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# SENATE TO STICK UNTIL IT ACTS ON ALL RESERVATIONS

## Ratification Resolution Expected to Be Only One Left Upon Adjournment Today—Fate of Treaty Hangs on Slender Thread

# LABOR SECTION WITH MANY CHANGES FIRST TO COME

Washington, Nov. 18.—Plans shaped up in the Senate today for a final vote on the Treaty Thursday, under a compromise program which many Senators thought would result in ratification. The group of mild reservation Republicans who open the way by deciding in conference to aid in bringing about a second vote on ratification after the resolution of the Foreign Relations Committee, with its reservations, has been voted down by the Democrats.

This decision was communicated to Republican Leader Lodge who had opposed any reconsideration. At the same time Democratic leaders were informed that any further compromise negotiations must be conducted with Mr. Lodge.

A talk between Democratic Leader Hitchcock and Mr. Lodge followed, at which it was agreed not to convene the Senate until noon tomorrow, so the Democrats could meet and draft their plan of action before hand. During the day the ratification resolution was expected to be put into form for a vote on the following day.

Reject Labor Change  
Taking its first action of the day, the Senate voted down a reservation precluding the United States entirely from the labor provisions. It had been offered by Senator King, Democrat, Utah, as a substitute for that of Senator McCumber.

The vote was 48 to 42. Nine Democrats, Dial, Gore, King, Myers, Reed, Shields, Smith, of Georgia; Thomas and Walsh, of Massachusetts, voted for its adoption.

Mid Reservations Act  
Republican senators of the "mild reservation" group agreed at a conference today, their spokesmen said to vote with other Republicans to overturn the proposed bill of Vice President Marshall, which would permit Administration Leader Hitchcock to offer substitute resolutions of ratification of the Lodge resolution.

The "mild reservationists" also were said to have agreed that after anticipation rejection of the Lodge resolution, they would support a motion to reconsider. At this point, it was said, compromise substitute resolutions could be offered.

Wants Reverses  
Senator Hitchcock was informed by one of the leaders of the "mild reservationists," he must deal with Majority Leader Lodge and not with individual Republicans in negotiations for a compromise.

Senator Hitchcock later conferred with Senator Lodge and asked that the Senate recess to-night until noon tomorrow, so the Democrats might hold a conference to-morrow morning to consider their future course of action. Senator Lodge was said to have agreed to the proposal, which would operate to bring a final vote Thursday under the rule requiring the resolution of ratification to go over one day without action except by unanimous consent.

Within a day or two, Administration Democrats will confer on a definite compromise policy on the basis of these reservations and also will carry days of the Democratic "moonshine" whiskey. It is expected that many votes will be counted on against the committee's qualified ratification resolution.

Hope Still Remains  
Senator Hitchcock expressed more than thirty Democrats will join with him in voting down this resolution, while upwards of a score of irrecon-

# MAY ESTABLISH FREIGHT EMBARGO OVER WHOLE U.S.

## Hines and Regional Directors to Consider Step as Coal Conservation Move

# CUT PASSENGER TRAINS Forty Per Cent. Curtailment in Service Would Be Made; Close Nonessential Works

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Director General of Railroads Walker D. Hines and seven regional directors will meet here late today to consider a nation-wide freight embargo as a means of conserving the country's meager supply of coal. Mr. Hines is expected to arrive in Chicago this afternoon.

The conditions growing out of the emergency were informally discussed this morning by the regional directors, who planned to have a definite program ready to submit to the director general.

An embargo on all freight on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad between Chicago and the Pacific coast, has been in effect since Saturday.

If Director General Hines approves the recommendations of his regional directors an order may be issued immediately which will mean:

Nation-wide embargo on freight.

A 40 per cent. cut in passenger train service throughout the country.

Closing down of all non-essential industries.

Fifteen million workmen thrown out of employment.

"The situation is extremely serious and immediate action is necessary," said P. H. Ashton, regional director of the Northwestern States. "My judgment is that a general embargo is the only way to meet the emergency."

MONTH'S SUPPLY  
Pittsburgh, Nov. 18.—Coal supplies in Pittsburgh are sufficient to keep most mills and factories in operation for thirty days, fuel men said today. This, coupled with the operation of large numbers of mines in the northern part of West Virginia and increased coal production in the nonunion mines of Western Pennsylvania, might mean inconvenience, but not necessarily hardship in the near future, it was added.

# Antitobacco Campaign to Be One of Education

St. Louis, Nov. 18.—The policy of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union against tobacco will be one of education, not explanation, delegates attending the Victory convention asserted today.

The executive committee met today to consider plans of assisting the cause of 100,000 women said to be enslaved in Turkish harems.

Boys Urged on by Men Stone Trolleys

Gloucester, N. J., Nov. 18.—A gang of boys urged off by employees of the Pusey and Jones Shipyard here today stoned trolley cars of the Public Service Corporation. Windows and doors were broken. One conductor was taken to a hospital with a wound on his face.

To-day's disorder is a continuation of that which followed the attempt to introduce a fare system. After a boycott of several weeks the company receded from its position establishing a modified system on Sunday last.

Police officials at the shipyard claimed the rioters were urged off by foreigners. He said there apparently is no dissatisfaction with the fare system but the workmen do not want people to ride on the cars. A number of arrests will be made.

# WOMAN IS CHARGED WITH SHOPLIFTING

Charged with taking a silk dress from a counter of a woman's store, Helen Weathers, 1195 North Sixth street, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Lowery. She will be given a hearing in police court at 10 o'clock this morning.

At the time of her arrest, she was wearing a plush coat, which she is said to have admitted taking from another shop.

# SALES OF NEWPORT AND SHERMAN'S VALLEY R. R. IS ORDERED BY COURT

New Bloomfield, Nov. 18.—The Perry county court has ruled that the Newport and Sherman's Valley Railroad be sold at public sale. The court directs that the Real Estate Trust Company, of Philadelphia, trustee for the creditors, that the entire property be sold after giving three months' notice.

Samuel B. Shumaker, who was driving rapidly to reach the court-house this morning, ran into a new automobile driven by William Book, of Blain, and both machines were badly damaged. John Arnold, who was riding with Shumaker, received a serious head wound.

# Judges Who Disagree Regarding Constitutionality of Dry Laws



JUDGE ARTHUR L. BROWN      JUDGE LEARNED HAND

Here are two Federal Judges who disagree as to the constitutionality of the wartime prohibition acts. Judge Arthur L. Brown issued an injunction in Providence, R. I., on the application of a brewing company, restraining Federal officials in that city from enforcing the Volstead act. Judge Learned Hand, sitting in New York City, in a sweeping decision dismissed motions for temporary injunctions restraining the Government from enforcing the dry law.

# EDUCATORS SPLIT IN EXAMINATION VALUES

Miss Helen Taft Invites Dr. Chambers to "Rock Throwing Contest" in Lively Tilt as to Whether High Schools Are of Much Value as Preparatory Work

Records of personal and educational history of all college entrance applicants should be included in college requirements and the entrant be placed on probation, so to speak, until he has met the standards of the institution, declared Dr. W. G. Chambers, of Pittsburgh, at the higher education section of the State Educational Congress to-day. Dr. C. A. Herrick, of Girard College; Dr. G. G. Chambers, University of Pennsylvania, and Miss Helen Taft, acting head of Bryn Mawr, also gave views in regard to such changes as should be made in examinations and did not agree with all of Mr. Chambers' ideas.

Miss Taft disagreed sharply with Dr. Chambers' idea that examinations are not valuable and insisted that they are worth while and she said in reply to the assertion that High Schools do not train that they did because she had gone to ten of them herself. The head of Bryn Mawr then invited Dr. Chambers to join her in a "rock throwing" and a lively interchange of opinion followed.

Congress Divides  
The congress divided into sections today and considered a multiplicity of subjects. In the training of teachers' conference it was urged that more attention be given to instruction of teachers for the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, as many children end their schooling in the sixth.

Health Advice Needed  
In discussing health instruction, Dr. H. L. Hull, Dr. G. K. Strode, [Continued on Page 12.]

# YOUNG PRINCE IS WELCOMED TO NEW YORK

Crowds Greet Edward Albert When He Arrives For Five-Day Visit

New York, Nov. 18.—Edward Albert, Prince of Wales, arrived at Jersey City at 10.58 o'clock this morning on a five-day visit to New York.

Nearly an hour before the Prince arrived the section of the Pennsylvania terminal, Jersey City, reserved for his train had been cleared of all spectators. Three hundred soldiers of the Thirtieth Infantry from Camp Merritt and a band were lined up as a guard of honor from the track to the water's edge where the boats that were to take the Prince to New York were waiting.

The band played "God Save the King" as the Prince stepped from the train. The Prince quickly brought up his hand to a salute and kept it there while the anthem was played. A minute later when the "Star Spangled Banner" was played the Prince again stood at salute.

# PROHIBITION IS VALID AND STILL IN FORCE--JUDGE

Declares Wartime Measure Continues to Be in Effect

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 18.—Wartime prohibition is valid and still in force, according to a decision given out here by Judge Louis Fitzhugh, of the United States District Court. The decision will be formally handed down late today at Peoria, where Judge Fitzhugh went after giving a local newspaper a copy of his findings. The case was brought by Woolner and Company, distillers, of Peoria.

The decision was concurred in by Judge Carpenter, who sat en banc at Chicago with Judge Fitzhugh and follows the findings announced in the latter city late yesterday in the Hannah and Hogg counties. The cases were consolidated.

# AGAIN OUTDOORS

Washington, Nov. 18.—While his cabinet was meeting in the executive offices of the White House this morning, President Wilson again was wheeled out to the south lawn, where he remained in the sunshine for half an hour. Secretary Lansing presided at the cabinet meeting, which was the regular weekly session and most of the members were present.

# SEVEN JUDGES FAVOR PROHIBITION

Chicago, Nov. 19.—The decision of Judge Carpenter yesterday in favor of the "dry" law, authorized by Dr. Cassander Wilson, who has favored prohibition up to seven while the liquor forces have gained but two decisions, Judge Fitzhugh, who concurred in Judge Carpenter's decision and in Peoria to-day will bring the "dry" total to eight.

# CONFERENCE ON COAL CONTINUES AT STANDSTILL

Operators Again Obtain Postponement of Joint Scale Committee Meeting

MINERS WILL GET RAISE But Owners Are Considering Carefully Where Money Is to Come From

Washington, Nov. 18.—Negotiations between bituminous coal miners and operators in the central competitive field continued at a standstill today, the operators again obtaining postponement of the joint conference of wage scale committees on the ground that their counter proposal had not been completed.

To Grant Increase  
The operators were said to be considering very carefully where the money to pay wage increases would come from, and the possible effect the granting of the workers' demands might have on the future control of the mines. Assurances will be sought from several government departments before reply is made to the miners' demands for increased wages and shorter hours.

Persistent rumors that the operators had asked for a conference with Fuel Administrator Garfield to learn how much of an increase in the cost of production due to wage advances could be passed on to the consuming public, were denied again today by Dr. Garfield.

The possibility of Federal control of the mines in case of popular disapproval of higher prices of coal was said to be receiving the close attention of operators.

Both sides spent yesterday in continued preparation for the negotiations, joint meetings being called off. The operators gave out reports and statistics to show that very generally over the United States the strike was still in force, in spite of the Federal Court injunction for its cancellation. Acting President Lewis, of the mine workers, however, said that every "legal obligation" of the miners had been discharged.

Fuel Administrator Garfield, called back to Washington by the crisis, took no actual part in the procedure, though remaining in close touch with the situation.

# TO CONSERVE FUEL

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Further drastic steps to conserve the steadily dwindling supply of fuel for the country to-day were in prospect. Brought to full realization of the condition to be faced should the approximately 400,000 bituminous coal miners who went on strike more than two weeks ago continue to remain idle, Walker D. Hines, Federal Director General of Railroads, to-day is on his way back to Washington by the crisis.

Five ordinances were passed finally by the Councilmen to-day. They provide for the grading of Caledonia street, Nineteenth to Hudson, grading Hudson, Caledonia to Sycamore; paving Walnut, Ninth to Tenth, appropriating \$2,000 to purchase wagons and equipment for the bureau of ash and garbage inspection, and authorizing City Engineer M. B. Cowden to make a topographical survey of the Fourteenth ward.

Commissioner Gross introduced a resolution authorizing the acceptance of a bequest of \$500 for the purchase and placing of an animal drinking fountain at Cameron and Paxton streets, authorized Dr. Cassander and Mr. Gross to purchase the fountain and have it placed, subject to the approval of Council.

# City Is Asked to Open Fourteenth Street For Temporary Car Tracks

Purchase of apparatus costing \$1475 for the use of liquid chlorine at the city filter plant, is authorized in an ordinance passed on first reading to-day by Council. The measure was read by Commissioner S. F. Haesler, who recommended last week the purchase and installation of the new system.

A letter was received from the State asking Council to take necessary action to give the Harrisburg Railways Company permission to lay temporary tracks in North Fourteenth street, because the lines in State street from the park extension to Thirteenth must be abandoned when work is started on the bridge.

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# New Orleans Papers Make Price 3 Cents

New Orleans, Nov. 18.—Three daily newspapers of New Orleans will increase subscription rates from 15 to 20 cents a week, because of the increased cost of white paper.

The States and The Item, afternoon papers, will raise the street price from 10 to three cents a copy. The Times-Picayune, morning newspaper, did not change the street price of five cents a copy.

# MUNICIPAL STORE PLANNED BY MAYOR TO LOWER PRICES

## Foodstuffs and Other U. S. Supplies Would Be Put Before Consumers at Prices Lower Than the Market

# KEISTER TO NAME COMMITTEE AND SELECT HEADQUARTERS

A municipal store for the sale of government foodstuffs and other supplies at prices considerably under the regular market is planned by Mayor Daniel L. Keister. The store will remain open indefinitely, and will be managed by a committee, the composition of which the Mayor is now studying. He also is negotiating for a suitable storehouse.

The Mayor's plan is to get everything the Government has to sell to municipal supplies, including sugar. The store will be open certain hours during the day. A committee will be named to look after details and the goods when they get here and are placed on sale. It is necessary to have an organization to carry out the plan.

I know that other cities are getting supplies and I am just as anxious to have Harrisburg inquired. My trouble has been in getting a committee or organization to take care of the goods when they get here and are placed on sale. It is necessary to have an organization to carry out the plan. I have several big rooms in sight, and will endeavor to get some of them. A municipal store can run until there are no more government goods to be had.

Some Expense  
There is one thing that must be understood. The goods will have to come from Philadelphia or Baltimore. That means an additional expense for freight. There will also be an expense attached to hauling the goods from the cars to the store room. If I cannot get volunteers it will be necessary to hire competent persons to manage the sales. That means above those the Government quotes, but even at that I feel certain that the people of Harrisburg will be able to buy below the present market prices.

Mayor Keister had not received any word about sugar, but said he would make inquiries and if a supply could be had would make every effort to get Harrisburg sugar. Williamsport and other cities are getting sugar and the impression prevails here that Harrisburg people have been losing out. A dispatch from Williamsport says:

Mayor A. M. Hoagland left here last night to meet the Federal Equalization Board to-morrow, in order to secure 30,000 pounds of sugar which a telegram from the board said, had been allotted to this city. The message asked what charges would have to be made for storage, distribution and handling.

High Prices Going Higher  
Washington, Nov. 18.—Prices of many articles of food increased in August, but in most cities beef prices showed declines. A report to-day by the Bureau of Labor Statistics listed increases as follows:

Eggs and rice, 6 per cent. each; potatoes and raisins, 4 per cent.; evaporated and fresh milk, coffee and prunes, 3 per cent.; pork chops, butter, cornmeal, rolled oats, navy beans and sugar, 2 per cent.; canned salmon, oleomargarine, cheese, bread, macaroni and oranges, 1 per cent.; ham, nutmargarine and tea showed an increase of less than five-tenths of one per cent.

# WOULD REIMBURSE U. S. FOR RAILROAD EXPENDITURES

WASHINGTON.—LEGISLATION AUTHORIZING CREATION OF AN EQUIPMENT TRUST TO REIMBURSE THE GOVERNMENT FOR \$400,000,000 SPENT FOR LOCOMOTIVES AND CARS DURING FEDERAL CONTROL OF THE RAILROAD'S WAS PASSED TO-DAY BY THE HOUSE AND SENT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR APPROVAL.

# COUNCIL HOLDS TO DECISION

Paris.—The Supreme Council to-day decided to inform Premier Venizelos, of Greece, that it could not only confirm the view of the Peace Conference concerning the provisional character of the occupation of Smyrna to the Greeks.

# NITTI AND CANDIDATES WIN

Rome.—Francesco Nitti, the premier, and the other candidates in his province were elected.

# CONFESSES TO ROBBERY FOR WHICH TWO ARE JAILED

Philadelphia.—An alleged confession by Katie Cohen, formerly employed as a servant in the home of Joseph Pearl, a banker of Bethlehem, Pa., has been filed in the Superior Court in support of the appeals of Charles Berkowitz and R. Gramer, who were convicted last December before Judge McKean at Easton, of stealing \$8,500 from Pearl. They were sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

# S. J. LOWELL HEADS NATIONAL GRANGE

Grand Rapids.—S. J. Lowell, of New York, was elected national master of the National Grange at the annual election here to-day. John C. Kechem, of Hastings, Mich., was re-elected national treasurer.

# HARRISBURG TRUST ELECTS

Harrisburg.—Stockholders of the Harrisburg Trust Company held their annual meeting and elected officers this afternoon.

# MARRIAGE LICENSES

Reginald Med. Oxley and Daisy A. Morris, Harrisburg; Stanley J. Goodman and Mary A. Smithers, Harrisburg; George A. Boyer, Harrisburg; and Angeline I. Weisenfeld, Steelton; Arthur B. Carlson, Allentown; and Jennie A. Wolfe, Harrisburg; Lewis E. Kline and Ivy M. Bright, Penbrook; Franklin H. Swickler and Mary E. Dietrich, Harrisburg; Charles M. Kehler and Carrie Harbold, Harrisburg; John Kehler and Marian A. Peck, Harrisburg.

# MOONSHINERS KEEP THEIR WORD

Anniston, Ala., Nov. 18.—Twelve mountaineers of this section surrendered themselves at the jail here today, carrying out an agreement with the court, which several weeks ago sentenced them to serve from thirty to sixty days in jail for making "moonshine" whiskey. The sentence of the court had been suspended while the men harvested their crops. A thirteen farmer sent word that he would come in as soon as he finished butchering his hogs.

# THE WEATHER

Harrisburg and Vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Much change in temperature. Lowest to-night about 28 degrees.  
Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair tonight, slightly cooler in northeast part. Wednesday partly cloudy. Moderate west and northwest winds.  
Susquehanna River: The Susquehanna river and all its branches will fall slowly. A stage of about 43 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Wednesday morning.