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TELEGRAPH

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TROLLEY SERVICE IS SUSPENDED ON ALL LINES TODAY

Company Sends Out 20 Cars at 7.30 O'clock; Threatening Demonstrations by Strike Sympathizers Force All Back to Barn Before Noon; Officials Will Not Say When Attempt to Resume Service Will Be Made; Many Stones Thrown by Boys During Morning

LEADERS OF STRIKING CARMEN URGE MEN TO PRESERVE ORDER; ALL OBEY

None of Strikers Participate in Disorders; Officials of Railways Company, Union, City and County Confer With Captain Lumb of State Police; Company Wants Better Protection; Could Employ Own Officers

All street car service has been abandoned by the Harrisburg Railways Company. This action was taken at 11 o'clock to-day when twenty cars which had been started out on the city lines early in the day were withdrawn. Stoning of cars in various districts by boys and strike sympathizers was responsible for this action. The strikers themselves have been quiet and have not been involved in the disorders.

At the company's offices, following the withdrawal of the cars to-day, it was said that the company is unable to say when it will attempt to resume operations.

This is the first time since the beginning of the strike on Sunday morning, that the city has been entirely without trolley service

The strikers said little concerning the withdrawal of the cars from the lines. They declare they are still determined in their fight for arbitration of the points which they demand.

No serious troubled occurred in any part of the city to-day with the exception of hurling stones through some of the car windows. Railways officials stated that until adequate police protection was furnished, no cars will be operated, although the men are being held for service, and that they are the employes who have not joined

Twenty cars were sent from the barns at 7 o'clock this morning, manned by the same crews as yesterday. All of the men, according to Felix M. Davis, superintendent of transportation of the

company were old employes who had remained loyal.

The cars were kept on the city lines, however, and no surburban service, except to Pine street, Steelton, was maintained. At 10.30 the first of the cars was sent to the barn because of trouble along the line caused by strike sympathizers, and the other cars according to officials, were sent in upon the completion of their trips.

When one of the cars arrived at the North Cameron street barns a crowd of strike sympathizers gathered and made an attempt, according to city police, to stop the crew. Special guards at the barn, the police claim rushed out and drove the crowd back. No violence All Signs in Germany Indicate State Zoologist Gets Request Gorgas and Gross Say They'll was reported.

Late this afternoon Superintendent Davis, of the Traction Company, confirmed a rumor that the company had declined to arbitrate. "There is nothing to arbitrate," he said. "It is a fight to a

Police Authorities Confer During the morning a conference

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Partily cloudy to-night and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.
For Eastern Pennsylvania: Particloudy to-night and Wednesday;
gentle to moderate southeast to
south winds.

nesday morning.

General Conditions

ocal showers have fallen in New
England the Middle Atlantic
States, the Ohlo Valley and East
Tennessee, in the Northwestern
States and Western Canadian
provinces and in Missouri, Iowa
and Minnesota.

There has been a drop of 2 to 14
degrees in the temperature over
the greater part of the territory
west of the Rocky Mountains
under the influence of an area of
high pressure that is moving inland from the North Pacific ocean.

It is 2 to 8 degrees cooler in New
England and in the Lower Ohlo
and the Mississippl valleys;
elsewhere in the United States
there has been general rise of
2 to 8 degrees in tererature,
except at a few widely separated
States, where slight falls occurred.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 74. Sun: Rises, 4:51 a. m.; sets, 7:31 p. m. Moon: Rises, 9:31 p. m. River Stage: 4.1 feet above low-water mark.

Yesterday's Weather Highest temperature, 79. Lowest temperature, 69. Mean temperature, 74. Normal temperature, 75.



til the sheriff decides that he cannot maintain order without them.

On the part of all those who participated, there was an evident desire to do everything that would insure public safety and provide for the protection of property. McLaughlin said that the strikers would not tolerate disorder in their ranks and frowned upon anything that had the appearance of law-breaking.

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Many citizens who have no interest whatever in the dispute save as it affects their convenience were manifestly pleased to-day with the apparent desire of most of the trolleymen to avoid disorder and destruction of property. This feeling is quite widespread, and so long as the men maintain this attitude it is believed they will have the increasing sympathy of the public, which is demanding a settlement through arbitration or otherwise.

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Union Gains Members

To-day, according to union leaders, the strike situation remains unchanged. The men are sure of winning, they say, and claim that not one man who has Joined the union will leave. Yesterday, according to revised figures issued by John J. Thorpe, vice-president of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railways Employes, fourteen new members were received, and three who had left the union returned, he declared.

More applications have been received, he said, and at the mass meeting this afternoon at 2 o'clock the situation was again discussed at length.

Extra Men Ride Cars

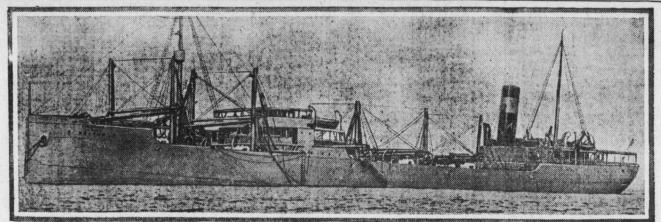
On a number of the cars this morning at least two men were riding, and reports instantly spread in the downtown section that they were special officers. Mr. Davis said, however, that only passengers had ridden on the cars.

The strikers this morning were quiet and gathered in little groups in the streets of the business section, discussing the events of the night and the big pacade, which, they claim, was the largest union demonstration ever held in the city in recent years.

Strikers Oppose Volence
Sympathizers on all sides mingled

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U. S. COLLIER WITH HARRISBURG MAN ABOARD BREAKS IN TWO



APPROVE PLAN FOR SETTLEMENT

Mexico Favors Joint Interna- Three Others Wounded; Stands Caldwell After Conference Refer Resolution of Permanent tional Body; Fletcher

May Be Head

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FIVE ARE KILLED BY FANATIC WHO BY COMMISSION BARRICADES HOME

Off Police Until Dynamite Blows House Down

It was understood Mr. Arredondo had received instructions from his government approving a tentative plan for the settlement of differences with the United States by means of a joint international commission.

There are indications that Henry P. Fletcher, Ambassador Designate to Mexico, will head the three American Commissioners if the plan is adopted. Mr. Fletcher is said to prefer New York City as a place of meeting while the Mexican embassy favors Washington. Mr. Fletcher was present at to-day's conference.

The commission plan was developed during preliminary conversations between Mr. Polk and Mr. Arredondo. It is expected that further informal conferences will be held to define the scope of the proposed commission's authority. Whether the commission will be authorized to discuss in addition to the border situation, econ-flowing the proposed commission of dynamite.

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SHERIFF SWEARS IN DEPUTIES TO STOP DISORDERS

Says He Can Handle Situation; No Outside Aid

POSTMASTERS' MEETING

By Associated Press

Washington, July 18. — The National Association of Postmasters of the United States opened a four-days' meeting here to-day to discuss means of improving the postal system. Subjects before the convention include betterment of the railway mail service to insure prompter rural deliveries, benefits of government ownership of auto equipment and installation of a more efficient newspaper carrying railroad plan. Delegates number about 1,000. Addresses by President Wilson and Postmaster General Burleson will be features of the meeting.

RIVER NAVY ASKS COUNCIL SUPPORT OF "BASIN" PLAN

River Enthusiasts' Organization to Solicitor

By Associated Press

Washington. July 18. — Eliseo Arredondo, Mexican Ambassador Designate, called on Acting Secretary Polk at the State Department to-day Just before the latter went to the White House for the cabinet meeting. It was understood Mr. Arredondo had received instructions from his government approxing a tentative plan for the settlement of differences with the United States by means of a Joint International commission.

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BRITISH MAKE NEW THRUST IN SOMME ADVANCE

Report Substantial Progress on Front of Half Mile North of Ovillers

GERMANS MAKE ATTACKS

Secure Small Amount of Ground at High Cost; Belgians Win African Battle

Following up their successes near Bazentin-le-Petit and Longueval where they have have driven close to third line of German defense on the Albert Plateau the British now have carried out a new thrust forward north of Ovillers, making substantial progress along a front of more than a half mile.

mile.

The British drive was launched near the left flank of the line active in the present offensive, southeast of Thiepval, and if followed up seems likely to threaten seriously the strongly held German position at Pozieres to the

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The expected counter attacks of the
Germans in efforts to recapture ground
recently won by the allies in the
Somme offensive have materialized on
the front occupied by the French
south of the Somme.
In an attack last night on the
French lines between La Maisonette
and Biaches the Germans succeeded
in regaining territory along the canal
east of Biaches, says their afternoon's
Paris bulletin.

ACTIVE CAMPAIGN | SURFACE MAY GO, | DECLARE ACTIONS FOR U-BOAT WAR THEN HE'LL TALK WERE QUESTIONED

New Decision on Sub-

marine Question

was held with Captain George F. Burling and the preservation of order during the preservation of order during the strike. Those who attended the conference were Hugh L. McLaughlin, representing the strikers, Sheriff W. W. Caldwell, Chief of Police Thomas Zeil, Frank B. Musser, president of the Harrisburg Railways Company, and Arthur H. Hull, attorney for the sheriff.

Nothing definite was done, but it was brought out that the traction company, under State law, may hire officers to protect its own property and that State Police may not be called until the sheriff decides that he cannot maintain order without them.

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Washington, July 18. — Forty of
the new anti-aircraft guns for naval
use have been completed and will be
mounted on 20 battleships of the Atlantic fleet as rapidly as possible. The
Pennsylvania and the Nevada have
already been equipped with their antiaircraft guns. As soon as other guns
are completed they will be placed on
the armored cruisers, cruisers and
destroyers.

Secretary Daniels said to-day: Secretary Daniels said to-day:

"Several of the newest dreadnaughts of the Atlantic fleet are now equipped with the most effective anti-aircraft guns in the world. The Bureau of Ordnance is to be congratulated upon the results achieved. This new gun has been designed, manufactured, tested and mounted within the last three years. It is very powerful and will shoot straight up in the air at an angle of 90 degrees to a height of 27,000 feet, having range sufficient to reach aircraft at any alltude at which they can operate effectively."

The gun is of three-inch bore and was designed under the direction of Rear Admiral Joseph Strauss, chief of the Bureau of Ordnance.

For Resignation; Wants to

Know the Reasons

Guns For All U. S. Ships by Earthquake in Austria;

London, July 18. — A Central dispatch from Amsterdam says great damage has been caused by an earthquake in the region of Fiume, Austria. In the city of Fiume, the dispatch says, a terrible panic was caused by the earthquake.

the northeastern extremity of the Adriatic sea. It is an important sea-port. There have been several earth disturbances recently in the region of the Adriatic, principally in lower Italy and Sicily.

TO INSURE EMPLOYES The largest single amount of life insurance ever covered by any company in the world was announced to-day by The Prudential Insurance Company of America. The insurance will total over \$16,000,000 and covers the lives of The Prudential's more than 16,000 employes, both those at work in the field, and those working at the home office of the company in Newark, N. J.

FAVORABLY REPORT SHIP BILL

By Associated Press

Washington, July 18. — With a dissenting Democratic vote the Senate Commerce committee to-day ordered a favorable report on the shipping bill as revised by direction of the party caucus. Republican senators voted against it.

WILL APPROVE SIXTEEN SHIPS

Washington, D. C., July 18.—The Senate renewed debate on the naval bill to-day with the hope that it might be completed late in the afternoon. Providing for sixteen capital warships within three years, eight of them next year, developed indications that it would be approved without radical change.

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Harrisburg 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 Batteries: Elmira, Creager Fisher; Harrisburg, Huenke, Wheat.

Invoke Law if Necessary to Stop It

gas and E. Z. Gross hinted broadly at motives relative to certain legislation had been questioned by some citizens and they declared that they did not intend to submit to such treatment even to the extent, if necessary, of in-

amage Caused
hquake in Austria;
Populace in Panic

By Associated Press

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Coatesville, Pa., July 10. — A westbeund passenger train plowed into a
gain of colored section hands at Whitford, on the Pennsylvania Railroad
yesterday, killing four and injuring
six. The bodies were mangled and
beyond recognition.

Primrose Notall, one of the injured
is in the Coatesville Hospital suffering
from contusions of the head and a
fractured arm. The men were working on one track, and when they received a signal to get off, because of
an approaching freight train, they
stepped directly in the path of the
passenger train, which was approaching on an adjoining track.

GENERAL ROTARY DISCUSSION

By Associated Press
Cincinnati, O., July 18. — After a short business session to-day in which the report of the committee on constitution was received the convention of International Rotary Clubs, in session here, entered into a general discussion on "Honorary Members in Rotary," and "Rotary in the Smaller Cities." The fight for the next convention has grown lively between Kansas City and Atlanta and Salt Lake City, while Chattanooga is asking for the 1918 meeting. The selection of the next convention city will be made Friday.

CAUGHT IN WHIRLING SHAFT Caught in a whirling shaft wheel at the Pennsylvania Railroad roundhouse, Harold St. Peter, aged 21, 1531 Walnut street, an apprentice boy in the machine shop, received internal injuries from which he may die. He was taken to the Harrisburg nospital and is in a critical condition.

PRESIDENT VISITS CAPITOL

Washington, July 18 .- Shortly after noon to-day Presimen's compensation and child labor bills, which were side-

ELKUS TO SUCCEED MORGENTHAU

Washington, July 18. - Abram Elkus, of New York, was nominated by the President to-day as ambassador to Turkey to succeed Henry Morgenthau who retired to become chairman of the Finance Committee of the Democratiq National Committee. Mr. Elkus is a lawyer and was recommended by Mr. Morgenthau.

ENLARGED NAVAL PROGRAM PASSED

Washington, July 18. - The Senate to-day adopted the enlarged building program of the naval bill by a 157 war vessels of all classes and for four dreadnaughts and four battle cruisers to be built next year.

SHERIFF WILL NAME DEPUTIES

Harrisburg. - Sheriff W. W. Caldwell announced this afternoon that he will begin to deputize men late to-day to be used to prevent a repetition of the disorder of last night. John J. Thorpe, of the Amalgamated Association announced this afternoon that he did not think the company did the right thing in removing the cars as no harm had been done any of the passengers. He also said that no offer of arbitration had been received. Thorpe said one of the alleged "strike-breakers" exhibited a 20-dollar gold piece which he declared had been paid him to work yesterday.

AFTER WILLIAMSPORT MAYOR

Application was filed at the Attorney General's Department to-day by counsel on behalf of eight citizens of Williamsport for a writ of quo warranto against Mayor Jonas Fischer, of that city, requiring him to show cause why he should not vacate the office. It is contended that Fischer is not a citizen of the United States, having been born abroad and never having been naturalized.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George Raymond Fluke and Grace Viola Ritchey, city.