

## LONDON PEACE SHORT LIVED

### CITY LIKELY TO BE RENT AGAIN BY LABOR WARS

#### LIVERPOOL RIOTS INDICATE CALL OF MILITARY FORCES

London Awakens Today to Find Labor Situation Nearly as Bad as It Was Last Week—Peace Pact Reached Is Short Lived and Another Bitter Struggle Is Impending in Railroad Circles.

London, Aug. 14.—Parade of business all over England was the outlook the authorities faced today through the resumption of strike troubles, which it was hoped were done for. The situation here is again acute. In other cities rioting marked today. Every commercial center of England is threatened.

#### Conference Is Announced.

London, Aug. 14.—The board of trade today announced a conference to avert the strike crisis and to reach a settlement with the dockmen and other employees which will prevent resumption of such conditions as tied up traffic all last week.

This optimistic announcement was caused by the decision of the Midland and Great Northern railways' teamsters to return to work Wednesday to give the leaders a chance to adjust the difficulties.

#### Railroads Center of Fight.

In this city railway employees threaten to tie up transportation including undergrounds, unless their demands for shorter hours and more pay are granted before the end of the week. The same is true in Liverpool, Sheffield, Bristol, Manchester and Glasgow.

#### Liverpool Situation Critical.

Liverpool, Aug. 14.—Strike rioting broke out again today and mobs looted the barrooms and, inflamed by liquor, withstood the sorties of the police. More than 100 were jailed before a semblance of order was restored.

One hundred and seventy-five men including 20 police, were treated at the hospitals. One policeman was killed, and scores of rioters sustained fractured skulls.

The city will be put under martial law if there is more rioting.

A general lockout was begun at the docks here and the Federation of Shipowners is not permitting any one to work as long as the employees refuse to agree to a settlement. This strike affects 30,000 men.

#### Bourne Wants Unanimous Clause.

Washington, Aug. 14.—Senator Jonathan Bourne of Oregon today introduced a bill; the senate requiring all decisions of the supreme court which affect the constitutionality of any provision of the federal or state law, to be unanimous.

## FARMER STARTS FOREST FIRES

### GREAT AREA BURNED OVER AND DAMAGE DONE.

#### Attempting to Burn Badger Out of a Hole, Farmer Starts Trouble.

Cabazon, Cal., Aug. 14.—One of the worst forest fires in the history of this district is raging today as the result of the efforts of a farmer to smoke a badger out of his hole in the San Joaquin range.

Fifteen sections are already fire-swept. There are a hundred fire fighters battling with the blaze, but it is still spreading.

### WILL DEVELOP POTASH BEDS.

#### Michigan Deposits to Be Developed at Once, if Possible.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 14.—As a result of recent official controversy between the United States and Germany over potash shipments, the United States will, if possible, develop potash beds within its own domains. It has just been learned that Dr. William Whalen of the United States geological survey and John Turrentine, of the United States department of agriculture, are in Michigan to investigate possible potash beds. They stated that the government now has six men examining possible potash beds throughout the United States.

At present Germany monopolizes the potash market and America imports a total of \$12,000,000 annually.

#### Printers Oppose Asiatics.

San Francisco, Aug. 14.—The 57th annual conference of the International Typographical union, was welcomed here today by Mayor McCarthy and union officials when they convened. Andrew Fureseth, president of the International Seamen's union, in an address, pleaded for the exclusion of Asiatics.

## LECTURE AT AUDITORIUM

### RED CROSS CAR PHYSICIAN TO LECTURE TONIGHT.

#### Man Who Traveled With Red Cross Car Over Northwest, Here

#### PLACES OF MEETING

Afternoon meeting at 3 o'clock in the Red Cross car.  
Evening meeting at 8 o'clock tonight, at High School auditorium. Every employer and employee that can find time is urged to attend. Ladies, too, are invited. The demonstration deals not only with railroad work but with any line of industry. The public is given a hearty welcome. All railroad men have been urged by special call to be present.

Dr. Glasgow and his Red Cross hospital car are in La Grande. The purpose of this visit is to give practical demonstrations of what railroad employees and the public in general should do in case of an accident, and in two lectures which he will give in La Grande while here, he will work with a living example, taking the "patient" through all the various stages of "first aid to the injured." The car and Dr. Glasgow have been to all important railroad points in the northwest and after delivering the two lectures here, will go to Huntington and from there to Short Line points.

The outfit which is sent out under the auspices of the Red Cross society with the co-operation of the railroad companies, is intended to not only instruct railroad men but the public in general of all the methods best suited for injured people, and wherever Dr. Glasgow has been he has been met with large audiences who invariably receive a great deal of instructive information from his demonstrations and lectures. The instruction consists principally of demonstrations.

#### Barrymore-Colt Scandal Quieted.

New York, Aug. 14.—Stories of troubles between Ethel Barrymore and her husband, Russell Colt, were given the final quietus today when their baby arrived at their summer home at Mammaronneck, L. I. from New Brunswick.

#### Flyer Off Track; Four Killed

Fort Wayne, Aug. 14.—Hospital reports today indicate the death list as a result of the wreck on the Pennsylvania's fast flyer here last night will not exceed four. When the train jumped the track 35 were injured.

## MAD MOB BURNS NEGRO TO CRISP; TO ARREST LEADERS

Coalsville, Pa., Aug. 14.—A blackened skull and two ribs are the sole vestiges of Seacariah Walker, a negro who was taken from the hospital last night by a mob of 1,000 and burned to death because he killed Special Policeman Rice.

Under orders of Governor Tener,

the sheriff says he will arrest the mob leaders, said to be prominent citizens. Several thousand citizens are determined to balk the arrests and are patrolling the streets. Many declare there will be more trouble if the arrests are made. Saloons have been closed by the mayor.

## BEATTIE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR WIFE'S MURDER BY GRAND JURY

Chesterfield, Va., Aug. 14.—Henry Beattie, Jr., son of the wealthy Manchester banker, was indicted today by the grand jury for the murder of his wife on the lonely Midlothian road near Richmond, July 18th. The case is one of the most sensational and mysterious in the history of Virginia.

Beattie's former sweetheart has said she would confess to having done the deed if Beattie was convicted.

#### Excitement in Country Intense.

Stirred by intense interest in the sensational murder case of Henry Beattie, Jr., the young banker who is accused of murdering his wife to resume relations with Buelah Binford, aged 17, hundreds of persons streamed into the town today to pick up any crumbs of scandal that might leak from the grand jury which began an investigation of the affair today.

Beattie says that a highwayman shot

his wife in his auto July 18th while on a lonesome country road.

The state has evidence showing the shotgun with which the deed was perpetrated, was purchased by a relative of young Beattie, tending to indicate that he did the job.

#### Illicit Relations Admitted.

The indictment was returned in a few minutes after Paul Beattie, the young banker's cousin, testified he had bought the gun with which Mrs. Beattie was killed and Buelah H. Binford told of Beattie's relations with her. Judge Watson set the trial for Aug. 21.

After Beattie's indictment, Miss Binford asked the newspaper men to pay her \$10 for posed photographs, which they refused. She offered to sell her diary giving a full account of her illicit relations with Beattie and other men, but there was no purchaser.

## ATWOOD FLIES NEW YORKWARD

### START FROM ST. LOUIS IN FINE SHAPE TODAY.

#### Aims to Touch Chicago Tonight and Go on to Boston Tomorrow.

St. Louis, Aug. 14.—Harry Atwood started from Forest Park here this morning in his attempted flight from St. Louis to New York. He will try to reach Chicago by night. His manager stated Boston will probably be his ultimate destination. His flight over the downtown district, skyward, earned him the price of \$2,500 the first thing.

#### Reaches Springfield, Ill.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 14.—Harry Atwood passed here at 10:24 and later landed at Starnes, a village two miles east.

Atwood has been making some daring flights of late.

#### KANSAS PIG TAILS SOUGHT.

### Oregon Agricultural College Making Queer Purchases in East.

Topeka, Kas., Aug. 14.—The Kansas Agricultural college has sent here for a carload of long tailed lean hogs. Fat porkers are barred. The entire worth of the pig depends on the length of its tail as the college uses the blood of diseased hogs to procure anti-cholera serum, which is drawn from the tail. When the tail is gone, so is the animal's usefulness. A hog with three kinks in his caudal appendage is worth \$20; with two kinks, \$15; no kinks, hardly anything.

#### Insurgents Still Active.

Mexico City, Aug. 14.—Reports today tell of the capture of San Diego by General Zapata's insurgents. Twenty on both sides were killed.

ties should co-operate in the examination of the company's books, and thus settle the matter for both counties.

#### GOTCH MATCH DRAWS.

### Believed 35,000 Will Witness the Mat Contest Labor Day.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—The advance sale of seats for the wrestling match between Frank Gotch and George Hackenschmidt for the world's championship to be held in Chicago on Labor day, indicates the largest crowd that ever gathered in America for such an event will be present. It is believed that 35,000 persons will witness the match.

#### DUST STORM RAGES.

### First of Its Kind This Summer Follows Light Showers.

What appeared at noon to threaten to become a thunder shower with general rainfall, developed into a sand and wind storm late this afternoon and according to reports from the country dust is cutting capers much as it used to do of old. This is said to be the severest storm of the summer in several localities in the valley.

## 14-HOUR LAW FIGHT IS ON

### CONFLICT BETWEEN STATE AND FEDERAL LAW.

#### O-W. Refuses to Obey State Law and Injunction Is Issued.

Litigation that is of intense interest to La Grande because of its relations to railroad employees here, will come to a focus at Portland tomorrow when the railroad commission, the attorney general and all district attorneys where the O-W. traverses in Oregon, will meet before the United States district judge to argue the merits of the temporary restraining order issued by that court forbidding the railroad commission from enforcing the Oregon 14-hour law. The O-W. claims that it is impossible for it to obey the letter of the Oregon law in that it conflicts with the federal law which is a 16-hour measure and under which the employees in and out of La Grande are now working. The Oregon law is different to the federal law both as applicable to the railroad men and dispatchers. Because the O-W. is an interstate carrier it claims that it cannot violate the federal law in preference for the state law. The district court has already granted a temporary restraining order forbidding District Attorney Ivanhoe from prosecuting the O-W. in this county for violations of the state law, and the hearing tomorrow will pave the way for either dissolving the injunction or making it permanent.

District Attorney Ivanhoe is attempting to have some other person appear for him, but if he can't, he will go to Portland this evening.

The outcome of the issue is awaited with a great deal of interest both by employers and the company. The company claims it would be a stupendous expense to operate under the new state law, for all interstate traffic would have to be handled by one set of men, working under a 16-hour law, and the intra state goods would be conducted by the 14-hour crews.

#### LOW RATES TOMORROW.

### Excursion Rates Become Effective From the East Tomorrow.

Commencing tomorrow the annual fall influx of homeseekers to Oregon and the northwest will be under way. The low rates to homeseekers applicable from all points in the east but principally in the Mississippi valley, are expected to bring the usual crowds of homeseekers. The first of this will likely reach La Grande about Thursday or Friday.

#### Mule Gets Legacy.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 14.—By the will of James English, a wealthy farmer, Jeannie, his faithful mule, will live in ease and retirement on \$1,000 provided for her keep. The mule was English's sole asset when he arrived here.

## SECRECY VEILS TACOMA JURORS

### NOT KNOWN WHO ARE INDICTED—ARREST IS DELAYED

University Library  
FISHES  
ALASKA TO SMOKE COAL

Believed Murder of Which Ed Hasey Was Accused and Defended by Guggenheims, One of the Chief Motives of Deliberations—Captain Jarvis Is Present and Rumors Emanate About Him.

Tacoma, Aug. 14.—Before leaving for Seattle today to meet Secretary Fisher, Assistant United States Attorney General Townsend declined to disclose the identity of the persons against whom the federal grand jury is reported to have found indictments. No arrests have been made yet, and it is intimated it will be some time before they are.

The presence here of H. J. Douglas, the former auditor of the Guggenheim interest in Alaska, who quit them after a friction with Captain Jarvis, Morgan's personal representative, who later suicided, has given rise to the rumor that the investigation had some to do with alleged unlawful expenditure of the syndicate's money in the defense of Ed Hasey, an employee who was tried for killing a rival company's employee.

#### Fisher Headed Alaskaward.

Seattle, Aug. 14.—Bound for Alaskan coal fields, Secretary of the Interior Fisher arrived in this city this morning. He leaves for Alaska tomorrow, and will spend two weeks investigating the conditions.

The presence today in Tacoma of Alaskan Delegate Wickersham, who sought out Douglas, is taken as confirmation of the evidence that the grand jury is after some member of the Guggenheim syndicate.

#### House Adopts Wool Report.

Washington, Aug. 14.—The house today adopted the conference report of the wool revision bill by a vote of 206 to 90. Practically all the republicans and progressives voted in favor of the report. The conference report was then transmitted to the senate.

The Heyburn amendment to the Cummins bill abolishing the monetary commission, one of Aldrich's pet, on Jan. 28, 1912, was reported in the senate today by a vote of 32 to 30.

#### Want Madero to Quit.

Mexico City, Aug. 14.—President de la Barra today began his campaign for the presidency as a candidate of the liberal-radical party. Most of the Maderist organs are now demanding that Madero quit but he declines to comply with their requests.

## PARACHUTE IS FATAL TO BOY

### LAD CRASHES THROUGH HOTEL ROOF AT NOON.

#### Diners Panicky When Parachute Crashes From Roof to Tables.

Atlantic City, Aug. 14.—Crashing through the skylight in the roof of the fashionable Marlborough-Blenheim hotel here and landing in the midst of a dining room crowd, Chas. Bennett aged 20, ended a 1,500 foot parachute drop.

He is at the point of death today with a fractured skull. Panic was created in the hotel.