STREAMS

State "Planting" Operations Are Going Ahead With Considerable Vigor

Thousands of young trout have been sent from fish hatcheries of the state to small streams in the northern and western counties of Pennsylvania in the last week, the season for "planting" streams with fish having had to be started earlier than known before owing to the unusual conditions brought about by the war. Generally the distribution of trout does not begin until late in September, but this year transportation is so uncertain that the Department of Fisheries decided to do what it could and do it early.

"We have been very fortunate in getting many fishermen and lovers of sport to agree to handle the shipments for us," said Commissioner Nathan R. Buller. "We are short-handed at the hatcheries and every man we can get is at work. The cans have been sent to men who are known to be interested and they are putting out the fish. The reports show that they are arriving in good condition. If things can be handled we will send out many young trout and blue gills before frost comes."

Reports to Commissioner Buller tell of good bass and salmon fishing in many sections of the state, the bass fishing being particularly good. It is probable that steps will be taken in the next few days to bring to attention of federal authorities the pollution of the West branch of the Susquehanna by what is alleged to be refuse from explosive factories on tributaries. The state authorities have found the wastes to have killed large numbers of fish, but the owners of the plants insist that they are working on war orders and that the state must not interfere.

Protest Against Trolley Fare Increase at Columbia

Columbia, Pa., Aug. 24.—Borough council at a recent meeting instructed the Committee on Municipal Legislation and the borough solicitor to attend a meeting of the Public Service Commission at Lancaster, next month and file a protest against the raise of trolley fares by the Conestoga Traction Company. This action was taken in accordance with public sentiment, which is strongly opposed to the increase in fares.

EPIDEMIC KILLING HOGS Marietta, Pa., Aug. 24.—There is an epidemic among hogs in West Earl township and many are dying. The cause is not known, but believed to be hog cholera. They are sick but a few minutes.

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