

PRESIDENT FAILS IN EFFORT TO END RAILROAD STRIKE

Administration's Attempt to Find Peace Basis Again Abandoned for Time.

CONTEST WILL CONTINUE

Executives to Have Time for Demonstrating Their Ability to Go On.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Balked again in his latest peace move, President Harding has decided to let the railroads and 400,000 striking shop craftsmen fight it out, temporarily.

So long as the railroad executives demonstrate their ability to maintain service somewhere near normal, Harding will keep hands off. If the transportation system shows signs of breaking down and both sides remain obdurate, the President will ask Congress to sanction Federal seizure of the roads.

The foregoing constitutes the present program of the Administration, it was learned today following the collapse last night of the negotiations between railroad executives, leaders of the sixteen railroad unions and the Administration on the second Harding peace proposal.

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"We've just figured police were co-operating with railroad officials to run our fellows in," said Paul Borchert, representative of railroad shopmen today to Mayor Shank in complaining because strikers have been arrested lately.

The mayor said he did not believe police were harassing strikers.

"On the other hand," said the mayor, "you know the railroad officials complained they were not getting protection enough."

PEDESTRIAN HIT

Suffers Broken Leg When Struck By Auto.

Fred Francis, 40, West Newton, Ind., was in the city hospital today suffering from a broken leg and other injuries, after being struck by a machine driven by Russell Brown, 18, R. R. Box 87, at Senate Ave. and Washington St. Police arrested Brown for assault and battery.

CAR TURNS OVER

Five Persons Injured When Bridge Railing Is Smashed.

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., Aug. 14.—When an automobile crashed through a bridge railing at the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway crossing south of here last night, five persons were injured.

The car was driven by Mrs. Michael Quigley. All occupants of the automobile were thrown out and the car turned over.

HISTORIAN TO TALK

Will Address First Settlers' Reunion Aug. 20.

Jacob P. Dunn, Indianapolis historian, will speak Aug. 20 when from 100 to 150 members of the McCormick family, first settlers of Indianapolis, hold their annual reunion at Brookside Park. At least one grandchild of the first McCormick in the county is expected to be present.

THIEF USES 'JIMMY'

Silk Shirts and Other Apparel to Value \$175 Taken.

Using a "Jimmy" to force the rear window, burglars entered the store of Harry Koin, 505 W. Washington St., last night and stole silk shirts, pants, and other wearing apparel worth \$175. The robbery was discovered by Nathan Koin today.

Trunk Contents Gone

Mrs. Leslie Davis, colored, 242 W. Vermont St., left \$150 and some clothing valued at \$55 in a trunk in her room. When she returned from work, the trunk was empty.

Named After Mayor

The naval station near Riverside Park will be named Camp Shank by the Indianapolis unit of the naval reserve, in recognition of the work the mayor has done in advancing the welfare of the organization.

Stenographer Appointed

Marie I. Link, of Greensburg, Ind., has been appointed stenographer in the department of internal revenue, M. Bert Thurman, collector, announced today. She will succeed Herman Russ, resigned.

THIS BOY HAS SEEN A FEW THINGS



ANTONIO IAVARONE.

By N.E.A. Service
NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—There's little left to thrill young Antonio Iavarone.

Although only 3 years old, he's been kidnapped, held for ransom, threatened with death and rescued!

If only he could tell what his big black eyes have seen!

On June 23 he and his mother disappeared. The alarm went out that they had been kidnapped.

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SON IS MISSING

Greencastle Man Asks All in Finding Ex-Soldier Boy.

Making a personal appeal to the National Disabled Soldiers League, 16 E. Michigan St., and to local police, L. D. Snyder, Greencastle, Ind., asked that these organizations look for his son, Marshall B. Snyder. The Snyder boy was in service overseas, was shell shocked and gassed. He has been ill ever since returning from overseas and left his home a fortnight ago, without his parents' knowledge.

He is 5 feet tall, 150 pounds in weight, wears an Army uniform and carrying a pack. He was traced to this city.

MADDEN HEADLINER

Will Be Principal Speaker at G. O. P. Editors' Outing.

Representative Martin B. Madden, of Chicago, will be the principal speaker at the summer outing of the Indiana Republican Editorial Association at Madison, Ind., Thursday, F. E. Schortemeyer, secretary of the Indiana Republican State committee, has announced.

Other speakers will be Albert J. Beveridge, Governor McCray and Representative John S. Benham. The Indianapolis party will leave the Union Station on the Pennsylvania train at 7:55 Thursday morning.

BOUQUETS THROWN

General Smith Complimented on More Role of Guardsmen at Camp.

Albert T. Rich, senior instructor of the Indiana National Guard, today complimented Adj. Gen. Harry B. Smith upon the showing made by the Indiana Guardsmen while in training at Camp Knox, Ky. The morale of the men, their interest in the work and the courtesy they extended to the officers were complimented by the instructor.

HELD FOR GAMBLING

Litz Brothers Unlucky, They Tell Police.

The Litz brothers, 1918 Park Ave., Lowell, age 17, and R. C. age 20, were unlucky in a poker game at 135½ E. Market St. Each lost about \$2. They "peached" to the police about the game and were arrested along with Walter May, charged with keeping a gambling house; Paul Wood, 421 E. New York St.; H. M. Pfaff, 19 N. Denny St.; Phil Kaney, 1488 N. Alabama St., and L. C. Cartwright, 117 E. Forty-Ninth St.

OPEN CAMPAIGN OCT. 1

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C. Huesmann, chairman of the State finance committee of the James Whitcomb Riley Hospital for Children, has announced that Oct. 1 to 7 has definitely been set for the State-wide campaign to complete the raising of the building fund for the hospital.

Organization work preliminary to the starting of the campaign is now going forward in twenty-five counties.

Announcement has been made that a Riley booth will be arranged for the Indiana State Fair during the week of Sept. 4 to emphasize the need for a State institution such as the Riley Hospital will be.

MAYOR STANDS HIGH

Throws Silver in Pool for Negro Boys to Dive For.

Mayor Shank stood high in the estimation of a heavy percentage of youthful negro population today.

At the dedication of the Douglass Park swimming pool Sunday afternoon the mayor and other officials had a lot of fun throwing silver in the water for the youngsters to dive for.

"I only had three nickels and they cleaned me of quarters and halves," said the mayor.

HARDING REVEALS HIS METHODS OF HANDLING CRISIS

President From First Has Been Opposed to Government Ownership Plan.

DRAMATIC TALK DIES OUT

Administration Not to Retreat From Its Stand Only as Last Resort.

By ROBERT E. BENDER
United Press Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—In the latter days of the mine and coal strikes there have been several developments which cast a light on the manner in which President Harding approaches and may be expected to approach in the future, an industrial crisis.

First among these has been the quietus suddenly placed upon the reports of contemplated "dramatic action," legislation permitting of "seizure of the railroads," etc., which have been advocated by Administration officials.

Harding Opposes Ownership

Harding, from the first, now and henceforth, is absolutely committed against Government ownership or operation of such basic industries as the railroads and mines.

Countless of his speeches emphatically testify to this.

His administration, from the outset, has gone forward on the theory that there must be and shall be less Government in business.

To retreat from this position, therefore, could be expected only as a last resort in a time of extreme emergency.

1. That the railroad shopmen, now definitely reinforced, in spirit at least, by the "Big Four" Brotherhoods, had defeated the original purposes of the rail executives to beat down the unions in this fight.

Railroads Might Favor

2. That, with equipment damaged and facing a trying situation in endeavoring to handle the expected business of the country this fall, the railroads might well look with favor upon the Government taking over the lines.

3. That such a course would ultimately put the bulk of whatever censure might come out of the proceedings upon the Administration rather than upon the rail executives or the workers.

There followed the official statement from the White House that the President was contemplating no legislation such as had been reported, was making no threats—and mediation work was resumed full tilt over the weekend.

HITTS LIGHT POLE

Six in Automobile, But None Seriously Hurt.

Six persons from the Sunday School of the Second Baptist Church driving to Franklinton, Ind., to attend a young peoples' assembly, ended their journey against an electric light pole on Madison Ave., south of Terrace St. The accident occurred during a rain-storm yesterday.

George E. Aleo, 1099 English Ave., was driving. Others in the car were Elizabeth Alexander, 1520 Spann Ave.; Ruth Snider, 1002 E. Georgia St.; Aileen Shouk, 1115 S. State Ave., and Margaret Cathcart, 830 Daly St. No one was seriously hurt.

BURGLARS GET \$1,062

Batter Combination Off Safe at Victor Furniture Company.

Gaining entrance by forcing the steel shutters over windows on the side of the Victor Furniture Company, 231 W. Washington St., burglars battered the combination off the safe and stole \$1,062 some time between Saturday night and Sunday noon.

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Removing a screen from a side window, burglar entered the home of G. H. Butler, 144 Berkley Road, and ransacked it thoroughly, while the family was away. A revolver and jewelry amounting to \$96 were taken.

MAN FATELLY HURT

Steps Into Path of Monon Train Died at Hospital.

Disregarding the signal whistle of the approaching engine and the warnings of a bystander, John E. Chaney, 54, of 113 E. Nineteenth St., stepped from the path of a southbound L. E. & W. switch engine directly into the path of a northbound Monon switch engine early Sunday. He was rushed to the city hospital where he died.

STORY RANSACKED

The store of J. D. Shad, Sixty-First St. and College Ave., was entered by burglars and ransacked. The burglars took \$25 in old coins Shad was saving as relics.

HAAG'S CUT PRICE DRUGS

Everything Fresh, Genuine, of the Purest and Best Quality. Prices Subject to Change Without Notice.

35c Vicks Vaporub, 24c

A Sample of Difference in Regular and Haag's Prices

Armand's Cold Cream Face Powder, \$2.00 All course strong black comb, \$2.00

75c Strong black comb, \$2.00 coarse, \$2.00

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