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¿ PLOT TO CRUSH GOVERNMENT IS NIPPED BY RAIDS

Federal Agents Capture Hundreds of Radicals in Many Cities

WILL BE DEPORTED; BOMBS AND "RED" PAPERS SEIZED

NATION-WIDE plot to defy government authority is to-A day said to have been nipped in the bud with the arrest last night of hundreds of radicals-the eve of the second anniversary of the establishment of the Russian Soviet government. This plot, it is alleged, had been advocated for weeks by combined radical elements throughout the United States, including the I. W. W., anarchists and Russian agitators.

More than 350 alleged radicals are in the hands of Federal authorities this morning awaiting deportation or such other action as may be ordered against them.

About 500 men and women suspected of having been implicated in the plot were seized late last night in a series of swift raids conducted in 14 cities. Further arrests were promised by Federal agents in some cities to-day.

More than 150 persons were taken in a raid in New York which was personally conducted by William J. Flynn, chief of the bureau of investigation of the Department of Justice. All but 52 were released after examination.

In the Chicago district, including Milwaukee and Gary, Ind., about 200 more were taken into custody, while smaller groups, ranging from 50 down to two, were arrested in Detroit, Philadelphia, San Francisco, Newark, N. J.; Jackson, Mich., and five Connecticut cities—New Haven, Hartford, Ansonia, Waterbury and New Britain.

Planned Bomb Outrages

Federal agents generally declined to discuss the arrests further than to say they had been planned at Washington several weeks ago. It was reported that in some cities the demonstrations were to include bomb placing and the use of firearms.

Among the prisoners taken last night is said to be some of

the most dangerous anarchist agitators in the country. It was learned that 36 warrants had been issued by Commissioner General of Lamigration Caminetti for men in New York considered particularly active in creating unrest, and it was reported that these men had been caught.

Plans for the raids, which took place in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit, St. Louis, Newark, N. J.; Jackson, Mich.; Waterbury and Anstonia, Conn., and other cities, have

been in preparation for weeks, it was said in Washington.
William J. Flynn, head of the Department of Justice's division of investigation, had general supervision of the roundup of agitators. The more important prisoners, it was said, would be held for deportation.

DEPORTATION OF ALL ALIENS SEIZED IN RAID DETERMINED: BOMBS AND COUNTERFEITS

Washington, Nov. 8.—Deportation of all aliens engaged in Washington, Nov. 8.—Deportation of all aliens engaged in by understood why they should join "red" activities has been determined upon by the Department of the organization to the extent of 48,-Justice, Attorney General Palmer announced to-day.

Details of the widespread cleanup of radicals last night and to-day show that more than 200 were arrested in 18 cities. Mr. Palmer has asked the Department of Labor to deport all of

Included among the material and literature seized by government agents in the raids, were quantities of articles used in making bombs, a complete counterfeiting plant, a large supply of counterfeit bank notes, thousands of pieces of literature described as of the most inflammatory nature, and scores of red flags, \$90,000 Garage to Be rifles and revolvers.

Agents of the Department of Justice and the Bureau of Im-

Planned Social Revolution

In the course of their investigations, government agents, according to Mr. Palmer's announcement, have found that the union of Russian workers is conducting an active campaign for a "social revolution."

The allens arrested were all leaders in this union, which was described as the worst anarchistic organization. The purpose of the society was to amalgamate all of the Russian groups in the United Ice and Coal Company, to be located at the north west corner of Fourteenth and Howard streets. The garage will be 130 by 2.05 feet and will cost \$30,000. Charles Fraim, contractor for Lubration in the country. Its membership numbers more than 7,000 with many locals, estimated by officials to run well above 100, scattered throughout the nation.

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New York, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Detroit, Buffalo, Akron, Youngstown, Ohio; Baltimore, Newark and Elizabeth, N. J., and Hartford, Waterbury, Ansonia, Bridgeport, New Haven and Seymour, Conn.

More Radical Than Bolsheviki Of the activities of members of the Union of Russian Workers, Mr. Palmer's statement said: "The Union of Russian Workers

THE WEATHER

Harrisburg and Vicinity: Generally cloudy weather to-night and Sunday. Not much change in temperature. Dowest to-night conjecture for the first to-night and sunday, little cloudy and unsettied weather to-night and Sunday, little change in temperature. Moderate northeast winds. River: The Susquehanea river and all its branches will continue to full to-night and Sunday. A stage of about 5.6 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Sunday morning.

OF RED CROSS' WILLING AID

CITY IN NEED

TAX

Home Service Is Greater Than **Demands Made by Great** Army

Believing that the 225,000 men. woen and children of the Harrisburg Red Cross Chapters have not proper 000 members—or why they should aid in raising \$30,000 cash for the national organization, the heads of the Roll Call campaign have decided to take a new start. And in this new start practically all of the workers of this week will participate—and they will be joined by the scores of former sol-diers and members of the American

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DEAD MURDERERS MAKE NEW MEN



PLOTS AND COUNTER PLOTS FOUND IN CLOTHING PROBE

Bight poles in Locust street, formerly used for overhead wires of the manufacturers Forced to Pay Tribute to Amalgamated Workers — Paid Thousands to Have Other Manufacturers Forced Out of Business

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HELD FOR THEFT
OF PARCEL POST
ON C. V. TRAINS
Postal Inspectors Say They
Saw Rifled Packages
Thrown From Cars
Stepping from the baggage coach of a Cumberland Valley railroad train from Hagerstown into the hands of United States post office inspectors with articles in his possession which he is said to have riffled from parcel post bags, J. Frank Ridenour, 32 years old, of Chambersburg, is said to have pleaded guilty of looting mail bags enroute.

In default of bail Ridenour was lodged in the Dauphin county prison

| The committee's main conclusions, concurred in by all members, who that "the public has a right to demand that capital shall not arrogate to itself the right to determine in its own way those industrial questions, and it is the same as to labor, and the duty is upon Congress to provide some way of adjusting these difficulties."

Permanent Preventive
As a permanent preventive of strikes, which the committee concedes "are apparently the only way for labor to secure dven its just demands is employers refuse to grant them," it is recommended that Congress authorize the establishment of some such meditation agency with well defined powers as the recently dissolved War Labor Board.

"This board would have the power of compulsory investigation." the report adds on this subject, but "not to the extent of compulsory arbitration. A just decision of the board would be endorsed by the public. There is good sense enough in the American people to bring about an adjustment of these difficulties." Committee members who conducted the investigation were fairly unanimous in the report, though leaving open points on which they In default of bail Ridenour was lodged in the Dauphin county prison to await a hearing before the United

States court session December 1 in the Post Office building.
Describing the arrest and the incidents that lead up to it, A. B. Crawford this morning said that he and F. J. Feltham having had Rideraur under support supports. under suspicion made a trip the Cumberland Valley Thurs

A MODERN MAGICIAN

Dr. Leo Stanley, resident physician of San Quentin penitentiary, who has operated on ten prisoners, giving them new interstial glarks taken-from the bodies of executed murderers, is regarded by the inmates of the institution as a wonder worker. The operation is alleged to make "new" men of the sick.

Eight More Poles Are

Taken Down in Locust Street; Work to Continue

Eight poles in Locust street, formerly used for overhead wires of the Harrisburg Light and Power Company, were removed yesterday and to-day. City Electrician Clark E. Double and the later of the prisoners, and the power company, were removed yesterday and to-day. City Electrician Clark E. Double and the later of the prisoners of the later of the prisoners of the baggage coach. Close investigation showed that the coach was in charge of Ridenour, authorities have no record of his being on duty in this capacity before July 1, 1919. During the time he was connected with the railroad, authorities have no record of his being on duty in this capacity before July 1, 1919. During the time he was connected with the railroad, authorities have no record of his being on duty in this capacity before July 1, 1919. During the time he was connected with the railroad, authorities have no record of his being on duty in this capacity before July 1, 1919. During the time he was connected with the railroad, authorities have no record of his being on duty in this capacity before July 1, 1919. During the time he was connected with the railroad, authorities have no record of his being on duty in this capacity before July 1, 1919. During the time he was connected with the railroad, authorities have no record of his being on duty in this capacity before July 1, 1919. During the time he was connected with the railroad, authorities have no record of his being of her provided with the railroad, authorities have no record of his being the received slight internal injuring the provided with the railroad, authorities have no trace of him taking anything of any

MINE WORKERS ARE ORDERED TO RECALL SUMMONS TO STRIKE

HUSBANDS FORM WELL-FED CLUB

New York, Nov. 8.—Any person applying for membership in the Well-Fed Husbands' Social Club, application for 'whose incorporation was granted yesterday by Justice Gleferich, is certain to be turned down by the membership committee unless his whole physical appearance shouts aloud that his wife feeds him the kind of meals mother used to make.

NO PLACE FOR 'DESPOTISM' IN THIS COUNTRY

Senate Steel Committee Characterizes Strikes as "Industrial Barbarism"

URGES RIGHTS OF PUBLIC

Has Right to Demand That Neither Capital Nor Labor Shall Have Its Own Way

Washington, Nov. 8.—Characterizing all strikes as 'Industrial bar barism" and declaring that "there is no place in this country either for industrial deportation or labor despotism," the Senate committee au-thorized to investigate the steel strike to-day presented a report covering its hearings both in Washington and in Pittsburgh and criti-

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Pastor Turns Somersault and Lands on Feet in

tev. H. G. Flexer, pastor of Street Evangelical Church, urrow escape yesterday when from a balcony at his home is street. He was working on The Rev. H. G. Flexer, pastor Harris Street Evangelical Chur Harris Street Evangelical Church, had a narrow escape yesterday when he fell from a balcony at his home in Green street. He was working on the balcony and lost his balance, calling 15 feet. In his fall the Rev. Mr. E'lexer turned a complete somersault, struck an iron fence and landed on his feet.

No bones were broken but he received a hard jolt and to-day his feet are badly swoller.

are badly swollen. It is also sai he received slight internal injuries Given to City Home

Mrs. Willard Young, 118 Briggs street, has turned over to Edward BaTley, vice-president of the Home for the Friendless, \$1,150 in Liberty bonds which were received by her from George C. Nye, of Scotland, Pa., as agent for an undisclosed principal, the bonds being a gift for the Home for the Friendless, for the work which the home is doing in Harrisburg and vicinity.

Mandate Issued by U.S. District Court Judge After Hearing

UNION ATTORNEY FIGHTS FOR CHANCE TO BE HEARD

INDIANAPOLIS, NOV. 8.— THE UNITED MINE WORKERS OF AMERICA WERE TO-DAY ORDERED TO WITHDRAW THE STRIKE OR-DER UNDER WHICH 400,000 MEN QUIT WORK NOVEMBER 1. THE MANDATE WAS ISSUED BY JUDGE A. B. ANDERSON, OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, AFTER A HEARING IN WHICH THE UNION ATTORNEY FOUGHT VAINLY FOR A CHANCE TO PRESENT ARGUMENTS ON THE RIGHT TO STRIKE.

GIVEN UNTIL NOV. 11 THE UNION WAS GIVEN UNTIL NOVEM-BER 11 AT 6 P. M. TO ISSUE THE CANCELLA-TION. THIS DATE WAS SELECTED BECAUSE SO MANY DEFENDANTS WERE ABSENT. THE UNION ATTORNEYS EXPLAINED THE AB-SENTEES MUST BE SUMMONED BY TELE-

GRAPH FROM MANY PARTS OF THE COUNTRY TO ISSUE THE CANCELLATION ORDER. THE ATTORNEYS ANNOUNCED THAT PRESIDENT LEWIS AND SECRETARY GREEN, OF THE UNION, PURPOSED OBEYING THE COURT ORDER, BUT THAT THEY COULD NOT SPEAK FOR THEIR FELLOW OFFICIALS.

NOVEMBER CROP REPORT

Washington. -- Crop production estimates issued tobuckwheat, 20,220,000; potatoes, 352,025,000; sweet potatoes, 102,946,000; tobacco, 1,316,553,000 pounds; flax-

DOUBTS VALIDITY OF WARTIME PROHIBITION

prohibition law was expressed here to-day by Federal Judge Leonard Hand. He voiced his opinion during an argument on a motion to vacate an injunction classifying the Eastern Hotel as a "public nuisance" under the

NAB FORTY AT AKRON

W. H. Kage, special agent, arrested forty men here early aids on alieged radical and I. W. W. head-

GIVE ORGANIZERS UNTIL 5 P. M. TO LEAVE

Johnstown. - Determined to "run organizers out of own," it is said a committee of business men has given T. J. Conboy, of the Steel Workers' Union, and Dominick Gelotte, of the United Mine Workers, until 5 P. M. to leave the city. Conboy will go but Gelotte, however, said he would not go on the grounds that he is a resident of

REDS ACTIVE IN CAPITAL

Washington. - Activities of the Union of Russian Workers have been conducted in the nation's capital. This become known to-day, when it leaked out that agents of the Department of Justice had made nine arrests last night in connection with the nation-wide raid against the leaders of the union. It is understood that five of the prisoners were released after proving their citizenship.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Eugene C. Pinkerto and Mary R. Hawk, Lykens; Walter V Houser, Middletown, and Sylva R. Brown, Highspire; James E. Hoel enberry and Esther H. Weber, Mt. Joy.