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U.S. MOVES TO PREVENT JUMP IN PRICE OF SUGAR

Holds Ten Cents Fair Price to Wholesaler; Cent More Than at Present

Washington, Oct. 20.—Steps to prevent an abnormal increase in the price of sugar because of the existing shortage were taken to-day by the Department of Justice.

Attorney General Palmer notified beet sugar refiners, who have been withholding their products from the market until the price situation became more stabilized, that the United States Sugar Equalization Board had determined that ten cents was a fair price to be charged the wholesaler and that any charge in excess of that amount would be regarded in violation of the food control act.

12 Arrested in Raids on Alleged Disorderly Houses Get Hearings

Two proprietors of alleged disorderly houses at 221 and 223 River street, together with ten persons found in the establishments in raids by the Harrisburg police, are scheduled for hearings in police court during the afternoon.

Fifty-Four Strikers Each Get 30 Days in Jail and Fine of \$25 and Costs

Waynesboro, Oct. 20.—On charges ranging from rioting to assault and battery and forcible entry, fifty-four Waynesboro strikers were sentenced to thirty days in jail, \$25 fines and costs, each, by Judge Gillan sitting in the Franklin county court this morning.

THE WEATHER

Harrisburg and Vicinity: Fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature. Lowest tonight about 42 degrees.

PETROGRAD IS ENCIRCLED BY HOSTILE ARMY

Anti-Bolshevik Cavalry in Wide Raids Sever Railroads Leading to City

The Bolshevik hold upon Petrograd, which, though repeatedly reported captured, was still in Bolshevik hands at latest reports from accepted sources, is fast weakening and the fall of the city seems imminent according to to-day's official advices from the British war office.

Attorney General Palmer made public the following telegram sent to beet sugar refiners in your territory as shown by your own 1917 deliveries as a minimum up to 50,000 tons for November and December shipments to relieve an acute shortage among the manufacturers.

Petrograd Virtually Isolated by Cavalry Which Cuts R. R. Lines

London, Oct. 20.—Petrograd is virtually isolated, the War Office announced to-day, anti-Bolshevik cavalry having cut the railroads leading from Petrograd to Vitebsk, Moscow and Volodga.

CONTRADICTORY REPORTS
Paris, Oct. 20 (Havas).—Contradictory reports are received from Russia and it is impossible to confirm rumors that Petrograd has been taken by the Northwestern Russian army under General Yudenitch.

CANNIBAL PLANT WHICH EATS INSECTS IS FOUND

A splendid "colony" of Fringed Gentian said to be one of the most beautiful of wild flowers was visited back of Marsh Run Saturday by more than a score of members of the Harrisburg Natural History Society.

Prof. I. Drinkwater, the Hypnotist, Who Recently Closed a Successful Engagement in the U.S.A. Is Now Touring England



SYNDICALIST ANARCHIST IS QUERIED

Senate Labor Committee Resumes Probe of Strike With I. W. W. on Stand

Washington, Oct. 20.—Resuming its investigation of the steel strike, the Senate Labor Committee to-day examined Jacob Margolis, of Pittsburgh, who said he was an attorney for the I. W. W. and a "syndicalist anarchist."

MARKING TIME
Pittsburgh, Oct. 20.—With both employers and union leaders marking time, the steel strike situation in the Pittsburgh district was practically unchanged early to-day, the initial day of the fifth week of the walkout.

Governor Will Be Guest of Republican Club at Reception

Governor Sprull will be a guest of the Harrisburg Republican Club Friday evening unless unforeseen circumstances requires his presence elsewhere in the State on that occasion.

GOING DOWN! THREE HOURS ON NEW JOB, HE IS KILLED IN DITCH

Returned Soldier Meets Death When He Is Crushed Under Cavein

Edward Gibson, colored, returned soldier with many months of overseas experience, was instantly killed in a cavein at the Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bending Company to-day, three hours after he had entered the service of the company.

CHARGES "REDS" ARE INTRENCHED IN GOVERNMENT

Watson Says Federal Trade Commission Investigating Body Contains Radicals

President's Digestive Disturbance Subsides Almost Completely

Washington, Oct. 20.—President Wilson's digestive disturbance has subsided almost completely and he was comfortable to-day after a fairly good night, his physicians announced.

NEW CENSUS WILL NOT INCREASE OFFICIALS' PAY

County officials explained to-day that the 1920 census will have no effect on the salaries of officials elected to county offices this fall.

BELGIAN PARTY EASTBOUND

Albuquerque, N. M., Oct. 20.—Albert King of the Belgians, Queen Elizabeth and their son, Leopold, were traveling through Kansas to-day on their way eastward.

EVEN FATE TAKES A HAND IN MAKING THE CITY DRY

The Few Wine Bibblers on Good Terms With Their Wives Strike Snag in Slaking Their Thirsts

"LAST SHOT" MEN TO ORGANIZE FOR MEMORIAL DRIVE

Sums Ranging From \$1 to \$1,000 Wanted to Honor Soldiers

A WHIRLWIND CANVASS War Workers Will See That Everybody in City Helps Worthy Project

THEY'RE OFF
Harrisburg Railways Company, just before the bell rings for the beginning of the drive for \$70,000 for the soldiers' memorial, announced that it has contributed \$400, covering the cost of stars of 33 men who were in the Army or Navy.

At 7.30 o'clock to-night in Chestnut Street Auditorium several hundred well-known Harrisburg men will get final instructions for the campaign which, starting to-morrow morning, is expected to clear up "in jig time" the drive for \$70,000 with which suitably to memorialize the deeds in the recent war of this city's fighting men.

CONGRESS TO ADJOURN IN NOVEMBER

Washington. — Republican Leader Mondell to-day told the House the Republican leaders intended to have Congress adjourn between November 8 and 10, so members could have a brief rest before the beginning of the regular session early in December.

RIGHT TO SEIZE HOARDS UPHELD

Washington. — Authority of Ohio State officials to confiscate and sell food held in cold storage longer than authorized under a state law was in effect sustained to-day by the Supreme court, which refused to review appeals in proceedings growing out of the seizure of 123,000 pounds of pork of the Columbus Packing Company.

I. W. W. TELLS OF "INDUSTRIAL SOVIET"

Washington. — Russian unions which have been organized in the principal Pennsylvania and Ohio steel districts, are seeking to organize an "Industrial Soviet," in the United States, the Senate committee investigating the steel strike was told late to-day by Jacob Margolis, of Pittsburgh, who was identified as an I. W. W. attorney.

PALMER WRITES "DRY" ENFORCEMENT OPINION

Washington. — The prohibition enforcement bill, with an opinion as to its constitutionality by Attorney General Palmer is expected to be returned to the President sometime to-day.

ATTORNEY IS SHOT DOWN IN OFFICE BY FORMER HOTEL MAN

R. Sherman Care Slightly Wounded in Leg After Two Men Are Said to Have Had Heated Argument

B. LESLIE POTTER IS HELD BY POLICE AFTER AFFRAY

B. Leslie Potter, a former hotel proprietor, shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon, is alleged to have attempted to kill R. Sherman Care, lawyer. Three shots were fired, one ball entering the fleshy part of Attorney Care's leg, causing a slight injury.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Russell L. Startz and Vera C. Brennan, Shamokin; Pietro Pagliuca, Harrisburg; and Carmela Lanzetta, Steelton; Frank Pugliese, Harrisburg; and Freda De Santis, Harrisburg; Paul A. Kehr, Harrisburg; Paul A. Kehr, Harrisburg; and Vera E. Foreman, Chambersburg.