

Maximum yesterday 53
Minimum today 39
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Probable rain.

POLICE NAB LEADERS IN R. R. STRIKE

Grunan, Leader of Insurgent Forces, and Score of Others Arrested in Chicago by Federal Agents. Charged With Violation of Lever Act—Crowds Yell Defiance as Men Are Taken From Hall—Newspaper Men Called Spies—200 on Govt. List.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Federal agents raided a strike meeting at headquarters of the Yardmen's association and arrested Grunau, who was speaking. He was taken to the federal building together with William E. Reading, J. C. Logan and Shannon Jones, who are said to be members of the association.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Six officials of the "outlaw" railway unions were arrested this morning by United States marshals on warrants issued by United States Commissioner Mason, charging them with violating the Lever act.

Warrants have been issued for 24 other alleged leaders in the insurgent railroad strike, it was said at the federal building.

24 Warrants Issued
Those arrested are: Joseph Scott, trustee of the Chicago Yardmen's association. A. W. Casseday, secretary. Martin J. Kenney, vice president of Lodge No. 2, C. Y. A. W. Larrabell, trustee of the association.

Fred L. Schultz, vice president of the United Engineers' association. Michael Ellgas, treasurer of the Engineers' association.

Department of justice agents expect to arraign the men today before Commissioner Mason.

Among the twenty-four warrants issued, but not yet served, is one for Elmer Bidwell, who was named yesterday by Attorney General Palmer as having replaced Grunau as leader of the strikers here. Both Bidwell and Grunau deny that the latter has been displaced, or that Bidwell is taking any part in directing the strike.

Men Cry Traitor
Deputies sent to Carpenter's hall found James H. Dodgion addressing a meeting of 150 strikers. They arrested Dodgion, Fred C. Lockwood, H. E. Creighton and Michael Patke.

Reports at the federal building indicate the list of thirty for whom warrants have already been issued is only a starter, and that more than 200 members of the "outlaw" unions are marked for arrest.

Federal agents who culled the crowd at Conway hall where Grunau was arrested, took William L. Bond, R. D. Murphy and H. W. Radke to the federal building.

As the men left the hall there were cries of "traitor, traitor!" from the strikers. They accused newspapermen of pointing out the leaders to the federal men.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Reports from rail centers in the central west and on the Pacific coast today bore out assertions of brotherhood and railroad officials that the recent railroad strike was dying out in these sections of the country and that traffic conditions were improved materially.

Strikers were reported to be returning to work in a number of cities, and in Chicago, where the unauthorized walk-out had its origin, brotherhood officials said the backbone of

ROGER SULLIVAN, BIG DEMOCRATIC "BOSS" OF ILLINOIS, PASSES AWAY

WASHINGTON, April 15.—President Wilson today sent the following telegram to Mrs. Roger C. Sullivan: "You have my deepest and warmest sympathy. I shall never forget what a good friend your husband was to me."

CHICAGO, April 15.—Messages of sympathy from public officials and men prominent in public and political life throughout the country today poured into the home of Roger C. Sullivan, democratic leader, who died here yesterday of bronchial pneumonia. Mr. Sullivan, who was 59, was a

RAILROAD WALKOUT RESULTS IN CLOSING OF KLAMATH FACTORY

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., April 15.—One box factory has shut down here on account of car shortage resulting from the freight embargo consequent to the railroad strike, and others have reported they must close down within two or three days unless the embargo is lifted. The busy season is just starting and a general shutdown would throw hundreds out of employment. Sawmills will not be affected for the present.

POLICE RESERVES CALLED TO QUELL N. Y. TEAM RIOTS

NEW YORK, April 15.—Police officers commanding the 100 reserves doing strike duty in the egg and butter market district this afternoon, sent a call to headquarters for 200 reinforcements, as reports were received of more trucks having been attacked.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Police reserved were sent to the West Side market district today where several hundred teamsters, chauffeurs and porters had walked out at a time when New York was virtually cut off from its food supply by rail. Several trucks were attacked by strike sympathizers.

The strike of the teamsters, chauffeurs and porters has tended to aggravate the already serious food situation here. The men handled perishable foods from the freight yards to the market. They struck because their demands for higher pay had been rejected.

R. R. LABOR BOARD PASSES U. S. SENATE

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The railroad labor board was confirmed today by the senate.

The vote on the nominations came after four hours discussion behind closed doors. Only one roll call, on the name of Wallace W. Hanger of the public group, was demanded. It was reported to have resulted 31 to 24 in favor of confirmation, with some democrats as well as republicans voting in opposition. A few republicans were said to have favored his confirmation.

TACOMA SCHOOL BD. BOOSTS SALARIES

TACOMA, April 15.—School teachers and school supervisors of Tacoma last night were granted a wage increase of \$420 a year by the school board. The new wage schedule will go into effect with the beginning of the next school term in September.

The school board fixed a new minimum wage for grade teachers at \$1200 a year, which will be paid beginning and \$1500 for high school teachers.

BIG STRIKE BROKEN SAY R. R. LEADERS

Men Returning to Work in All Sections of Country—Food Shortage Now Most Serious Feature—Only Two New Walk-Outs Reported—Traffic on S. P. Nearly Normal—Send Soldiers to Jersey City to Move Freight Trains.

Latest Strike Events
Agents of the federal government in different sections of the country acted today in the strike.

In New York a wholesale butter dealer was taken into custody on a charge of making undue profits during the crisis.

Federal agents also have announced they are investigating delays of mail trains. Vigorous action will be taken, it was said where it is found the law was violated.

Army officers notified Pennsylvania railroad officials that they would send soldiers to Jersey City to move freight cars signed to the army and that soldiers also will man cars on which bodies of soldiers recently brought to Hoboken from overseas will be sent to their homes.

Meanwhile railroads are actively combatting effects of the strike. More walkouts are reported at Camden, N. J., and Elmira, N. Y.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 15.—Continued improvement in the railroad strike situation in Oregon was claimed today by railroad officials. Announcement that embargoes on less than carload lots of freight would be lifted within the state, was made. Lifting of embargoes was effective only for the 24 hour period, however.

All of the terminal yards here and nearby reported despatching of freight trains with skeleton crews, ample, however, rail officials declared, to take care of what was now being handled. An ultimatum similar to that posted by Southern Pacific officials the first of the week, was posted by S. P. and S. officials yesterday, men not reporting for work by noon today to lose their seniority rights in case they ever returned to work for the company.

STUTZ MOTOR ON CURB SOARS TO NEW HIGH PRICE

NEW YORK, April 15.—Stock of the Stutz Motor Car company, taken off the New York stock exchange at the request of the company's chairman, Allan A. Ryan, after the exchange suspended trading in it, went on sale on the curb today and brought higher prices than ever. The first sales were 700 and 710 and as high as 730 was asked. The price when the exchange stopped trading was 391 and auction prices since then had been 700 and 701.

Ryan, whose resignation from the exchange, tendered with accusations that members of the board of governors were short in Stutz when trading was stopped in it, has not been accepted, today announced himself in favor of incorporation of the exchange.

Census Returns

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Census: Easton, Pa., 33,813, increase 5290 or 18.56 per cent. Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 35,000 increase 7064 or 25.3 per cent. Salisbury, N. C., 13,043, increase 2563 or 24.5 per cent. Harrison, N. J., 15,721, increase 1223 or 8.4 per cent. Kearny, N. J., 26,724, increase 8065 or 43.2 per cent. Lion, N. Y., 10,169 increase 3581 or 54.4 per cent. Oneida, N. Y., 10,541, increase 2224 or 26.7 per cent.

HOOVER PLANE FLIES TO SALEM WITH LIST OF PRIMARY PETITIONS

SALEM, Ore., April 15.—Landing in the river in the heart of the city at exactly 12:45—fifty minutes after starting from Portland—the seaplane piloted by Victor Vernon and bearing Chester G. Murphy, state campaign manager for Herbert Hoover, arrived with the presidential nominating petition that will be filed with the secretary of state this afternoon. For about four minutes before landing the plane circled over the city dropping Hoover propaganda. Thousands of persons thronged the inter-county bridge and the river banks while awaiting the arrival of the plane. It is understood that Pilot Vernon will take Governor O'cott up for a short spin this afternoon.

PERSONAL ITEM, METHOD, CAUGHT HIM 25 FRAUS

Los Angeles Bluebeard Described Himself as Neat, Courteous With a Nice Bank Account—Recovery Is Now Regarded Certain—Started on Career in Massachusetts.

LOS ANGELES, April 15.—Investigation of the career of Richard Huit, held under guard in a hospital here on suspicion of bigamy and possibly other charges, was progressing slowly today, with the officers continuing to check the list of "wives" with a view to verifying the various marriage records or facts indicating their existence. The officers said today that to the best of their belief the list now numbered not less than twenty-five, after eliminating those who denied that they had married the man, altho evidence of their marriages was found.

Other developments were the discovery, in storage, of a lot of furniture and wearing apparel believed to have been the property of Nina Lee Deloney, who is missing. The goods were shipped here from Eureka, Mont., last November, and were stored by C. N. Harvey. This was one of the names it has been established Huit used at times.

Property in Seattle
Sheriff Cline here was also notified by Chief J. E. Warren of the Seattle police force, that the latter had located property in Seattle covered by claim checks found on Huit at the time of his arrest, the checks covering some household effects and numerous women's photographs, the household goods believed to have been the property of Alice Ludvigson, another missing wife.

Two supposed wives, Mrs. Edith L. Williams of Sacramento and Mrs. Katherine Wombacher of Spokane, are here, and Mrs. J. P. Watson of Salem, Ore., is expected today or tomorrow. None of them has yet seen Huit, who is confined to a hospital bed as the result of attempts at suicide when he was arrested.

Physicians said today that after a turn for the worse Tuesday, Huit was again improving and would doubtless recover. The deputy sheriffs investigating his case are awaiting his improvement so they may talk with him.

Pleased to Correspond

No new names were added to his list of aliases yesterday but additional facts which came to light led the investigators to believe that the man's true name is Charles Newton Harvey, and that his first business operations were conducted at Sherborne Falls, Mass., about fifteen years ago. He went thence to Quebec, and then to Spokane and the coast cities, it is believed.

A form for a matrimonial personal and several clippings of the same personal from different papers, were found yesterday. In them the advertiser described himself as of "neat appearance, courteous disposition, well connected in a business way, also connected with several corporations, and has a nice bank account, as well as nice roll of government bonds," and said he would be "pleased to correspond with refined young lady or widow; object matrimony."

CONGRESS IS AFTER ASS'T. LABOR SEC'Y.

Resolution Looking to Impeachment of Assistant Secretary of Labor Post Introduced by Representative Hoek of Kansas—Investigate Charges by Chairman Immigration Committee Regarding Post's Attitude Toward Deported Radicals.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—A resolution looking to the impeachment of Assistant Secretary Post of the labor department, for his attitude toward the deportation of radicals, was introduced today by Representative Hoek, republican, Kansas, after a conference with republican leaders.

The resolution would direct the judiciary committee to investigate charges made against Post Chairman Johnson, of the immigration committee, and others, and if the evidence warranted to report a resolution proposing impeachment.

The measure was referred to the house rules committee, which will decide whether it should be made a special order of business before the house. There was no indication when the rules committee would act.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Plans for introducing a resolution in the house today looking to the impeachment of Assistant Secretary Post of the labor department for his attitude toward deportation of radicals, went suddenly awry when the house met today and the resolution prepared by Representative Hoek, republican of Kansas, was withheld at the request of Republican Floor Leader Mondell. Speaker Gillette had arranged to recognize Representative Hoek for the introduction of the resolution and called on him twice for the purpose. Hoek, however, withheld his resolution and Mr. Mondell announced that the republican leaders wanted to study it further. Hoek said he would introduce it later.

PAPER SHORTAGE IS ALARMING, FOREST PROTECTION URGED

NEW YORK, April 15.—Prodigious methods in American forests and paper mills have brought the industry and the consuming public face to face with an alarming paper shortage which can be remedied only by adoption of a comprehensive policy of forest protection, George W. Sisson, Jr., president of the American Paper and Pulp association, declared in his address before the association's annual convention here today.

Mr. Sisson deplored intimations from Canada that export of pulp wood from private lands might be curtailed, hinting that retaliatory measures might be sought by Americans in the event of such action.

BOY BURNS AT STAKE GIRL TO THE RESCUE

LANCASTER, O., April 15.—Police today were searching for five older boys who last evening attacked Charles Kneller, a ten-year-old newsboy, bound him to a stake, piled kindling and papers about him and after starting a fire, left him to his fate.

A small girl called Mrs. A. F. Mowery, living nearby and she rescued the boy, who was badly burned.

Don't Forget to Register.
Registration books for the primary election close April 20. If you haven't already registered and did not vote at the last general election, do so at once. If you don't know your place of registration, call The Mail Tribune, and the information will be given you.

WIFE OREGON EDITOR LOSES EYE, IS HIT BY SPEEDING GOLF BALL

CORVALLIS, Ore., April 15.—Mrs. C. E. Ingalls, wife of the editor of the Gazette-Times here, and president of the Oregon State Press association, underwent an operation today for the removal of an eye, the eyeball being completely crushed yesterday by a swiftly moving golf ball. The operation was successful, it is understood.

WIFE U. S. SOLDIER RAVISHED BY 15 JUAREZ MEXICANS

EL PASO, Texas, April 15.—Mrs. R. L. Sanford, 25 years old, wife of a horseholder of the eighth cavalry, U. S. A., Fort Bliss, was kidnaped by two Mexicans near an El Paso park entrance yesterday and taken to Juarez, where, according to her story told in a nervous way, today, she was mistreated by fifteen Mexicans. Mrs. Sanford said she was abandoned in the street late at night, where, being discovered by police, she was seized and taken to jail. She was released today and crossed the Rio Grande and told her story, which is being investigated.

LATEST NEWS OF THE STATE

PORTLAND, April 15.—Miss Mary Frances Isom, county librarian here for many years, who saw service in France with the American Library association, died at her home here today, after an illness of many months, altho she had attended to her duties until recently. Miss Isom was probably one of the best known librarians on the Pacific coast and was a former student at Wellesley.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—John Reed, an American magazine writer, reported recently to have been executed in Finland, is alive and well, according to an official report received at the state department today from the Finnish government. Reed is under indictment at Chicago charged with conspiracy to advocate the overthrow of the government by force.

EUGENE, Ore., April 15.—With the favorable decision of the state supreme court allowing the state fish and game commission to purchase the Reddish farm near Eugene for a game farm, plans for its improvement and enlargement will now be carried out, according to Louis E. Bean, member of the state legislature from Lane county. When the plans of the commission are completed, said Bean, it is expected that 20,000 pheasants yearly will be liberated from these farms.

HOOD RIVER, Ore., April 15.—Having lost their bees last winter, a number of local orchardists the past week received shipments from the Santa Clara valley, Cal. A. G. Wing, Barrett grower, yesterday received one of the heaviest shipments, an express lot of 25 pounds. Each pound, it was estimated, contained 5000 bees. With the lot Mr. Wing received twelve queens.

SALEM, Ore., April 15.—Colonel George A. White, who was given leave of absence as state adjutant general to enter war service, today resumed that office, succeeding Conrad Staffin of Dallas, who has held the position temporarily.

STUBENVILLE, O., April 15.—Harry Miller, aged 26 of Akron, was held in the Jefferson county jail here today, after having publicly confessed to the murder of 11-year-old Frances South, during a revival service last night at a little church at Beach Bottom W. Va., near here.

Miller went to the church altar and with his hands raised he prayed to God to have mercy on his soul for the death of the little girl. He said he found relief in telling all to God.

YOUNG MAN CONFESSES MURDER OF 11 YEAR OLD GIRL AT CHURCH REVIVAL

Members of the congregation took Miller to Sheriff J. R. Litten of Brooks county, West Virginia, who believes the man to be slightly deranged. Sheriff Litten said that during the night Miller confessed to beating the South girl over the head with a revolver at a lonely spot near the girl's home at Adena, Ohio. He told the sheriff he killed the girl because of something she said while he was keeping company with her sister.

REBELS WIN FIRST BLOOD CIVIL WAR

Troops Under General Flores Cross Border and Capture San Blas—Carranza Forces Reported Retreating in Disorder—Commanders Government Gunboats Desert to Sonora Followed by Crews—Martial Law Proclaimed in Agua Prieta District.

NOGALES, Ariz., April 15.—Sonora, Mexico, has won her first fight for freedom. General Ansel Flores, of the independent forces, this morning fought his way across the Sinaloa border, taking San Blas, on the boundary line, and is proceeding with 2,500 men, 1,000 of whom are Yaqui Indians, toward Culiacan, capital of the state.

According to special advices from Hermosillo, capital of Sonora, federal troops are deserting the command of General Ramon Iturbe, chief of military operations in Sinaloa and Tepic. General Juan Carranza, acting chief of staff to Iturbe, unable to stem the tide of the rebel advance, is retreating with his men in wild disorder, according to advices.

AGUA PRIETA, Sonora, April 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Troops of the new republic of Sonora have invaded Sinaloa, the adjoining state to the south and are marching on Culiacan, the capital of Sinaloa, according to an official dispatch received here today from General P. Elias Calles, commander in chief of the Sonora forces.

AGUA PRIETA, Sonora, April 15.—Martial law was proclaimed in Agua Prieta today in preparation for a possible attack by Carranza forces should the Mexican president's troops break through the barrier of soldiers the new republic has stationed between here and the Chihuahua-Sonora boundary.

Carranza troops were reported at Casas Grandes, 200 miles from here, making ready to march into Sonora and toward this border point.

At military headquarters here, it was forecast today that the national elections in Mexico would not be held in July unless the Sonora situation had been settled previously.

AGUA PRIETA, Sonora, April 15.—The commanders and crews of the gunboats Guerrero and Chipas, have deserted to the Sonora republic, and have been placed at the disposal of General P. Elias Calles, commander of the Sonora forces, according to word received at military headquarters here.

JIM DUNCAN OFFERED FRENCH-TRAINER JOB

PARIS, April 15.—"Jim" Duncan, former holder of the world's record for throwing the discus, has been offered the position of trainer of French athletes preparing for the Olympic games at Antwerp this summer. Duncan, who was a lieutenant in the American army was discharged here and has since opened a gymnasium in this city.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 15.—No temporary successor to the late Bishop Matt S. Hughes will be named prior to the meeting of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church in Des Moines in May.