

SEES HOPE FOR SETTLEMENT OF MINERS STRIKE

White House Expresses Belief End Will Come Tomorrow

MEN TO ACCEPT PLANS PROPOSED BY PRESIDENT

Washington, Dec. 8.—"Hope for the settlement of tomorrow afternoon of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the Government" was expressed in a formal statement issued to-day at the White House.

NEW PROPOSALS FOR THE MINERS

Chicago, Dec. 8.—The proposal presented to John L. Lewis, president, and William Green, secretary of the United Mine Workers of America, by President Wilson and Attorney General Palmer in Washington, included a fourteen per cent. wage advance to miners and the appointment of a commission to study wages, profits and all conditions surrounding the industry upon resumption of work by the striking miners, according to private advices from the national capital received by Dr. F. C. Harold, secretary of the Illinois Coal Operators' Association.

PRETTY PRINCESS HAS NEWEST HAT



PRINCESS ENGALICHEFF

Photographers flocked around Princess Engalicheff when she arrived in New York recently from France. One reason was Princess Engalicheff's (see picture). Another was the princess' stunning leather hat. She said that this model first came from Paris, but probably found much favor in America as in Europe.

SEVERANCE OF RELATIONS WITH MEXICO OPPOSED

Wilson Tells Fall He Would Be Gravelly Concerned if Resolution Passed

NOW UP TO PRESIDENT He Must Shoulder Whole Responsibility, Senate Chairman Declares

Washington, Dec. 8.—President Wilson would be "gravely concerned to see any such resolution pass the Congress," he wrote Senator Fall to-day in referring to the Fall resolution requesting the President to sever diplomatic relations with the Carranza government.

NEVER SO BAD IT COULD NOT BE WORSE

Table with columns: Item, Price. Includes Eggs, Butter, Flour, etc.

ALLIES MODIFY DEMANDS AFTER GERMANS OBJECT

Consent to Elimination of Protocol Features Unsatisfactory to Huns

EASE SINKING DEMANDS Scapa Flow Destruction Clause Referred to the Hague for Settlement

Paris, Dec. 8.—The Allies have consented to modify some of the terms of the protocol putting the Peace Treaty into effect to which Germany has made objection.

DONOR OF NEW PIPE ORGAN



WILLIAM P. STARKEY

GRACE M. E. TO DEDICATE NEW ORGAN TONIGHT

William P. Starkey to Present New Masterpiece to Official Board

The week of reopening services in Grace Methodist Church, opened yesterday. These services have been arranged to mark the completion of extensive improvements, the dedication of the new memorial pipe organ and the church's tribute to its service men and women. Two services were held yesterday, at 7 and 8 o'clock.

DECISION ON PROHIBITION IS WITHHELD

Supreme Court Gives No Indication When Opinion Will Be Handed Down

IS ANXIOUSLY AWAITED Country Eager For Action on Constitutionality of the Wartime Act

Washington, Dec. 8.—No decision on the constitutionality of the wartime prohibition and the Volstead enforcement act was rendered to-day by the Supreme Court, and there was no indication when a decision would be handed down.

SEC. DANIELS TO ADDRESS 400 AT C. OF C. DINNER

Head of American Navy Arrives For Address Before Businessmen

Joseph Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, arrived in the city at 3.20 this afternoon for his scheduled address before the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce in the Penn-Harris ballroom at 6 o'clock.

Eliminate Objections

The understanding also is that the other features of the protocol most objectionable to the Germans have been eliminated, and the expectation here is that the German plenipotentiaries will sign the protocol without much further delay.

German Leader Says Limit of Endurance Now Has Been Reached

London, Dec. 8.—Gustav Noske, minister of defense, is determined not to sign the peace protocol handed Germany by the Entente, and is resolved to recommend that the government adopt, in accordance with an interview with Noske, printed to-day.

PREDICTS SATISFACTORY RESULT

LONDON—Andrew Bonar Law, the government spokesman, declared in the House of Commons to-day that there was little reason to doubt that the communications proceeding between the allied and associated powers and Germany with reference to the immediate ratification of the Peace Treaty would have satisfactory issue.

DO NOT WANT CONVENTION ON COAST

WASHINGTON—Any possibility that San Francisco would be selected for the 1920 Republican National Convention apparently disappeared to-day when William H. Crocker, the national committeeman for California, announced that his state would throw its influence for the selection of Chicago.

PRIEST COMMITS SUICIDE

PHILADELPHIA—Rev. Edward B. Henry, a Catholic priest, committed suicide by leaping from the eleventh-story window of a hotel.

NEWBERRY AND AIDS APPEAR IN COURT

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Truman H. Newberry, U. S. Senator from Michigan, and seventeen of his principal campaign leaders appeared in Federal Court here to-day to plead to indictments charging fraud and corruption in the Senator's nomination and election in 1918.

DECIDE ON ARMY OF 300,000

WASHINGTON—A peace-time regular army of 300,000 men and 18,000 officers was decided on to-day by the House Military Subcommittee, headed by Representative Anthony, Republican, Kansas, framing the army reorganization bill. The number of combat troops was fixed at 250,000.

BERKMAN AND GOLDMAN IN COURT

NEW YORK—Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman, who have been held at Ellis Island since Friday, for deportation to Russia, appeared in the Federal court and heard their attorneys argue that it would be illegal to send them out of the country.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Charles E. Miller and Ida M. Bowers, Reading.

Stores on Short Hours

A cold wave, accompanied by snow, prevailed to-day in the Rocky Mountain region, making the distribution of the limited coal supply difficult.

Will Not Empanel Grand Jury to Probe Coal Strike Violations

Indianapolis, Dec. 8.—The Federal grand jury, summoned by U. S. District Judge A. B. Anderson to investigate alleged violations of the Lever act and antitrust laws by operators, miners, coal dealers in connection with the bituminous coal strike, will not be empaneled to-day, U. S. District Attorney L. Ert Slack, announced to-day. He said this step had been postponed until to-morrow.

Hundreds of Trains Are Withdrawn to Conserve Dwindling Fuel

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Hundreds of passenger trains were withdrawn from service on the railroads of the country to-day, mostly in the Middle West, South and Southwest. In accordance with instructions issued last week by the Railroad Administration, and hundreds of other trains have been ordered annulled on next Wednesday, chiefly in the East, as a savings of 2,400 train miles per month has been effected.

Murray Predicts End of Strike on Eve of Going to Indianapolis

Pittsburgh, Dec. 8.—Philip Murray, president of District No. 5, United Mine Workers of America, will leave here to-night for Indianapolis with 17 other members of the scale committee to take part in the conference which Mr. Murray said, he believed would end the coal strike.

D'Annunzio Denies He Plans Expedition Against Spalato or Laibach

Rome, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Gabriele D'Annunzio, the Italian commander here, assured the Associated Press correspondent to-day that he was not preparing an expedition against Spalato or Laibach. The soldier-poet gave his word of honor that this statement was true.

Crusade Against Axiators

Digging for volunteers also was expected to begin to-day in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Montana. In Oklahoma, where martial law prevails in the coal districts, Governor Robertson has begun a crusade against axiators.

SIX ARE CAUGHT IN CAVE-IN WHEN DITCH GIVES WAY

Rescue Party Works Half an Hour to Release Man Buried to Neck

Caught by a slide of ground while working in a pit at the Middletown Car works this morning, two men were seriously injured and four others hurt, when a wooden form holding the slides gave way under pressure.

VILLA CHIEF SURRENDERS

Juaraz, Mex., Dec. 8.—Captain R. Diaz Martinez, commander of the aviation squadron at Chihuahua, who has just arrived here, reported the surrender of General Pablo Hernandez, until recently in command of Villa's personal bodyguard. He said Hernandez and thirty of his men had been in the mountains in the Guerrero district.

ONLY TWO IN RAID

Laredo, Tex., Dec. 8.—Investigation conducted by Texas Rangers has disclosed that only two Mexicans participated in the robbery of a store last Thursday night on the Chisno ranch, near Zapata, on the American side of the Rio Grande.

CHO-CHO, FAMOUS HEALTH CLOWN, PLEASURES CHILDREN

Youngsters Told Simple Rules of Right Living by Means of Comic Pantomime

"Cho-Cho! Cho-Cho! Here comes Cho-Cho!" Thousands of city school children in the Allison Hill district crowded into the large auditorium at the Edison Junior High School this afternoon greeted Cho-Cho, the famous health clown, who as part of the educational campaign for children in connection with the Christmas Seal sale. To-morrow he will go to Steelton, and on Wednesday he will appear at the Edison Junior High School auditorium for two talks.

THE WEATHER

Harrisburg and Vicinity: Rain or snow this afternoon, to-night and Tuesday. Slightly colder to-night with lowest temperature about freezing. Eastern Pennsylvania: Rain or snow to-night and Tuesday. Some clearing to-morrow. Moderate to fresh northerly and east winds.

Mexicans Who Captured Jenkins Are Released

Laredo, Tex., Dec. 8.—Forty Mexican soldiers captured in connection with the abduction of William O. Jenkins, American consul agent at Puebla, Mexico, will be released at once, there is no proof against them of wrongdoing in the Mexico City newspaper Excelsior.

GOES BACK TO JAIL TO REFRESH MEMORY

When Mark Seltzer came into court to-day and his attorney presented petition to have him released from jail where he has been for more than two months because he could not comply with a maintenance order, President Judge George Kunkel refused the petition until next week. Seltzer's wife said she couldn't live with him because of his treatment and said he dragged her upstairs by the neck. The court asked him about it, but he said he couldn't recall dragging her upstairs.

CONSTITUTIONAL BODY WILL MEET TOMORROW

Pennsylvania's Commission on Revision of the Constitution will begin its activities to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock in the Senate Chamber at the State Capitol, when Attorney General William I. Schwerk, the chairman, will call it to order and Secretary of the Commonwealth Cyrus E. Woods, will present the commission from the Governor and the oaths of office.

ACTED ON OWN INITIATIVE

Mexico City, Sunday, Dec. 7.—J. Salter Hansen, chief of the educational campaign for children in connection with the Christmas Seal sale, declared in a statement to-night that he had acted on his own initiative.

TWO DIE IN FALL

Elizabeth, N. J., Dec. 8.—Two men were killed and twenty-eight others injured, ten seriously, to-day when a scaffolding on which they were working at the Bay Way refinery of the Standard Oil Company, near here, collapsed and fell twenty-five feet. The men were engaged in constructing an oil still.

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