

STRIKE WILL SPREAD UNLESS WAGES ADVANCE

Leaders of Shopmen Predict National Tieup; 250,000 Have Dropped Work

Chicago, Aug. 4.—The strike of Federated Railway Shopmen, which ended upon its fourth day today, has already involved approximately 250,000 men in the country, local officials of the union declared today, unless their demands are speedily met.

The ranks of the strikers were augmented by several thousand yesterday, many others voted to join today, while locals at a number of important railway centers, including Kansas City, Mo., were to ballot during the day on the question of going out.

Fifteen hundred shopmen at Superior, Wis., were to quit work today, according to the president of the superior local.

At Cumberland, Maryland, the shopmen of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, who went out Friday, called off the strike Sunday on the ground that it did not have official sanction. In other cities the locals at mass meetings decided not to strike until orders came from their executive officials, who now are in Washington in conference with officials of the Railroad Administration.

The most serious tieup of industry was reported from Gary, Ind., where eight of the 12 blast furnaces of the United States Steel Corporation were halted. It was said 9,000 men were thrown out of employment as the result.

The entire force of shopmen employed by the Wabash and the Lake Erie and Western walked out, according to heads of local unions, while on other railroads the tieup was only partial.

Girl Scouts Camp at Juniata Bridge

Narcissus Troop No. 9 Girl Scouts of St. Matthew's Lutheran church left today for a week's outing at Juniata Bridge, where they will occupy John Keagle's cottage.

The girls of the troop were separated into three special committees for the occasion: the committee on Devotions, all the girls, however, will take turns on the cooking and dish washing committees.

The special activities for the week will be swimming, hiking, marsh-mallow toasting, story telling, boating and singing. Those constituting the party are the Misses Mildred Gallagher, Mabel Minter, Esther Stence, Dorothy Martz, Marian Zimmerman, Ethel Brizthill, Stella Evans, Beatrice Smedley, Dorothy Spensler, Ruth Gehrett, Helen Gehlert, LaVene Grove and Mrs. Henrietta Bowers.

ROSEWOOD TO PLAY

Rosewood will play St. Mary's this evening. It will be a regular game. Players of the Rosewood team are requested to be on hand by 6.30 p. m.

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SUITS DISMISSED ON TECHNICALITY

Sentence Suspended on Two Youths Who Plead Guilty



When attorneys for the Central Iron and Steel company asked the court to dismiss the equity suit against them because counsel for Robert C. McLaughlin, the plaintiff, failed to comply with the Supreme Court equity rules about specifying time for entering appearance, giving notice of hearing and time in which to answer, President Judge George Kunkel granted the application and dissolved the preliminary injunction which had been issued against the steel corporation.

Mr. Neer brought the suit alleging that the company was constructing a railroad track and embankment across his ground, cutting off access to the Susquehanna river. After arguing a motion to dissolve the injunction granted last week because the work had been completed across Mr. Neer's ground, the court decided to hold the case under advisement. Then the attorneys for the company filed the motion to dismiss the proceedings on legal technicalities and cited Supreme Court ruling in point with the question they raised.

Suspends Sentence — Victor Earl Hoffman, with Gregory and Emilin Lehrer, held for larceny, were released under suspended sentence by the court today after they pleaded guilty to the same cases disposed of by: Frank Jones, attachment, dismissed; P. A. Vogt, \$25 a month for support of three children, by agreement; Robert L. Jack, \$25 a month for wife and one child, by agreement.

Guardian Named — The Rev. Luke Gladie, Steulton, was named guardian of the minor children of the late August Loncaric.

Supervisor Appointed — John L. Boll was appointed supervisor in Londonderry township by the court today. S. E. Grimsler, resigned.

License Transferred — The liquor license for the Hotel Bollinger, 214 Chestnut street, held by John E. Smith and Andrew J. Farrow, was transferred to the latter by court order today.

UNION LEADERS IN CONFERENCES

(Continued From First Page) a strange hold on all profiteers, speculators and hoarders. The government to disgorge immediately and throw onto the open market everything it has in the way of surplus supplies. This should include not alone everything in the way of foodstuffs, but clothes, blankets, shoes and all sorts of goods of this kind, and even might even include some fuel.

The subcommittee after working all Saturday, most of the night and yesterday, came to the United States and the committee on Devotions. All the girls, however, will take turns on the cooking and dish washing committees.

Attention was directed to the fact that during June the American exports of breadstuffs amounted to \$118,330,211 as compared with \$54,372,471 in June, 1918, when the State supposedly exerting every effort to feed the Allied peoples. Meat and dairy products exported during June of this year aggregated \$174,344,992, as against \$73,555,196 in June, 1918. The exports of meat and dairy products during the twelve months ending July 31 of this year—embracing eight months since the war was closed—reached a total of \$1,157,850,576, as against \$673,835,794 in the twelve months ending July 31, 1918, all of which were war months.

The comparison of breadstuff exported during the same period show \$954,779,894 during twelve months up to and including June, 1919, as against \$293,856 preceding twelve months.

While all government departments are working toward the end of alleviating distress by restoring a normal level of prices, interest also centers in the meeting Tuesday of the conference called by Attorney General Palmer to consider the best method of production, especially with respect to profiteering. The committee appointed by the conference, Director General Hines, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Leffingwell, and Chairman Colver of the Federal Trade Commission, have been engaged in an exchange of memoranda, which will be put before the conference for recommendation.

President Wilson, who is following all steps closely.

The presence of Julius Barnes, director of the United States Grain Corporation, at the meeting Tuesday will give expert counsel to the cabinet members and other officials on the grain situation. Consideration of plan wheat in a free market, the government absorbing the difference between the market price and the guaranteed price, is believed certain.

There are indications that the Attorney General is paying special attention to cases of profiteering. He has at his disposal a great volume of information collected by the Federal Trade Commission, showing production costs in scores of industries. While there is no law by which prices of commodities may be pushed directly, Mr. Palmer has said that there is a great deal of "good law" on the statute books and it is believed he will find a way to punish any cases where there are evidences of extortion.

The average citizen is the man in whose behalf the profiteering investigation will be pushed with the fact that it was the new demands of the railroad labor unions which precipitated it. Several officials have expressed sympathy with the salaried man who lacks the backing of a powerful organization.

Cleveland Strike Fizzles With Only Ten Out

Cleveland, Aug. 4.—Reports last night from Chicago that 25,000 members of the American Federation of Railway Workers here and in the east, chiefly unskilled labor had decided to strike today, failed to materialize here according to reports from all local railroad yards

ELMER URGES NEW DEPOT FOR CITY

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TROUBLE ONLY IN WEST

New York, Aug. 4.—The railroad shopmen's strike, according to a statement issued today by the Regional Director's office, has been sporadic in the east and the trouble up to the present seems to have centered on the lines west of Chicago.

"Some of the smaller lines," the statement said, "such as the Wabash, the Nickel Plate and the Wheeling and Lake Erie are experiencing trouble, but on the whole the situation in the east is not serious."

CAPITAL SHOPMEN OUT

Washington, Aug. 4.—Shopmen, hattermakers and electricians in the Washington yards went on strike today. Officials at union station estimated about 600 men were out. They said that while all Washington repair work would have to cease, railroad service in and out of the capital would not be affected for the present.

NEIGHBORS TELL COURT OF DISCORD

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Mr. Gearhart denied the charge and said her daughter never threw anything at her. She said that Mrs. McLaughlin kept a boardinghouse, the same as she had and had an old man there all the time whom she called "Uncle Billie." "He's about 66 or 70 years old," Mrs. Gearhart said when asked to give his age. She admitted she was divorced and her former husband was now living in California.

When Mr. McLaughlin was on the stand he said he intended to take the children, Thomas, William and Jean, the oldest of whom is 9 years of age, to his parents at Williamsport.

A motion to dismiss the case because Mr. McLaughlin did not allege in his application for the writ that the children were illegally held by the mother, was overruled by President Judge George Kunkel, who permitted counsel to amend the original petition.

A number of other witnesses were called during the afternoon and it was expected the case would be closed late today.

First Fly Contest Proves Very Successful

Harrisburg's first fly contest for 1919 was completed Saturday. The contest was carried on under the direction of the Harrisburg Civic Club. This organization has been doing great work for several seasons in the effort to exterminate the fly pests.

Dr. William C. Miller, of the State Health Department, was present and under his direction a moving picture was taken, showing the measuring of the flies by Cornelius Brumbaugh, engaged by the Civic Club for the task. The picture showed also the presentation of the prize.

The prize winner was Harry L. Sigmund, 15 years old, 317 Macay street, who brought almost four and a half bushels of flies. He received the prize of five dollars in gold and also fourteen dollars for flies at the rate of five cents per pint.

INTERNAL REVENUE CHANGES HANDS

The Harrisburg office of the Internal Revenue Department now is connected with the first internal revenue district instead of Ninth district as it had been. No changes have been made and none of any account is expected. Full control of the affairs of the ninth district, B. F. Davis, collector, has been taken by Ephraim Lederer, of Philadelphia, collector of the first district.

BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits were issued today to James H. Lynch, contractor for Solomon Kerson, 309 Kelker street and John K. Hull, 313 Kelker street to erect one-story brick garage at the rear of each of these properties, each to cost \$325. Andrew Spannuth took out permits to erect a garage at the rear of 723 South Nineteenth street at a cost of \$200, and to remodel the property at a cost of \$150.

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Boy Rearrested For New Phila. Robbery

Philadelphia, August 4.—John Pope, the nine-year-old burglar who escaped Saturday night from the House of Detention, was rearrested yesterday afternoon while robbing a pool-room and cigar store within two blocks of where he was arrested Saturday. Police men and detectives had been searching all night and yesterday forenoon for the lad.

John was discovered in the place by going to the store early today. He had gone there about 4 o'clock. The boy had cleaned out the cash register, getting several dollars in small change, and was filling a pocket with cigars when surprised.

COTTON MARKET BREAKS

New York, Aug. 4.—Agitation against the high cost of living and generally disturbed labor conditions unsettled the cotton market and prices broke more than \$5 a bale during the early trading.

October contracts which had sold at \$35.50 and closed at \$34.20 on Saturday opened at \$34.00 and within fifteen or twenty minutes sold off to \$33.15 under heavy general liquidation.

REACHES HOME PORT

Lieutenant James H. Wickersham, son of Assistant District Attorney Frank B. Wickersham, who was overseas for more than a year, has returned to the United States and is expected home in a day or two. Lieutenant Wickersham was at first with the 76th division, then went to an Officers' Training Camp and since has been detached. He is commissioned in the reserve army artillery service.

TO OPEN NEW BAKERY

William J. Green, of Camp Hill, and F. McGready, of York Haven, will open a new "store bakery" after the middle of the month at 208 North Third street. The plan is to bake bread so that it may be sold fresh every hour. All baking operations will be fully revealed to the public eye. There will be no delivery system, and everyone who wants to buy this fresh bread must come to the store.

WILLIAM W. SOURBEER

William W. Sourbeer, aged 68 years, died today at his home, 1342 Vernon street. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, the Rev. Dr. Radwin officiating. Burial will be made in the Harrisburg cemetery. He is survived by one daughter, a brother and three sisters.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Arthur C. Wetzel and Ruth E. Cullen, Shamokin.

North American Is Doubtful on Potash Find

The Philadelphia North American, which on Saturday gave first-page space to a report of finds of potash of enormous extent in Tioga county, is slowing up on the reports and to-day prints an article headed up, "Big Potash Finds in Tioga Not Yet Sure; Do Not Buy Stocks."

In the course of its article the big Philadelphia newspaper says: "Colonel H. C. Demming still declines to make public the names of the chemists who analyzed the Tioga county potash rocks, on which he based his statement that the find was one of the largest in the world. In his announcement Colonel Demming asserted that analyses and physical tests have been made by the New York State School of Agriculture, Alfred University, Cornell University, a Wisconsin college and the Demming laboratory, in Harrisburg. It is not denied that the Potash sands of Tioga and Potter counties contain potash, but local geologists who are familiar with the district say that the value of the deposit depends upon the quantity of available salts that can be reclaimed."

The North American quotes some Tioga county people this way: "They declare that the Potash sands if taken from the hill in large quantities would show a considerably lower percentage of pure potash, and that selected samples of the rock do not justify Colonel Demming in claiming that the whole mountain will run high in the valuable salts. There may be deposits of potash in the Tioga county hills, but some State officials, who are naturally deeply interested in the find, declare that the commercial worth of the deposit must be demonstrated."

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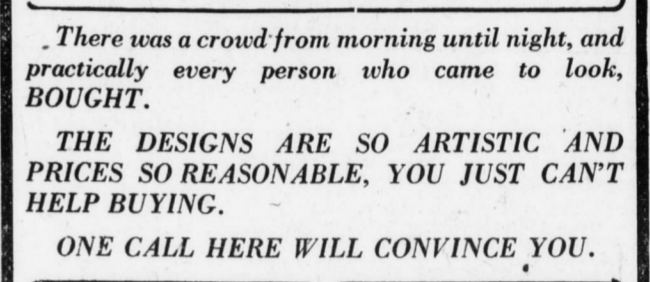
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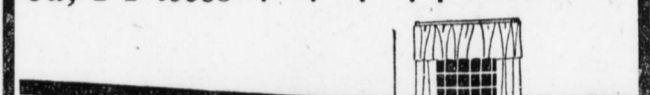
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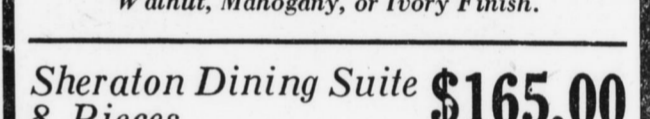
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