

UNION HEADS TO CALL OFF STRIKE

Burglar Is Killed In Gun Fight

Bluffs Officers Surprise Set at Work—Man Involved In Omaha Riot Is Slain.

Driver of Car Arrested

One man was killed, two are believed to have been wounded but escaped, and one man was arrested in a gun battle between eight deputy sheriffs and six burglars of the "Sixteenth avenue gang" in Council Bluffs at 1:30 a. m. yesterday.

Surprised in Burglary

The battle took place when the deputies surprised the men trying to break into the rear door of the George Lucke store, 620 Sixteenth avenue, Council Bluffs.

Party Lines Submerged in Fight Between Nonpartisan League and Independent Voters' Association.

Fargo, N. D., Oct. 27.—North Dakota's warriest political campaign in years closed today in a cold drizzle, with prospects that heavy rains would decrease the vote in tomorrow's recall election.

Roosevelt's Birthday Celebrated in Gotham

New York, Oct. 27.—Civic, memorial and social organizations, which today are celebrating the 63d anniversary of Theodore Roosevelt's birth in a series of ceremonies here and at Oyster Bay, the home of the former president.

Grand Custodian of Masons Spends Week at Table Rock

Table Rock, Neb., Oct. 27.—(Special.)—Robert E. French, grand custodian of the Masonic order, whose home has been at Kearney for many years, has been at Table Rock for a few days past giving instructions and lectures on the tenets of the order.

Prohibition Agents Plan "Dry" Campaign in Michigan

Detroit, Oct. 27.—J. R. Davis, federal prohibition officer for Michigan, announced he was making plans for a drive against the illicit liquor traffic in Michigan.

"Miracle Man" in Jail

St. Louis, Oct. 27.—W. B. Thompson of Los Angeles, who styled himself as "the miracle man," is in jail here on a charge of practicing medicine without a state license.

State Park at Scouts' Rest One Aim of Women's Clubs

Chairmen of Various Branches of Organization Activities Tell of Work Accomplished Since Last Convention—Sober Progress Is Urged.

By MYRTLE MASON, Staff Correspondent of The Omaha Bee. Seward, Neb., Oct. 27.—Perfect Nebraska weather made Thursday a record day in point of attendance for the state convention of the Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs meeting at Seward.

Both Factions Predict Victory In Dakota Recall

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Street Car "Skip-Stop" System Here to Stay

Lincoln, Oct. 27.—(Special.)—The "skip stop" system on Omaha street cars will not be discontinued. The state railway commission today denied the application of Omaha petitioners made several months ago to discontinue the "skip stop."

Rescuers Dig Desperately to Save Two Entombed Miners

Britannia Beach, B. C., Oct. 27.—Rescue gangs were still at work last night in a frantic attempt to reach two miners entombed by a rock slide at the 2,300 foot level of a mine here for six days. Officials hold to the belief that the men are alive.

Inspector Callaway Schools

Callaway, Neb., Oct. 27.—(Special.)—The state high school inspector has visited the Callaway schools and placed them in class A.

Priest Seen Prior to Murder

Curate Asked Mine Foreman Way to House, Then Went Alone, Along Road Where He Was Shot.

Hounds Delayed by Storm

Lead, S. D., Oct. 27.—Bloodhounds, put on the trail of the slayer of Father A. B. Belknap, whose body was found in Peorham's Gulch yesterday morning, led a posse through a blinding snow storm directly to the home occupied by Tony Bartolino, an Italian, and a man named Nimon Kootzman.

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Presidio Commander Dies

San Francisco, Oct. 27.—Colonel Joseph T. Clarke, 59, post surgeon at the Presidio here for some years, died suddenly yesterday. He was a widower and two daughters survive.

The Horrible Example



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Body Named To Draw Up Resolutions

Action Taken Following Series Of Conferences Between Labor Board and Brotherhood Officials at Chicago.

Ultimatum Delivered By U.S. Wage Commission

Members Declare They Will Deal With Workers "With Ungloved Hands" Unless Peace Is Declared.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—Chiefs of the "Big Five" rail labor unions, which have called a strike for October 30, tonight appointed a committee to draw up a resolution calling off the proposed walkout and present it as quickly as possible at a meeting of the labor leaders who temporarily adjourned their session, begun this morning, pending action by the committee. Indications were that it would be some time before the resolution could be drafted.

The resolutions committee began work at 8:30 p. m. It had been instructed to "work carefully and bring back a resolution which will explain fully the unions' attitude in the matter."

Ultimatum Delivered

Chicago, Oct. 27.—A day of rail union meetings, sessions of the railroad labor board and conferences between representatives of the two groups tonight found the strike situation outwardly unchanged but with high officials of the employers' organizations declaring that the walkout might be called off by morning, and the board informing them that unless peace came by then, it would "deal with the unions with unglowed hands" in its attempts to prevent an October 30 walkout.

Expect to Call Strike Off

Just before entering the night meeting, W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, gave the following statement to The Associated Press: "There is every reason to believe certain arrangements will be made tonight whereby the strike scheduled for October 30 will be called off."

Farmers Overhear Plans—Notify Sheriff Hyers—Deputies Hide in Wrong Town—Robbers Escape.

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