

NEW LETTER TO U.S. STEEL AFTER GETTING REBUFF

Union Leaders Announce Action When Gary Refuses to Discuss Demands

By Associated Press. New York, Aug. 28.—Although twice refused an audience by Judge E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, John Fitzpatrick, chairman of the Steel workers' labor committee, authorized to negotiate for union recognition, announced that another communication had been drafted by the committee in reply to a letter from Judge Gary in which he refused to recognize the union.

Mr. Fitzpatrick would not divulge the contents of the new communication, which was drawn up after a long conference with Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. He also refused to discuss the committee's attitude on calling a strike which it has been authorized to order in the event of failure to gain concessions.

Gompers Goes to Washington With His Labor Staff

New York, Aug. 28.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who arrived here Tuesday morning, left at midnight with his staff for Washington. Mr. Gompers also was accompanied by the committee of the steel and iron workers unions, which twice was refused an interview by E. H. Gary, chairman of the Board of Directors of the United States Steel Corporation, before whom they sought to lay demands for union recognition.

Family Reunion in Honor of Guests From Ohio

New Cumberland, Pa., Aug. 28.—A family reunion was held at Paxtang Park in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Black and the family of Findlay, Ohio. Those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. James F. Cline, of Steelton, Mr. and Mrs. Heck, of York, Mrs. J. J. King, of Wilmington, Delaware; David Heck, Lewisberry; Mrs. Conda Kunkle, Miss Lillie Heck, of Libsburg; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lewis, of York; Mr. Lewisberry; Mrs. Hecker and George, of Bethlehem; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beck, of Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy King, of Steelton; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sweeney, of Carrie Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cline, son, James, of New Cumberland.

KIWANIS CLUB IN ANNUAL OUTING

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Gunboats and Yachts to Be Sold by U. S.

Washington, Aug. 28.—More than 100 naval vessels of widely diversified types, including seven old type gunboats, several converted yachts, one monitor, a tug and about ninety standardized submarine chasers of the 110-foot type, will be offered for sale to the highest bidder in the near future, the Navy Department today announced. Among the vessels to be sold are several historic ships of the old Navy. The submarine chasers offered for sale were built by users against German U-boats. Bids will be received at the Navy Department up to noon of September 4.

CENTRAL HIGH GRADS ENJOY DAY IN PARK

Annual Reunion Attended by Representatives of Many Classes

Hundreds of alumni, both of the old and new classes, are today dispersing themselves at Hershey Park in the big Central High Alumni picnic. Alumni in excess of 2,000 are expected to be in attendance for part of the time at least. Leaders of the various classes of bygone days have extended themselves to get a large representation to carry many numbers of them. A silver loving cup has been offered as a trophy to the class getting the highest percentage of its membership in the picnic. A large registration booth has been provided for the convenience of the old grads in registering the winner. This booth is likewise serving as the point of distribution of class colors and programs.

Former students at the institution, men and women, old and young, were in charge of the day. Numbers this morning. Automobiles, early trains of the Philadelphia and Reading, and electric cars, all serving to carry many numbers of them. Others will leave throughout the afternoon and some will be able to get to the park to attend only the late afternoon and evening events. Philadelphia and Reading trains of the afternoon leave Harrisburg at 1 p. m., 3:40, 4:30 and 6:25 p. m.

Present day High school problems in Harrisburg, in which the recently reorganized Alumni Association has shown a considerable degree of interest, were considered in the two principal addresses of the day. They were delivered by Dr. Frederick E. Downes, city superintendent of schools, and Lieutenant-Governor E. H. Middleman, an alumnus of the institution.

The day's program got under way officially this morning at 10:25 when the scores of athletic events were started. Large numbers of entries were had in all. "Tiny" G. Cooper and "Ben" Wolfe, presidents of the classes of 1915 and 1917, respectively, were in charge of the events. Scores of the graduating participants in an attractive program of water sports, which were scheduled to start at 2 o'clock and continue for one hour. Others found entertainment of a dance for which the Banjo Saxo Orchestra, of this city, furnished music. A mass meeting is scheduled to start at 4:30 o'clock in the park theater. At 6 o'clock a concert will be held in the band shell by the Hershey Orchestra and at 7:30 o'clock many alumni remaining in the city will attend the free dance given under the auspices of the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Clubs, which are meeting at the park today.

U. S. DRY UNTIL RATIFICATION

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It also was made plain by Mr. Palmer that the prohibition would remain in effect even if the Treaty was ratified by the Senate with a reservation containing reservations or amendments, which made it necessary to refer the matter to the Peace Conference, unless President Wilson saw fit, under such circumstances, to at once proclaim a state of peace. That the President would follow such a course, is not considered at all probable here.

And there is to be no quarter shown to persons who deal in "harpis" pending the formal proclamation of peace, Mr. Palmer said. The arrests ordered in New York, he stated, marked the opening of a nation-wide campaign by the Department of Justice to really make prohibition dry.

There will be no change in the policy of the department in regard to those who deal in beer containing 2.75 per cent. or less, but the whisky and wine dispensers, whether they are in the big cities, at the summer resorts or in the small towns, need expect no quarter.

"A number of dealers who believe that at the department is too much aggressed in the light of high living costs, to prosecute them, having seized the occasion to hold wide open towns," he said. "We have plenty of evidence of this. But they need not expect to keep it up, whenever they may be. The law is on the statute books and it will be enforced."

Arrests in New York will be followed by arrests in several other big communities. I believe that the courts in New York have sent some of the guilty ones to jail. It may be necessary to adopt that course again."

Mr. Palmer said that about seventy warrants already had been issued in New York City and that there would be no let-up until the city was observing the law. By his remarks Mr. Palmer gave his hearing, every reason to believe that he contemplated a "clean-up" in every meaning of that word.

The point that war-time prohibition would remain in effect at least until peace formally was proclaimed by the President, was brought out when Mr. Palmer was asked his opinion as to when demobilization would be completed and the ban lifted. "Has any date been set?" he was asked.

"Ask the Senate," was Mr. Palmer's reply. "I hope and expect that the Treaty of Peace will be ratified very soon, but of course, I don't know."

Mothers and Children to Get Boat Ride

Invitations for the boat ride on the river, to be extended through the efforts of the General Child Welfare Committee to the mothers and children who are enrolled at the three health centers, next Thursday afternoon, were issued today. The boat ride has been arranged in co-operation with V. Grant Forrer, assistant superintendent of the Park Department. Refreshments will be served.

The boat ride for the mothers and children who are receiving medical and hygienic attention and advice at the three health centers established by the Child Welfare Committee as a part of the movement for the model health city, fostered by the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce, is a part of the program of the child welfare committee to furnish healthful outdoor recreation for the residents of the congested districts of the city. Announcement was made today that the welfare center established at 1213 North Cameron street, has been transferred to the Penn School building, at Seventh and Cumberland streets.

HAULED BACK IN FOLD By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 28.—Advices received from Washington through official channels indicate that the report of the treasury of Mexico and Schimmo, head of the petroleum bureau of the Department of Industry, Commerce and Labor, have been for the purpose of bringing back into line the Mexican Congress and members of the Supreme Court who it is indicated, are somewhat out of step with the Carranza regime. This was the interpretation of events by State Department officials when they learned that the advice to the Supreme Court by Cabrera was of an official character instead of being ex-officio as was at first supposed.

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