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Railroad Employees Await Results from Washington Before Calling Big Strike

If Cost of Living can be Reduced Within Ninety Days All will be Well, Otherwise Transportation of Country will be Tied Up by International Action

(Special to The News via G.T.P. Telegraphs.)

Washington, August 29.—Industrial peace in the United States depends on the results the Government can show within the next ninety days in the campaign to reduce the cost of living. That time limit has been tacitly set by the executive council of the railroad shopmen in suggesting to the union locals throughout the country that President Wilson's compromise offer in response to the demands for higher wages should be accepted pending the outcome of efforts to restore a normal price level.

If the cost of living does not come down, 500,000 members of the shop craft would reserve the right to strike for more money, and with them probably would be associated the remainder of the 2,500,000 railroad employees, all of whom have been considering the same problem. The strike would include employees on all the Canadian railroads.

Washington, August 29.—(Noon.) Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has an appointment to meet President Wilson this afternoon to discuss the labor situation.

BOLSHEVIKI ARE DEFEATED BY COSSACKS

Prisoners Taken Number 12, and 20,000 Dispersed; Bolsheviki Take Towns.

London, August 29.—The Cossacks under General Kamontov, who succeeded in breaking through the Red Army, captured 10,000 Bolsheviki and dispersed 20,000 mobilized but untrained men.

Two towns on the Don river are reported captured by the Bolsheviki.

Heavy bombardment lasting 24 hours was heard in Viborg, Finland, August 27 from the direction of Kronstadt. It is supposed that the British naval and air forces were engaged.

Miss Chesley of the King Edward High School teaching staff in Vancouver, was among those passing through the city last night. Miss Chesley who has just returned from a holiday in the east, is very much impressed with the beautiful scenery through the Rockies and along the Skeena. She is returning for the opening of the new term on Tuesday.

Just arrived, a car of Beaver brand. A. W. Edge Co., distributors.

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LIQUOR CASES AT CANNERIES

Chinaman Fined \$150 for Supplying Indian of Kispix Tribe; Others Fined.

At Port Essington, August 25, before the magistrate in the provincial police court, Stephen Campbell was fined \$25.00 and costs for being drunk. He was a Port Essington Indian.

John Green of the Kispix tribe was fined \$25 and costs for having in his possession a bottle of rye whiskey. He was caught by the police at Haysport.

Goon Sing, a Chinaman, was fined \$150 for supplying John Green with the whiskey. He apparently feared the consequences and kept well out of sight of Constable Watkinson, but was eventually found in a small dark hole below the cannery. The officer did not wish to get into a scuffle with the man under these conditions. It was dark in there and there was very little room. The Chinaman wouldn't come and finally had to be commanded to come out at the point of a gun. He came.

"JIMMY" KELLY HAS RETURNED WITH WIFE

Was on Hand Last Night to Cheer For Callies at League Match.

Last evening one of Prince Rupert's oldest fighting soldiers returned from the old country on the train. Corporal James Neil Kelly left this city and went to Regina where he enlisted with the 68th battalion. Later he was transferred to the pioneers and ultimately was established at the base depot at Etaples. Finally on his return to Scotland from Flanders he married a Glasgow girl who accompanied the returned man here last evening. There were many friends at the game to meet him.

"Jimmy" Kelly, as he was familiarly known about the city, was always a favorite among the St. Andrew's boys and was in the early days the indefatigable trainer of the Callies' football team. Last night he arrived at the Aeropolis grounds in time to cheer for his favorites and to be present when the winning point was made. He was kept busy shaking hands with all the fans.

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FILIPINO KID IS UNDER ARREST HERE

Charged With Supplying Liquor To Indians and Remanded Eight Days.

Yesterday Chief Vickers received word from Dominion Constable Watkinson to arrest Joe Villamore, better known as the Filipino Kid. The Chief got his man late in the evening in company with an Indian girl and he brought the accused to the lock-up for the night. He was handed over to the proper authorities this morning and appeared before G. C. Perry on the charge of supplying liquor to Indians. The case was remanded for eight days until further investigations are made.

BRING SAMPLES

D. Zarelli and O. Besner Return From Alice Arm With Chunks of Ore.

D. Zarelli of this city returned yesterday from a visit to his mine, the North Star, at Alice Arm, bringing a fine chunk of ore for the exhibition. He left the ore on the wharf and someone seeing its value picked it up and carried it away. It carried about \$2,000 a ton in native silver.

O. Besner brought down a piece of ore which goes about \$700 to the ton from the Climax mine, in which he is interested.

Mr. Zarelli says that he expects to ship ore this fall from his mine. It is right alongside the railway and looks very good. The other mines of the district are showing up well and great interest is taken in the properties by outsiders who are visiting and looking over the prospects.

Mrs. R. S. Wright was a passenger for the south on the Grand Trunk boat last evening and will visit for some time with relatives in Vancouver.

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FISH SUMMARY FOR THE SEASON

About 190,000,000 lbs. of Salmon Caught in British Columbia, Mostly in this District.

Over 190,000,000 lbs. of salmon were caught in British Columbia waters during the month of July, says the Vancouver Province. The catch was composed of all varieties, but the bulk came from the Skeena River, where the sockeye were running in large numbers. The salmon pack is valued at a million and a half dollars. Of the other kinds of deep sea fish the halibut ranks next in importance and \$138,596 is estimated to have been paid the fishermen for their efforts in this field. The cod catch for the same month is valued at \$35,552.

District No. 2, which embraces the fishing grounds in the vicinity of Prince Rupert and the other areas to the north, heads the list, with returns well over the million dollar mark. District No. 3, covering Vancouver Island and a portion of the lower British Columbia coast, comes next with a total of \$342,020; and District No. 1, which is nearer home and includes the Fraser River, surrendered \$202,456 of its hidden treasures to the fishermen. It is pointed out in connection with the last-mentioned district that the run of salmon is considerably overdue this year, and it is still hoped by the canners that the sockeye will appear in the Fraser in large numbers.

Figures in Detail.
Considering the returns in detail the figures for District No. 3 indicate that 28,810 cwt. of salmon were caught during July. Valued at \$10 a cwt. this catch would amount to \$288,100. Of this quantity 10,656 cwt. were used in a fresh or frozen condition, and the remainder was packed and totalled 19,700 cases. Three thousand two hundred and forty-five cwt. of cod, costing \$5 a cwt. were caught in the same district. Of the other varieties of fish, 13,464 cwt. of pilchard, costing \$20.198; 1311 cwt. of halibut costing \$45.732, and lesser quantities of soles, flounders, rock cod and perch were caught in that area in July.

In District No. 1, 10,164 cwt. of salmon, valued at \$13 a cwt. were handled by the fishermen. Of this amount a considerable quantity was canned, and 7796 cases of canned salmon were handled by the canneries. Cod represented a large item, and 2717 cwt., valued at \$16.302, were handled by the trawlers. Halibut amounted to \$37,414. Crabs to the value of \$2,184 found their

Cheap Hogs Forces Down Prices of All Foods at Chicago

Expected that Figures will go Lower Yet and Retailers will be Affected Soon. Grain Follows Meat to Lower Levels

(Special to The News via G.T.P. Telegraphs.)

Chicago, August 29.—The \$15 hog made its appearance in the Chicago stockyards yesterday. Its advent was immediately followed by a slump in provisions and grain as well as in live cattle and sheep.

The declines were not evident in the retail market, as shopkeepers are loath to lose money on the stocks they have in hand. It must have an effect very soon, however, as some grocers will drop their prices almost immediately and the others must follow. This, it is thought, will affect prices throughout the continent.

The drop in hog prices is the greatest since 1917 and traders look for still lower figures.

way into the local markets. The halibut catch totalled \$37,414.

Largest Pack.

Prince Rupert has the honor of handling the largest salmon pack of the season, and 152,747 cwt. at \$7 a cwt., totalling \$1,069,229, passed through the Prince Rupert canneries and packers. Halibut is another sea product of this budding northern port which is coming into its own. Over 845 cwt. of halibut, valued at \$85.450, were landed by the trawlers plying out of Prince Rupert. The American figures for the same month are interesting, and 1,090,098 pounds of halibut were caught by fishermen from the United States. In addition to these two leading varieties of fish the other kinds were caught in smaller numbers, such as black cod, grey cod and brille.

MRS. M. J. ORME PASSES AWAY

Mother of C. H. Orme and Mrs. G. B. Hull Died This Morning and Will be Buried in the East.

The death occurred this morning at the residence of her son on Fourth Ave., of Mrs. M. J. Orme, mother of C. H. Orme and Mrs. G. B. Hull of this city. She was born in London, Ontario, 62 years ago and lived for a number of years in Vancouver, where the family is well known, and the deceased lady was held in great respect.

The late Mrs. Orme leaves two sons, three daughters and three grandchildren, C. H. Orme of this city, C. V. Orme of Honolulu, Mrs. A. G. Stewart of Vancouver, Mrs. James Catt of Lakelse, and Mrs. G. B. Hull of this city, wife of Major G. B. Hull of the public works department.

The funeral services will be held at the chapel of the B. C. Undertakers tomorrow morning at 10, the body then being taken east to London for burial by C. H. Orme. Bishop Du Vernet will officiate.

HOSPITAL MEETING

Vote of Thanks Passed to Ladies Auxiliary for Good Work Done Recently.

At the meeting of the Hospital Board last night a vote of thanks was passed to the Ladies' Auxiliary for the good work they had done. The work was badly needed and the ladies have spent something like \$600 on linen and other necessities.

The house committee was asked to look into the matter of painting the building on the outside.

A contract for the supply of 200 tons of coal was let to Albert & McCaffery at \$13.25 delivered at the building.

SIGN TREATY SAVE SOCKEYE

Sir Douglas Hazen on His Way to Washington to Take Part in Formality.

(Special via G.T.P. Telegraphs.)

Ottawa, August 29.—The treaty between the United States and Canada to enforce the protection of the sockeye salmon in the waters contiguous to the Fraser is to be signed and Sir Douglas Hazen is now on his way to Washington to take part in the formalities.

For many years the trapping by Americans of the salmon returning to the Fraser to spawn has been a matter of protest. By far the larger share of the fish have been caught as they passed through American waters. The present treaty is designed to control the fishing on both sides of the boundary line with a view to once more restocking the Fraser and making it a fish producing river.

Following the football game of last evening there was a meeting of the association for the purpose of choosing players for the Labor Day event against Anyox. The team picked is as follows: Goal, Jack Judge, Sons; backs, Harry Menzies, Trail, and Bert Wearmouth, Sons; half backs, Robinson, Sons, Bennett, Callies, and Bill Murray, Callies; forwards, Kilgour, G.T.P., Willisroft, Callies, Tinker, Sons, Jenkins, G.T.P., and Main, Callies. Reserves—Darton, Sons, Mitchell, Callies, Booth, Trail, Maclean, Callies and Craggs, Trail.

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