

UNAVOIDABLE

To set at rest any rumors or the contrary, it can be authoritatively stated that the General Strike will take place at 0 o'clock Thursday morning and the strikers will remain out until all demands are met.

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DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY
TWO CENTS

SERVICE MEN TO ASSIST IN POLICING CITY

Soldiers and Sailors Belonging to Unions Asked to Serve

AYOR TOLD GUNS NOT NECESSARY

to Meet at Labor Temple and Organize Tonight

Not to call men for show of force... Mayor told that guns were not necessary for the meeting at the Labor Temple tonight.

LABOR MAKES A STATEMENT

Letter explains the suggestion that the general public should be kept informed of the effect that the strike would have on the community.

PIEZ PREVENTS PEACE IN SHIP YARD PLANTS

Official Denounced as Just Plain Liar by Committee

ASK NATION-WIDE STRIKE BE CALLED

Steps Taken to Feed All Strikers in Large Public Halls

Denouncing Chairman... The committee reported that Piez had totally ignored a telegram asking him to receive the strikers at a conference of shipbuilders and metal workers.

PIEZ PREVENTS PEACE

Miller explained that after a 24-hour conference with the Metal Trades Council, he had not been invited to appear before the public bodies.

LABOR MAKES A STATEMENT

The labor union is making a statement regarding the strike and the actions of the Shipyard Owners Association.

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Further details on the labor union's position and the impact of the strike on the community.

Responsibility Rests With Piez

A plain statement of the events leading up to the general strike which will occur tomorrow morning seems to be pertinent at this time.

Despite all of the assertions to the contrary, this unprecedented action on the part of the Seattle unionists is the result of the UNLAWFUL INTERFERENCE OF CHAIRMAN PIEZ of the Emergency Shipping Board.

But for the interference of Piez (and the Steel Trust) this dispute would long since have been settled and the shipyards of the city would have been the busy hives of industry that they were up to a few days ago.

Here is the whole story, reduced to one paragraph:
The Shipping Board has agreed to a certain price per ton for the construction of the ships. The Shipping Board is perfectly willing to pay to the shipyard owners a certain figure for the construction of ships but declares that the shipyard owners SHALL NOT PAY ANY PART OTHER THAN THAT SET BY IT TO THE WORKERS FOR DOING THE ACTUAL WORK OF BUILDING THE SHIPS CONTRACTED FOR.

Agreement between the workers and their employers would not add a single penny to the cost of the ships built in Seattle so far as the government is concerned. It simply would mean that the employers would content themselves with a smaller margin of profit.

Any such arrangement, however, is obnoxious to Messrs. Piez and Schwab and they don't propose to let the workers have a larger share of the fruits of their work in Seattle shipyards than the Steel Trust is willing to accord its slaves in the eastern yards and mills. So they use the power of the government position they temporarily hold to prevent the workers of Seattle and Tacoma from coming to an agreement with their employers.

THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE PRESENT SITUATION AND EVERYTHING THAT MAY COME OUT OF IT RESTS WITH PIEZ AND SCHWAB.

The stubbornness of these persons is bringing on a state of complete industrial suspension in the Puget Sound cities.

Just strike it.
This strike is the result of the denial on the part of a governmental agency of the right of an employer to PAY A LIVING WAGE TO THE WORKERS.

Every effort at conciliation and mediation has been balked by the pernicious interference of this industrial autocrat, Piez.

Even when, through the efforts of the local Industrial Relations Committee, an agreement is reached, that agreement cannot be made effective because of the opposition of Mr. Piez.

The unionists have done everything that reasonable men could be expected to do to avert the necessity for calling a strike.

Just get these facts planted in your head when you attempt an analysis of the present situation:

Representatives of the men in the shipyards started negotiations with their employers. Autocrat Piez served notice on the owners that if they continued those negotiations the Shipping Board would cut off the supply of steel to the yards.

The Macy Board then took jurisdiction of the wage dispute. After months of weary waiting, a decision adverse to the men was handed down. The men then appealed to the appellate board. That board deadlocked. The men were then told to go home and negotiate directly with their employers. This permission was subsequently confirmed through a query addressed to the Shipping Board by the owners.

Negotiations were proceeding with the employers when again in steps Autocrat Piez with an order forbidding the employers to negotiate an agreement with the workers.

This recital clearly proves that the workers have done everything possible to avert industrial strife. It shows, too, that Piez and Macy have done everything to bring on industrial strife.

Reasonable men and women will not demand that the workers quietly submit to this AUTOCRATIC, UNLAWFUL AND VICIOUS MEDDLING OF AN INDUSTRIAL BARON DRUNK WITH POWER.

The workers ought to have—and will have—the sincere support of every believer in democracy and fair play.

THIS STRIKE IS A TEST OF STRENGTH BETWEEN DEMOCRACY AND AUTOCRACY.

THE WINNING OF THIS STRIKE SPELLS A VICTORY FOR DEMOCRACY.

PEACE LEAGUE PROGRESSING

PARIS, Feb. 5.—The peace league is progressing... The league is making good progress in its efforts to bring about a settlement of the war.

LAW AND ORDER

There have been 38,000 shipyard workers on strike for two weeks, and there has not been a case of violence or disorder resulting during this time. Tomorrow, when twelve that number go out, there is no greater reason to fear. Many of the shipyard workers are newcomers in our midst, brought among us by war necessities.

WOULD BUILD NEW CAPITOL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Senate committee on public buildings and grounds has introduced a bill to authorize the capitol building commission to set contracts for \$1,850,000 for the construction of new capitol buildings at Olympia.

DUCKBUSH ROAD TO PROVIDE WORK

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—Both houses of the legislature here enacted a bill appropriating \$150,000 to the widening of the Duckbush road by the west side of Hood canal. This bill provides that the work shall be done by the direct employment of labor and is part of the general plan of the legislature to provide immediate employment for such men seeking work as are available for road construction.

THE CONTRACTOR

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—The legislature has favorably reported the contract bill to enable all municipal authorities to erect public buildings and other improvements by the direct employment of labor.

FIRST GERMAN ASSEMBLY TO OPEN FEB. 6

Republic on Her Way

INTRIGUES WILL STIR CONGRESS

Internal Situation Hinders Economic Reconstruction

By FRANK J. TAYLOR

The assembly which really is the first congress of the new republic will not meet until the 6th of February. The date of the assembly is being held in view of the fact that the results of the national assembly, which formally opens here Thursday.

A minority of disgruntled members have already opened a campaign of political sabotage to prevent the assembly from accomplishing its purpose.

Weimar was actually the capital of Germany today through the presence of Chancellor Ebert.

There are many cross-currents in the work of the assembly which might disrupt the proceedings.

Internal Troubles Probably the most serious situation confronting the assembly is the shortage of raw materials and capital for reconstruction.

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ELECTRICAL WORKERS OF CITY CALLED

Union Men Convinced Complete Tie-Up Necessary

OTHER LOCALS JOIN IN GENERAL STRIKE

At an unusually well attended meeting... The Electrical Workers of the City have called for a general strike.

Other Local Unions... Other local unions have also decided to join in the general strike.

Japanese Barbers... Japanese barbers have also decided to join in the general strike.

Painters... Painters have also decided to join in the general strike.

Auto Mechanics... Auto mechanics have also decided to join in the general strike.

Street Car Men... Street car men have also decided to join in the general strike.

Other Workers... Other workers have also decided to join in the general strike.

General Strike... A general strike is being called for Thursday, February 6.

Local 300... Local 300 of the Electrical Workers is participating in the strike.

Painters Attention!... Painters are urged to support the strike.

Auto Mechanics Local 289... Auto mechanics are urged to support the strike.

Street Car Men Local 289... Street car men are urged to support the strike.

Important meeting Wednesday, February 6, 8 p. m. at 303 Collins building.

L. K. McBrean, Secretary

CONDENSARY TO RECOMMEND LIGHT FINE FOR FOODGRAFTERS

Co-Operative Plant at Tolt to Open Feb. 22

Arrangements have been made to run an excursion with union members which will leave the Temple between 8 and 9:30 in the morning for Tolt. The program at the plant will consist of a dance, refreshments, and a picnic. The excursion will be held for the benefit of the co-operative plant at Tolt.

Defendant's Attorneys Ask Prosecutor Brown for Leniency

Prosecuting Attorney Fred J. Brown stated in a letter to the court that he had been called on the phone by the defendant's attorneys on Tuesday and Wednesday. The attorneys requested that the defendant be released on bail for the trial on February 11. The court granted the request.

All Non-Union

The men are A. L. Cartick, owner of the Westlake public market, and Fredman, owner of the Pike market. The Pike market is located at Pike and Pike streets. The Westlake market is located at Pike and Pike streets.

RAINIER AVENUE PAVING IS BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL

Property owners of a part of the Rainier avenue paving district between Graham and Thistle streets requested a resolution to the city council. The council will consider the request on Wednesday.

Volunteers to Sell Tickets for Dance Wanted

Persons who will volunteer to sell tickets for the dance which is being given in the hall of the Hotel Treador strike fund, are requested to call at Room 100, Second Avenue, Seattle, Wash.

Paterson Strikers Turn Down L. W. W.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 5.—The strikers of the Paterson Steel Works turned down the offer of the L. W. W. to help them in their struggle. The strikers are determined to win their fight.

Your Savings

Save a royal shekel in the time it takes for the big dollar. The more you save, the more you have. Start your savings today.

Seattle Savings & Loan Association

909 3rd Avenue

Steel Tapes Repaired

Kelly 1202 First Ave. Seattle

ANACORTES WILL HAVE CO-OPERATIVE SHOW HOUSE SOON

As the result of a recently held meeting of the Anacortes Co-operative Association, it was decided to have a show house in Anacortes. The show house will be a model of a co-operative home.

First Showing of Spring Apparel

The earliest arrivals in Spring Apparel, indicating the tendency of the new season's fashions, are now on display here. They will surely interest you.

All Winter Modes in Suits, Coats and Dresses Are Now Being Cleared at Half Price

As in the past, our policy of Liberal Credit to all will be continued, making it possible for everyone to be fashionably attired.

211 UNION STREET 1225-24 SECOND AVENUE

WASHINGTON OYSTER ANDS DESPOILED BY PRIVATE OWNERS

Public Fields Used as Seed Beds for Exploited Lands

By JOE SMITH

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—The oyster industry in Washington is gradually being destroyed by the private owners of the oyster lands. The public fields are being used as seed beds for the private owners.

Give Them Away

The oyster lands in Washington are being given away to private owners. The public fields are being used as seed beds for the private owners.

SUE PACKERS NEWS SELLERS FOR OVERTIME UNION FORMED

Ed Danielson and 40 other plain folk filed an action in the county court of Washington county, Wash., on Wednesday. The suit is for overtime pay for the packers and news sellers.

Teachers Will Get a Bonus

A report of the financial committee of the Seattle school board shows that the teachers will receive a bonus of \$100,000. The bonus is for the year 1913.

LIBERT BOND SELLERS

May buy bonds back at new York market rate and secured interest.

LABOR TEMPLE

104

REX THEATRE AT ANACORTES

Only Co-operative Theater in the United States

Opens Saturday February 8th

SELLS LITERATURE OF I. W. W. AND GETS ARRESTED

Two men who were engaged in selling literature of the I. W. W. were arrested by the police. The men were found with literature of the I. W. W.

ATTENTION MEN

We Will Close Our Store at 10 A. M. Thursday in Sympathy With General Strike

MINE WORKERS WILL HELP THE SHIP STRIKERS

The United Mine Workers of America have agreed to help the ship strikers. The mine workers will not work during the strike.

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TWO TRY TO HOLD UP MAN

W. A. Bentley of the 111 Albee street reported to the police Wednesday morning that two men tried to hold him up on North avenue at 2:30 Tuesday night. The men were arrested and charged with attempted robbery.

ROSS ATTEMPTS TO DEFEND UNION

Orders Men to Stay on Job Under Threat of Punishment

Superintendent J. J. Ross of the city light department on Wednesday afternoon issued a department order directing all employees to keep in continuous operation all public utilities. The order was issued in response to a strike by the city light workers.

PHOTO ENGRAVERS UNION

The Photo Engravers' Union voted against a general strike at a small meeting held Tuesday night.

WE HELP OUR DEPOSITORS BECAUSE THEIR SUCCESS MEANS OUR SUCCESS

THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF SEATTLE

Second at Marion

WOULD CHECK DIVORCE HABIT

Bill to Be Introduced in Legislature by King County Judges

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—Legislation to put the brakes on the divorce habit in Washington has been introduced in the legislature by King county judges.

COMPENSATION BY STATE BEST

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—While tons of expensive paper have been used in the fight to control workmen's compensation, the state is the best way to control it.

SEIZES WIRES

BERLIN, Feb. 4.—(Delayed.)—The telegraph office here today seized the wires of the German government.

WOULD CURB MEAT EVILS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Elimination of alleged evils in the meat industry will be brought about by the passage of a bill by the legislature.

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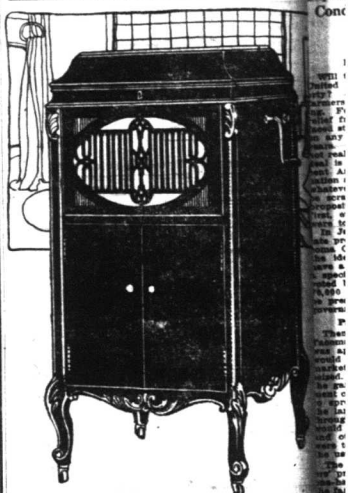
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Satisfactory Terms Always THE GROTE-RANKING CAM

OTTO F. RANKING, President

Store Hours From 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.



Among Musical Instruments THE BRUNSWICK

Gives the greatest variety of music. Musical longing can be satisfied with a Brunswick in your home.

It Plays All Records

—with a superiority that distinguishes it from other instruments. Its appealing exclusive feature is the "Altona" for sound reproduction.

Come to the store and have your favorite records played on The Brunswick—you will also recognize it as a superior instrument.

PORTLAND MAN FOUND GUILTY

Millionaire Miller Convicted on Charge of Sedition

Liberty Bonds

On Each \$50 Liberty Bond, a \$100 Presidential, 1910 Stamp

John E. Price

Government, Maritime, Total, Unemployment, Corporation, Labor, and other insurance.

ABSOLUTE PAINLESS DENTISTRY

DR. F. L. ALLEN

United Painless Dentistry

500 THIRD AVENUE, SEATTLE

LEWIS ERECTED ON STOLEN LAND IS CHARGE

Hillside Have Land Condemned at Robbery Values

By A. H. GILBERT
The war department of the United States government...

Property at Third Value

That the fine value of the property being seized by the government...

The Indestructible Statue



MILK STATIONS CANT DECEIVE PORTO RICANS

Quarts Only Will Be Sold Economic, Not Political, and Buyers Must Have Independence Is Desired

The milk wagon drivers' union announced the opening of the following milk stations for supplying families with milk or ice cream...

WAR CHARITY GRAFT WASTES MILLIONS

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—How "social climbers," "100 per cent boys" and "socially pariahs" attached themselves to war charity and stole or squandered millions of dollars...

Marjory and Dorothy Aprons at \$1.95

Two New Styles That Make Their Appearance on Apron Thursday

Attractively designed Aprons of percale. The Dorothy is in blue, pink or lavender, fastening on the side front with elastic waistband...

Bungalow Aprons \$1.65 Skirt Aprons 39c
Made of good quality gingham in neat checks, open down the back; taped in circular Percale Aprons—white with black figures, finished with rick-rack braid and pockets.

A Three-Day Sale of Century Edition Sheet Music at 5c a Copy

Now you can have any amount of music—for it will be only 5 cents a copy on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

- Piano Solos reduced to 5c. Excellent Violin Solos reduced to 5c. Piano Duets reduced to 5c a copy. Violin and Piano Music at 5c a copy. Mandolin and Guitar Music at 5c a copy. Vocal Solos and Duets reduced to 5c a copy. Sacred Songs reduced to 5c a copy.

THE BON MARCHE SEATTLE, WASH.

Insist on This Milk BECAUSE:

- 1-Healthy Cows. 2-Clean Dairies. 3-Perfect Pasteurizing. 4-Sanitary Handling and bottling. Order of your Grover.



COMPANY UNION JOINS A.F. OF L.

ATLANTA, Feb. 4.—The Atlanta Commercial Telegraphers' Union...

FLAWS OF LAWS

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 4.—In an address to the Milwaukee Bar Association...

THE STRIKE

may prove a blessing to Seattle by giving you an opportunity to see your own city as it is seen by a first-class Optician...

W. Warren & Daughter

1511 Fourth Avenue and Westlake

SAVE YOUR EYES

For people whose eyes are strained by the light rays of electric light...

WALTER ROBSON

DR. H. T. HARVEY (Ex-President Michigan State Board Dental Examiners)

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DO YOU KNOW

That if you live outside of Seattle you can order your photos and other pictures made equally satisfactorily as if you called personally...

CITY WILL NOT CHANGE CREEK

In connection with the construction and elevation of the grade of West Anderson street...

Fire—Automobile INSURANCE

R. E. WALKER 123 Pioneer Bldg. Main 159

BRICK SEWER PIPE

Denny-Renton Clay & Coal Company HOGE BUILDING SEATTLE

UNION MEN ATTENTION!

When you need laundry service always call for the Mutual Laundry. Please Bear In Mind

Organized Labor

It's your laundry. Patronize it in preference to any other.

Mutual Laundry Co

714 Broadway Queen Anne 803

Ballard Folk To Meet At TALK CO-OP. GROCERY

Ballard residents who are interested in farm products of the co-operative grocery store at 7193 West Anderson street...

MARKETING BILL

Pastors Creek Grange No. 412, endorsed the marketing bill before the legislative committee...

101,000 WOMEN IN RAILROAD WORK

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 4.—The railroad administration's estimate of labor requirements for the 1919-20 season...

Charles Stone Wilson BARTONE

Scientific Voice Development 411 People's Bank Building

IF YOU MUST SELL YOUR

LIBERTY BONDS

sell to a dependable bank. We pay the full market value for all issues.

Northwest Trust & Savings Bank

Second Ave. at Union

THE Golden Rule Bakery

4460 Fremont Avenue Phone North 711 Baking Good Bread in Our Business

FRED W. KELLY CIVIL ENGINEER

1305 FIRST AVENUE, SEATTLE Do not buy a lawsuit; have the title surveyed.

MOLO TRANSFER CO.

Plane and Furniture Moving Storage, Storage, Packing, Charter Member Teamsters' Union Office 1005 Third Ave. Altair 20

223 Spring St.

We will guarantee you three dollars for one share of stock in the D. & C. Co. Inc. before any other stockholder receives any money.

Mechanics Drug Store

4100 Third Ave., Near Madison Park, Seattle, Wash. Charge of Ownership

WOODLAWN FLOWER SHOP

Phone Your Orders Double Clever Thirteen MAIN 262

Union Drug Store

CLOSSON & KELLY 123 Commercial Ave. Seattle

LOUIS POLEY

Well-Seasoned Cook of Groceries and Meats 1000 1/2 Third Ave. Phone 211

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FREDERICK & NELSON FIFTH AVENUE AND PINE STREET



The "THOR" Electric Washer

Does Electrically What the Particular Woman Must Do Herself or Hire Other Woman-power to Do in Her Home

—but the Thor does it more efficiently and thoroughly than she can hope to do, for it combines the strength of mechanical power and hot, soapsuds with force that the stubborn dirt can resist.

And who would deny electricity the pleasure of turning the wringer!

Just the pushing of a lever, and somehow the clothes in, the water board on the other side carries the near-dry pieces to the tub of hot water, or the basket on the other side. Revolver and it starts the wringer in the other direction, so that the tank of the Thor may be used rinsing.

A family washing white as fleecy clouds on the line in an hour's time and a fresh, happy Mother with time to sew before lunch.

—The Basement

REFUSE RENT DURING STRIKE Shipyard Labor Riggers and Fasteners

Regular meetings day noon and at 7:30 Friday.

Clean*soap SOAP

Did you ever try CLEAN STAR SOAP the Modern Laundry Soap... Wash, scrub, just lift and wipe and dirty cloth is clean.

Burrington-Case Co., Maynard Bldg., Wholesale

Get the Discount THE Shipbuilders Strike won't last much longer

THE Shipbuilders Strike won't last much longer... Get your dental work done while you are here and we are offering a SUBSTANTIAL DISCOUNT on all work, which we guarantee for FIFTEEN YEARS.

ONTOUISTS Better Dentistry for Less Money

3051 Pine Street Over The Oak Ridge Bldg. Phone 3148

STRIKER SAYS LABOR RELIES UPON ITSELF

(By a Striker)

The general strike is labor's declaration to the world that it relies on itself alone. No more reliance on labor's "friends" and arbitration boards... The bosses yield justice only when the power of labor proves mightier than the power of the boss.

Minimum Demands Yes, we have had enough of arbitration that comes after the fact... We are going back to work. What do we have to arbitrate?

Advis a thousand times no! Friends of labor, the time has come when you must advise us in good faith...

DENNY CLEARED OF PADDING PAY-ROLL

T. E. Denny, at one time general yard master at Centralia for the Northern Pacific, was cleared of padding pay-roll...

COAL MINER GETS KILLED

Thomas Spencer, a coal miner, aged 41, was run over and killed at 11 o'clock Sunday afternoon on the incline tramway at the Carbonate coal mine...

GIVES TALK ON "CO-OP" STRIKE

O. H. McGill of the Co-operative Grocery gave the 11th annual trade strike committee an interesting talk Tuesday on the co-operative strike as a strike weapon...

OPEN LETTER TO STRIKERS

By H. F. MILLS

When the employers are put to the necessity of indulging in full front page appeals to the workers on strike to go back to work it is an indication of the bleak desperation...

In the first place the strike is the only weapon to relieve the dire straits of the workers at the moment. No move had been made, prior to this action, by any of the local unions deciding to join the general strike...

The employers may absolutely refuse to budge and in that case it may be necessary to call on the workers to do this in the presence of General Manager J. D. Lohan...

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BIG DANCE

Entertainment by Modern School Washington Hall Corner 14th and Fir Yesler Cable Car Saturday, Feb. 8th Dance 9 to 12 p. m. 6 Piece Orchestra ENTERTAINMENT 8 to 9 p. m. Tableau of The New Era Ladies Free - Cents 50c

SLOAN YARDS CLOSE GATES TO STRIKERS

Notice Posted in Which the Engineers Are Blamed

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—One thousand men were driven out of employment here at noon yesterday when the Sloan yards closed their gates to the strikers...

"Due to the arbitrary action of the engineers this yard will remain closed until further notice. No move had been made, prior to this action, by any of the local unions deciding to join the general strike..."

"Several times we have found Little boys crying because they had not made enough out of their publisher's check... The publishers had made them when the newspapers had not yet been printed..."

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TACOMA USES SOLDIERS FOR NEWS VENDORS

Declare Union Record Sales Double That of Other Papers

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 5.—Tacoan newsboys now out on strike against the newspapers of the city. Wednesday morning...

"The Tacoma papers when they state that we were making as much profit from the sale of the 'Union Record' as they are now making from the sale of the 'Tacoma News'..."

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ELECTRIC BILL HAS OPPOSITION

Reports from Olympia Indicate that House Bill No. 416 providing for the sale by any city of surplus electric energy...

"If enacted," says Corporation Counsel Miller, "this bill would authorize the city to sell any surplus electric energy to any other municipality or person outside the city..."

ANSWER THREAT BY SOLIDARITY

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CORPORATIONS WANT TO RUN GOVERNMENT

Capital Controlled Boards More Dangerous Than I. W. W.

"It was drawn by Corporation Counsel Walter F. Meier of Seattle at the request of the legislative committee of the city council and was introduced by Representative Dalton Harrison and Shields of Elliott county..."

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WELL, WELL! OH BOY! I'M WONNER TWO AND A HALF BUCKS! OH BOY! YOU LOSE! YOU GO TO HELL! FIRST TIME THIS YEAR!

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What's the Use?



STRANGE! ????

HOW DID THEY KNOW I WON \$2.50??

GEORGE INGLE WINS BUT Keeps Fans on Toes All During Contest at Crystal Pool

George Ingle made his return to the game last night by celebrating his victory over Al...

KEEPING FIT

By "MELP"—Seattle Union Record's physical adviser and dietetic specialist for the state of Washington...

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Sherman's Markets: 1426 First Avenue, Central Public Market, 1422 First Avenue

WOULD BRING BACK DAYS OF HORSE RACING

Grass Introduces House Bill to Repeal Hanson Measure

By JOE SMITH

SENATOR Hanson has introduced a bill to repeal the law which prohibited gambling law which was passed by the legislature in 1909...

HOOKS AND JOBS

By STRAIGHT LEFT

Carson Dan Ball and Lonnie Auld were there again last night...

DEMPESEY MADE UNIQUE RECORD

By "SCOTTY"

It took Jack Dempsey just 45 seconds to persuade all the 400...

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JESS WUILLARD IS CONFIDENT

Tex Rickard Says He Can Defeat Jack Dempsey Or Anyone Else

By H. C. HAMILTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Jess Wuillard is confident that he will defeat Jack Dempsey or any other man in the world...

REPLIES TO QUERIES

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Charles Winkler, opponent for fat people, under investigation here, admitted he's been living on the fat of the land...

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HOUSTON GETS ON PACKER NET

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The state racing commission has passed an act authorizing the legislature to make all necessary changes...

JOE STECHER IS THE BETTER MAN

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Joe Stecher, the better man, and opponent to Earl C. DeLoach...

PORTLAND

Genelle, automobile, caught in a ditch and probably a thief in hospital with badly swollen feet...

DIES TOMORROW

Every politician in this state is to die tomorrow, says Chief Aday...

LOS ANGELES

William M. Kala, a wealthy farmer, killed his wife and was sentenced to life in prison...

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SOCIALISTS OF JAPAN EXTEND HAND TO RUSS... The Socialist party of Japan, according to the 'Populaire', has issued a manifesto in the form of an address to the Japanese people

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War on Industry... The congressman (Baker) of North Dakota has introduced a bill to create a federal bureau of investigation

LABOR WANTS INDUSTRY HED... The British labor party has taken a step toward a more definite policy in its platform

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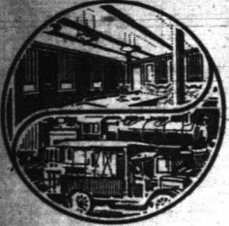
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F. A. Rust has a wide reputation, both in union circles and to some extent outside...

Perhaps the greatest opportunity alongside the special strike-committee officers...

PLAYING AT WORK

Did you ever play at keeping store, when you were a boy?

So we want to stop a minute, in the midst of the seriousness of this strike...

But in the larger sense, it is play! Play in its best meaning...

Why is it that Leandros, business agent of the Cooks...

Because it is the same ends they are working for...

Employers have felt, more or less dimly, the loss of their interest in modern industrial civilization...

Some day, if we are ever to have a world efficiently organized...

Even now, under the uncertainties of our system, with hunger...

MINISTERS COMING ALONG

The Ministers' Federation of the city has the following planks in its Social-Industrial platform:

For the gradual and wise reduction of labor hours to the lowest practical point...

For the highest wage that each industry can afford.

For the most equitable division of the product of industry...

Labor ought to find no difficulty in shaking hands with the clergy...

Ministers who are willing to qualify for membership in the Soldiers-Sailors-Workers combination...

INDUSTRIAL DESPOTS ARE GREATEST ENEMIES

By JOHN H. WALKER

With the ending of the war we have come new and vitally important problems...

I am thoroughly convinced, however, that if a state of anarchy is created in our country...

That terrible condition is brought about in our country...

It has been variously estimated that there are five or six million men and women in the military service...

Immediately upon demobilization these will all, or nearly all, be thrown into the labor market...

How, if the plans proposed by the enemies of labor...

The labor movement must deal with this problem in such a way as to avoid this terrible...

We must not only maintain our standards of wages, hours and conditions...

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BEFORE DAWN

By Anise

Preparations... And yet not knowing... For WHAT... WE SHALL prepare...

WOMAN AND I

By Jane Phelps

A BABY OR A WOMAN

Muriel Franklin came in the day after she had been married...

Jimmy Coon and His Friends

The Adventures of the Little People of the Great Forest

By DR. WARREN G. FARBERGE

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COUSIN BRUIN'S COURAGE IS TESTED

You would have mistooked in your sleep, if you could have seen the committee composed of Teddy...

Forces Against the President

By Elizabeth B...

Norman Angell, writing in the current The World Tomorrow...

Troops in Russia

By Elizabeth B...

There are 25,000 allied troops in Russia...

The Dike Against Lawlessness

By Elizabeth B...

We should like to believe that political trials and political prisons...

Solving the National Emergency in Education

By Elizabeth B...

We must not see the national emergency in education...

PEACE OVER EARTH

By Elizabeth B...

Edward Markham's "The Peace of the World"...

LOCAL 46, I. B. ATTENTION

The open invitation...

NEWSBOYS LOCAL 118

All members of the Union must report...

BOOT & SHOE WORKERS UNION

Special Meeting—Important

CANDYMAKERS UNION

Vote on general strike

WORKERS' SOLDIERS' SAILORS' COUNCIL

Regular called meeting Thursday, February 8...

STRIKE INEVITABLE

To set at rest any rumors to the contrary, it can be authoritatively stated that the General Strike will take place at 10 o'clock Thursday morning and that the strikers remain out until all demands are met.

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CITY WILL BE DARK TONIGHT

ELECTRICAL WORKERS IN CITY EMPLOY WILL BE CALLED IN STRIKE

At an unusually well attended meeting Tuesday night Electrical Workers' Union No. 77, convinced that a complete stoppage would shorten the duration of the strike, determined to withdraw every one of its members from industry with the exception at 10 o'clock on Thursday morning.

"This means that not an electric light in Seattle will burn Thursday night," said Business Agent Leon Green this morning. "It will put the telephone system out of commission, as well as every newspaper and every private and public enterprise which depends on 'juice.'"

The vote for the general strike was carried in this union a week ago by a small majority. Tuesday night's action was unanimous. Leon Green, Robert M. Wells and T. J. O'Neil were elected as the strike committee and given full power to act.

The Barbers' Union, at a special meeting which filled the amphitheater at the Labor Temple Annex, took a secret ballot and affirmed its strike action by a three to one vote. At the same time the union went farther than any other union has gone and warned the bosses not to work.

Jap Barbers to Strike

Another remarkable feature of last night's meeting of the Barbers' Union was that for the first time in history representatives of the Japanese barbers' union occupied seats of honor at a meeting of a white barbers' union. The delegation of Japanese announced that a special meeting of the Japanese barbers was in session, that their local had voted to take the same action as that taken by the white barbers, and that they were still in session waiting for the report of the committee so that the action could be endorsed by the Orientals.

At a largely attended joint meeting of the joint system of the telephone company and its branches, an endorsement of the general strike carried by a vote of 295 to 95.

Telephone operators began a referendum on the strike question, which will end at noon Wednesday. During the last few days, in the face of a general strike, 100 girls employed by the telephone company have joined the union. The new members have participated in the strike vote, and officials of the union say that most of them have voted in the affirmative.

LAMPING BILL WOULD BUILD NEW CAPITOL BY SOLDIERS

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By JOE SMITH
Times Record Staff Correspondent

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—The senate committee on capital buildings and grounds has introduced a bill to authorize the capital building commission to let contracts for \$2,500,000 for the construction of new capital buildings at Olympia. Of this sum the bill provides that \$1,000,000 shall be expended for a new capitol at Olympia for the use of the legislature.

INDORSEMENTS ACCUMULATING

Now in Hands of Rules Committee and No Action Expected

By JOE SMITH
Times Record Staff Correspondent

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—George Lamping, author of the bill to pay over \$10 a month honor pay on behalf of the troops now on Russian soil, has received a number of endorsements from soldiers and their relatives, and is actively writing the passage of the bill.

PEACE LEAGUE PROGRESSING

Paris, Feb. 5.—The special committee which is drawing up the constitution for the league of nations agreed yesterday on the first part of the preamble and two of the articles. It was officially announced that the committee is in the final stages of its work.

PORTUGUESE ARE CLOSING PORTS

MADRID, Feb. 5.—The Portuguese government has closed the ports of Lisbon and Oporto to all foreign ships. This action is a result of the Portuguese government's decision to support the general strike.

Auto-Mechanics Local 289
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DUCKBUSH ROAD TO PROVIDE WORK

Olympia, Feb. 5.—Both houses of the legislature have enacted a bill appropriating \$10,000 for the construction of the Duckbush road. This road is to be built from Olympia to the west side of Hood canal.

ASKED TO MAKE SHIP PLANS CLEAR

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—An explanation of the whole wooden ship program of the shipping board was asked in a resolution introduced in the house yesterday.

PAINTERS UNION LOCKOUT
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Painters Union No. 123 has announced a lockout of employees for the first time in its history.

INTERVENTION IN BRITISH STRIKE

LONDON, Feb. 5.—The ministry of labor will intervene in the strikes which are spreading throughout Great Britain and Ireland, if union officials fail to gain control of the situation.

The United Press was authorized to make the following statement today: "The government regards the labor situation as a fight between regular labor union leaders and rebels. If the regular leaders are unable to gain control the government will then intervene for the protection of society."

OLYMPIA YARDS CLOSE THE GATES

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—Growing out of a minor grievance of the engineers, in which that organization had the backing of the executive committee of the local Metal Trades Council, a break was precipitated at noon yesterday between the employes and the management of the Sloan shipyards here which resulted in the closing down of the yards. A few minutes after a conference in which Superintendent Heath told committees of the workers that "They might as well go out now as they would have to quit tomorrow anyhow," a notice was posted in the yards advising the men that "due to the arbitrary action of the engineers this yard will remain closed until further notice."

About 1,000 employes are thrown out. A meeting of the metal trades was called last night to consider the question of joining the general strike.

STRIKE BACKED BY MINERS

Challenging the veracity of Mr. Charles Fies in his recent anti-labor utterances, and emphatically endorsing the justice of the shipyard workers' demands for a living wage, the Seattle Mining Federation, with only two dissenting votes, Tuesday night approved a telegram to the Emergency Fleet Corporation asking for a minimum wage of \$1.50 a day for shipyard laborers.

Wireless Men Win Demands
VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 4.—The strike of wireless operators on coast boats has been settled and all boats are back on the ships.