

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 J. BENDER,
United News 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 facing the pinch of the 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.

CALORIC WEEK BEGINS

Chamber of Commerce Holds Daily Demonstration.

Caloric 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.

Florence Waltz and June Gray of the tuberculosis association, Edith Reider and Anna C. Brennan explained comparative food values.

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, 337 N. Delaware St., escaped with bruises.

FILIPINO ATTACKS WOMAN

Gouges Out Eye and Cuts Off Hands; Lassoed by American.

By United Press
MANILA, July 17.—Gouging out one eye of a native Filipino woman and cutting off both her hands, a crazed native armed with a bolo knife today terrorized the American residential hotel district of Manila.

An American Army officer finally lassoed the maniac after he had plunged into the waters of Manila bay.

FIRE DAMAGES RESORT

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

By United Press
HOLLAND, 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, 62, 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 Hilday of Anderson was divorced from his wife, Gladys, June 7, 1920. She remarried and obtained a second divorce June 30, 1922. Mrs. Hilday 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 Coronor Peter M. Hoffman, is in a semi-conscious condition here today and may not recover following an attempt at suicide over a love affair.

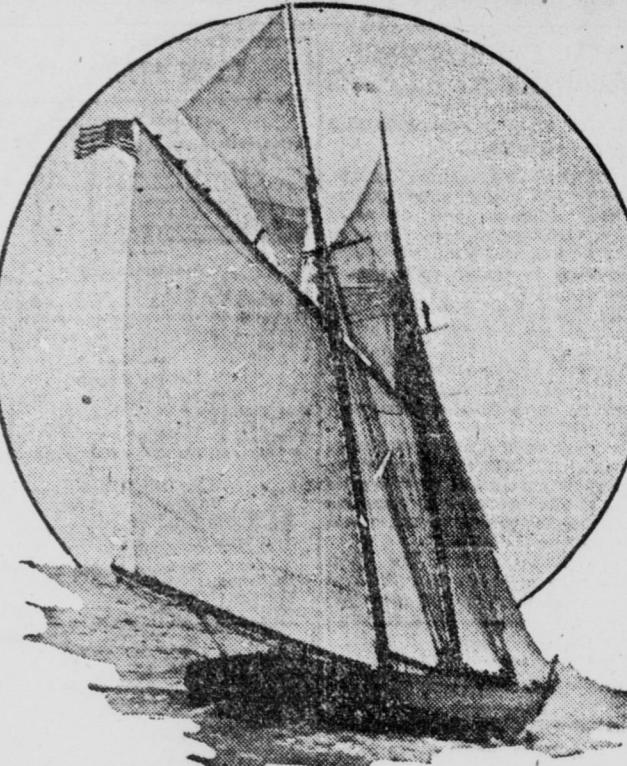
Falls Through Grating

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.—Ike 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 bone 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. Curran of the salvage corps and John Myers of the Indiana Inspection bureau.

WOMAN IS INVOLVED

Neighbor of Bouvet Arrested in Attempted Assassination of Millerand.

By United News
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.

Mme. 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 supers 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, 33, 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 Five coats, 45, 1039 W. Thirty-Ninth St., faces a charge of contributing to delinquency of his two daughters. Policemen who have raided Five coats' 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 Five coats' 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 bills given by John F. 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.

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GLAZER'S New Location

211 E. Washington St.

LA FOLLETTE, IN ELOQUENT TALK, DEFENDS HAMLET

Wisconsin Senator Opens Campaign at Milwaukee Monday Night.

By United News

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.

Dog Raco "Bookies" Guarded

CHICAGO, July 17.—Bookmakers at the dog races here found slim pickings when police guards herded them into the grand stand and kept close watch while races were in progress.

In Baby Case



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

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, 1228 E. Fifteenth St., said to have been the driver, and the others in the car were arrested on a vagrancy charge.

Five Silks at \$1.48

Crepe 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 messaline, 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.

—Ayres—Silk dept., second floor.

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 rayon types.

White silk rayon, \$8.85, is the star that leads up to fine imports.

—Ayres—Silk dept., second floor.

At 3.95

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 2 1/2 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 Holeproof Hosiery, Seconds, 89c Pair

Semi-fashioned, with narrow shaped ankle; reinforced toe, sole and high-spliced heel; hemmed garter top or rib top; black, white, cordovan, gray, nude; sizes 8 1/2 to 10.

—Ayres—Skirt dept., third floor.

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

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The price is considerably less than usual. Specially tailored

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