

MOYER TELLS HIS STORY

Western Federation Chief Gives Account of Deportation.

HEARING IS HELD AT CHICAGO

Mob Fills Hancock Hotel Room After Withdrawal of Deputation

CHICAGO, March 11.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, tonight told the congressional committee investigating the Michigan copper miners' strike of his deportation from the mining district last December. A special session of the committee to hear Moyer's testimony was held at night. The federation president spent most of the day at a hospital where Charles Mahoney of Denver, vice president of the federation, has been critically ill after an operation for appendicitis.

Three men, Moyer said, came to his hotel room in Hancock on the night of his deportation. They asked him if he would receive a larger committee of citizens, and on agreeing, Moyer said, fifteen or eighteen more men entered the room. They asked him if he would permit the citizens to contribute to the relief of the survivors of the Christmas eve disaster at Italian hall.

Moyer said he had not told the members of the federation they should not accept outside help in caring for their dead, but said the families felt they ought not to and that he would not advise them to accept relief contributed by those outside the federation.

Continuing his story, Moyer said that A. E. Petermann, attorney for the mining companies, who acted as spokesman for the committee, insisted that Moyer was responsible for the attitude of the bereaved families and but for his advising them they would have accepted the assistance offered.

Moyer's Promise. "I promised them," Moyer said, "that I would do everything I could to bring about normal conditions and would endeavor to stop all talk of the panic having been caused by a man wearing a Citizens' Alliance button at least until after the funeral."

The witness said everybody left the room except Sheriff Cruse and John Black, a deputy, who told him that they appreciated his promise and assured him that while feeling was tense no harm would come to him or those with him.

Before the committee had left the room, Moyer continued, "Petermann said to me: 'After having assumed the position you have we will not be responsible for anything that may happen after this.'"

Moyer said he then put in a call for the secretary of the Calumet union in accordance with his promise. "The telephone was beside the door," he said, "while I was holding the receiver to my ear the door opened and my room was filled with men. Tanner was the only person in the room with me. The crowd demanded, 'Where is Moyer?' I, thinking it was the same committee returning, said, 'Here I am, gentlemen; what is it now?' A man grabbed me and pushed me backward, hitting me. Another bent me over forward until I was almost doubled up. In about a minute still another man struck me with a gun. His weapon hit me on the left side of the head and exploded, the bullet entering my shoulder."

Immediately afterward, the witness said, the committee hustled him out of the hotel and a large crowd joined them on the corner. The entire mob then started with him toward the bridge at Houghton.

Kicked by Those Behind. "When we reached the bridge," declared the witness, "someone cried, 'Throw him off the bridge!' Others said, 'Wait until we get across and we will string him up!' Those behind were kicking me at every opportunity, and I haven't recovered from the effects of that abuse. When we reached the other side someone said, 'This is the place,' but others remonstrated and we continued on to the station.

that his bill would be paid by the sheriff."

Query of Petermann. "Isn't it true that I said to you in the Hancock hotel?" Moyer was asked by Attorney Petermann, "that in view of the intense feeling we felt that you would be responsible for whatever might happen if you did not issue the statement we asked?"

"I don't think; I don't remember it that way," Moyer replied. "What did you do before you became president of the Western Federation of Miners?"

"I have been a laborer all my life. I have done railroad work and have carried the hod."

"You believe, do you not, in the doctrine approved by your union that the laborer should be the master of his product?"

"I think the laborer should have the full product of his toil."

"What is your policy toward nonunion men who want to go to work while your men are on strike?"

Every effort is made to dissuade them not to do so by peaceful means. I am opposed to violating the law.

When Moyer said that the Western Federation was on record against sabotage, Petermann asked him what difference he thought there was between allowing mines to become filled with water and throwing a wrench into the machinery.

"You are not in sympathy with the principles of the Industrial Workers of the World are you?" asked Petermann.

"I myself suggested the referendum to sever connection with the Industrial Workers," replied the witness.

MINERS MEET IN DES MOINES

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PRESIDENT RODGERS REPORTS

Head of Organization in Iowa Says Government is Teaching Miners How to Care for Men Who May Be Injured.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Nearly 150 delegates assembled today for the first meeting of the sixteenth consecutive convention of District No. 11 of the United Mine Workers of America.

The report of the committee on credentials was read and adopted. It showed that about 150 votes were represented from various parts of the state.

President W. H. Rodgers reported that government cars will be brought into the different mining camps to teach the miners how to take care of the men who may be injured while working in the mines.

Employed as State Dentist. Henry Morrow of Iowa City visited the office of the Board of Control today and closed a contract for employment as a state dentist and to visit all the institutions of the state, looking after dental work for the inmates.

Miners Come for Meeting. W. H. Rogers, president of District No. 11, United Mine Workers of America, arrived here today from Albia to attend the state miners' convention; also Secretary John Gay and others. J. F. Moran, member of the international board, is also here to attend the meeting, and J. H. Strief, president of the State Federation of Labor. The sessions will open tomorrow and it is certain that at least ten days will be taken with the separate conventions before the joint convention is called with the operators.

Victory in Each Removal Case. Attorney General Cosson calls attention to the fact that in every case brought under the laws of the state for the removal of an official for misconduct in office, in which the legal department of the state has taken a hand, it has been successful.

Would Remove Monument Instruct. Great objection has been made in the past to the removal of a monument to soldiers and sailors because of the belief that it would have to be torn down and rebuilt. The state officials have been given assurance by a reliable contractor that he can move the monument standing erect and not disturb it in the least and do so at a price that will warrant the effort.

Opening of Supreme Court. The March sessions of the supreme court opened today with the first division on the bench, consisting of Justices Ladd, Evans, Weaver and Gaynor. No announcements were made, but a score of cases were admitted, including the following hearings: Collins against Wetmore, Plymouth county; Ellis against Fidelity and Casualty company, Polk county; Miller against Hart-Pear company, Floyd county; Muech against Burnell, Linn county; Ramey against Welch, Jones county, and Cameron & Co. against Cedar Rapids Lumber company, Cedar Rapids superior court.

There are abundant signs of an impending big controversy in Iowa over the right way to handle the hog cholera situation. There has been difference of opinion from the start and when the new law was adopted, calling for removing the serum plant from control of the veterinary department it was against violent opposition.

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