

Move for Action On Nominations Beaten in Senate

Republicans Defeat Effort of Democrats to Get Promotion Of Army Officers by Wilson Approved.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 25.—Senate republicans defeated today an effort by democrats to get action on presidential nominations for promotion of army officers of high rank.

The refusal was by a strict party vote of 36 to 34 on a motion of Senator Robinson, democrat, Arkansas, that the senate proceed with executive business for confirmation of army promotions.

Later the senate, in open session, affirmed the nominations of three general officers who served during the war with Germany to the rank of brigadier general in the reserve corps.

Senator Robinson vigorously criticized the action of the majority in refusing as he said to "honor" the officers of the regular establishment.

"I challenge the senate," he shouted, "to give reason for pursuing these obstructive policies. If it were for the fact that in the early years of the executive authority is to be put into new hands there would not be a single objection to the confirmation of these distinguished army officers. The sole purpose is to have a new president send in a new list of names and adding others."

Let not the time come when military nominations will be made in the same way as postmasters. Let's keep the army out of politics."

Counterfeit German Marks Traded for Fake Gold Dust

Berlin, Feb. 25.—German counterfeiters who recently printed millions of marks which they were unable to dispose of, exchanged the false money with home residents of soviet Russia for "gold dust," which has been found to be only powdered iron, according to the Berlin newspapers today.

Does Not Permit Return

Washington, Feb. 25.—Officials of the Department of Labor acknowledged that the warrant of the arrest and order of deportation against Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, the Russian soviet agent who was recently deported, had been canceled, but denied that this would serve to permit his return to the United States.

Although Martens was never recognized as the ambassador of soviet Russia, department officials said he was recognized as a representative of that country and as such it was felt that he merited certain considerations.

Inquiry developed that the warrants of Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman who were deported several months ago, have not been canceled.

Czechoslovakia held its first international aeronautic exposition late in October to arouse interest in and to stimulate support for that industry.

Coal Men Charged With Conspiracy To Boost Prices

Federal Grand Jury Accuses 226 Defendants of Co-Operation in Violation of Sherman Anti-Trust Law.

Indianapolis, Feb. 25.—Co-operation between coal operators and miners in six states, to force high prices for soft coal by restricting production, was charged today by a federal grand jury indictment.

Two hundred and twenty-six defendants, including 127 operators and 99 miners and co-operators and 99 operators' associations or companies, were accused of conspiracy to violate the Sherman anti-trust law. The defendants, live in Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Judge A. B. Anderson, who received the indictment, set May 3 for arraignment and in issuing capiases for arrest of the defendants, fixed the bond of each at \$10,000.

Prominent operators, including Thomas T. Brewster, Edward C. Searls, Jackson Dering, Phil Penna

and William K. Kavanaugh, and high officials of the United Mine Workers' union, including its president, John L. Lewis, and secretary, William Green, were among the defendants.

The indictment covers specifically the last three years in the coal industry and follows an 18-months' investigation by agents of the Department of Justice. The charge is made by the indictment that at various joint conferences the miners and operators agreed to be partners in mining and distributing coal and that they would aid one another in plans to increase wages, increase prices, create a shortage and otherwise limit production and distribution. Creation of fictitious market prices and the provocation of miners' strikes by operators also was charged.

Most of the persons indicted as individuals in the new bill were among those named as defendants in the indictment returned some time ago, charging violation of the Lever food and fuel control act by an alleged conspiracy to curtail production and force high prices.

Trial of that case has been postponed indefinitely and it was said unofficially that it might be dropped in view of the new charges.

Applying electric currents to the base of the brain, a Berlin physician has found a way to give sleep to the sleepless.

Prosecution to Urge Prison Sentences in Building Probe Cases

West Point Paving Bonds Are Sold to Omaha-Man

West Point, Neb., Feb. 25.—(Special.)—The city council sold the paving bonds for District No. 1 in this city. Competition was very keen, buyers being present from Denver, Lincoln and Omaha. The successful bidder was J. T. Wachob. The amount of the present issue was \$44,000.

Mr. Berger, who has full charge of criminal prosecutions growing out of the investigations, said he would press for a jail sentence for every confessed offender.

Co-incident with this statement, John S. Murphy, president of a master plumber's firm, appeared before Justice McAvoy and withdrew his plea of not guilty. He then pleaded guilty, but sentence was deferred until after the cases against other master plumbers—close to 50—have been disposed of. Murphy is charged with violation of the Donnelly anti-trust act.

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Rockers and Easy Chairs for Saturday Selling. Includes illustrations of a rocking chair and an easy chair.

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Hosiery for Women. We have cleaned our stock of all odds and ends, broken sizes and small lots, pricing them for Saturday at way down prices.

Furnishings for Men. SILK SHIRTS in broadcloths, crepes and jerseys, white and fancy patterns. Ideal shirts for the coming summer at less than half the old selling price.

Useful—In the Business of Housekeeping. Step Ladder Stools \$1.65, Bowen's Carpet Sweeper \$1.95, and other household items.

Big Wonder Oil Mop with large bottle of oil polish for 65 cents. A variety of fine confections all can enjoy with goodness in every bite.

Cobb's Candies Saturday Specials. BUTTER SCOTCH PATTIES—For the children, a confection of extra goodness made of pure creamery butter and cream with just the right flavor.

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