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DOES NOT AGREE WITH PRESIDENT WILSON

Ulster Leader Offers Some Criticism of President's Views on Irish Problem as Expressed in a Reply to San Francisco Labor Unions-People Adopting a New Country Should Not Interfere With Matters in Country of Their

London, Sept. 20-President Wilson's attitude regarding the self-determination of Ireland has attracted the attention which was not as great as that of the of Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster leader, who in a statement to the Asociated Pres today, declared:

'As one anxious to see the league of nations founded, to protect the world against the horrors of war, I do not desire to raise difficulties or anticipate decisions on questions which must arise in the gradual development of a sound system of jurisprudence under the covenant. Therefore, I am reluctant to criticize the President's answer to questions put to him by the San Francisco labor council with reference to Ireland.

Indeed, I find it difficult to understand from the answer given what statement of facts with relation to Ireland the President contemplated, which entitles any of the contracting parties to raise this question under section 11 of the covenant dealing with peace safeguards.

DOES NOT AGREE WITH PRESIDENT'S INTER-

PRETATION OF SECTION 11 OF COVENANT

· "I would like, however, in the interests of the success of fairs. Many of the amusements will the league, to point out that nothing would more likely lead to leave for Kingston where a fair will its failure than interference by any of the great contracting open on Wednesday. parties with the evolution of government in the realms of the | Dolly Coleman the performer inothers. The United Kingdom, as a whole, is one of the con- jured in the aerial act by a fall is tracting parties, and in respect to constitutional rights and government all the units of the United Kingdom stand on an equal basis, none being subordinate to the other, and it is difficult to foresee, therefore, what circumstances can arise which would justify interference by the league of nations in relation to any particular unit.

If President Wilson means to suggest that, because there is a population of Irish descent or Irish origin in the United Keswick following an illness of sev States who sympathize with the claims of Irish Secessionists, this fact threatens to disturb international peace or the good understanding between the United States and the United Keswick; Garfield of Caribou, Maine; Kingdom, and that therefore the case arises under section 11 Byron and George A. of New York; of the covenant, I must with great respect enter a protest.

NATURALIZED CITIZENS OF ALL COUNTRIES

WOULD BE ABLE TO MAKE SIMILAR PLEAS

There would no end to interference founded on such a Hattie, and Annie at home. The funplan, which really means that persons who have adopted a eral took place Sunday afternoon from new country carry with them the right to interfere in the af- the late home at Keswick and was fairs of the country of their origin. All naturalized citizens of very largely attended. Service was all countries could raise similar pleas and become formidable Mr. Rutledge. more or less, in accordance to their numbers, and especially at election times.

It is not necessary to point out how disastrous the result would be, but there are too many obvious criticisms to be made by anyone who desires to make the league of nations a failure from the start. I do not desire to range myself with such critics. I believe the league of nations only possible if real good will be shown by it in it's infancy, and if wise men, anxious for it's success, are chosen at the start to administer and evolve it's constitution."

PORK PRICES

OPPOSED TO

Boston, Sept. 21.—The Boston Central Labor Union at its meeting today for the purpose of determining its attitude toward the policy rike in this city, decided against calling a general strike at this time.

Miss Ethel Crawford of Skowhegan, e., is visiting her brother Murray Crawford at South Devon.

NEW YORK

Winnipeg, Sept. 20.—As a result of the Board of Commerce probe here, pork prices will decrease fifteen cents a pound immediately, according to a statement made today by a local packer. The authority based his forecast on the belief that the whole pork market would be bearishly affected by reason of revelations anent profits and overhead costs of producer, packer and retailer.

Harry Whitlay, K. C., government counsel, announced today that vegeunsel, announced today that vege-ble prices will be on trial before the ard next week. Boots and clothing ably American and Baldwin Locomo will be dealt with in the very tiv, advanced one to two points, and ture. stantial gains.

THE CORSICAN AT QUEBEC

Quebec, Sept. 21.—The steamer Corsican arrived tonight after an unevent-ful voyage from Glasgow. She carried 537 cabin passengers and 669 third class passengers, among whom were many wives of soldiers and a great many children. Among the passen-gers was Mr. Ben Tillett, labor leader of England, who is on his way to Mon-

FORTY THOUSAND MARK WAS PASSED SATURDAY

Threatening Weather Caused Falling Off on Last Day-Management Gratifisd With Showing.

The New Brunswick Provincial Exnibition of 1919 held in this city last week closed Saturday night with a new total attendance record for six lays the turnstiles recording 40,527. It had been expected that the total would come nearer forty-five thousand but Saturday's attendance fell off considerably the weather being threat

Record of the two

The attendance record of the two fairs is as follows:

	1919.	191
First Day	3,576	1,91
Second Day	5,085	4,09
Third Day	9,565	8,29
Fourth Day	.12,416	9,01
Fifth Day	6,848	4,97
Sixth Day	3,037	3,39
Total		
Chinning to Ott	han Enim	

Much of the livestock and other exhibition this week left for the North Shore by special trains yesterday. Others went to Charlottetown. The horses which raced here during the week also divided between the two

placed. She will remain in Victoria Hospital for some time.

Death at Keswick

The death occurred on Friday by his widow by five sons Jacob L. of Robert at home and by seven daughters, Mrs. Thomas McLaggan of Sussex, Mrs. Harley Currie and Mrs. Roy Currie of Macinquac, Mrs. Arthur

Dr. Reed, of Sussex, was a visitor to the city over the week-end.

by the labor delegation.

TRADES AND LABOR CONGRESS

in Attendance-An Important Gathering.

NOW IN SESSION AT HAMILTON

Delegates Welcomed to the City by Sir William Hearst, Sena-

tor Robertson and Mayor Barker-Nearly Eight Hundred

at the industrial conference in Ottawa will again be taken up

Ben Tillett, British M. P., Present.

Big Strike of Steel Workers Was Inaugurated Today

A. R. WILLIAMS MACHINERY CO. HAD FINE BOOTH

Delco Light, Wade Gasoline Woodsaw and Bulldog Oil Engine Were Demonstrated.

ening. The total for the day was 3,037 tion Building of The A. R. Williams Machinery Company of Saint John N. B. They are showing their famous Delco-Light outfit for house and barn With Delco Light installed you can

have electric lights permanently loton. Delco Light saves time and labor, it brings city conveniences to the country home, it increases farm efficiency, it lessens fire hazards, it is economical. It is unnecessary to buy hibits intended for the Chatham Ex- use Delco Light. The Delco Light power stand is a portable electric motor that will operate any make of churn, separator or other appliance. It is attached by means of pulleys that light your home, your barn, run your washing machine, operate the electric fan, will turn the grindstone or operate your water system.

Mr. E. H. Marshall who was charge of this exhibit said for it that

The A. R. Williams Machinery Co. were also showing the celebrated Wade Gasoline wood-saw which saws R. Williams display was that everything in the booth was in motion, while Mr. B. C. Waring who was present all week fully explained every thing in connection with the exhibit. There was also on display the Bull He would give no estimate of the number of men out. Dog oil-engine for which the company are agents. Minto & McKay, Queen Street are the York and Sunbury agents for the A. R. Williams Machinery Company.

city is quite ill at his home on Queen went into effect today.

Thousands of Workers in Pittsburg Plants Obey the Call of Their Leaders and Fail to Report for Duty-Some Plants are Completely Closed Down-Officers of the Law on Hand Prepared to Meet Any Emergency.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 22-The struggle between organized labor and the employers in the steel industry was in full swing today. In the Pittsburg and nearby districts many thous-One of the most interesting exhibits ands of men obeyed the order of their leaders and failed to reat the 1919 exhibition was the booth port when the whistles blew for the day shifts to go to work. on the ground floor of the transporta- How many joined in the walkout and with what degree of effectiveness the strike was initiated was not known definitely by either side in the contest in the early hours of the day.

Dawn found mill guards, borough and city police, mounted Pennsylvania State Police, volunteer guards, deputy, sheriffs, dectectives and other guardians of the law on duty cated in your house, barn or other for any emergency. Likewise the strike leaders and pickets in buildings, bright, safe light, just when their duty and persuading men on their way to work to turn and where you want it, instantly con- back and join in the strike. Early reports indicated that huntrolled by pressing a convenient but- dreds of men were turned back in various communities.

ARMED GUARDS ARE PATROLLING THE ROADS LEADING TO PLANTS IN THE OHIO VALLEY

Full protection as far as could be made was given to men new motorized equipment in order to who determined to go to work, the streets and roads leading to the mills in every steel community in the Monongahelia, Alegheny and Ohio Valleys being patrolled by armed guards.

State Police had their first clash with crowds on Sunday afternoon, in North Clairton, and near McKees port, where are adjustable to any shaft and which they broke up mass meetings at the request of local Police ofoperate at the proper speed. It will ficials. Strike leaders charge that a number of persons in North Clairton were severly hurt in the clash there.

UNION LEADERS CLAIM THAT 15,000 STEEL EMPLOYEES HAVE QUIT WORK AT CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 22-Union leaders claimed that at it is giving satisfaction to over 50,000 least 15,000 steel workers were on strike this morning and that plants of some of the independent mills were closed. Company officials would make no statement.

The sixteen mills of the American Steel & Wire Company twenty five cords a day. This machine a steel corporation subsidiary, employing 9000 men were coms highly recommended by people all pletely closed down. The McKinney Steel Company, the largover the world where it has been est independent plant, was shut down. The Bourne Fuller shown. The interesting part of the A. Plant, another independent employing 2,600 men, was re-

According to an official of the Lake Seamens' Union here, union sailors at this port this morning quit several steel corporation freighters at the docks, refusing to work on the boats.

REPRESENTATIVE OF CARNEGIE STEEL COMPANY SAYS THE PLANTS ARE GOING IN GOOD SHAPE

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 22-"We got away in good shape at most of our plants in and about Pittsburg this morning," said Mr. Duncan L. Kelly of Nashwaak a representative of the Carnegie Steel Company when asked Village who lately removed to the for a statement on the effect of the steel workers strike which

"We are agreeably suprised at the showing made," was he announcement made by William Foster, Secretary of the National Committee for organizing Iron and Steel Workers, who is in charge of the Pittsburg district.

MUCH DAMAGE FROM STORM IN MONTREAL

THE CARONIA

CASE AGAINST SEN. HUMBERT IS DISMISSED

Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 22. — Welcomed by Sir William Hearst, Premier of Ontario, Hon. G. D. Robertson, Minister of Labor, and Mayor C. G. Booker, of Hamilton, nearly eight hundred delegates, representing practically every organized craft in the Dominion, commenced the inaugural session of the 35th Annual Trades and Labor Congress of Canada this morning. All delegates agree that the Congress just started will be the most important in the history of Canadian organized labor. Matters of vital importance to working men throughout the country are on the agenda and discussions in some questions are expected to be protracted. Probably the most important matters on the order paper are the eight-hour day, minimum wages, collective bargaining and the policy of the congress regarding the One Big Union. Questions under consideration at the industrial conference in Ottown 21.

Most of the birds shown at the York County Exhibition by Fredericton and Devon members of the York AT HALIFAX County Poultry Association will be shown at Chatham. They were sent De presented by P. M. Draper, Secretary of the Congress, and Gustav Francq, of Montreal, regarding their work overseas.

An interesting feature of this year's convention is the increasing number of women delegates. It is expected that nearly 150 will attend the sessions. Ben Tillett, M. P., the prominent British Labor leader, is attending on behalf of the British Trade Union Congress, and the American Federation of Labor is also represented.

Halifax, Sept. 22.—The Cunard S. S. Caronia, which arrived is port from London during the night, docked at Pier No. 2 this morning. She brought 3.218 passengers, divided into 245 salson, and 2.960 third class passengers. The third class was principally made up of a detachment of cooles returning to China. 179 cabin passengers will remain on the Caronia on her yoyage to New York. forward yesterday afternoon in a box