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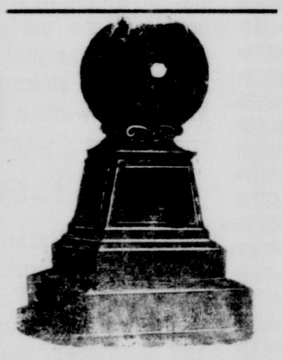

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LONG-IDLE MINERS RETURN TO WORK

Thousands Responded to Call of Colliery Whistles, Thus Ending Protracted Suspension.

WINTER COAL PRICES STAY

When whistles blew at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning at many collieries throughout the anthracite regions thousands of the miners, idle since April 1, returned to work.

Not all of the mines were able to resume operations. Repair work, begun Monday, has not been completed at a number of the collieries, but within a week it is expected all of the pits will be producing.

The miners' convention, which closed in Wilkes-Barre, Saturday, after approving the peace plans, decreed that the 170,000 workers would be privileged to break the suspension Wednesday. The agreement between the operators and officials of the union was signed Monday and assures peace at the mines for four years.

Since Saturday long trains of empty coal cars have been moving towards the mines, and will be ready to load the fuel when it has been prepared in the breakers and washeries. Early next week hard coal will come to market in large quantities, it is expected, but the colliery operations will not get down to capacity production much before June.

The men are to receive about $6,000,000 more annually than when they quit work, April 1, but as their losses in wages have been about $17,000,000 during the seven weeks of idleness, it will take them nearly three years to recover what the suspension cost.

Concerning Coal Prices

The operators are now estimating how much more it will cost them to produce coal under the advance in wages to the workers. They are expected to announce a schedule within a week, so that the retailer will be able to quote prices to the consumer.

Winter prices for the domestic sizes of coal are still in effect. Last month, egg and stove sizes were higher by 50 cents and nut coal by 25 cents a ton than during April, 1911, because the spring reductions were not made. No coal was produced because of the suspension.

If spring reductions are not made, the operators will be more than able to absorb the wage increases without advancing the prices to the public. It is not anticipated that they will quote higher prices to the retailers until next fall, when there might be an advance of 25 cents a ton. Such an advance, however, would be unreasonable in the light of the operators' own argument. They have said they would have to increase the prices for domestic sizes 67 cents a ton if they granted the miners a 20 per cent. wage advance. The miners settled the dispute, however, on the basis of a 5 4-10 per cent. increase, so that the retail price should not be more than 18 1-25 cents a ton higher. By witholding spring reductions, the operators would be charging the public for the wage increase and have a margin to their benefit.

IS TOBACCO IMMORAL?

The General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, amid "a din of cheering which lasted several minutes," adopted a resolution prohibiting the election of any person to office in the Conference who uses tobacco.

The Conference has shown itself as positive in its convictions about tobacco, as it was uncertain and irresolute upon the question of the difference between race track and stock gambling. But what is there immoral about tobacco any more than about coffee or tea or Limburger cheese? Tobacco does not lie or steal or violate any of the Ten Commandments. Opinion, medical equally with lay, continues to differ on the subject of its physical effects. It may "foul the mouth and soil the clothes and make a chimney of the nose," as little Robbie Reed said, but it does not madden to crime nor does it encourage vice.

A great many good churchmen have used tobacco, a great many philosophers and philanthropists and men whom the world has held in the highest esteem. Its use by anybody is generally regarded not as a matter of conscience, but of personal judgment based on individual views of the degree of self-indulgence involved. To disqualify members of the Methodist Church from holding office in the organization on this ground is of course the concern of that denomination and not of the public.

But with so many real evils in the world to combat is it worth while to waste moral energy on such a negligible question?—The World.

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Public Service Commission of Maryland.

ORDER NO. 712.

In the matter of the application of the Diamond State Telephone Company for permission to exercise the privileges granted by the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall, Kent county, Maryland, by Ordinance passed April 2, 1912.

Before the Public Service Commission of Maryland. Case No. 360.

THE above mentioned petition having been received and filed, it is this 8th day of May, 1912, by the Public Service Commission of Maryland,

ORDERED, That the same be and is hereby set for hearing on MONDAY, MAY 27th, 1912 at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of the Commission, Baltimore, Maryland,

Provided, the applicant causes a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper published in Kent county, Maryland, at least twice before the said 27th day of May, 1912.

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