

Friday, 7th May.
10.0 o'clock news.

Newcastle Electrical Strike. Employees went on strike last night but there is no interruption in the supply of power.

Disturbances in Glasgow. In the East End of Glasgow during yesterday disturbances occurred, resulting in several arrests. The trouble arose through a party of miners marching to the tram Depot, where they imagined a number of students who had volunteered were being housed. The police, however, dispersed the attacking party.

Situation at Edinburgh. Some further disturbances occurred at Edinburgh last evening arising out of throwing stones at Corporation buses. The police dispersed the demonstrators and 9 arrests were made.

Scenes at Middlesbrough. There was a disturbance at Middlesbrough last night when an attempt was made to hold up a passenger train. The crowd finally dispersed being harangued by the Mayor and Town Council. A motor bus was molested but order was soon restored.

Mrs. Stanley Baldwin's Transport Service. Owners who will volunteer to lend motor cars for the purpose of conveying women and girls to and from their place of business should write or telephone to 10, Downing Street, giving full particulars, i.e. name and address, specific hours during which the cars at the disposal of the Transport Organization, the number of passengers to be carried and with or without driver. Mrs. Baldwin wishes to emphasize the great importance of maintaining a service for women workers whose actual salary might otherwise be jeopardized.

Navy and Army Pensioners and strike. The Executive of the National Association of Navy and Army Pensioners recommend members to to give every assistance in their power to the Government.

Advice to owners of motor cars. With reference to motor cars which might be damaged by irresponsible parties in this emergency being covered under ordinary comprehensive motor policies, the owners are informed that it would be advisable for them to carefully inspect their policies as they will probably find that such risks are not included without an additional premium being previously paid.

Arrangements which have been postponed.
The Colonial Wool Merchants Association have decided to postpone the sale ~~and~~ of wool and sheep skins until such time as circumstances permit.

The Students' Appeal Committee of London University College Hospital states that the Concert arranged to be held on Monday at Queens Hall will not take place.

The Western Mail and Evening Express at Cardiff are publishing several editions daily. The Sheffield "Independent" and Sheffield "Mail" are also being issued. The ordinary edition of the Portsmouth Evening News will be published this afternoon. A 16-page strike edition of the Edmonton Weekly Herald will be published today.

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Two men have been arrested at Marylebone today for selling leaflets declaring that the Liverpool Police have come out on strike. There is no truth whatever in this allegation.

To all workers in all trades. When the present strike is ended H.M. Government will take effectual measures to see that no one who has done his duty will be left unprotected by the State from subsequent reprisals.

The L.G.O.C. started up two routes at 8 o'clock this morning.

Over 1000 trained men are now available at Volunteer Training Centres, and another circular route will be established today. Other services will be introduced as soon as men can be passed through the Training Centres.

Prospects are bright and hourly improving.

2900 churns of milk were received at Paddington alone.

In the N.E. Area the train service was increased by 32% yesterday.

Train Service Enquiries. Owing to the pressure of telephone business, intending passengers are asked to refrain from ringing up the Railway Offices or the London Termini as time will be saved if passengers will call and make enquiries at the local stations.

No serious trouble occurred in the London and Home Counties yesterday.

The L.G.O.C. service of buses was working smoothly. Some interference with the transport of petrol from Fulham and Hackney was experienced.

The G.W.R. situation in all parts of the system is quite quiet. Considerable improved train service was run yesterday.

Fish supplies from Milford Haven arrived at London without incident.

Bristol bus and train services were normal. Local newspapers and British Gazette were on sale. No disorder at Docks.

G.W. Railwaymen returned to work in Cornwall and milk trains were running.

Liverpool - Normal service of trains.

Birkenhead - No local newspapers were published but a good supply of the British Gazette was available.