

WHOLE COUNTRY MAKES STRUGGLE

Famous Twentieth Century Limited Suspended for First Time in Its History.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Virtually the entire country was struggling tonight to make the best of more abnormal conditions than prevailed during the war as a result of the drastic measures being prescribed daily to partially counteract the prolonged strike of miners in the bituminous coal field. Tonight the situation could be summarized as follows:

Federal Fuel Administrator Garfield indicated that coal production was increasing over last week.

Orders for further curtailment in train service were issued with suspension for the first time in its history of the famous 20th Century Limited between New York and Chicago. Approximately 150 other trains in the eastern region also will be affected beginning next Wednesday. New York city was included in the restricted area today when heat was turned off in subway, elevated and surface cars during rush hours, and in cabins on some of the ferryboats. Theatres also were darkened for only one hour during the evening.

Reports from the Pittsburgh, Pa., district indicated that many miners there had expressed to their employers a desire to resume work, while word was received from Richard J. Hopkins, attorney general of Kansas, that he believed the coal diggers in that state would break away from the leadership of President Howat of District No. 14 of the mine workers.

Texas was endeavoring to overcome the situation by getting all available fire and cord wood. About 1,000 tons had been purchased for Dallas.

Military Rules Prevail.

Six counties in Oklahoma were placed under military rule and Governor Robertson has ordered on duty the entire national guard organization to occupy the coal fields.

Governor Lowden of Illinois announced that the state would make no effort to run the mines at present as it would be almost murder to send inexperienced men into the deep pits.

Tennessee operators and miners have been called by Governor Roberts to meet in Knoxville Saturday to consider steps to end the strike without seizure of the mines. State operation of the Kansas surface mines too continued today with volunteers taking coal from 12 pits in a drizzling rain.

While the general restrictions were ordered for Chicago yesterday the full effect was not felt until today. The public utilities commission also revised its orders and beginning Monday retail stores will have their doors open from noon until 6 p. m. and 9 p. m. on Saturday night. It was announced that a four hour day might become necessary.

The mayor of Cheyenne, Wyo., ordered the domestic and industrial life of that city placed on a conservation basis.

Efforts in Michigan and Iowa to resume work in the mines were in vain, with the miners representatives standing pat.

Miners May Return.

Ten thousand idle miners in West Virginia were urged by a convention of delegates from sub-district No. 3 to accept the government's offer of a 14 per cent. increase.

The Southern regional director has ordered a general curtailment of passenger train service in the South effective Tuesday.

After a conference today with operators and miners Governor Cox of Ohio declared that the prospects for a settlement of the walkout good. It was understood that the executive proposed an increase to the miners of approximately 25 per cent. The conference will meet again Monday.

Soldiers from Camp Lewis are en route to the coal field of Montana for emergency purposes.

Members of the Illinois Manufacturers' association have begun a boycott, of clothing, food and fuel and other necessities against the striking miners of the state.

With the towns and cities in southern Illinois affected today by the restriction issued by the public utilities committee, operators and miners announced they could see no immediate end to the strike.

Sidelights on the situation follow: The Rev. Mr. Hargis, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Hometown, Mo., with members of his congregation dug 80 bushels of coal so that services might be held.

Governor Allen of Kansas announced that Pittsburgh, Kan., would be the capital of the state for the present.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 5.—Efforts of Governor Cox through conferences today with operators and officials of the miner's union to reopen the mines in Ohio were declared by the governor to hold encouraging prospects this evening when all negotiations were postponed until 11 o'clock next Monday morning.

Though all conferences were held behind closed doors and no statements as to the proposals for a compromise were made public, it is believed that the governor proposed an increase to the miners of approximately 25 per cent.

No announcement was made as to the miner's attitude toward the government's proposal, but it was generally believed the offer would be accepted by them. That some of the operators also will accept the governor's proposal was believed.

NO MORE HOGS IN TOWN.

The Board of Health at a regular meeting on March 4th, 1919, passed an order prohibiting the keeping of hogs within any part of the incorporated limits of the city of Newberry after this year, 1919. All persons violating this order will be prosecuted.

Jan. K. Gilder, M. D., Chairman.
S. S. Cunningham, Secretary.

A LETTER FROM THE REV. J. L. DANIEL

Abbeville Press and Banner.

Mf. Editor: We left Abbeville Friday morning, November 21, at 10 o'clock. We stopped in Laurens for dinner and then drove on to Newberry reaching here about 5:30 p. m. We found the parsonage well heated, a company of ladies and gentlemen to extend to us a hearty welcome and an excellent supper.

These people have certainly given us a whole hearted reception. I preached twice last Sunday and also preached the Thanksgiving sermon at the union service in the Lutheran church. So I am down already at hard work, preaching the gospel as much as is in me.

Friday night, November 28, the door bell rang. On going to the door a gentleman informed Mrs. Daniel that there was a couple to be married, she replied, "come in," and they began to come in and every one carried a big bundle. They took possession of the parsonage, marched into the dining hall and laid down their many bundles on the table and on the floor and then we all spent a pleasant evening together. I did not count the people, but there were a hundred or more. It was the most severe pounding that I ever had during all these years of my ministry.

The pantry is well supplied with groceries and we will feast for awhile. These people are very kind and certainly look after the needs of their preachers.

We have a beautiful church and parsonage, the church owns one entire block, so they have a valuable property and the parsonage is not crowded with houses and yards nearby. We expect a great year here and will move forward along all lines.

I did not have time to tell the people of Abbeville "good bye" individually. So I write through your columns to bid them all an affectionate good bye and to pray God's richest blessings upon them. The people of Abbeville treated me well; I love them all and shall ever feel interested in them and their welfare. The four years I spent with them were pleasant and I trust profitable. I hope to see them and mingle with them again some time. When any of you are in Newberry come to see us. I shall ever remember all of you and ask that you ever remember me in your prayers.

Praying God's blessing upon you, wishing for you all a prosperous future and bidding one and all an affectionate good bye.

I am as ever yours truly,
J. L. Daniel,
Box 253
Newberry, S. C.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS POMARIA TOWN

Pomaria, Dec. 6.—Our school is in a very prosperous condition under the management of Prof. J. N. Bedenbaugh, principal.

Prof. Bedenbaugh and Miss Newsom attended the teachers' meeting in Columbia. They report a very pleasant meeting as well as instructive.

Bubber Smith has been a visitor in our town this week selling "Autos." We wish him well, and are glad to see him as well. Here's success.

Messrs. H. W. Lominick, W. B. Wise and J. D. Wedaman, Miss Marie Newsom and Miss Peterson have been attending the Opera in Newberry.—Experience and Cheer Up Mable.

Miss Louise Richardson spent the week in Pomaria visiting Mrs. Roy Johnston. Come again, the Studenbaker is still waiting.

A dance planned for Thursday night was postponed until next week on account of the weather.

Our friend Ben Counts was all smiles last Sunday. No need asking why. She was in town.

Love comes on Thursday night. If you don't believe it, ask one of our young ladies.

Mr. George Derrick of Little Mountain was a business visitor to our city this week.

Mrs. Harold Wise, of Little Mountain was a visitor to our city this week.

Mr. B. M. Wise was a business visitor to our city this week.

Mr. W. B. Wise has a beautiful lot of young mules on hand. He seems to have a good business here. We always wish him success.

Mr. J. D. Crooks was in our city from upper No. 11. Always glad to see you. Come again.

Our merchants are reporting one of the most prosperous seasons they ever had. Now they have in a full line of Christmas goods. And you can always depend on them having the price right. They always believe in doing unto their neighbor as they would have their neighbor do unto them.

Dr. and Mrs. Z. T. Pinner and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Setzler were invited guests for supper at Mr. Joe Alewine's. They report quite a pleasant evening.

Mr. Cecil Berley, who has been attending an auto school in Kansas City, has returned home with his diploma. Gee! how glad his friends (she) was to see him.

"Last night I dozed in my easy chair, For my active brain was tired; And she came and stood beside me there— The girl I had long desired.

"She told me the baby had the rash, And the cook was drunk all day. She spoke of the urgent need for cash. And the bills she had to pay.

"In her calm persistent way she spoke Again of the butcher's bill, And then with a lucky start I woke A lonely Bachelor still."

PRESIDENT SENDS MESSAGE REASSURE SENATOR MOSES

Washington, Dec. 5.—President Wilson asked Senator Fall today to transmit for him a message to Senator George Moses, Republican, of

New Hampshire. Some weeks ago, a letter from Senator Moses to one of his constituents in New Hampshire said the president was suffering with a cerebral lesion and that although he might recover he never would again be any force in public life.

"I hope that you will deliver a message for me to Dr. Moses," said the president to Senator Fall in the White House this afternoon, "that will tend to contradict his diagnosis of my case. Tell him I think I'll be up in a few days and be able to attend to business in the same old way. It will reassure him, but disappoint him."

Stole \$3 And Paid \$15.

Pullman porter pulled, was a news item we got from the recorder's office Friday. Several days before that Aleck Satterwhite had accompanied his wife to the depot to board the Southern train for Asheville. They go there too late to buy a ticket and Satterwhite hurried his wife aboard the train, handing the porter \$4 to give her. He gave her a dollar. She had some money. After she arrived in Asheville she wrote her husband getting after him for having given so small amount. That was how he caught up with the porter. Satterwhite then got busy with the result that Joel Bacon, the porter, was arrested at the station and taken before the recorder for trial. He was charged with breach of trust with fraudulent intent and fined \$15, which he paid. That is where Joel lost his bacon.

The Bureau of Census is a part of the Department of Commerce. It was established as a permanent bureau in 1902. Prior to that time the census work was done by a temporary organization known as the Census Office.

The Sixth Decennial Census, taken in 1840, was the first one to cover agriculture statistics, now one of the most important parts of the entire census.

OPEN BOOKS SUBSCRIPTION FARMERS COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION.

Pursuant to a commission issued by the Secretary of State of South Carolina, the books of subscription to the stock of the Farmers Cooperative Association, will be opened at the Bank of Prosperity, Prosperity, S. C., at 12 o'clock a. m., Saturday, December 6, 1919. The proposed capital stock is to be one thousand dollars divided into one hundred shares of ten dollars each.

Geo. F. Hunter, Claude L. Lester, Board of Corporators.

Pulaski Lodge No. 20, I. O. O. F.

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C. W. Douglas, Noble Grand.
D. B. Chandler, Secretary.

SALE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, on Thursday, December 18th, 1919, at 11 o'clock in the morning, at Schumperts Roller Mill, in Newberry County, S. C., the following described personal property:

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