

MINES SEIZURE LOOMS BEFORE U.S. GOVERNMENT

Great Coal Strike Enters
Sixteenth Week of
Deadlock.

NO SOLUTION IS VISIBLE

Reports of Fuel Shortage Pour
Into Congress and
President.

By Robert Bender, United Press Staff Correspondent.
WASHINGTON, July 17.—The great coal strike, entering its sixteenth week, finds the Government still tugging with the question of a possible solution but with Federal seizure and operation of the mines becoming increasingly likely.

Statistics showing the reserve of both anthracite and bituminous coal would be exhausted within two weeks were prepared by experts in the Labor Department. These and other facts were laid before President Harding by Secretary of Labor Davis.

Telegrams began to pour into Congress and the White House, warning that many industrial centers, numerous industrial plants and virtually all of the middle northern States were feeling the pinch of the coming coal famine.

The possibility of Federal coal rationing was advanced.

Meantime the coal operators reconvening here Sunday night to draft a reply to the President's arbitration proposal, met a short time and adjourned. In the interim the district representatives will consider both the mine workers' answer and the President's supplementary letter, interpreting phases of the arbitration suggestion.

GALORIC WEEK BEGINS

Chamber of Commerce Holds Daily
Demonstration.

Galoric week" opened at the Chamber of Commerce today with the starting of an educational diet and health campaign. Dr. Alfred Henry, chairman of the health committee, was in charge, assisted by the Marion County Tuberculosis Association and the Indianapolis Chapter of the Red Cross.

The Chamber of Commerce menus on the eighth floor also set out the value of all dishes served in the dining room.

SUFFERS SEVERE INJURY

Miss Ruby Stewart Badly Hurt When
Machine Turns Over.

Miss Ruby Stewart, 1241 Roosevelt Ave., was in a serious condition at the city hospital today as the result of an accident near Shelbyville, when an automobile turned over.

Miss Anna Burfield, 629 Archer St., also in the machine, was taken to a Shelbyville hospital. Her leg was fractured.

Mrs. Orva Fortner, 619 Archer St., driver of the car, and Miss Bessie Welch, 837 N. Delaware St., escaped with bruises.

FIRE DAMAGES RESORT

Loss of \$300,000 to Thirty Cottages at
Mac Attawa Park.

By United Press.
EOLAND, Mich., July 17.—Loss of \$300,000 resulted at Lake Michigan's most popular summer resort when fire destroyed thirty cottages at Mac Attawa Park. The fire began when an oil stove was turned over.

Suffers Minor Injuries

Mrs. Mary Hoop, 52, 15 N. Gladstone Ave., today is recovering from cuts and bruises suffered Sunday when an automobile in which she was riding was struck by a machine driven by James O. Custer, 2853 School St. The accident occurred at Highland and Marlowe Aves.

Remarries Former Husband

Russell Hiday of Anderson was divorced from his wife, Gladys, June 7, 1920. She remarried and obtained a second divorce June 30, 1922. Mrs. Hiday remarried her former husband today.

Held On Larceny Charge

Fred W. Walton, clerk at the Hotel Broadway, is under arrest today on a charge of grand larceny. It is alleged he stole clothing and personal property valued at \$300 from a trunk belonging to William Cadeir, Chicago.

Love Affair Serious

CHICAGO, July 17.—Gordon H. Hoffman, 20, eldest son of Coroner Peter M. Hoffman, is in a semi-conscious condition here today and may not recover following an attempt at suicide over a love affair.

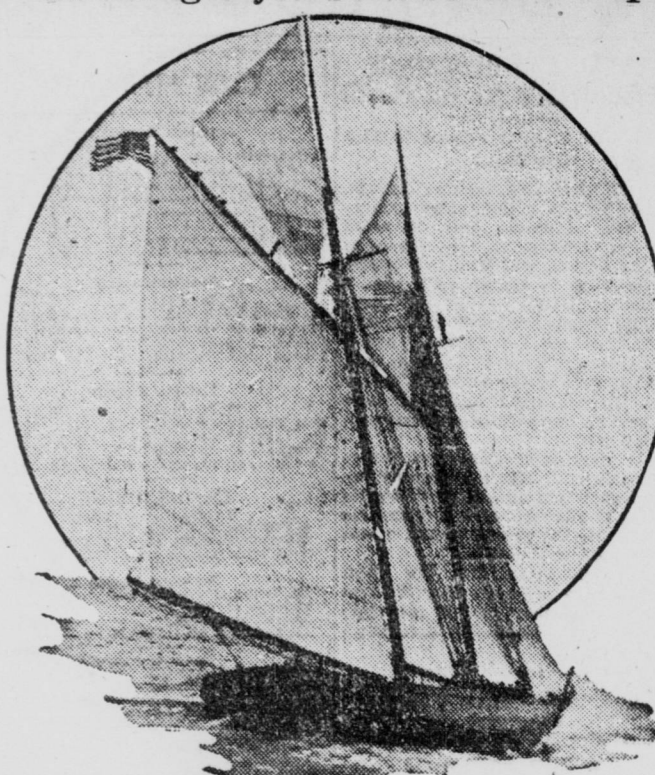
Falls From Grating

Walter Powell, 1312 W. Ray St., suffered cuts and bruises about the face today when a sidewalk grating south of the Fletcher Savings and Trust Company building gave way.

BACKFIRED!

NEW YORK, July 17.—Eke Simonson, prohibition agent, asked for whisky in a saloon and was served a glass of kerosene. Simonson arrested the bartender for selling petroleum products without a license.

Challenger for Fisherman's Cup



The first picture of the schooner Puritan, which was built as Essex, Mass., to win the International Fisherman's Trophy this fall. Under the regulations she has had to engage in bona fide fishing on the Banks all summer. Her owners have high hopes of winning the trophy, which was carried off last year by the Canadian schooner, Blue Nose.

SPRINKLER DEMONSTRATION

Manufacturers Invited by Fire Chief
O'Brien to Attend.

Fire Chief O'Brien has issued a special invitation to all manufacturers in whose plants sprinkler systems are used to be present or represented at a demonstration to be given in the rear of the public school adjoining fire headquarters at Alabama and New York Sts., tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The demonstration of the sprinkler system will be in charge of Capt. Curren of the salvage corps and John Myers of the Indiana Inspection bureau.

WOMAN IS INVOLVED

Neighbor of Bouvet Arrested in At-
tempted Assassination of Millerand.

By United Press.
PARIS, July 17.—The possibility that there is a woman in the case has revived interest in the attempted assassination of President Millerand here on Bastille day.

Police, it is learned, have searched the room of Germaine Lintaud, friend of Gustave Bouvet, anarchist, alleged to have planned the attack on Millerand.

Ms. Lintaud was arrested nearly a year ago shortly after an attempt was made to assassinate Byron T. Herrick, the American ambassador.

PRAY IN SQUARE

Americans Astonished at Demonstration
in British Metropolis.

By United Press.
LONDON, July 17.—A crowd of American sightseers stopped in amazement late in Trafalgar Square London. Two thousand persons were kneeling before the statue of Admiral Nelson, praying. They were the superiors of a movie film, "The Christian," in which the principal actors were Richard Dix, American movie star, who acted the part of an aesthetic clergyman and addressed the praying kneelers from the lions surrounding Nelson's monument.

NOT ON SPEAKING TERMS

Shotguns Used by Sullen Citizens
With Serious Results.

By United Press.
TAYLORVILLE, Ill., July 17.—W. R. Thomas, 39, had refused to speak to Louis McConnell, 38. Thomas was milking in a pasture. McConnell strolled down the road. This time they spoke—quite bitterly, it is said.

Each started for his home and returned with a shotgun.

Thomas is in a hospital with a load of shot in his abdomen. McConnell is in the county jail.

DAUGHTERS HELP DAD

Father Charged With Teaching Girls
To Throw Away Liquor.

Julius Fivecoats, 43, 1039 W. Thirty-Ninth St., faces a charge of contributing to delinquency of his two daughters. Policemen who have raided Fivecoats' home say that at one time a fifteen year old girl and at another a younger child threw out a quantity of illicit liquor having been instructed by Fivecoats to do so.

One Killed in Wreck

SAVANNAH, Ga., July 17.—One man was killed and several injured when five cars of the Seaboard Air Line's train No. 3, between Savannah and Jacksonville, turned turtle near Cox, Ga., today. The train struck a broken rail.

Replevin Suits Filed

Suits to recover replevin suits given by John P. Walker, William S. Henry and Charles W. Brown were filed in Superior Court today on behalf of the State of Indiana.

Newsboys on Strike

DECATUR, Ill., July 17.—Newsboys are on strike. Some one issued order they must have clean faces, hands and clothes. The strike vote followed. It was unanimous.

GET THE HABIT

WEAR
NOE'S QUALITY
JEWELRY

THE FLETCHER M. NOE
JEWELRY STORE
103 N. Illinois St. Opp. Terminal Sta.

GLAZER'S

New Location
211 E. Washington St.

LA FOLLETTE, IN ELOQUENT TALK, DEFENDS HAMLET

Wisconsin Senator Opens Cam-
paign at Milwaukee Mon-
day Night.

By United Press.
MADISON, Wis., July 17.—Senator Robert M. LaFollette returned to his home town Sunday and held 5,000 home folks spellbound for two hours as he made an eloquent defense of Hamlet, prince of Denmark.

The Senator, who is seeking the Republican renomination for the fourth time, didn't stop to defend his war record or his attacks on the big monopolies, or politics at all.

Back in the late nineties, when LaFollette was Governor and held other state offices, the speech was famous, and was a big campaign asset in its way. Critics call it one of the best masterpieces of literary criticism ever produced in Wisconsin.

Sunday was the first time it had been delivered in eighteen years.

LaFollette's political campaign begins Monday night at Milwaukee. The primary is Sept. 5.

FAST CLIP DISASTROUS

Auto Turns Over After Skidding Fifty
Feet on Bridge.

A touring car in which eight persons were riding turned from the boulevard onto the White River bridge in Riverside Park at 1 a. m. today at a speed estimated at fifty miles an hour, skidded fifty feet and turned over.

Lizzie Robinson, 35, 217 W. Vermont St., was seriously injured. She is at the city hospital. Richard Shaw, 33, 1223 E. Fifteenth St., said to have been the driver, and the others in the car were arrested on a vagrancy charge.

In Baby Case



Leah Silver, Lynn, Mass., who is held by police of New York City to be questioned regarding the 16-month-old baby girl abandoned in a swamp near Coney Island.

LOSES CONTROL OF AUTO

W. T. Cleaver Stops Machine After It
Climbs Terrace.

An automobile driven by W. T. Cleaver "kept on turning" when he attempted to round a corner at Twenty-First and Meridian St. Sunday and did not stop until it had climbed a terrace and was against the window of the apartment in St. James Court, occupied by Mrs. Kieffer. No one was injured and the automobile was towed to the Cleaver home.

From Street Musician to Artist Is Story of Ward Baker, Violinist

By United Press.
CHICAGO, July 17.—Ward Baker, Chicago's only licensed street musician, will give his first public indoor recital this year.

Baker, a violinist, was arrested twenty years ago for playing on the street. When taken before the chief he asked for a license. The chief was doubtful about granting the privilege until Baker played for him, when he immediately granted the request.

The musician earned enough from passersby to complete musical studies abroad and will give his first recital before a select audience of highest critics here in October.

BIG BOOZE RING BEING ATTACKED BY PROH AGENTS

Indictments Sought for Cor-
ruption of Many U. S.
Officials.

By United Press.
CHICAGO, July 17.—Internal revenue agents today sought indictment of more than fifty men, including millionaires, a member of Congress and former Federal officials, in connection with an alleged \$2,000,000 booze ring, unearthed here.

Evidence obtained when Harry Mager, former collector of internal

revenue, and Benjamin M. Mitchell, politician, were arrested, will be presented to a Federal grand jury to prove wholesale corruption of prohibition officials, agents said.

Two prohibition officers are reported to have been on the payroll of certain breweries with salaries of close to \$100,000.

Most of the men sought have been out of office for many months, Federal officials declared.

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FEDERAL COURT AGAIN TO MEET IN HAMMOND

Judge Baker Sets Hearing Date
for Thursday—Strike
Emergency Cause.

Francis E. Baker, judge of the Circuit Court of Appeals, will hold court at Hammond Tuesday, according to word received today by Noble C. Butler, clerk of the United States Court.

Emergency matters connected with the railroad strike situation will be taken up, it is believed.

After that, he will be out of the district until next Monday, when the hearing on temporary injunctions asked by several railroads against unions involved in the strike and about 2,000 individuals will be held.

It is understood that the Monon Railroad will file a suit similar to those filed last week by the Big Four, Wabash, Cincinnati, Indianapolis & Western, and Baltimore & Ohio railroads, tomorrow.

Recovers From Injuries

Harry Dublin, 6, 1225 Union St., is at the city hospital today recovering from injuries received Saturday when he was struck by an automobile driven by W. T. Johnson of Bridgeport.

L. S. AYRES & Co.

St. Gall White
Dotted Swiss
75c the Yard

This is a lovely, airy piece of swiss, extra fine quality, with dainty pin dots. The width, 31½ inches; the price, special, at 75c the yard.

—Ayres—White goods, second floor.

Sale-Priced SILKS
At \$1.48, 98c and 48c

Silk is the most interesting fabric to women this summer, and especially to those who are making midsummer additions to their wardrobes. To get such silks at special prices means just money saved to get an extra garment, perhaps.

Five Silks at \$1.48

Creme de chine in an excellent quality and in a score of staple and new colorings; 36 inches wide.

Shantung, dyed and natural, splendid in quality; tan, navy blue, orchid, and five white pieces; 33 inches wide.

Chiffon taffeta, plain and glace, in a crisp, crushy quality. A yard wide.

Satin messalines, in bright and dark shades, of extremely good quality; also an extra grade in black; 36 inches wide.

Printed Georgette, displaying floral and stripe designs on medium and dark grounds; 40 inches wide.

At 98c

Silk shirting, striped, for tub frocks; 32 inches wide.

At 48c

Black silks, narrow widths of superior quality; 19 to 20 inches wide.

New White Sports Silks

The greatest display of plain and novelty white sports silks of the season is here at this time. New Stripes, plaids and novelties in satin crepe or ratine types.

White silk ratine, 88c, is the star that leads up to fine importations.

—Ayres—Silk dept., second floor.

Soft Collars For a
Shilling

Yes—Once More, Two for a
Quarter Collars!

These are first quality soft collars, made of mull, pique, madras and oxford cloth; the styles are popular and in good taste. They are well made Troy collars.

We have just 100 dozen, so we advise early shopping.

—Ayres—Men's shop, street floor.

In the Summer Bargain Event No. 5

Migel's Washable Fantasi
SKIRTS

Are Priced Along With Other Novelties

At \$6.75

IN the fantasi and other fine, shining fabrics at this price, there are ten distinctive styles, all white, and in self plaids, stripes or block patterns. On the whole, they are simply, amply made on slender lines, so becoming to every type of woman.

This is the One Skirt-section Contribution to the Bargain Series. This is the Kind of a Skirt to Buy; This is the Time to Buy It.

—Ayres—Skirt dept., third floor.

Baronette Skirts at
\$4.75 and \$5.75

IF you are an average size, \$4.75 is the price; if you require an extra large size, \$5.75; both effect remarkable values. The skirts are all white, in a quality that befits the excellent tailoring, and made in that good taste characteristic of all refined, simple modes.

Smart Gingham Dresses
In a Special Sale

At \$3.95 Ea.

All Made of Soft Imported Ginghams

SOFT-FINISHED imported ginghams, skilfully designed into smart street frocks, in clear, fresh colored checks; tastefully trimmed with organdy in white or colors, with rick-rack, with lace, plaited frills, large pearl buttons and crocheted buttons.

Altogether a most admirable group of dresses—and at this price, a most remarkable set of bargains!

New Low Shoes
For Women and Girls

\$2.95 Pr.

Staples are included, too, but mostly this group consists of the newest, smartest fashions in low shoes. There are satins, patent leathers, two-toned combinations, sports models, strap pumps, oxfords and sandals; brown and black kid, calf and white canvas; high, low, Cuban and military heels, and sizes from 2½ to 8, in all models.

Street Frocks of Light
Fabrics, \$2.98

Women of conservative taste as well as those who prefer lighter-minded modes will be interested in these. They are of fine gingham, chambray, voile, tissue, printed batiste; trimmed with organdy collars and cuffs and sashes or with contrasting materials. All fast colors. Sizes 16 to 46.

Women's Hosiery, Seconds, 89c Pair

Semi-fashioned, with narrow shaped ankle; reinforced toe, sole and half-spliced heel; hemmed garter top or rib top; black, white, cordovan, gray, nude; sizes 8½ to 10.

1,000 Yds. Woven
Tissues, 19c Yd.

Striped effects in various colors, with fiber stripe woven in; for dresses, men's shirts, children's dresses, etc. REDUCED.

REMNANTS

Thousands of them, all especially priced, ranging in sizes from 1 to 6 yards. Included are—

Dress and Apron Ginghams
Chambrays Shirtings
Skirtings Muslins Tickings
Sheetings Percales
Waistings Dimities Voiles
Tissues Damasks Tubings

Sample Waists
of Pongee, \$1.98

Sizes 36, 38 and 40 only. The price is considerably less than usual. Specially tailored and trimmed with hand embroidery and flat pattern lace. Overblouses and regular waists, scarcely two alike.

White Sateen
Petticoats, \$1.98

Made of imported English sateen soft, lustrous, beautifully made, hemstitched or scalloped bottom, double paneled front and back. Also a few colors—beaver, navy, tan and black.

L. S. AYRES & CO., DOWNSTAIRS STORE.