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**The Reading**

### CHINA PARLIAMENT TO PICK PRESIDENT

Republican Body Is Expected to Elect Wu, Who Refuses to Be Candidate

MEETING SET FOR JULY 20

By Associated Press  
Peking, July 7.—China has the prospect of representative republican parliament within the month, probably July 20, the first gathering of that body in five years. The first task will be the selection of a President. General Wu Pei-Fu is the unassuming figure regarded by many as the "strong man" needed to bring his country out of the chaos of civil strife.

General Wu, military leader of the North, is strongly supported for the presidency. His persistent refusal to be considered being raised to that position has not discouraged his supporters; nor has his retirement to Loyang to await Parliament's action weakened his popularity.

It is pointed out that his power in his own mind and his prestige abroad place him in a position of unique strength as the result of the overthrow of Sun Yat-Sen in the South, the crushing defeat administered to Chang Tso-Lin, Manchurian war lord, and the ousting of Hsu Shih-Shang, three moves in which he was the guiding hand.

Li Yuan-Hung, who has announced that he will hold the presidency only until Parliament chooses his successor, yesterday stated he had received assurances from Cantonese members of the old Parliament that they would no longer support Sun Yat-Sun, but would assist the Peking Government.

Raid by Chinese bandits in Manchuria and along the Korean border have developed a serious situation. Torikichi Obata, Japanese Minister to China, has filed a protest with the Chinese Foreign Office, against the attack June 28 on the Japanese consulate at Choutchow, when part of the consulate was burned and two Japanese were killed.

Tientsin, July 7.—(By A. P.)—The Chinese postoffice here received this morning a telegram from Pao-tingfu, in the Province of Chihli, saying: "Offices here safe."

There was no explanation of the message, but it was interpreted here as meaning there was trouble around Pao-tingfu, probably a mutiny among Chihli troops.

### SOCIETY WOMEN BECOME CADDIES WHEN BOYS STRIKE

Boys at Harrisburg Country Club Demand Change of Play  
Harrisburg, July 7.—Society women here acted as caddies at the Harrisburg Country Club yesterday afternoon, when the members of the club's caddies struck shortly before time for play to start in the club's annual "monkey" golf tournament.

Society women were ready to start for the links when word spread around the clubhouse that there were no caddy boys. They rushed to the caddy master and demanded to know what was the matter. The boys demanded a return to the hourly pay system instead of payment for the number of times they made the rounds of the nine-hole course.

The tournament finally started with the society women acting as caddies for each other.

### N. Y. MAY GET POTTER HOME

Late Bishop's Mansion to Become Residence for Mayor, Is Report  
New York, July 7.—(By A. P.)—Intimations that a magnificent residence here, Riverside Drive, home of the late Bishop Potter and valued at \$1,250,000, was to be given to the city by an anonymous donor as the official home of New York's Mayor were contained in an announcement by a local real estate firm telling of its sale today.

"It looks," said the statement, "as if the Mayor of New York, like the President and Governor, will have an official home owned by the city and occupied by the Mayor during his term of office. The property mentioned most frequently in this connection is the former Clark mansion at the northern corner of Riverside Drive and Eighty-ninth street."

### STATE AT WAR WITH GARLIC

Botanist Tells Farmers How to Eradicate Costly Weed  
Harrisburg, July 7.—(By A. P.)—The State of Pennsylvania has started to battle with garlic. Presence of wild garlic in wheat is costing farmers in the southern and eastern wheat-growing counties hundreds of dollars a year because its presence gives it a low grade and opportunities to develop wheat growing have been materially hampered by patches of garlic among the grain.

### BOY OF NINE SAVES DROWNING MAIDEN

Acts Quickly When Girl of Six Years Loses Her Life-Preserver

OTHER ATLANTIC CITY NEWS

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger:  
Atlantic City, July 7.—Charles Howarth, nine-year-old son of William Howarth, of Ventnor Heights, proved himself a hero yesterday when he plunged into the Thoroughfare at the Dorset avenue bridge and saved the life of six-year-old Marie Lindmeter, of Ventnor Heights.

The little girl had been floating around in the water with a life preserver about her. In some manner the belt slipped and she had gone down twice when Charles saw her. Without removing even his shoes he plunged overboard and in a few strokes caught Marie and pulled her to a nearby boat landing. Charles then dashed for home without a word to any one.

George H. Rogers, seventy-three years old, died at his home, 206 South New Hampshire avenue, yesterday. Mr. Rogers was a member of the exporting and importing firm of Rogers, Holoway & Co., Inc., of 181 South Fourth street, Philadelphia.

He had been a summer cottager here for a number of years and two years ago made this city his permanent home. He was stricken with Bright's disease in February and has been in poor health since that time. He is survived by a widow, a daughter, Miss Nancy Rogers, and two sons, George H. Rogers, Jr., of Ventnor, and Henry Walsh Rogers, a captain in the Red Cross service at

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**2 DEAD IN VANCOUVER FIRE**  
Many Missing and Ten Houses in Ruins Near Merville  
Merville, Vancouver Island, B. C., July 7.—(By A. P.)—Two are known to be dead, many are missing and ten houses are in ruins from a fire which last night swept from the bush through the soldier settlement here. Scores fled when a shift in the wind turned the raging bush fires toward the settlement and no complete check-up is available. Lack of modern apparatus has made difficult the work of fighting the flames. In with soldier settlers have joined with residents of Courtenay, nine miles away.

### ALLEGED BIGAMIST MISSING

D. D. Stewart, Former Clergyman, Accused of Theft, Disappears  
Los Angeles, July 7.—(By A. P.)—Donald Duncan Stewart, former clergyman, wanted on a new fugitive warrant, charging bigamy, grand larceny and conspiracy in Boston, was missing today.

Stewart was released from jail on a writ of habeas corpus last Saturday, a few days after his arrest at Sierra Madre, near here, with Ethel Turner Oshaldston-Stewart, one of his alleged bigamous wives, who was accused of conspiracy.

Mrs. Stewart, who was in jail awaiting the outcome of her petition for a habeas corpus writ, was arrested there on the new complaint, arraigned and held in bail of \$20,000 pending a preliminary hearing July 13.

## STRAWBRIDGE & CLOTHIER



### Saturday is a Holiday for Us

The Store Will be Closed All Day

To-morrow—the first of our summer Saturday holidays. Monday, after a two-day rest, everybody will be back again ready to serve well with needed things for summer, at low prices made possible by large merchandise preparations.

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63rd & Walnut Streets  
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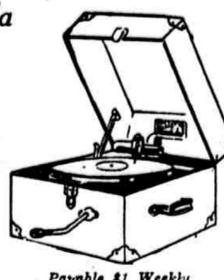
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## The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company

Office of the President  
Baltimore, Md.  
July 7, 1922

TO THE PUBLIC:

It is a matter of common knowledge that a large number of railroad employes, designated generally as members of the Shop Crafts, withdrew from the service of their employing companies at 10 o'clock a. m., July 1st, 1922. This strike or stoppage of work on the part of certain classes of railroad employes, on the same date and at the same hour on practically all of the railroads in the United States, is understood to be in harmony with a pre-arranged plan authorized by the chosen representatives of the men involved.

It has been stated in the columns of the daily press that this procedure on the part of the men is in protest against action taken by certain railroad companies with reference to piece-work practice, to the leasing of railroad shops and facilities to outside contractors, and also against Order No. 1036 of the United States Railroad Labor Board, effective July 1, 1922, authorizing certain reductions in wages.

A large number of Baltimore & Ohio employes, members of the Shop Crafts, joined in this concerted movement, although the Baltimore & Ohio Company so far has not sought to re-establish piece work, nor has it leased any of its shops or facilities to outside contractors. No controversy concerning the two specific matters just mentioned exists between this Company and any class of its employes.

The Baltimore & Ohio Company, however, is subject to the Transportation Act of 1920, and in accordance with the provisions of that Act it did announce its intention to put into effect on July 1st the new basis of wages fixed by the Labor Board and found by that Board to be just and reasonable when tested by the requirements of the Transportation Act.

While more than half of the employes affected by Order No. 1036 withdrew from the Baltimore & Ohio service, a very substantial number of the same classes of employes remained at work and have expressed their intention to continue in the service of the Company at the new wages lawfully prescribed and now in effect.

The duty is imposed by law upon the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company as a common carrier to provide adequate transportation for all who may desire to make use of the facilities, and it is also the duty of the officers of the Company to make every possible and practicable effort to operate such trains as may be necessary to serve the public needs. The efforts of the Company to fulfill its obligations to the public have necessarily been hampered by the strike now in effect.

The management of the Baltimore & Ohio Company has so far refrained from hiring new men in large numbers, as it might easily have done, for the purpose of filling the places made vacant by the men now on strike, hoping that after giving the matter further consideration many of the men who took part in the strike might conclude to return to the service. A considerable number have already returned. It is felt, however, by the management of the Company that it must now proceed vigorously to resume normal operations, and to the extent that the men now out of service fail to return, it is the intention of the Company to employ new men as fast as suitable and competent men can be obtained. The Company would much prefer to have its old employes return to the service, but it cannot evade its responsibility to the public under the law. It must under the law make every reasonable and practicable effort to maintain its property and operate its trains, and this duty it will endeavor to perform.

The Baltimore & Ohio management has been extremely anxious to maintain pleasant relations with all classes of its employes, and it deeply regrets the situation which has arisen.

It is ready and willing to pay the wages fixed by the Labor Board as just and reasonable. It is not authorized to pay more; it does not expect or desire to pay less.

In this connection attention is called to the following paragraph from a bulletin put out by the United States Railroad Labor Board on the 3rd instant:

"RESOLVED, that if it be assumed that the employes who leave the service of the carrier because of their dissatisfaction with any decisions of the Labor Board are within their rights in so doing, it must likewise be conceded that the men who remain in the service and those who enter it anew are within their rights in accepting such employment; that they are not strikebreakers seeking to impose the arbitrary will of an employer on employes; that they have the moral as well as the legal right to engage in such service of the American public to avoid interruption of indispensable railway transportation, and that they are entitled to the protection of every department and branch of the Government, State and National.

"It is suggested that carriers bulletin this resolution which was adopted by the majority action of the Board.

"By order of L. M. Parker, Secretary, this July 3d, 1922.

"UNITED STATES RAILROAD LABOR BOARD,  
"Ben W. Hooper, Chairman."

Recognition of the deep interest which all must feel in a controversy of this kind has suggested the publication of this statement.

**DANIEL WILLARD,**  
President, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company.