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STRIKE COMMITTEE OF WINNIPEG CONTROLLED MAYOR GRAY ASSERTS

Alderman Queen Declared Against Constituted Authority, His Worship Stated in Evidence at Trial of Strikers—Committee Desired to Control Food by Card Rations System.

Winnipeg, July 28.—The city was practically in control of the strike committee from June 10 to 26. Mayor Charles F. Gray swears at the preliminary trial this afternoon of eight labor leaders for seditious conspiracy.

The mayor occupied the witness box at forenoon, and his examination in chief had not been completed when the court adjourned for lunch.

The salient points of his evidence were that the city was in control of the strike committee at certain times during the strike; that R. B. Russell, representing the Metal Trades Council, had admitted early in the strike that the iron masters were willing to bargain on a collective basis, and that Ald. John Queen, one of the defendants, had declared he constituted authority in a committee meeting at the city hall.

Agreed Against Strike The mayor first produced agreements with union employees of the city providing against strikes until May 1, 1920. He then produced letters from the Trades and Labor Council announcing the strike, and declared the civic employees on utilities had broken their agreement and walked out at the call of the Trades and Labor Council.

Police By Permission Alderman Queen got up and said, "I don't want to hear constituted authority sit down."

BRITISH SEIZED NICKEL INTENDED FOR GERMANY British Parliamentary Reports Show That Twelve Vessels Were Taken Destined for Enemy.

GERMANS INSTALLED WIRELESS IN MEXICO Washington, July 28.—Carranza's rule of Mexico is "not a government," but a "band of outlaws, both technically and practically," and "today it is utterly impossible, an enemy of its own people first and America second."

PRESIDENT'S HAND FORCED BY SENATE ON FRENCH TREATY

Defence Pact Will Be Presented Before Wilson Leaves on Tour.

Washington, July 28.—The special defensive treaty with France, which Republican senators have declared President Wilson is withholding from the senate, in violation of its own terms, probably will be submitted for ratification within a few days.

THE LATE ALLAN STODOLME Member of Ontario Legislature for East Hamilton, who died yesterday morning at his home in Hamilton.

YORKSHIRE STRIKE STILL DEADLOCKED Neither Side Will Move to Bring Owners and Employees Together.

LONDON, July 28.—Late tonight the Yorkshire strike situation remained deadlocked. Neither side seemed willing to make the first move to bring the men and mine owners together to discuss the government's offer of piece rates and adjust other differences.

MATTRESS COMPANY DAMAGED BY FIRE General Alarm Sent in—Flames Quenched—\$17,000 Damage.

Breaking out on the top floor of the Marshall ventilated mattress company, 8-10 Market street, at 5 o'clock last evening, fire did damage estimated at \$17,000.

PUBLISH IMMEDIATELY THE BRITISH TELEGRAM

PARIS, July 28.—The German government will publish immediately, according to The Frankfort Gazette, the British telegram mentioned in the note of Monsignor Machon, papal nuncio at Berlin, which Vice-President Erzberger on Friday told the German national assembly contained a peace proposal.

GOVERNMENT CONSIDERING FIXED PRICE FOR WHEAT Canadian Farmers Concerned About U. S. Action Tending to Restrict Marketing of Canadian Product in Europe.

The Grain Growers' Guide of Winnipeg (July 23) says that Great Britain will probably do most of the grain buying for herself, for France, for Italy, this year; also that she controls over 70 per cent. of the shipping that will carry foodstuffs to Europe.

"BIG FIVE" PACKERS' CONTROL MAKES MANIPULATION EASY

DEATH PENALTY IS PRONOUNCED ON ELEVEN "LAON INFORMERS" Of Twenty-Eight Persons Accused of Denouncing Compatriots to Germans Only Six Were Acquitted.

Paris, July 28.—Sentences were delivered this evening in the case known as "The Laon Informers," after a trial of more than sixty days. Of the 28 persons accused, eight were condemned to death, two of them being women; three others were condemned to death by default. Six were acquitted, and the remainder received sentences of from one to twenty years' imprisonment.

SEVEN DEAD, MANY WOUNDED IN CHICAGO RACE RIOTING Five Mile Battle Ground of Scattered Fights Between Blacks and Whites—National Guards Being Mobilized

Chicago, July 28.—Seven persons were killed and more than two score wounded, many of them seriously, in a renewal of the race riots in the Chicago "black belt" tonight.

Gun fire was opened and four of the negroes fell, mortally wounded. A white man in the same neighborhood was dragged from a truck and stabbed to death.

Groups of blacks formed in foot ball fashion and charged against whites with razors and clubs. On one corner the scene was like a miniature battlefield. Unconscious negroes and whites dotted the streets. As they regained consciousness they were arrested or permitted to leave the neighborhood.

WERE WRONG IN WAR GERMAN LABOR ADMITS Member Tells International Trades Union Congress That if They Had Known Germany Was Aggressor Things Would Have Been Different.

Amsterdam, July 28.—The preliminary gathering on Saturday of the international trades union congress developed a series of accusations by Belgian, American, English and French delegates against the German workers for their conduct during the war.

One Man Killed, Three Hurt When Railway Boiler Explodes Winnipeg, July 28.—Alfred Fanfiki died in the hospital this morning from scalding sustained when a large boiler blew up at the C.N.R. shops.

Problem is Financial. Canada's wheat problem is almost entirely financial, says an Ottawa despatch to The Montreal Gazette. It is not the price that it has already established. Naturally the Canadian farmers want the Canadian government to come into this American...

Federal Trade Commission Report—Interest in 28 Markets and Majority of Voting Stock in 22—Eliminate Competition—Device Known as Bearer's Warrant Conceals Identity of Owner of Stock.

Washington, July 28.—Ability of the "big five" packers—Swift, Armour, Morris, Cudahy and Wilson—to determine from day to day the general level of live stock prices, was declared uncontrovertible in the third section of the federal trade commission's report on the industry made public tonight.

Not More Efficient. Notwithstanding special advantages said to be enjoyed by the five packers, the commission declares it was not demonstrated that they are more efficient than the "independents."

MAKES EFFORTS IN STRIKE AT COBALT Member of Legislature Confers with Managers and Miners' Union Executive.

Cobalt, Ont., July 28.—Tom Maglader, member for the district in the provincial legislature, today continued his efforts at mediation in the strike. After being in session with the miners' union executive, he had a conversation with H. A. Kee, president of the Mine Workers' Association.

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