

VICTORY FOR RAIL STRIKERS SEEN BY SHOPMEN'S LEADER

Reviewing industrial conditions since 1920 when drastic reductions were made in working forces of numerous industries in the United States, N. P. Good of Pittsburgh, Pa., president of the striking Pennsylvania shopmen in a talk at the Community hall Thursday evening, outlined the objects of the present conflict and predicted ultimate victory for the strikers.

He was introduced by Hugh Washburn, chairman of the Richmond Federated Shop Crafts committee, who took occasion to call to the attention of the people, the Labor day parade to be held Sept. 4.

Prefacing his talk with the statement that unless this strike could be won with "all the cards on the table, it could not be won at all," Good plunged into a summary of conditions before the strike. He asserted that the unemployment of 1920 was merely a prelude to the industrial strife that was to start early in 1922 and that it was for the purpose of creating an army of unemployed.

Start Big Reduction

"In 1920, a big reduction in the force of working men on railroads and in other industries was started," he said. "This took place between October, 1920, and February, 1921. Other industries were suffering the same reductions. The reason was apparent.

"The same financial interests which were behind the railroads, controlled the mines and the steel industry. They were looking forward to the termination of the miners' agreement. If they could create an army of six million unemployed, hungry working-men they could greatly reduce their troubles."

Have "Smoke Screen"

Good asserted that the talk of "seniority rights" advanced by the management as the stumbling block to a successful settlement of the dispute, was a mere "smoke screen." He hinted that the management may be working for a return to government operation, and asserted that as a taxpayer he was opposed to the government's taking over the railroads in their present state.

"I am not sure that the management would not favor government control of the railroads," he said. "I do not say that the time will come, but it may come, when the public utilities will be owned by the government. As a taxpayer, I do not want the railroads taken over by the government when their equipment is deteriorated. I am not convinced that the railroad management do not want the same conditions that prevailed in 1917 when the government took over the railroads, with equipment at a low point of efficiency."

FOREIGN WAR VETS TO BEGIN NEW WORK

Veterans of Foreign wars will start on a new series of activities by giving an open air meeting Saturday afternoon and evening in the woods southwest of Earlham cemetery. The meeting probably will be called about 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and it is hoped that all the applicants for membership will be present to take the work of the order. Several of the state officers will be present if possible. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Commander George M. McKinley, who attended the Council of Administration meeting in Indianapolis, Wednesday, states that the organizing of new posts over the state is progressing satisfactorily. Five new posts have been mustered in, in the last three weeks and four more will be mustered in, in the next week or so.

"The Loyal Order of Dads," open to fathers of all overseas men, and "The Order of the Cootties," are two new organizations which will be discussed during Sat. day's meeting. Plans will also be discussed pertaining to ladies' auxiliary.

WAR HORSE BURIED

FREMONT, Ohio, Sept. 1.—Black Yucco, war horse, Colonel Webb C. Hayes' charger throughout the Cuban and Porto Rican campaigns, and during the Philippine Insurrection twenty-five years ago, is dead and has been buried with full military honors. The flag of his country was draped about the body of the veteran as he was lowered into his grave. Black Yucco is said to have been one of the most traveled horses in the world.

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ELECTRIC BUSINESS WILL CELEBRATE ITS 40TH ANNIVERSARY

(By Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 1.—Next Monday is the fortieth anniversary of the electric light business, which started in New York City when the Edison Electric Illuminating company opened its first circuit on Sept. 4, 1882. Samuel Insull, from southern Indiana, was Thomas A. Edison's right hand man in the preparations for starting operations. He is now living in Chicago, and is interested in several Indiana electric properties.

The business is 35 years old in Indiana, an Indianapolis central station having started in 1887. The old Park theatre was the first customer whose lights were turned on. Wabash claims the honor of being the first city to use electric lights in the streets, having established a street system in 1888. The Blish Milling company, of Seymour, was among the earliest industrial plants to install electric light and power, the installation being made by Charles C. Perry, of Indianapolis.

Mr. Perry is still in the electric business and is one of the oldest operators in the United States remaining continuously in the industry. Since the business began in Indiana, 35 years ago, he has seen his company grow until it supplies 65,000 customers in Indianapolis. The industry now reaches probably two-thirds of the homes in Indiana.

Travelers Notes
By Post C. Scribe

The contentment of the traveling salesmen of the United States is proverbial, and yet it is not strange that this situation exists, when the personalities of the traveling men are studied. The very duties that they are called on to perform makes for contentment. To be successful on the road, they must be "good mixers," and must keep smiling at all times, whether they wish to do so or not. They are seeing new faces all the time and making new friends, which is a splendid thing to do. They are visiting different places every day, and while some unpleasant features come to the surface, which must be smoothed away, yet they see many amusing things which the people who stay at home do not have an opportunity of meeting. They naturally are happiest when they are selling goods, and selling goods means work, and in this manner their time is always taken up. Then again, they are always looking forward to Friday evening or Saturday when they will be home to meet the good wife and the kiddies, or as sometimes happens, grand-kiddies, and last but by no means least, is the outstanding fact of their supreme loyalty to their employers. The above are only a few of the happenings of life which come to the traveling men, but these matters when studied carefully, will clearly show the reasons why the traveling men are so successful in

Ray Cannon, attorney and former ball player of Milwaukee, Wis., is organizing the new "union" of baseball players, whom Cannon calls "pawns of the club owners."

Cannon prosecuted the suits of Happy Felsch and other members of the "Black Sox" to obtain back pay, after their expulsion from baseball.

Mayor Shank to Watch Shelbyville Horse Race

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Sept. 1.—Mayor Shank of Indianapolis, owner of Peter Hall, a black gelding entered in the Shelbyville fair races, was to visit the fair Friday to watch his horse in the 2:17 race. Premiums have been awarded on many classes in the stock show in which 240 hogs, 137 cattle, and 118 sheep were entered. Much interest was shown in the pig club contest, the champion of which, a young boy, also took a number of prizes in open classes in competition with experienced breeders.

County Churches

Fountain City, Ind.—Wesleyan Methodist Sunday school at 9:30; Eva Loven, superintendent; class meeting following; prayer meeting Wednesday evening; everybody welcome; T. M. Bodenhorst, pastor. Christian Sunday school at 9:30; Ora Wright, superintendent; communion follows; prayer meeting Thursday evening; Edward Rudicel, pastor.

Whitewater M. E. Church—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Preaching, 10:30, by the pastor, L. F. Ulmer. Union young people's service, 7:15 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Middleboro M. E. Church—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Class meeting, 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, L. F. Ulmer, at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 8 p. m.

Chester M. E. Church—Victor E. Stoner, pastor. Sunday school, William Wesler, superintendent, 9:45. Morning worship service, sermon by pastor on "Labor," 10:45. Epworth League Booth festival at Memorial park, Newcastle, on Monday, Labor day.

Webster M. E. Church—Victor E. Stoner, pastor. Sunday school, William Culbertson, superintendent, 9:30. Evening evangelistic service, sermon by pastor on "Labor," 7:30. Everyone welcome.

Green's Fork Friends Church—Sunday school at 9:30; preaching at 10:30 and 7:30, by Rev. Hinshaw.

Green's Fork Christian Church—Sunday school at 9:30.

Green's Fork Methodist Church—Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 10:30, by Rev. Knowles.

Bethel—Rev. Albert Brown will preach here Sunday morning and evening. He will preach here on the first Sunday of the month for a year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Bates of 25 South Thirteenth street, will entertain a number of their friends at the dinner dance which will be held at the Country club Saturday evening, Sept. 2.

A new T. P. A. post was recently organized at Akron, Ohio, with a start of 40 new applications, and a number of transfers. National President H. B. Ramey and National Secretary and Treasurer T. S. Logan were there, also Ohio state President W. E. Ott, assisted by M. D. Middleton and state Secretary Charles M. Zink. And so the good work goes on.

Information reached us direct from Brother W. A. Ryan, who has been

Called by Death

ALTON R. WRIGHT

BLOOMINGPORT, Ind., Sept. 1.—Funeral services for Alton R. Wright, 48 years old, were held at the Friends' church at Winchester at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Mr. Wright was a well-known farmer, living about two miles northwest of Bloomingport. He dropped dead while working in the field. His death was caused by heart disease. He is survived by his widow, three sons, one daughter, two brothers and four sisters.

HAMILTON BOY DROWNS

HAMILTON, Ohio, Sept. 1.—Jack Frank Terry, 12 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Terry, drowned yesterday in a canal here. The body was recovered.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS MEET CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 1.—The National Association of Electrical Contractors and Dealers will hold its annual convention here Oct. 11 to 14. It has been announced. In connection with the convention, will be the first radio and electrical exposition, Oct. 7 to 14. All prominent radio concerns in the country will have exhibits at the show, it is announced.

CANADA FEEDS 80,000

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 1.—Eighty thousand children are being fed by Canada in the famine area of Saratov, Russia, and 55 Canadian kitchens are in operation in this district. 45 of which have been established through the Canadian "Save the Children" fund, organization, and 10 through the British organization.

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