

THE WEATHER
Probably thundershowers this afternoon followed by fair tonight and Wednesday; little change in temperature.

TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR											
8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
75	78	78	78	80	81	78	82	80	77	75	73

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RAIL EXECUTIVES REJECT HARDING PLAN TO RESTORE STRIKERS' SENIORITY RIGHTS

Heads of Carriers Refuse to Dismiss Their New Employees

DECLARE IT WOULD BE RANK INJUSTICE

Two of President's Peace Proposals Are Accepted Conditionally

RAILROAD HEADS' REPLY SENT TO WASHINGTON

Labor Board's Decisions to Be Accepted by Both Sides and Lawsuits Dropped

Washington, Aug. 1.—President Harding's proposals for settlement of the nation-wide rail strike were made public today in connection with their consideration at a meeting of 148 road heads. They are as follows:

1. Railway managers and workmen are to agree to recognize the validity of all decisions of the Railroad Labor Board and faithfully to carry out such decisions as can be contemplated by the law.
2. The carriers will withdraw all law suits growing out of the strike and Railroad Labor Board decisions which have been involved in the strike may be taken, in the exercise of recognized rights, by either party, to the Railroad Labor Board for rehearing.
3. All employees now on strike to be returned to work and to their former positions with seniority and other rights unimpaired. The representatives of the carriers and the representatives of the organizations especially agree that there will be no discrimination by either party against the employees who did or did not strike.

These three points, it was emphasized at the White House, constituted merely the basis for a settlement, and the President, in transmitting them to B. M. Jewell, leader of the striking shopmen, and T. DeVitt Cuyler, chairman of the Association of Railway Executives, sent a letter amplifying and explaining them. This letter was not made public at the White House.

New York, Aug. 1.—(By A. P.)—Railway executives today rejected the proposal of President Harding that striking shopmen be reinstated without forfeiting seniority rights, but accepted conditionally the other two suggestions made by the White House for settlement of the nation-wide strike.

This announcement was made by President Lorce, of the Delaware and Hudson, after the heads of 148 railroads had met here today, considered Mr. Harding's program, drafted a reply and adjourned.

The reply to President Harding was put on the wire to the White House as soon as it had been drawn up by a sub-committee headed by Robert S. Lovett, of the Union Pacific, and approved unanimously by the general conference.

A summary of the reply made by railroad executives today to President Harding rejecting his basis for settlement of the rail strike was made public today by an authorized spokesman for the conference.

Replying to the first proposal, the road heads informed the White House that they had and would abide by wage decisions of the Railroad Labor Board, but that they did not consider that to test the legality of such decisions was to violate them.

Turning to the second proposal, the executives said they were willing to withdraw law suits arising from the strike, providing conditions were established so that they could be assured of carrying on their operations without legal protection.

"Impossible," said the executives, of the third proposition to put strikers back on their jobs with their seniority unaffected.

Judge Lovett was reported to have told the executives that there was no moral reason why the roads should budge from their positions, nor was

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ARE YOU LOOKING FOR HELP? ...

CALLS COAL MEN TO PEACE PARLEY

Lewis Asks Operators to Joint Conference in Cleveland Monday to Settle Strike

SAYS TIE-UP IS A MENACE

Coal operators in the central bituminous field today were invited by John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, to a joint wage conference at Cleveland next Monday.

Responding to this invitation, however, dispatches today indicated that the Southern Ohio, Pittsburgh, Illinois and Indiana operators would not participate in any such conference.

Telegrams were sent from this city to all the operators in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois. A basic settlement, Mr. Lewis declared, would lead to an immediate agreement in all the outlying districts and would pave the way to adjustments in the hard-coal fields as well.

The conference call was sent out by the mine union leader as Mayors of the anthracite coal region cities in Pennsylvania assembled here for a conference with Samuel D. Warriner, head of the hard-coal operators' committee.

The operators at the conference of the Mayors were L. Connell, Secretary of the Pennsylvania Coal Operators' Association; W. J. Richards, of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company; C. M. Dodson, of Weston, Dodson Company, and Mr. Warriner, who is president of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.

Text of the Invitation

The text of the invitation issued by Mr. Lewis follows:

"In behalf of the United Mine Workers, I am herewith inviting the coal operators in the central competitive field to meet in joint interstate conference at the Hollenden Hotel, Cleveland, O., at 10 A. M., Monday, August 7, 1922, for the purpose of negotiating a basic wage agreement designed to terminate the present suspension in the mining industry. I express the sincere hope that the interests represented by you will find it possible to participate in the joint negotiations."

Mr. Lewis made extensive comment on the proposed conference in the following statement:

"In issuing an invitation to the coal operators of the central competitive field to assemble in joint conference in Cleveland on August 7, I am actuated by the highest considerations of public welfare and the impelling necessity for an early adjudication of the issues involved in the bituminous and anthracite coal fields."

Says Strike Menaces Social Fabric

"This strike, unparalleled in its magnitude, is now in its eighteenth week, and constitutes an industrial convulsion of the most serious financial and social fabric of our Nation."

"Aside from the tremendous personal sacrifices so bravely endured by the mine workers, the strike is exacting penalties from every citizen of our land and is clogging the channels of commerce and disturbing the realms of finance and credit throughout the civilization."

"Its effect will continue to be felt long after its termination and the burden will fall heaviest upon those least able to bear it."

"In consideration of these facts and notwithstanding the powerful position of advantage now enjoyed by the mine workers, we have resolved to again attempt to assemble a conference where

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TWO SURRENDER IN BIG RUM PLOT

H. L. Smith and Thomas Kane Are Placed in the Custody of Their Counsel

"MATT" GRIFFIN SILENT

H. L. Smith and Thomas Kane, two of the twelve men named by the Government in the alleged \$5,000,000 whisky conspiracy, surrendered today through their attorneys.

Smith, who lives at Villanova, is the president of the H. L. Smith Company, a manufacturer of electrical apparatus. Kane, who lives at 2540 Richmond street, is a bottler.

Neither of the men was taken into actual custody. Their attorneys accepted their surrender to the United States Commissioner Manley, before whom they will be given a hearing Friday, consented to permit them to remain at liberty in custody of their lawyers.

Although Smith's attorney assured the court he would be present Friday, it was impossible to get in touch with him today. The Villanova telephone was reported disconnected. Until four months ago he had an office on the eleventh floor of the Land Title Building. He gave this up and engaged an office in the Beat Hotel at Broad and Chestnut streets.

The driver of the machine, Walter Scholtes, thirty-seven years old, of Southampton, Pa., surrendered to police and is being held pending the outcome of the boy's inquiry.

AUTO STRIKES BOY

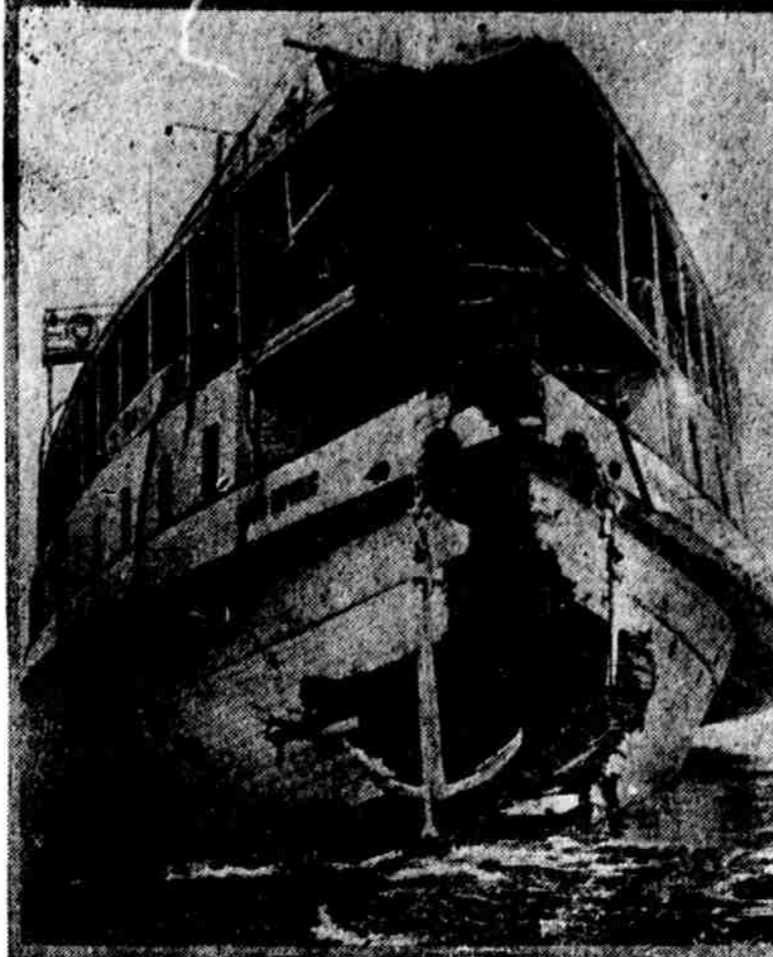
Camden Youngster in Hospital With Fractured Skull

William Kirk, Jr., ten years old, of 105 East Eighth street, Camden was struck by an automobile at Twenty-first and Federal streets today. He was taken to the Cooper Hospital with a fractured skull.

The driver of the machine, Walter Scholtes, thirty-seven years old, of Southampton, Pa., surrendered to police and is being held pending the outcome of the boy's inquiry.

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MANY HURT IN BOAT COLLISION



STEAMER GRAND REPUBLIC
Two women were knocked overboard and almost drowned and a score injured when a sister ship of the ill-fated General Slocum crashed into the Erie ferryboat, Chautauqua, at New York. The picture shows a large hole torn in the side of the Grand Republic.

NAYLOR YANKED IN 15 HURT IN CRASH GAME AT DETROIT

Hasty and Heimach Also Hit Hard by Cobb and His Tiger Pals

DAUSS OPPOSES MACKS

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 1.—Rollie Naylor lasted two and two-thirds innings against the Tigers this afternoon. In the third Detroit made four runs and six hits off him, after filling the bases and scoring one in the second inning. Hasty relieved Naylor in the third.

When Hasty hit into a double-play in the fourth it was the first time in nine consecutive games at bat that he failed to hit safely.

Details of the Game
FIRST—McGowan flied to Veach. Dikes and Walker fanned. No runs. Dikes threw out Blue. Cutchaw ninth.

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RAIN MARS PHILS AND CUBS MATCH

Called Off Because of Downpour—Windstorm Handicaps Meadows in Box

ALEX OPPOSES QUAKERS

Rain in copious quantities that started falling at 3:57 and continued until 4:17 caused a postponement in the fourth game of the Phillies-Cubs series at the start of the third inning. Hollocher singled to center when the weeping clouds started.

After a twenty-minute wait Jupe Play took a rest for a few moments and the arbiters restarted the game. With three balls and none on Miller, the spigots were turned on again sending the players scurrying for the shelter of the clubhouse.

The score stood 1 to 1 when the showers came.

The Cubs counted one in the first on a double against the wall in right and a one-base blow to center by Hollocher. The Phils came back in their half and knotted the figures on Jimmy Smith's double and Cy Williams' jolt to right.

Both the Cubs and Phils had a man on in the second, but failed to rally. The windstorm that preceded the rain soon annoyed the spectators of Lee Meadows that he retired at the start of a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Cummings, a tall, curly-haired youth of nineteen years, is said to have lived as "a millionaire for a week" on the strength of four department store coins he is accused of taking from the home of George W. Kraut, 6723 North Thirteenth street.

He is also accused of forging the name of Mayor Chapman, of Ocean City, to a check and to have passed a worthless check on Miss Nellie Kroat, daughter of Mr. Kroat, a mill owner, whom he met at Ocean City.

Cummings, a son of a music teacher on Osgue avenue, near Fifty-eighth street, is said to have posed as the son of a wealthy coal operator.

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LAST-MINUTE NEWS

BASEBALL SCORES

ATHLETICS	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	—	4	9	0
DETROIT	0	1	4	3	0	0	3	0	X	—	11	10	2
Naylor and Perkins; Dauss and Manion. Guthrie and Evans.													
CINCINNATI	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	—	2	9	1
BOSTON (N.L.)	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	X	—	3	8	0
Donohue and Hargrave; Marquard and Gowdy.													
PITTSBURGH	2	0	7	7	0	0	1	0	0	—	10	13	2
NEW YORK (N.L.)	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—	2	7	2
Cooper and Gooch; Ryan and Snyder.													
WASHINGTON	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—	3	14	1
CLEVELAND (A.L.)	0	0	7	3	2	0	5	0	X	—	17	21	1
Francis and Pielnich; Bagby and O'Neill.													

NEW YORK (A.L.) 1 0 0 0 — — — — —
CHICAGO (A.L.) 1 0 4 0 — — — — —
JENES and Schang; Faber and Schalk.

BOSTON 0 0 0 0 — — — — —
ST. LOUIS (A.L.) 0 1 0 0 0 — — — — —
W. Rollins and Reul; Kolp and P. Collins.

(NO OTHER MAJOR LEAGUE CLUBS PLAYING)

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

BALTIMORE	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	—	2	7	1
READING (1st)	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	X	—	3	10	1
Ogden and Barry; Karp and Clarke.												
BALTIMORE	0	0	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
READING (2d)	0	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Groves and McAvoy; Carts and Clarke.												

LATEST RACING RESULTS

SARATOGA—Sixth—Comixa, 20-1, 5-1, 4-1, won; Zet, 3-1, even, 1-2, second; Betty Benit, 20-1, 8-1, 4-1, third. Time, 53 2-5 Better Times, Sunquest, Pow Wow, Ethna, High Prince, Ellen, Big William, Virginia, Cape Clear, Scotch Broom, Diamond Dick, Gientit, Blue Peter, How Fair, Crugie, Sequoi, Great Luck also ran.

HAMILTON—Fourth—Frank Fogarty, \$71.35, \$20.65, \$9.00, won; Eternity, \$9.20, \$4.60, second; Burgoyne, \$3.25, third. Time, 1:16 Islander, Tidings, Hindooistan, Bond, The Decision and Polymore also ran.

HAMILTON—Fifth—Beverly Belle, \$10.15, \$5.40, \$3.70, won; Lucky Girl, \$9.45, \$4.75, second; Topmast, \$4.05, third. Time, 1:16 4-5. Edith Loane, Forest Major, Wm. Old, Miles S. also ran.

WEEK MILLIONAIRE LANDS IN CELL

Pseudo-Spendthrift Got Gay Togs on Credit Coins

An assortment of expensive clothing, silk underwear, jewelry, silk collars and other articles were found today in a hotel room of Charles Cummings, Jr., who was arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

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SENIORITY NOT PRINCIPAL ISSUE, HARDING HOLDS

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Railroad presidents in conference here balked today on the seniority question after Secretary Hoover, appearing before them as the representative of President Harding, had told them the Administration considered that the issue of the authority of the Railroad Labor Board far transcended that of seniority.

HEAD WAITER ON STRANDED SHIP IS DROWNED

MONTREAL, Aug. 1.—Charles Ross, head waiter on the Rapias Prince, stranded steamship, was drowned, according to a wireless message received from the ship. The message stated that Ross and his assistant, Robert Armstrong, were returning to the steamer in a lifeboat last night when it upset, Armstrong was saved.

CAR HITS STEAM ROLLER GREY LAG CAPTURES SARATOGA HANDICAP

City Workman Seriously Hurt in Walnut Street Crash

Frank Riley, sixty-one years old, of 2746 Reed street, was seriously hurt this morning at Seventh and Walnut streets when a street car collided with a steam roller.

Riley was operating the steam roller, which is owned by the Department of Public Works, and was thrown to the street in the collision.

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CLOTHING UNION IS HIT BY WRIT

Judge Rogers Issues Injunction to Halt Interference With Kirschbaum Workers

'NO TIME FOR RADICALS,' COURT SAYS IN DECISION

'Highly Paid Agitators' of Amalgamated Are Scored From Bench

'Shoot Them!' Says Judge of Union Intimidators

"Shoot them!" exclaimed Judge Rogers when a witness testified members of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union might have insulted him and his wife.

"When the time has come that American citizens cannot protect their homes, our Government might as well throw up its hands."

Judge Rogers this afternoon made permanent an injunction already granted temporarily against the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union of America forbidding the union, its officers and its 4000 members in this city from interfering in any way with the A. B. Kirschbaum Company, clothing makers.

In granting the injunction the Judge severely censured the defendants and instructed its representatives were alleged to have taken to force reluctant clothing workers to join its ranks.

"Such terrorism," said the Judge, "is unbelievable in a free country. It is high time this sort of thing stopped. It is preposterous that this organization, the so-called amalgamated association, so defiant of the law and disregard of law and order and the rights of American citizens, has been tolerated so long."

Judge Rogers expressed sympathy for American labor, but declared there was no room in this country for lawlessness and radicalism.

"I have been a worker since I was ten years old," said the Judge, "and my sympathy for the honest, industrious worker is strong. But also I have full respect and sympathy for the law and the Constitution. It has been shown clearly that the defendants in this case entered into an unlawful combination to ruin the complainant's business. The injunction, therefore, is granted permanently."

Tells of Death Threat

M. Kirschbaum, a tailor employed by the Kirschbaum Company, swore on the witness stand that he had been threatened with death by the strikers if he refused to join their union. William A. Carr, counsel for the complainants, began the case by reading the certificate in which Carr took it away from him, examining the witness himself.

Flaxman said he had gone to the headquarters of the Amalgamated, at 431 Pine street, and had paid \$1.35 for membership.

"What did they say they'd do to you if you didn't join?" asked Judge Rogers.

Threatened With Death

"They said, 'if you don't join the union, we'll kill you,'" declared the witness.

Mr. Gray objected strenuously to the admission of the testimony, but was overruled.

The fireworks began to scintillate soon after the session started. Mr. Gray returned to the testimony of witness yesterday that he was a citizen of the United States, which Judge Rogers had doubted in the absence of the man's papers.

"I have the naturalization papers here," said Mr. Gray. "Lazarus Marcovitz, the witness, has been a citizen for nineteen years, as he said. At the end of yesterday's session Your Honor stated that since the witness gave his testimony you had investigated, and were convinced that he had lied."

"I offer this naturalization certificate of naturalization, and I desire Your Honor to make a public retraction for calling this witness a liar."

"The Court will not make any retraction," retorted Judge Rogers. "The Court knows all about this man."

Rogers Refuses to Retreat

Gray, highly incensed, replied in a rising voice:

"Your Honor also stated yesterday that you intended to break up this organization, and drive it out of the country."

"Yes," retorted the Judge, frowning at the attorney. "I said that and I won't take that back, either. This organization is an incorporated entity and should have no legal recognition. It should be driven out of all existence as a menace to the nation."

"But it is an organization," interposed Mr. Gray.

"Yes," snapped the Judge, "an organization with a membership and agents unaffiliated, who are sent here as agitators to promote strife and trouble and violence at our factories where the employees are having no difficulties whatever. And I want you to understand that we must have less of this grandstand play today. Mr. Gray, we won't tolerate it any longer."

Wants Judge to Withdraw

"I am not grandstanding," retorted Mr. Gray. "And I make a motion right now that you withdraw as trial judge in this case and that another judge of the court be assigned."

"Your motion is overruled," thundered the Judge.

"I want an exception," said Mr. Gray.

"You shall not have it," replied the Judge angrily.

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