

U. S. OFFERED 'LOST' PASSENGERS

Harding Sends Telegram to
Arizona Governor.

HARDSHIPS ARE NOTED

President Plans Relief for All
Persons Marooned at
Junction Points.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 13.—President Harding in a telegram to Governor Campbell of Arizona offered the assistance of the federal government to relieve hardships among passengers on Santa Fe trains marooned at junction points.

The president declared it was the obligation of the government to relieve the people, who are thus shamefully subjected to hardships. The president's telegram follows: "I am informed that several passenger trains on the Santa Fe railway are marooned at junction points in your state because of the abandonment by their crews. It is the obligation of the government to relieve the people who are thus shamefully subjected to hardships. If you have not facilities for the relief which I know you will gladly extend, then any forces at the command of the federal government will be promptly ordered to your assistance. Kindly advise whether such assistance is needed."

DESERT FINALLY ESCAPED

Three Marooned Passengers Prostrated
by Needles, Cal., Heat.

NEEDLES, Cal., Aug. 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—This desert railroad town, which since Thursday night has been the resting place of several hundred passengers on Santa Fe trains marooned by refusal of the railroad brotherhoods to move them back to normal stopping like its normal population tonight.

The little parked spaces about the railroad station and eating house lacked the complement of men, women and children they had had for three nights. The trains were gone. The station was crowded with passengers, a railroad official's private car and a carload of dressed poultry which had been held here by the railroad. Proceeding westward early today, carrying all who cared to go in that direction, even though their tickets may have read for an eastern point. The remainder, something more than 100, were taken east late today.

Railroad officials and a regular conductor made up the crew of the westbound train; just who manned the eastbound one was not announced.

The eastbound passengers included three funeral parties, each with its pathetic accompaniment in a box in the baggage car. General Manager Hibbard of the Santa Fe made a personal plea to brotherhood men to give the stranded passengers the same consideration in moving the marooned passengers.

Several trains of Thanksgiving were held up by the heat of the desert. The newly arrived train, which was in the heat of the desert, was held up by the heat of the desert. The newly arrived train, which was in the heat of the desert, was held up by the heat of the desert.

Three heat prostrations among the passengers were reported since the train left here. One woman, aged 30, and a small child were taken to a hospital.

Apparently there were no widely known names on the list of passengers who were stranded. They occupied themselves with reading, talking on the grass in the railroad park and eating. It was too hot for exercise.

Indicating an opinion that deputy sheriffs are protecting railroad property, the citizens here refused to deal with them, asserting their presence is unnecessary. The deputy sheriffs all wear revolvers conspicuously, but keep on their feet properly. The town is quiet and orderly, and while there are many strike meetings, they are held by a correspondent of the Associated Press was entirely free from incendiary talk and devoted entirely to discussion of the problems and speakers counseled that order be maintained.

Passengers united in saying that while the people of Needles had done all possible to make their stay endurable, even to sharing their homes with elderly persons and children, yet the natural conditions were such that if a vote of places in which to be marooned along the western Santa Fe line had been taken by the passengers, Needles would have had no representation on the ballot.

Picture a broad sandy, almost white plain, broken by little hills and gulches. Put sage brush and Joshua trees on the plain. Run the Colorado river slightly along one side, through a channel at present about five miles long for the water it is carrying. String a few very few—young trees and green lawns here and there. Scatter a small western town over an area perhaps a mile square when it might be compressed in four or five blocks and place over it a brassy sky, an intense penetrating heat and a hot breeze that dries the marrow, and a hot idea of Needles will result.

Barstow, where other trains were held for a day or two, but released early yesterday, is another town much the same, omitting the river and greenery. No trains came in from the east here today, although word was received from Albuquerque that No. 7, a mail train, was en route. There was a carload of perishables eastbound accumulated in the yard here and these were being kept from being shipped. The company was unable to say when they would be forwarded. While there was some freight moving it was only a nominal quantity.

STRIKE PARLEY FAILS

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Will open wide the door for the accomplishment of political ends through economic means. The railroad officials frankly declared that they now looked to the government to give them financial support in their effort to operate the railroads despite the strike and they said that if the government would take a firm hand in the matter, the railroad officials would be able to operate the railroads. If the government maintains a firm stand, they said, the big four brotherhoods can do nothing to prevent the operation of the roads. They explained that any open sympathetic strike on the part of the brotherhoods was unthinkable.

'BIG FOUR' UNIONS WALK OUT IN WEST

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MISSOURI PACIFIC MEN OUT

Firemen Strike, Charging Rail
Equipment Is Defective.

PUEBLO, Colo., Aug. 13.—Missouri Pacific railroad locomotive firemen went on strike at Pueblo, Colo., and Horace, Kan., today morning because of alleged defective equipment. The strike affected the Missouri Pacific traffic on this division is tied up.

Two passenger trains, No. 12 and No. 11, which leave Pueblo at 5 P. M. and 8:45 P. M., respectively, have been annulled. Trains No. 11 and No. 13, which leave Pueblo at 7:10 A. M. and 11:30 A. M., respectively, were consolidated at Horace, Kan., and by picking up a moving diesel engine, were brought into Pueblo late today.

Conferees between division officers and leaders of the firemen's union held here tonight in an effort to end the walkout.

GIRL BARES DRUG RING

REVIVAL OF WHITE SLAVE
TRAFFIC REVEALED.

Pretty Chicago Miss Is Induced
by Woman to Take Morphine;

Four Men Arrested.

(By Chicago Tribune Staff Writer.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—A revival of the white slave traffic was revealed today by a young and pretty Chicago girl, who, under the alias of Dr. Carleton Simon, special deputy police commissioner, after she had aided the police in rounding up four members of the alleged drug ring.

Exhausted by the effects of drugs she had been induced to take by a Chicago woman, but with the light of hope shining in her eyes, the girl told how her will had first been broken by threats to withhold the drug she was taking, and how she was dragged down to a low level.

As a result of her story four men were arrested and four federal warrants were obtained for the arrest of others of the alleged drug ring. The Chicago police have been notified and will send up cables and drug sellers in that city. The four men were arraigned in the west side police court today and held at \$1500 bail each for examination on Tuesday.

Early yesterday the girl, whose name is being withheld, applied at Bellevue hospital for treatment. She was taken to police headquarters where she declared she had made a chance acquaintance of a woman in Chicago and that this woman had induced her to sample some morphine. Later, after she had become addicted to the drug, she was taken to a house of ill repute. Still later she was brought to New York city.

FAIR PARTY IS CHEERED

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on both occasions were particularly well received. Mayor Spike welcomed the caravan at Echo. Unattila people entertained the caravan with a melon feast and an escort from a point outside the city. Mayor C. F. Knudsen made the principal address of welcome.

There was no set programme in Pendleton tonight, owing to the fact that the caravan made the town on a Sunday evening, but the caravaners did special and private masonic work in behalf of the exposition all over town and were well received.

Tomorrow another big day's travel is planned, with a stop for the night at Condon.

GAS IN GAY ANTWERP.

In addition to supplying gas for some lighting, cooking and heating and for industrial purposes, the Antwerp gas company says the town of Antwerp and the majority of shop windows, and cafes and cabarets which are exceedingly numerous, are lit by gas. Gas lighting has been found a great deal more effective than electric lighting for window displays and for lighting effects in the cabarets, and has the additional advantage of being 50 per cent cheaper than electric light for these purposes. (American Gas Journal.)—Adv.

Spanish Agitators Arrested.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—Juan Calderon and Sebastian Vicente, Spanish agitators, and two Argentine radicals whose names are withheld by the police were arrested today charged with spreading seditious propaganda. These arrested are members of the faction here which is in conflict with what is known as the "yellow" who number among their sympathizers several high government officials.

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Western Pacific Tied Up.

The Western Pacific, running from
San Francisco to Salt Lake City,
was tied up completely.

A. G. Wells, vice-president of the Santa Fe system, in a statement given to the Associated Press, asserted the abandonment of Santa Fe trains at desert points was brought about by "conspiracy, inhuman and lawless."

Other Unions Walk Out.

There were walkouts at the first three trains merely being held at the two latter towns because of the impossibility of moving them through the others.

On the Union Pacific's line, there were walkouts at California and Las Vegas, Nev., and at Bakersfield and Stockton, Cal., they still were out.

Efforts at Peace Fail.

JOLIET, Ill., Aug. 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—Efforts to end the tieup on the Joliet & Eastern railroad, Chicago's outer-belt line, failed today when representatives of the railroad brotherhoods rejected a proposal that they return to work upon the removal of state troops from before the gate to the yards.

Roseville 'Big Four' Men Quit.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 13.—Members of the big four on the Southern Pacific walked out at Roseville at 7:45 tonight, according to a report received here. The report said the men demanded that all railroad strikers be discharged and that working conditions be as they were before July 1.

Frisco Line Is Paralyzed.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 13.—A complete tie-up of all outbound transportation, including passenger traffic, freight and mail, over the Frisco lines from Birmingham resulted from the walkout of trainmen yesterday afternoon, which union leaders declare was caused by the presence of armed guards in the local shops.

Walkout Under Investigation.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—The action of members of the "big four" brotherhoods in abandoning through passenger trains at Needles, Ariz., Barstow, Cal., and Seligman, Ariz., was denounced tonight as a deliberate conspiracy, a violation of their solemn agreements with the railroad and an inhuman act by A. G. Wells, vice-president of the Atchafalaya, Tonkwa & Santa Fe railway, tonight.

One Train Annulled.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 13.—The night train from Memphis to Birmingham on the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad was annulled late today. Frisco trainmen here have not walked out, but are meeting tonight to determine on the course of action.

GIRL STRANGELY MISSING

New York Police Seek for Woman
Who Went to Bakery.

(By Chicago Tribune Staff Writer.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Disappearing from Fifth avenue as mysteriously as Dorothy Arnold vanished

from that thoroughfare nearly 13 years ago, Nelly Biglin, 30 years old, is now being sought by the missing persons bureau of the police department.

Miss Biglin left her home about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon to go to a nearby bakery.

Without young men friends and with no romance in her sheltered life at home, the girl took with her \$100 when she left. It has been discovered.

Biglin, who is a well-to-do trucking contractor, is as much mystified by his daughter's disappearance as are the many detectives who are on her trail.

Mrs. Biglin said there have been many daring robberies in the vicinity of their home in the last three months and she feared her daughter may have been kidnaped by a band of robbers.

STRIKE HERE IS UNLIKELY

"BIG FOUR" OFFICIALS SAY
NO WALKOUT IS PLANNED.

Condition of Rail Equipment and
Use of Armed Guards

Resented by Unions.

Predictions that the protest strikes of engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors, that are now paralyzing certain western railroads, will not spread to Portland, were made yesterday by officials of roads with offices in Portland and by heads of Big Four Brotherhoods locally here.

The union officials declare that the presence of armed guards about the railroad shops and yards is dangerous and irritating. The condition of railroad equipment, especially engines and airbrakes, is also adding fuel to the flames of discontent.

There is no strike action planned," said H. R. Rix, general chairman for the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers in Southern Pacific lines. "We don't want to work and to be left alone. The point that must be settled is the habit of these armed guards in shooting guns into the men's stomachs as they go and come from work."

"Some of the equipment is in bad shape and some is coming apart. As the strike goes on, it seems to grow worse. A job shop machinist is not a railroad machinist by any means."

A radical element in all of the unions is demanding an immediate walkout, but the conservative factions are keeping this group in check.

That the walkout in Utah points is not affecting the movement of the W. R. & N. trains was the statement of J. P. O'Brien, general manager of that system.

MAN HELD AS ABSCONDER

Denver Ex-Teller Believed to
Have Been Taken at Laredo.

LAREDO, Tex., Aug. 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—A man arrested yesterday as he emerged from the Laredo prison, and taken to the Mexican side, was said by authorities to have admitted he was Edwin Frederick Morse, wanted in Denver on charges of absconding with \$75,000 from the International Trust company last August.

He first gave his name as Herbert M. Smith. He was accompanied by a woman who is definitely located in Mexico.

The man agreed to waive extradition proceedings, authorities said, and return to Denver to answer the charge. He was turned over to department of justice officials.

DENVER, Aug. 13.—Edwin F. Morse, reported arrested at Laredo, Tex., yesterday, was alleged to have absconded with \$75,000 currency on August 13, 1931, from the International Trust company here. Morse had been employed as a teller at the bank and was alleged to have taken the money from his cage after the close of business August 13, a Saturday.

Obituary.

John H. Clelan.

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 13.—(Special.)—John H. Clelan, 80, died last night at the home of his son, Ben Clelan, following a lingering illness. John Clelan was born in Adams county, Ill., in March, 1842. His parents crossed the plains in 1847, his mother dying en route. The deceased's father took up a claim on the Santiam bottoms, but later joined in the rush for California gold. John Clelan accompanied his father on these trips but returned to Oregon in 1864, where he teamed from Portland to Albany. Later he operated a dray business here. He married Miss Melinda Young. Four children were born, only two of whom survive. Mrs. Clelan died eight years ago.

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11 HELD IN SWINDLE

Indictments Returned in Case
Involving About \$750,000.

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Three companies, all of them alleged mail fraud violators, were charged with having obtained money by false promises and by the use of the mails.

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A radio concert of violin, soprano and piano solos will be broadcast from The Oregonian tower tonight between 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock by The Oregonian in conjunction with the Shipowners' Radio service. The three musicians who will take part are Miss Mildred Nichols, violinist; Miss Dorothy Hawkins, pianist; and Miss Genevieve Clancy, soprano.

The cooler weather and clearer air prevailing since the rains last week have improved broadcasting conditions remarkably and many stations which have had consistent difficulty in hearing The Oregonian station is heard more loudly than ever. The operator of The Oregonian tower has assured listeners that tonight's concert will receive as nearly as possible perfect transmission.

Of the three artists to contribute to the programme Miss Genevieve Clancy is best-known to radio listeners, having participated in two recent concerts. Miss Clancy is soprano soloist at St. Mary's cathedral and has a delightful musical and well-trained voice. She will sing four solos and will be assisted at the piano by her sister, Miss Mary Clancy.

The regular Monday night concert has been changed somewhat on account of the change in the program. The new program will consist of eight instrumental solos and four vocal solos.

Miss Mildred Nichols will also participate in her third Oregonian concert, and in both previous programs. Miss Nichols is a general radio favorite. Miss Nichols will play Bach's "Air for the G string" and "The Swan" (Rubenstein-Wienawsky), and "Waltz Duet" (Drigo-Auer).

The pianist, Miss Dorothy Hawkins, is a young musician who has been playing for some time. Her "Prelude" before, but whose remarkable talent and fine technique promises an unusual treat. Miss Hawkins will play four piano solos as her part of the programme.

SHOW PRODUCER GONE

\$40,000 DEBTS LEFT BEHIND
ON BROADWAY.

Chorus Girls, Stage Hands and
Others Look for Man Who
Couldn't Pay Rent.

(By Chicago Tribune Staff Writer.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The huge electric sign for "The Ginger Box Revue" starring Mate West is up on the facade of the Greenwich Village theater, but it is never to be lighted.

Edward Perkins, producer, extraordinary, has disappeared. Process servers, chorus girls, actors, stage hands, musicians, scenic artists and others are seeking him to collect a little matter of \$40,000 in the aggregate and have been to Perkins the name of the "Shoestring Ziegfeld."

Whence he came, no one seems to know, but Perkins planned the production on a scale that made Broadway sit up and take notice. Gulls and his "from got him more credit than an embryo producer usually is given. "The Ginger Box Revue" went through the rehearsal stage and was to have opened on August 21. Then developed the hitch. The theater owners demanded \$1000 a week in advance. The opening was deferred a week and after making desperate efforts to obtain financial backing, Perkins departed on August 15 and left no forwarding address.

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Normalcy Returns in Italy.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 13.—Italy was declared in an official dispatch received today from Rome to be rapidly returning to a state of normalcy, with the position of Premier Facta's government stronger as the result of the discussions in parliament just concluded.
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