

Coal Miners to Resist Efforts To Reduce Wages

President Lewis Declares Men Will Fight to Maintain Contracts at Present Scale.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 18.—Any attempt to reduce wages of coal miners in the United States will be resisted by the United Mine Workers of America, declared today in announcing such a policy had been approved by the union's executive board, now in session here.

Issues Statement. "The United Mine Workers," said Mr. Lewis' formal statement, "has taken the firm stand that it would not permit wage reductions in view of the fact that the great majority of the mine workers are not making more than a living wage as it is."

Won't Accept Cut. Mr. Lewis' statement said: "The proposed reduction in Washington will not be permitted. The present agreement will stand until it expires by limitation. The same action has been taken regarding proposals for reductions in southeastern Kentucky and Tennessee."

\$32,000 Shortage Is Found in Sub-Treasury

Baltimore, March 18.—A shortage of \$32,000 in the funds of the Baltimore sub-treasury was reported last night by local officials. The shortage was discovered by United States treasury officials in checking up \$200,000 turned over to them after a previous check by employees of the institution had shown the amount in the vaults to be correct.

Bloomfield Legion Plans To Celebrate July Fourth

Bloomfield, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—The American Legion post gave a smoker to the Commercial club and decided to celebrate the Fourth in Bloomfield this year. The celebration will be staged by the Legion and the Commercial club jointly.

51 Per Cent Stock Dividend Announced by Burlington

New York, March 18.—Directors of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad today announced the declaration of a stock dividend of 54 per cent, plus 1.25, payable to stock holders on record March 31. This amounts to about \$600,000, or half of the company's outstanding stock issue.

Three Grand Island Death From Spinal Meningitis

Grand Island, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—The third death from spinal meningitis in the past two months here was John Grotzky, 55, who died after an illness of less than a day. The other cases were children and there has been no known contact between any of the cases.

Girls! Girls!! Clear Your Skin With Cuticura

Chilkat Indian Boy Cast Out as Witch by Tribe Is Protected

Seattle, Wash., March 18.—Condemned as a witch and cast out by his tribe, Frankie Peters, a Chilkat Indian boy from Haines, Alaska, is enroute to the government Indian school at Chemawa, Ore., where he will be placed under protection of W. T. Lopp, Alaska commissioner of education, who has taken charge of the boy.

Budget Measure Will Come Before Next Congress

Leaders Believe Bill as Vetoed By President Wilson Will Be Passed Early in New Session.

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Washington, March 18.—Enactment of a budget bill will be on the legislative program of the new congress when it meets in April. Senator McCormick of Illinois, sponsor for the measure in the senate during the last congress, declared he thought the budget bill would be one of the first general measures passed when the special session gets under way.

Do You Know the Bible?

Follow These Questions and Answers Arranged by J. WILLSON ROY. Follow These Questions and Answers As Arranged by J. WILLSON ROY. 1. Why is it most reasonable to conclude that Joseph was a carpenter and not otherwise?

Common Sense

Snobbishness and Good Breeding. Teaching your child to be snobbish is trying a lodestone of unhappiness to its neck. The snobbish child learns to select friends from those whose parents are well-to-do, or who appear to be well off.

SLEEPY-TIME TALES THE TALE OF BENNY BADGER BY ARTHUR SCOTT BAILEY



Mr. Deer Mouse Is Timid. Benny Badger began to lose patience with the deer mouse. He was one of the most timid persons Benny had ever seen. And Benny was on the point of telling him that he hadn't even the courage of a prairie dog.

KEEP YOUR EYES OPEN. It is about time the boys were getting together to fix the 1921 post-season base ball series. ALL SAFE NOW. Now that the Lever law has been declared void the pointers are congratulating themselves on not having paid any attention to it.

Dog Hill Paragrads

The Tickville hotelkeeper has been constantly improving his place with modern conveniences, and has just added a cake of soap to the wash room, and it may be found in the empty sardine box over the water bucket.

WHY—

Why Do Leaves Change Color in the Autumn? Just as bears and a number of other animals retire into the seclusion of their caves and "hibernate" during the winter months, so also

More Truth Than Poetry



Mr. Flicker. It's not the early robin Who sends the summons forth That brings the tree-top people Swift winging toward the north.

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Woman Accused of Being Sweetheart of Ex-Prince Plans Suit

Paris, March 18.—The population of Nancy has been aroused against Mile, Blanch Desriere, the proprietress of a cafe there, following the publication of an article alleging that she was the former crown prince's sweetheart during the war when he lived at Stenay, where the prince's headquarters were located.

McCook Postmaster Resigns

McCook, Neb., March 18.—(Special.)—Postmaster E. J. Brady of this city has resigned, effective March 31. He will engage in the commission business in partnership with Mike Walsh, H. H. Woolard, deputy postmaster, is a candidate for the position.

Specials for Saturday

Musical Instrument Dept. Violins With Bow and Case, \$15.00—A Splendid Outfit for the Violin Student. Ukuleles From \$4.00 and Up—Cornets—Silver plated, in silk, plush-lined case for \$40.00 and up.

E. D. Patton MUSIC Company

N. E. COR. 16TH AND FARNAM ST. The 107 successful aspirants who passed bar examinations in Boston recently, seven were women.

TRY HAYDEN'S FIRST Buy for Cash and Save.

Are You Fully Prepared for the Easter Dress Parade?

Our Apparel Section was never better prepared to supply your every wish with styles that are most charming and at surprisingly moderate prices.

Suits at \$45

Your choice Saturday of stylish Navy Blue Suits, made up in Tricotines, Twill Cords and better grade Serges that are highly tailored Suits. Ripple styles and braided box styles; sizes for misses, ladies and slim-line stouts; elegant silk linings. Saturday, special, at \$45.00

Dresses at \$23.75

Value up to \$49.00. Hundreds of classy Taffeta, Silk, Satin, Crepe and Cloth Dresses. Made up in every desirable style of the season. Beaded, braided, embroidered or self-trimmed in all the new shades. Sizes suitable for misses, ladies and stouts. Styles suitable for morning, afternoon or evening wear. Made to sell up to \$49.00. Saturday, special, at \$23.75

Coats and Wraps at \$49.00

Special group of stylish spring and summer wraps, made up in Velours, Fortunas, Bolivias, Chamoistines and Tricotines, in the many new shades, including the popular navy. Special values at \$49.00

Ready for You Saturday Lovely Hats for Easter Time

Featured at Prices That Barely Hint of Their Variety and Charm \$10 \$12.50 \$15

There are large Transparent Hats for dress wear, chic little Straw Turbans tipped with wings and others with smart ribbon bows and ostrich feathers at a darning smart angle. The colors are especially appealing and springlike, including lovely shades of blue, tangerine, orchid, jade, henna, pheasant and cerise, as well as black and brown.

500 New Spring Hats Children's Hats

Every smart spring shade. Styles for all tastes. Each one a real bargain. \$5.00 Worth \$7.50 to \$10. Omaha's largest selection of Children's Hats. A wonderful Collection of Children's Hats at \$2.95 Biggest Collection—Best Values.

Toilet Goods Special In Boys' Easter Suits

Special Prices. Djer Kiss Talcum Powder, 19c. Jap Rose Talcum, 10c. Armand's Talcum, 21c. Lilia and Muguet, 81.50. \$1.00 size at 75c. Tanti's Face Powder and Creams, 75c size at 59c. \$1.00 size at 75c. \$1.50 size at \$1.15. \$2.50 size at \$1.59. Jergens' Lotion at 25c. Scott's Emulsion, 69c. A lot of standard 25c Cough Syrups at 17c. Haskin's Toilet Soaps, 3 bars for 25c. Pompeian Massage Cream, 59c. 25c Talcum Powders, a big assortment at 19c. A special lot of Rice Face Powder at 21c. Krank's Lemon Cream, 79c. Magic Dye Soap, 7c. Complete line of Hudnut's Powders, Creams and Perfumes.

Thermos Bottles \$1.00

A Special Price Saturday. Just received. Removable filler. Each only \$1.00.

The Cost of Living Cut 25% to 50%

45-lb. Sack Best High Grade Flour \$2.25. 24-lb. Sack Best High Grade Flour \$1.20. 10-lbs. Pure Granulated Sugar .38c. 10-lbs. Best White or Yellow Corn-meal .25c. 6-lbs. Best Rolled White Breakfast Meal .25c. 4-lbs. Best Fancy Blue Rose Head Rice .25c. The Best Domestic Macaroni, Spaghetti or Egg Noodles, pkg. .71c. 10 Bars Best "Em All" Soap, Fancy Sweet Soap .33c. Fancy Dried Baby Lima Beans, lb. .10c. 16-oz. Cans Pet. Carnation or Wilson Milk .14c. 8-lbs. Baby Chick or Heren Scratch .23c. Grape Nuts, pkg. .15c. Gallon Cans Golden Table Syrup .65c. Gallon Cans White Table Syrup .73c. 12-oz. Cans New Orleans Molasses .5c. No. 2 Cans Early June Prunes, Fancy Sweet Sugar Corn or Ripe Tomatoes, per can .10c. Fancy Pop Corn, lb. .5c. Fresh Roasted Peanuts, lb. .12 1/2c. No. 1 English Walnuts, lb. .25c. THE TEA AND COFFEE MARKET OF OMAHA. Fancy Golden Santos Coffee, lb. 22 1/2c. Our Famous Blend, lb. .25c. The Best Tea Siftings, lb. .15c. Breakfast Cocoa, lb. .10c. Fancy Pan Fired Japan Tea, lb. .35c. No. 1 Cooking Potatoes, peck .25c. Fresh Beets, Carrots, Turnips or Radishes, bunch .71c. Fancy Head Lettuce, head .10c. Anything you want in fresh vegetables at a saving of 25% to 50%. Fancy Red River Ohio Seed Potatoes, peck \$1.45. All Flower and Vegetable Seeds, 25c. packages and Vegetable Seeds, 25c. Onion Sets, Red, White or Yellow, per pound .15c. The Best Blue Grass Seed, lb. .55c. Fancy Navel Oranges, dozen .20c.

Tool Sale

Hardware Section, Saturday. 85c Steel Face Claw Hammer. Saturday, \$1.00. \$1.00 Family Hand Saw, 89c. 75c Family Hatchet, 59c. 45c Pliers, 39c. 95c, 6-inch Angle Adjustable Wrench, 79c. \$1.25, 8-inch Angle Adjustable Wrench for \$1.00. \$1.25 Set of Five Auto-S Wrenches for \$1.00. 25c, 2-foot Rule, 19c. 75c, 6-foot Folding Rule, 59c. \$1.25, 8-inch Bit Brace, \$1.00. 40c, 3, 5 and 6-inch Screw Drivers, each .29c. \$8.00 Tool Grinder, No. 3, at \$6.00. \$1.25, 2-cell Flashlight, \$1.00. \$1.65 Flashlight with spring-clasp holder, \$1.27. \$5.00 Gillette Safety Razor, Saturday, at \$3.79.