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SEATTLE POLICE SMASH LONGSHOREMEN'S PICKET LINE WITH GAS ATTACK

Strikers and Sympathizers Are Routed in Drive Led by Mayor.

SIX INJURED SERIOUSLY

Hundreds Are Stricken by Fumes in Battle on Docks.

By United Press

SEATTLE, July 20.—An organized police offensive directed by Mayor Charles L. Smith, broke the longshoremen's picket line at pier 41 today.

When strikers refused to leave their new post peacefully, police swung into action with gas bombs and with a driving search routed strikers and sympathizers.

As soon as the line was broken, freight cars were switched on to Pier 41, bringing cargo to ships being handled by nonunion crews.

Strikers were unable to hold their old line back of the railroad tracks and many sought refuge in nearby hills.

The mayor had taken charge of the police department when Police Chief George F. Howard resigned.

The mayor and Chief Howard apparently had differed often on methods of handling the waterfront strike.

Three strikers and three patrolmen were injured seriously enough for hospital treatment, while hundreds of pickets and the majority of the police were gassed.

Two strikers fell into the bay during the fighting and others hid on tugs to avoid gas attacks.

SHOOTS WIFE IN ERROR, THINKING HER PROWLER

Filling Station Operator Wounds Mate in Shoulder.

By United Press

SOUTH MILFORD, Ind., July 20.—William Malle, filling station operator here, woke last night, saw a dark figure standing in the doorway of his home. A gun stood handy and he fired. A woman screamed and crumpled to the floor.

It was his semi-invalid wife, who had become cold in the night and had arisen to close the door. She was wounded in the right shoulder.

DISCHARGED WORKERS STORM COUNTY OFFICE

Laborers Charge Bills Were Paid But Not Wages.

Sixty-three county road workers, dismissed last night, stormed the county auditor's office today to learn that there is no money available to pay them until the next installment of the gasoline tax is issued.

The laborers charged that material bills amounting to \$26,000 were paid, while the workers were told to wait for their wages.

GARY MAN MURDERED AT CANDIDATE'S HOME

Police Believe Mayor Nominee Was Intended Victim.

By United Press

GARY, Ind., July 20.—Harry Hutchins, 29, salesman, was shot to death today as he sat at a window in the home of L. B. Clayton, chief deputy sheriff of Lake county and Democratic nominee for mayor of Gary. Mr. Hutchins, police believe, may have been the victim of bullets intended for Mr. Clayton.

BODY OF AGED MAN FOUND IN FALL CREEK

Relatives and Coroner Believe Death Is Suicide.

The body of a man identified as Irving Fullenwider, 72, of 419 West Forty-ninth street, was found today floating in Fall creek near Pennsylvanian street.

Relatives believe Mr. Fullenwider ended his life because of ill health. He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Rhoda Fullenwider; six daughters and two sons.

WAR! WAR! WAR!

In the dog-days of the summer of 1914, diplomats and kings made feverish, futile moves on Europe's crazy chessboard. War was the game's fatal prize.

A month earlier, arrogant Franz-Ferdinand had been assassinated, with his mortgaged wife, at Sarajevo, by a Slav patriot. It was the spark that touched off the world war.

The assassination was the start of a series of events which led inevitably to the war. How it all happened is to be described in a series of daily word-sketches in *The Times*, starting Monday.

The name of this great series is "The Tragic Anniversaries." Don't miss any of them.

Frisco Back to Normal Once More

150,000 Return to Jobs: Merchants Ready for Heavy Day.

By United Press

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—An estimated 150,000 men and women went back to work today after four days of general strike which paralyzed the San Francisco bay area.

Half of them were union members who returned to work in answer to the orders of their leaders calling off the strike. The others were workers who had been forced into idleness by the closing of business and industry.

After issuing a statement criticizing the Governor's action and terming it the "most monstrous thing that has happened in the waterfront strike," labor's strategy committee today renewed its promise to Senator Robert F. Wagner to give him a chance to attempt peaceful settlement before proceeding with a general strike.

Senator Wagner revealed this as he boarded a United Airlines plane for San Francisco.

Yesterday the committee pledged Senator Wagner that it would cease all activity for a general strike until he had an opportunity to meet with the national longshoremen's board in San Francisco. The pledge was made with the condition that troops should not be called out in the interim.

Merchants made arrangements for a big day's business. With transportation nearly normal and conditions quiet again, shoppers were coming downtown in throngs.

DOCTORS BLAST AT POLLUTION

Head Infections Are Directly Traceable to Water, They Assert.

By ARCH STEINEL Times Staff Writer

A small fan stirs the heat in the doctor's office in the Hume-Mansur building, Indianapolis. Patients sit in chairs. In and out of consulting chambers walk the patients.

A representative of The Indianapolis Times talks to the doctor between examinations.

The blow-off comes! Wiping sweat from his ruddy forehead, giving a toss over the shoulder to the stethoscope clamped to his neck, he tells why those patients are there.

"Swimming in polluted waters. There went a sinus case. It's directly traceable to a dirty beach. Only a short time ago I had a back-stroke champion swimmer that I was compelled to operate upon. Mastoids, middle ear infections, throat trouble and common colds can be traced to swimming in waters laden with bacteria and even in chlorinated pools where they are not kept clean."

"Where can you swim? In your own bath tub and even there you may be infected by some one else who has been swimming in a polluted spot," was his dismal thought.

"But that's not fair. I'm an ear, nose and throat man. I see too much of the same thing summer after summer. Go talk to me."

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THEORIES DIFFER IN YOUTH'S HANGING CASE

By United Press

CLINTON, Ind., July 20.—A theory of murder was investigated by authorities today in connection with the death of William Phelps, 45, Fairview park, whose body was found along the C. & E. I. railroad tracks near here.

When the body was first discovered yesterday it was believed he had been struck by a train while walking along the tracks. Authorities, however, said they would investigate the possibility Phelps was murdered and his body placed on the track.

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Meanwhile strike pickets stood idly by as truckloads of food supplies were moved under heavy police guards to hotels and groceries.

HINT MURDER THEORY IN RAIL CASE DEATH

Authorities Believe Track Walker Victim of Foul Play.

By United Press

INDIANAPOLIS, July 20.—Definite proposals for settlement of the four-day-old truck drivers' strike were placed before employers and union men today by the Rev. Father Francis J. Haas and E. H. Dunnigan, federal mediators.

Nature of the proposals was not revealed.

Father Haas reiterated his only public statement since negotiations started:

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