

CONGRESS BLIND TO EMERGENCY IN STRIKE CRISIS

Immediate Presence Alone Will Inspire New Laws to Meet Issue.

POLL SHOWS UNCERTAINTY

Many Doubt Possibility Even for Preventing Collapse of Industry.

BULLETIN

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Legislation authorizing President Harding to operate the anthracite mines and railroads should an occasion of dire necessity arise, was left out of the legislative program for the remainder of the Senate session today.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Congress will not enact emergency legislation authorizing seizure of the railroads and idle coal mines except in the immediate presence of an absolute crisis—such as does not exist now.

This, a virtually complete poll of sentiment in both the Senate and House showed today, is the reaction on "capitol hill" to the official White House statement that President Harding wants Congress, before it adjourns, to arm him with the power to take over the rail and coal properties, as a last resort, and operate them in the public welfare.

Many Senators and Congressmen expressed the doubt as to whether such legislation could be passed in any event, and practically all agreed that a seizure act could be put through only when it was certain that it was the one move left that would stop industrial paralysis and end severe hardships.

RUDDELL NAMED RILEY CHAIRMAN

Executive Committee Places Hirn in Charge of Raising Money for Hospital.

Almus G. Ruddell, president of the Central Rubber and Supply Company, and ex-president of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, today was named by the executive committee as Marion County chairman for the campaign Oct. 1 to 7 to raise money for the James Whitcomb Riley Hospital for Children.

William Lowe Bryan is chairman of the State committee. Members are: George A. Ball of Muncie, Ira C. Batman of Bloomington, William C. Hobbs, Louis C. Huesmann, James W. Fesler, Dr. Samuel E. Smith of Richmond, Dr. Lafayette Page, Benjamin F. Long of Logansport and Hugh McK. Landon, president of the Riley Memorial Association.

The Marion County drive will be part of the campaign in the State to raise money for the Riley Hospital, which, when entirely completed, will be a \$2,000,000 State-owned institution.

NAB COUNTERFEITERS

Henry Kubick Marches Fair Into Hammond Federal Clutches.

"Throw up your hands or I'll blow your heads off, and maybe I'll blow them off anyhow," heard John Dumrowski and Walter Spetila as they looked into a gun in the hands of Henry Kubick, at Hammond yesterday.

Kubick said the men had passed a counterfeit bill on him. They were bound over to the Federal grand jury. The bond of \$5,000 was fixed at \$5,000 and that of Spetila at \$3,000. They will be brought to Indianapolis.

The men have been raising \$2 and \$5 bills to \$20 bills. Federal officers say.

JAP GIRLS SLAVES'

Speaker Says They Are Property of Silk Mill Owners.

"Hundreds of beautiful Japanese girls are sold each year into slavery and are trained for several years to wear beautiful clothes and dance voluptuous dances," said Mrs. William Seiple addressing the Missionary Conference of the Reformed Church in the United States.

"In the silk mills of Japan the girls are bought when they are 10 or 12 years old. The average price for a 10-year-old girl is \$50 while a 12-year-old girl brings \$100."

TWO MEN FIGHT

One Finds Wife With Another. Three Are Arrested.

George Fisher, 126 W. Ohio St., was arrested on the charge of assault and battery on James N. Bell, 530 E. Ohio St., last night. Bell and his wife Bonnie Bell were arrested on vagrancy charges. Bell found his wife with Fisher at Ohio and Delaware Sts., it is said, and the fight followed.

REALTORS HEAR TALKS

Program Given at Luncheon at Noon Today.

The program given at the noon luncheon of the Indianapolis Real Estate Board at the Chamber of Commerce today included the following: "The New Convention Plan," Lawrence Welch; "The Realtor's Special to South Bend," J. Quill; "Bring Realtors to Indianapolis in 1923," J. J. Schmidt; "Glad You're Here," by Realtors.

YOUTH IS WHIPPED

Boy Tells Police Three Negroes Lash Him With Belts.

Clyde Gregory, 14, of 2107 Wendell Ave., told the police today that he was whipped by four negro boys yesterday.

He said he met the four negroes at 10th St. and the canal and they stripped and whipped him with their leather belts.

TROTZKY'S WIFE



Chamber of Commerce Decorates Chair for Miss Indianapolis

MISS INDIANAPOLIS will enter the rolling-chair parade on Thursday, Sept. 7, in the Atlantic City Pageant in an artistically decorated chair furnished by the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce.

The chair will be emblematic of the city and the State, as it will represent a golden ear of corn, which will enhance the natural beauty of Miss Indianapolis.

Great expense and time has been spent in working out a design which would reflect the glory of the city and State.

Miss Indianapolis will enter the rolling-chair parade confident she not only has the support of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce officially, but that the entire city and State are hoping her beauty and the beautifully designed chair will make her a winner.

The Chamber of Commerce of Atlantic City is a part of the Chamber of Commerce of that city and the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce accepted the invitation to decorate the chair for Miss Indianapolis on invitation from S. P. Leeds, president of the Chamber of Commerce of Atlantic City.

Both Miss Indianapolis and Mrs. C. Roltare Eggleston, chaperon, are assured that the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce by its cooperation will leave nothing undone to aid them in reflecting the spirit and beauty of Indianapolis and Indiana.

TWO RAILROADERS SEVERELY BEATEN

Violence Reported on Increase in Strike Connection at Ft. Wayne.

By United Press

FT. WAYNE, Ind., Aug. 30.—Violence in connection with the railroad strike is on the increase, according to reports made to police here last night by Captain Stoll, head of the Pennsylvania police department in this city.

Two employees of the company were held up and badly beaten by a mob of about ten unidentified men at Calhoun and Breckinridge Sts. early last night and one of these, Ivan D. Branford, a machinist's helper, was warned that he must leave the city and not return during the strike, the mob threatening him with "real mob vengeance" should he return.

Cal Baker, a Pennsylvania track laborer, was the second victim of this attack, and he also was severely beaten, according to Stoll.

LIEBER IS SPEAKER

Will Address Credit Men at Claypool Thursday.

Richard Lieber, director of the Indiana department of conservation, is the speaker at the noon luncheon of the Indianapolis Credit Men's Association at the Claypool Thursday.

Mr. Lieber has just returned from Europe after a stay of two and a half months.

Arrangements are being completed for a golf tournament to determine the champion of the Association of Credit Men.

LIONS HEAR ELLIOT

Club Will Get National Charter On Sept. 6.

City Engineer Elliott discussed the zoning system at the noon meeting of the Lion's Club today. The program was arranged by E. E. Katterhenry.

Sept. 3 the club will receive its charter from the national organization.

Col. Alvan Ousley, director of Americanism for the American Legion, will be the principal speaker. The presidents of the Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs will also speak.

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