

THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy and continued warm to day and tomorrow. Probable thunder showers. Moderate south winds.
TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR
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ALLIED PREMIERS SEEK TO SAVE WESTERN EUROPE

Pasquale on Grill Again; Letter Writer Takes Blame as Real Abductor, Says He Has Child

NEW RANSOM OFFER MADE TO PARENTS; 'CONFESSION' IS HIT

Leonard Says Prisoner Admits He Is Extortionist—Has Not Said Boy Is Alive

Handwriting on notes compared by experts. Police apply 'Third Degree' for eighth day, but suspect refuses to 'break'.

More letters signed by 'The Crank' have been received since the arrest of Augusto Pasquale a week ago near Egg Harbor, N. J.

The receipt of these letters disclosed today by Chief Postal Inspector Leonard, who made the federal investigators seeking to solve the mystery of the kidnapping of Blakely Coughlin, the baby, fifteen months old, who was taken from his crib in his home at Norristown June 2.

Chief Leonard issued this statement: "The arrest and detention of Pasquale have not stopped the stream of letters received by the family. Since the day when 'The Crank' was apprehended, the Coughlins have received six additional letters.

Demand for Ransom. "Last Friday they got a letter from a Philadelphia, stamped with a Philadelphia postoffice cancellation, in which Mr. Coughlin was instructed to place a certain amount of money in a secluded part of the city, under circumstances which would notify the writer of the letter that the money was for him.

The little girl started for the strand with her older brother. She was dressed for bathing. When the boy returned to his parents without his sister an alarm was given.

The rough surf is believed to have bowled the child over and dragged her into deep water by its strong undercurrents. The Kaplins live at the Keystone Hotel, Fifteenth and Market streets.

STOCK LIST SHAKEN BY EUROPEAN NEWS

Industrials Lead Break Caused by Soviet Rejection of Allied Truce Terms

New York, Aug. 9.—The stock market opened in a semi-demoralized condition this morning as a result of the news of the rejection of the allied truce terms by the Russian Soviet Government. The seriousness of the situation was also reflected in an acute break of 7c in sterling exchange.

The liquidating was on the stock exchange swept all quarters of the list, with the greater weakness displayed by the industrial groups. In the first half hour losses ranging from 1 to 5 points were general.

Relaxation of professional pressure, purchases by bargain hunters, free offerings of call money at 6 per cent and a further rally in sterling contributed to a sharp recovery early in the afternoon. Some shares made up as much as 3 to 4 points of their loss, with the general recovery running from 1 to 2 points.

HUNT BODY IN SURF

Atlantic City Guards Searching at Shore for Missing Child

Beach guards are searching today for Jennie Kaplin, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kaplin, of Philadelphia, who disappeared while playing on the beach in Atlantic City yesterday.

2 WELSH MOUNTAIN NEGROES LOCKED UP WHEN FARMERS THREATEN

Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 9.—Charles Smith and Alfred Green, Welsh mountain negroes, were placed in the Lancaster county jail today to prevent the carrying out of lynching threats raised by citizens of New Holland and Interco.

GOVERNOR BEEKMAN, OF RHODE ISLAND, MAKES PERSONAL PLEA TO TENNIS CHAMPION

The fashionable Newport colony, headed by Governor R. Livingston Beekman, of Rhode Island, is all excited over Bill Tilden's refusal to play in the invitation lawn tennis tournament at the Casino, Tilden stated yesterday in New York that he would like to play but that he did not believe he could keep in condition for the national doubles and singles if he played this week after his long grand abroad.

The telegrams referred to follow: Newport, R. I., Aug. 9. William T. Tilden, Philadelphia. Is there no way that you can change your mind about coming to Newport? As world's champion and governor have a public reception in your honor for Tuesday afternoon. We all hope so much that you will reconsider your decision and be with us Tuesday. I personally urge you as strongly as possible to come.

IRISH PARLIAMENT VOTES MILLION TO GET U. S. BACKING

\$500,000 Set Aside for Use in American Presidential Election

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The PUBLIC LEADER Foreign Service today obtained photographic copies of original documents officially considered and acted upon by the Irish Parliament, the Dail Eireann, during its recent secret session in Dublin. The documents, thirty-four in number, deal with Sinn Fein foreign policies, consular service, shipping and trading and the Irish republican army, several of the documents being dated from the general headquarters of the Irish army. I shall cable the most important of these articles from day to day this week.

The first and most interesting of the documents establishes the following facts: The Dail Eireann voted Eamon de Valera \$500,000 for use in the presidential campaign in the United States. The Dail Eireann authorized him to expend \$1,000,000 in America to obtain official recognition for the Irish republic.

The Dail Eireann authorized the appointment of a Sinn Fein ambassador to Washington. The Dail Eireann authorized the establishment of direct relations between the Sinn Fein and the Russian Soviet republic.

The document itself, as submitted to the secret session by Arthur Griffith, acting president of Ireland, reads: "Dail Eireann ministerial motions, president's department. "That the following motion will bring forward the following motions on behalf of the president: "First. That the decision of the ministry authorizing the president to expend in his direction such a sum not exceeding \$500,000 as he may require in connection with the election campaign for the presidency in the United States of America be and is hereby ratified.

"Second. That the president be empowered to expend a sum not exceeding \$1,000,000 in his direction for the purpose of the Irish republic by the government of the United States. "Third. That the sum of \$1,000,000 be voted to the Department of Defense. "Fourth. That the president be authorized to appoint consuls and diplomats.

MAN AND WIFE STRUCK BY CAR ON WHITE HORSE PIKE

Charles Hofmann, forty-nine years old, 214 Ellisworth street, and his wife, Mary, were struck by an automobile early today on the White Horse pike, a short distance east of Camden. The automobile driver escaped in the darkness. The injured couple were taken to the Homeopathic Hospital. Hofmann is suffering from a fractured right leg and his wife from a lacerated head.

CARRIES BOY IN LIFE DASH

Brother Runs Seven Blocks to Hospital With Truck Victim To save his little brother's life, William Clementon, twenty-two years old, of 602 North Beulah street, ran seven blocks with him in his arms to the Roosevelt Hospital at 8:30 o'clock this morning after the brother had been crushed by a motortruck.

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ARCHBISHOP MANNIX

The Australian prelate was taken off the steamer Baltic by a British destroyer armed at Penzance, on the Cornish coast of England, early today

MANNIX IS LANDED ON CORNISH COAST

Reported to Have Been Forcibly Removed From Baltic and Placed on Destroyer MAY PROCEED TO LONDON

Penzance, England, Aug. 9.—Archbishop Mannix was landed here at 4:15 o'clock this afternoon. It was stated he intended proceeding to London. The archbishop declined to give out a statement. He expected to leave on the first train for London.

TWO HIT BY AUTO; HURT

Man and Wife Struck by Car on White Horse Pike Charles Hofmann, forty-nine years old, 214 Ellisworth street, and his wife, Mary, were struck by an automobile early today on the White Horse pike, a short distance east of Camden.

RAIN KNOCKS HUMIDITY

Downpour Shortly After Noon Reduces It 12 Per Cent The humidity went tumbling following a heavy downpour shortly after noon today.

BOY KILLED BY AUTO

Elkton, Md., Aug. 9.—John, the eleven-year-old son of J. Howard Ash, of Iron Hill, was struck by an automobile this morning and died after being admitted to Union Hospital, Elkton. The boy had just stepped from his front yard into the roadway when a machine, driven by Elwood Henderson, of New York, struck him, breaking both legs, arms and fracturing his skull. Mr. Henderson stopped his car and hurried the injured boy to the local hospital.

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LATEST NEWS IN POLISH CRISIS

Premiers Lloyd George and Millerand confer on steps to be taken to stem the tide of bolshevism that threatens to deluge western Europe. Renewal of blockade and defensive measures urged by French premier. Lloyd George reported reluctant to sever negotiations with Russia. Marshal Foch declares Poland is far from beaten. Polish Government reported to have abandoned Warsaw and taken up new headquarters in Kalisz.

EXTRA

PREMIERS AGREE ON TERMS; TO BLOCKADE RUSSIA AGAIN

HYTHE, England, Aug. 9.—The Allied conference here reached a complete agreement this afternoon on plans for dealing with the Russo-Polish crisis. They include the reimposition of the blockade, but on the advice of the experts no allied troops will be employed.

ROOSEVELT MAKES LEAGUE BIG ISSUE

Follows Cox's Lead in Accepting Vice Presidential Nomination "OLD HOME" ATMOSPHERE

By the Associated Press. Hyde Park, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Franklin D. Roosevelt, in a formal address accepting the Democratic vice presidential nomination at his home here today, joined with his chief, James M. Cox, in accepting the challenge of the Republicans to make the League of Nations one of the principal issues of the national campaign.

By the Associated Press. Dayton, O., Aug. 9.—Most of the Democratic leaders who came here for the notification of Governor Cox went home unhappy. The men who nominated Cox think the worst load, Cox has to carry is Wilson, and Cox has taken up the Wilson burden. He is for President Wilson's league with interpretations. He thinks interpretations are necessary. The President thought they were not necessary, but agreed to accept them. That is the only difference between the two men.

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