



UNION BANNER is carried by women and children marching the picket line in front of a car barn in Philadelphia, where a strike of 11,000 streetcar, bus and subway operators, plus a walkout of cab drivers, has seriously crippled transportation. (International Soundphoto)

Indianapolis Man Killed In Accident

Southport, Ind., Feb. 17 — (UP) — Jesse John Ward, 52, Indianapolis, was killed and two other men injured seriously yesterday when a Pennsylvania passenger train crashed into their truck. The injured, Charles J. Kelly, 59, and John R. George Alchron, 52, both of Indianapolis, were taken to General hospital here.

Policemen's Slayers Lose Court Appeal

Indianapolis, Feb. 17 — (UP) — Robert O. Brown and Frank Badley, convicted of slaying two Hammond policemen and scheduled to die in the Indiana electric chair next Tuesday, today appeared to have lost a last-ditch fight for a fifth stay of execution.

The U. S. supreme court denied them the execution stay late yesterday.

Elderly Physician Is Slain By Bandit

Chicago Doctor Is Murdered In Office

Chicago, Feb. 17 — (UP) — An elderly physician fought off a bandit in his office but was shot fatally and beaten in the savage struggle, police said today.

The victim was Dr. A. J. Bennett, 76, whose wife found him dead in a pool of blood in their apartment behind his office when she returned home after visiting a sister.

Police said the doctor apparently was playing solitaire when the bandit broke in and struck him with a claw hammer wrapped in a cloth. Although stunned, the doctor reached for a pistol in his desk and fired while struggling with his assailant. The .32 caliber bullet

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1949

at 12 Noon

6—HEAD CATTLE—6

Brown Cow, 5, bred Jan. 12th; Red Cow 8, milking good; White Cow 2, due March 15th; Holstein Cow 7, milking good; 2 Yearling Heifers.

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Sorrel Mare 12; Bay Gelding 8; Bay Mare 6; Bay Gelding 4; and 2 Gelding Workers.

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United States Is Rebuffed By Russia

By United Press

Russia rebuffed the United States today when the U. S. embassy asked for permission to visit Mrs. Anna Louise Strong, American author arrested in Moscow for espionage.

The Soviet foreign ministry answered the request by saying merely that the 63-year-old American would be deported within a few days. The implication was that it would be unnecessary therefore for an embassy representative to see Mrs. Strong.

The foreign ministry informed the embassy that Mrs. Strong had been arrested for "conducting espionage and subversive activities aimed at the Soviet Union."

Mrs. Strong long has been known for her pro-Soviet writings. She was a founder of the Moscow English language newspaper, the Moscow Daily News.

Other foreign news included:

Munich — The U. S. army lifted some of the secrecy surrounding its spy trials here. It disclosed that the first defendant to be brought before the star chamber court is Frontise Klecka, who was found guilty of acts prejudicial to the security or mission of American forces in Europe and sentenced to 20 years.

Annan — A Trans-Jordan peace delegation will begin armistice negotiations with Israel at the Mediterranean island of Rhodes next Monday.

Sofia — Fifteen Evangelical ministers accused of treason will go on trial Feb. 25 in the Sofia district court, the Bulgarian government announced.

London — British press reports said northern Rhodesia, southern Rhodesia and Nyassaland in South Central Africa have agreed to federate under one constitution for ultimate acceptance as Britain's eighth dominion.

Hobart Bank Looted Of \$1,777 By Trio

Hobart, Ind., Feb. 17 — (UP) — Police today sought three robbers who escaped with \$1,777 from the Liberty Loan Corp. here.

Chief Patrol Officer Trager said one of the men told two employees, Edith Short, Hobart, and Olga Franklin, Gary, "don't try to be a hero unless you want to be killed."

Two of the men scooped the money from cash drawers and the safe while the third held the two women into the washroom. They pulled the holdup after all customers had left the bank late yesterday.

let was found in a wall near the hamper.

The gunman returned the fire, striking the doctor in the shoulder and then fled.

Bennett staggered out of the office, crashing through a glass-paned doorway into the apartment, where he fell and bled to death.

Police found \$99 in Bennett's pockets.

Help 15 Miles of Kidney Tubes Flush Out Poisonous Waste

When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your body, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or severe pain along with smacking and burning sensations shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Dean's Pills, a stimulant diuretic, used successfully by millions for over 50 years. Dean's give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Dean's Pills.



CALM as if he were sitting at home in his native Hungary, 4-year-old Gianni Roman, a war orphan, sips his first soft drink in America at La Guardia field, New York, while waiting for his aunt, Mrs. John Kulberger of Niagara Falls, N. Y., to come for him. The Soviet-dominated Hungarian government cancelled the passport of a relative who was to have accompanied him. Gianni's parents were killed in a Russian bombing. (International)



County's Oldest Man Is Injured In Fall

Berne, Feb. 17 — Chris C. Hirsch, 100, Adams county's citizen, is confined to his bed as the result of recent fall. He fell down the porch steps at his home, striking his head on a step, and lost considerable blood from a gash in his head. He also suffered a bruised chest. His condition is not believed serious. Prior to the accident Hirsch walked up and down and transacted business almost daily.

Trade in a Good Name — Decatur varied.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at Public Auction, 4 Room House located at 229 N. First street, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH

at 1:30 P. M.

TERMS—1/3 Cash on day of sale. Balance on or before April 1st. House must be moved from premises by April 1st.

Jack Brunton—Auctioneer

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15 lb. bag 59c

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5 lb. bag 23c

A&P's PEAK-FRESH PRODUCE
GREEN PEPPERS Southern Grown 3 for 17c
FRESH CALIFORNIA DATES 2 6-oz. pags 29c
RED RADISHES Large Bunches 3 for 19c
GOLDEN CARROTS Vitamin Food 2 bchs. 19c
SEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT Delicious Fruit 10 lb. bag 59c

Perfect Strike
CHUM SALMON No. 1 tall can 55c
Makes Tasty Sandwiches
ARMOUR'S TREAT 12 oz. can 39c

X-Perf Delightful
WHITECAKE MIX 14 1/2 oz. pkg. 27c

Strongheart
DOG RATION 4 15 1/2 oz. cans 35c

Woodbury's
FACIAL SOAP 3 bars 28c

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PALMOLIVE SOAP 2 bars 25c

FABulous Suds With
FAB 18 oz. pkg. 29c

Instant Suds
VEL 12 oz. pkg. 28c

OVEN TREATS

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY CHERRY LAYER CAKE each 65c

DECORATED CHERRY TOPPED CUP CAKES pkg. of 6 39c

DELICIOUS CHERRY PIES each 49c

CHERRY TOPPED CHOCOLATE LOG ROLL each 49c

JANE PARKER DONUTS Sugared or Cinnamon doz. 18c

DAIRY VALUES

SUNBROOK GRADE A LARGE EGGS Government Graded doz. 52c

MILD FLAVOR CHEESE 1 lb. 49c

WILDMERE BUTTER Tasty and Economical 1 lb. 49c

WISCONSIN DOMESTIC SWISS CHEESE 1 lb. 69c

ECONOMICAL MARGARINE 1 lb. 23c

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Penuche Iced Gold Layer Cake 6 1/2 inch size, each 39c

American Cheese Food CHED-O-BIT 2 lb. loaf 69c

1 lb. loaf 25c

Hunt's Tomato CATSUP 2 14 oz. bts. 25c

4 lbs. 49c

Fancy Jonathan APPLES 4 lbs. 49c

Full of Juice FLORIDA ORANGES 8 lb. bag 49c

Tender Sweet IONA PEAS 3 No. 2 cans 29c

For Tasty Snacks SWIFT'S PREM 12 oz. can 39c

Waldorf TOILET TISSUE 3 rolls 20c

Fast Flakes Form Scop IVORY FLAKES large box 29c

Easier Cleaning SPIC AND SPAN 54 oz. pkg. 79c

Granulated Soap IVORY SHOW large box 29c

1 lb. 29c