

Monday, 11th May - 10 o'clock news.

Employers are asked to urge employees to join the Special Constabularies. Men engaged in Government employ should remain at their work.

The Home Office reports all meetings in London yesterday were conducted in an orderly manner.

On Saturday, the Organizing Secretary of the Shoreditch Labour Party was charged with circulating seditious literature and was remanded on bail.

At Camden Town stones were thrown at buses, but order was quickly restored.

The G.W.R. reports all quiet, except for stone throwing at Swansea where a G.W.R. Police Officer was hurt.

At Leicester there are no trams running, but the service of buses is adequate for the town's needs. Transport was good. A few railwaymen have gone in, but there are no signs of a general return to work.

Derbyshire reports all was quiet and plenty of specials.

Nottingham County - The markets are continuing as usual.

200 more specials were enrolled at Norwich yesterday.

300 undergraduates left Cambridge for Hull yesterday to assist in unloading at the Docks.

The situation at Ipswich is well in hand and there has been no interference with transport for the last 48 hours.

In South Wales the situation is quiet and meetings were orderly.

At a meeting of about 3000 miners, railwaymen and transport workers at Wigan on the 6th May, the speakers advised their hearers to behave in an orderly manner and to keep together as an organized body.

At Cheshire the train service is improving. Several railwaymen returned to work and there was no interference with food or lighting. The situation is entirely satisfactory. 20000 volunteer workers have been enrolled. Trams are almost normal.

Lancashire hopes to start trams tomorrow. An increased service of buses was running yesterday. A crowd which attacked the police station yesterday was dispersed. Over 200 specials were enrolled and are being trained satisfactorily. About 800 voluntary workers also came forward.

Two ships loaded with flour for other parts of the country left Birkenhead.

A crowd of roughs, not strikers, caused a disturbance at Middlesbrough on Saturday. The crowds that gathered to see what was going on only further excited the roughs. All citizens are advised to remain indoors at night as much as possible.

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At Tynemouth all is quiet.

At Newcastle there was some disturbances on Saturday, but all was quiet yesterday.

The situation was quiet at Hull yesterday. On Saturday 16 shop windows were broken. Food supplies were satisfactory. Several lorries were seen entering the City during the day and a small local newspaper was published.

20% of the tramwaymen returned to work at Huddersfield, and trams will be running today.

All was quiet at Leeds, where some regular tram workers have returned and 61 trams were working.

10 L.M.S. engines will start today and several goods trains are expected during the day.

All was quiet at Bradford where 17,000 volunteers have been enrolled for public service. The Corporation tram and omnibus inspectors have agreed to return for duty today when further services will be opened for traffic. The Corporation have sufficient volunteers to maintain all essential supplies of gas and electricity.

At Weymouth a man was arrested for spreading a false report that two regiments had mutinied.

Transport services are better at Gloucester. There are 3,000 new unemployed owing to the strike.

At Bristol 230 specials who have registered since Friday will be sworn in today.

Gas workers in the South Wales Division have been instructed by their Unions to continue working. Some railway porters returned to work last night. There is no disorder.

At Plymouth all is quiet.

At Bath a considerable number of tram and bus men were going back today and were said to have left the Unions. A statement that 5 arrests had been made is untrue.

A crowd of 10,000 people assembled at Walthamstow for a meeting of strikers. The hall was packed long before the commencement and the crowd was diverted by the police to three overflow meetings.

The largest demonstration in the history of the Croydon Labour Movement took place yesterday evening. It consisted of strikers and sympathisers. The procession was accompanied by a band and carried banners. No outstanding incident occurred except that volunteers working the East Surrey buses under police protection were subjected to lively and mostly good humoured comments.

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Two labour leaders were arrested yesterday afternoon under the emergency act. They were charged and remanded, bail being refused.

Any motorist who can help any teachers to school and home again would do good service.

The British Gazette, The "Times" and several other London newspapers are on sale today.

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