THE WEATHER
Fair and continued warm tonight and Thursday; gentle variable winds.
TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR

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5 FIREMEN HURT IN $125,000 FIRE AT NORRISTOWN

Sixty Horses, Thirty Cows and Several Hundred Chickens Are Burned to Death

ENTIRE BLOCK FRONTING ON MAIN ST. DESTROYED

Forty Families Flee Homes, Parking Belongings on Pavement

Sixty horses, thirty cows and several hundred chickens were burned to death, six firemen were injured and a three-story stone-and-brick stable was destroyed early this morning in a fire which swept an entire block in Norristown, burning seven hours. The loss is estimated at $125,000.

The stable, belonging to the Ivin C. Walker Horse Bazaar and Sale Company, fronted on Main street, below Lafayette, and extended back to Franklin street, a distince of 400 feet.

Surrounding the stable were two-story dwellings, four of which caught fire and were saved only after quick action on the part of firemen. Two of the dwellings were badly damaged when a wall of the burning building collapsed. Members of several families narrowly escaped death. A panic was narrowly averted among inmates of St. Joseph's Protectory for Girls, which faces the stable on Main street.

More than forty families fled from their homes with belongings which they packed on the pavements.

Among the firemen injured were Samuel D. Crawford, assistant chief of the fire department; Richard Marsh and James Bolton. They were sent to the Montgomery Hospital. Their injuries were not serious.

Other injured firemen were attended by Red Cross workers under direction of Mrs. Walter S. Scheive. These young women were on the scene almost as quickly as the firemen.

The fire gave Norristown's Safety Police Committee an opportunity to get in action for the first time. The committee, recently organized, is composed of ten firemen from each of the five volunteer companies. They quickly covered the entire neighborhood and assisted in getting a score of families and their belongings out to safety.

Many persons, a number of whom were ill, were carried from their homes when the fire threatened to spread. One woman, an invalid, was lowered from a second-story window by means of a rope.

Firemen Hampered

Firemen were hampered by the lack of water. Shortly after 1 o'clock the family of Thomas Mandalusa had a narrow escape when a wall of the burning building fell against Mandalusa's house. The occupants were preparing to flee at the time.

The flames flashed against the sky and could be seen for miles around. Automobiles, filled with curious spectators, hurried to the fire from every corner of the city and surrounding country. Trolley cars were filled to capacity with excited passengers on their way to the blaze.

Justice of the Peace Puche, who lives opposite the destroyed stable, was the first to discover the fire. He was preparing to retire at midnight when he glanced across the street and saw flames shooting from a second-story window. He immediately telephoned to police headquarters and sounded an alarm.

Neighbors Aroused

Then Puche ran from his home and aroused his neighbors, most of whom had retired for the night. Within a few minutes a volunteer group rushed toward the blazing building, broke down the doors and began rescuing the imprisoned animals, whose cries by that time could be heard for several blocks.

So quickly did the blaze gain headway that by the time a score of cattle had been led from the building by as many rescuers, huge sheets of flame were shooting skyward and dense clouds of smoke forced the rescuers back away from the stable.

When Puche and his aides saw that further attempts to save the animals would be in vain they turned their attention to St. Joseph's Protectory across the street. The entire building was illuminated by the fire and frightened girls stood at the windows staring fearfully at the burning stable.

Puche entered the building and with the assistance of attending nuns pacified the excited occupants who quietly formed in line and marched in a body to the street. They were temporarily cared for at a nearby church.

The animals which died in the fire were to have featured the weekly field day sale of the bazaar today. The horses were part of a choice lot just brought from Kentucky.

The bazaar building had long been regarded as a fire menace by residents of Norristown on account of its proximity to a score of homes.

Ivins C. Walker, owner of the stable, places his loss at approximately $80,000. Damage to surrounding property is placed at $45,000.

VETERAN SLASHES SELF

James Carney, Shell-Shocked Marine, Tries to Commit Suicide

James J. Carney, thirty-six years old, who served as a marine during the war, attempted suicide at 4:45 A. M. today by slashing himself with a butcher knife, at his lodgings, 116 Hermit street, Roxborough.

Carney had suffered severely from shellshock. During the war he wandered from his own regiment, and was missing six months. He turned up finally, fighting with another regiment in another sector of the battle front.

Austin Meary, another boarder, hearing groans, investigated and found Carney on the bed in his room. He had been slashed severely, and a butcher-knife lay on the floor beside him. He was taken to Memorial Hospital, where his condition is serious. Carney is unmarried.

DO YOU EVER READ THE PARCEL POST LISTS? They're interesting. See page

Family Saved From Fire When Awakened by a Dog

Barks of a dog in the street awakened the family of Mrs. Mary Jackness, 2906 Germantown avenue, shortly before 3 o'clock this morning when fire started on the first floor. All reached the street in safety.

Six children of Mrs. Jackness, who is absent from the city, were helped to the street by a maid.

The first floor of the building is occupied as a delicatessen. Smoke pouring through the door attracted the dog's attention. He belonged to a neighbor.

The fire caused several hundred dollars damage.

CHAUFFEUR HELD UP $4650 AUTO TAKEN

Car Owned by Robert P. Brown, Paper Box Maker, Stolen by Three Bandits

ROBBERS USE A PISTOL

A touring car, belonging to Robert P. Brown, of Arncliffe, 176 West Chelten avenue, and president of a paper-box manufacturing company at Franklin and Willow streets, was stolen by bandits at 6 o'clock last evening.

James Wilson, Mr. Brown's chauffeur, was taking the machine to the garage at Wayne and Chelten avenues. He stopped at Harvey street and Wayne avenue, intending to call on W. L. Ferguson, a friend with whom Wilson was planning to take a vacation trip.

As Wilson was about to step out of the car, another machine, with three men in it, stopped beside him, the men jumped out, and one of them pointed a pistol at him.

"We want that car—get out of it quick," said the armed man.

One of the holdup men jumped into the machine and the two cars fled.

A car was found abandoned at Seventeenth and Walnut streets at 7 o'clock this morning. The police think it is the stolen car, and Mr. Brown late today will try to identify it.

2 REPORTED MISSING

Girl, 22, Disappeared in January; Man, 42, Last Saturday

Mrs. Anna McColden, of 4342 Josephine street, reported to the police today that her twenty-two-year-old daughter Mary had been missing since last January.

The mother said her daughter had last been seen in New York City. Mary was described as pretty.

The detectives have also been asked to find Emanuel West, forty-two years old, 111 North Fifty-fourth street. He has been missing since last Saturday.

Last night Camden detectives informed the Detective Bureau here that they had found A. Litwak, eight years old, wandering about the streets of Camden. The boy could not give his address, saying that he lived near Fifth and Walnut streets. A search is being made today to locate relatives here.

Mrs. Velna Smith, of Sherburne, N. Y., has asked detectives here to locate her son whom she believes to be in this city. He left Sherburne August 16 on a bicycle "hike" to Winston-Salem, N. C.

6 ROBBERIES NET $2350

Clothing, Jewelry and Silverware Included in Loot

In six robberies reported to the police today clothing, jewelry and silverware were stolen with an aggregate value of $2350.

A suitcase was stolen from the automobile of Charles Huston, 2021 South Salford street, while it was parked at Twelfth and Sansom streets. The case contained clothing and six books of music valued, in all at $1160.

The home of Mrs. S. Lecofowitz, 5650 Pine street, was entered and silverware and clothing valued at $412 stolen.

Angelo Manzo, 1016 Salter street, reported the theft of silverware and diamonds from his home, valued at $300.

Maude Pheil, 1728 Green street, was robbed of $213 worth of clothing and jewels while she was absent from her home.

A $150 diamond stickpin was stolen from Samuel N. Levin, 6040 Haverford avenue.

Mrs. Samuel Snow, 915 North Fifteenth street, reports the loss of a revolver and lavallier, valued at $115.

BOTTLE CRASH SCARES CAMDEN INTRUDER

Child's Mishap Results in Chase and Arrest of Alleged Burglar

The crash of bottles knocked over by a child at midnight frightened a man trying to break into the home of William A. Suggs, 23 North Thirtieth street, Camden, and led to a spectacular chase to Merchantville, where the fugitive was taken from a trolley car.

Suggs, a sea captain, heard the man scrambling from his porch roof. He saw a Negro dart down Thirtieth street, and followed. Councilman John Dobbin, 25 North Thirtieth street, joined the chase.

The Negro boarded a trolley, and Suggs and Dobbin gave chase in an auto. They succeded ahead to a police station and a patrolman returned with them to the trolley.

The Negro said he was John Maraken, employed by a farmer at Moorestown.

The bottles were knocked over by a child in the home of George Gross, 29 North Thirtieth street, as it was trying to take a medicine bottle from a shelf.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN KILLED

Is Struck by Auto at Sixth Street and Erie Avenue

An unidentified man died at 11:50 o'clock last night in the Samaritan Hospital after he had been run down by an automobile at Sixth street and Erie avenue. The accident occurred about 10:30 o'clock, and the man died without being able to tell his name.

There were no identifying marks in his clothing. He was about sixty years old, had gray hair, and was wearing a gray striped suit and a straw hat.

LA FOLLETTE WINS BY GREAT MARGIN AT PRIMARY POLLS

Defeats Ganfield Decisively for Senatorial Nomination in Wisconsin

ENTIRE STATE TICKET VICTORIOUS WITH SENATOR

"Drys" Beaten in Hot Fight as People Register Anti-Newberryism

By Associated Press

Milwaukee, Sept. 6.—Indications this afternoon were that Senator Robert M. La Follette had been overwhelmingly renominated in yesterday's primary election over W. A. Ganfield, of Waukesha, as Republican candidate for United States Senator at the November election. The vote reported from 1415 precincts out of 21,523 showed 188,096 for La Follette and 76,506 for Ganfield.

According to the returns, it appears that the people of this State indorsed the issues which La Follette had advocated at Washington, and upon which he sought renomination. These were opposition to the Esch-Cummins act, Newberryism, the Four-Power Treaty and his opposition to the policies of President Harding.

Mr. Ganfield, who went down to defeat, was the candidate of the citizens' Republican conference which had the backing of Senator Irvine I. Lenroot, Wisconsin junior Senator. He was supported also by the Anti-Saloon League, which asserted the fight in Wisconsin this year was "the most important wet and dry election in the United States." Mr. Ganfield made more than 300 speeches during the campaign, in which he asked La Follette's retirement from public life because, he said, the senior Wisconsin Senator is an obstructionist in Congress, and as such is of no use to his State in the upper house. Mr. Ganfield also charged La Follette with being radical in his tendencies.

Returns from 815 precincts show that the entire La Follette State ticket decisively overcame its opponents by large majorities, with the exception of Solomon Levitan, who was leading, in a close race for Treasurer, against Henry Johnson, incumbent, for six successive terms.

Governor John J. Blaine led the State ticket, his victory being decisive over Attorney General William J. Morgan. The vote in 1289 precincts was Blaine, 148,328; Morgan, 72,323, and McHenry, 7887.

The Anti-Saloon League indorsed all the candidates opposed to La Follette.

Of the present Congressmen who sought renomination, H. A. Cooper, in the First; William H. Stafford, in the Fifth; J. D. Beck, in the Seventh, and E. E. Browne, in the Eighth have been successful.

A close battle developed in the Eleventh District, where Congressman A. P. Nelson, one of the Anti-Saloon League leaders in Congress, is running behind H. H. Peavey, a "wet."

Congressman James A. Frear was unopposed in the Tenth District. The Anti-Saloon League and the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, Wisconsin Division, took active part in the congressional campaigns.

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 6.—With seven counties of the eighty-two in the State unreported Hubert O. Stephens, former Congressman from the Second Mississippi District, was leading former Senator James K. Vardaman in yesterday's second Democratic primary for nomination to the United States Senate, by approximately 10,876 votes, according to incomplete and unofficial returns tabulated this afternoon.

These returns, including twenty-four counties complete, gave Stephens, 85,124; Vardaman, 74,248.

The Democratic nomination in Mississippi is equivalent to election. The successful candidate will succeed John Sharp Williams, who retires next March.

Reno, Nev., Sept. 6.—Representative Samuel S. Arentz had a lead of sixty-seven votes over Charles S. Chandler for the Republican nomination for United States Senator early today, when one-fourth of the votes cast in yesterday's primary were counted. About 15,000 votes were cast, divided about evenly between Democratic and Republican candidates.

HOOVER MAY ATTEND COAL PARLEY HERE

Conference Expected to Take Up Question of Prices

Secretary of Commerce Hoover is expected to come to Philadelphia tomorrow to represent the Government at the conference on anthracite distribution.

The Government also will be represented by Federal Fuel Distributor Spencer and Interstate Commerce Commissioner Aitchison, of the Central Coal Committee named by President Harding to handle emergency bituminous coal distribution.

Pennsylvania is to be represented by its Fuel Commission, the anthracite operators by their Distribution Committee, and New York and the New England States, as primary hard coal consumers, by representatives of their respective Governors.

Preliminary suggestions, officials in Washington indicated, would call for the interstate distribution of anthracite under the Federal fuel organization working in co-operation with the Interstate Commerce Commission, whose priority classifications give preference to household consumers of hard coal, while the distribution within State boundaries would be left to the State authorities.

Prices, officials believed, would be a matter to be agreed upon by the anthracite operators and the Pennsylvania authorities, as the mines are located within the one State.

DO YOU WANT A USED AUTOMOBILE? The classified columns of the Evening Public Ledger list some of the best bargains to be found in Used Cars on page 31.—Adv.

Beauty Phalanx Prepares to Dazzle Old Neptune

MISS KATHERINE GRANT, "MISS LOS ANGELES"
She was chosen to represent the California city in the Atlantic City pageant, which started today. Until eight years ago she lived at 125 Lincoln avenue, Haddonfield, N. J.

Roar of Cannon Marks Opening of Atlantic City Pageant, While Country's Fairest Daughters Await Judging

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 6.—Mythology was outdistanced here today, for instead of beauty arising from the sea fifty-seven prize-winning beauties arose in beach-front hotels, ready to welcome Father Neptune in the pageant this afternoon.

The contenders for selection as "Queen of America," including "Miss Philadelphia" Kitty Molineux pounded the pillows until a late hour this morning. The early sunlight might have freckled some peaches-and-cream complexions.

Hudson Maxim, as Father Neptune, with his crown-decked white hair, his beard, trident and other accessories, will land at the Inlet at 3 o'clock today. If there are any mermaids in the depths of the Atlantic they will lose "Nep's" allegiance when he greets the beauty phalanx.

Neptune will be greeted by an aerial salute and by Miss America (Margaret Gorman), of Washington, winner of the beauty contest and the golden mermaid last year. She will be attended by the Court of Honor, a selection of twenty beauties of Atlantic City.

And Miss Gorman is an important person. It is against her that all the beauties are competing. The trophy stands about two feet high. It is as broad at the base.

The golden mermaid lies on a boulder of granite surmounted upon bronze, realistically tarnished and carved to represent waves. On the base are bronze plates in the form of sea shells. On one of these is engraved each year the name of the winner. To retain possession of the trophy the contestant must win it three times.

Great Gathering Tonight

The intercity beauties will view Father Neptune at 3 o'clock, but he will scarcely deign to notice them. It is tonight when he will formally meet them. Tonight, at the Garden Pier Theatre, after a vaudeville entertainment and a dance, they will smile their prettiest and hope that he will slip a good word for them to the beauty judges Friday.

Crowds—yes, men were in the majority—assembled in front of the hotels sheltering the fair maids from many cities. The girls were even more alluring after their rest and keenly awaited the judging.

"Beautiful or Bust" seemed to be the motto of the prize winners last night. "Please go 'way and let me sleep and call me for nobody but the royal 'himself,'" said Miss Molineux.

Must Have Her Sleep

"And I am going to sleep as much as I can," laughed "Miss New Orleans," Maude Price, who has long brown curls and the haunting smile of Mona Lisa herself. "And I won't go near the water. I see lots of little lobsters." This is Miss Price's name for maids who tote around a thick coat of tan.

And she smiled, and her smile said as plain as plain could be: "For I have a lovely pallor that must be retained."

They all want to win the $5000 golden mermaid.

Yesterday the beauties swooped down upon the playground by sea like an au-

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WOMAN HIT BY TRUCK

Became Confused When Driver Swerved Machine to Avoid Her

While attempting to cross Kensington avenue at Cambria street shortly at 11 o'clock this morning, a woman was struck by an autotruck when, through a misunderstanding, the driver ran his machine on the sidewalk in an effort to avoid hitting her.

According to witnesses, the woman had reached the middle of the street when the truck driver sounded the horn about ten feet from her. The woman, witnesses say, became confused and ran directly in front of the vehicle when it swerved up on the pavement to avoid striking her.

She was taken to the Episcopal Hospital and treated for cuts and bruises of the head, legs and hands.

F. Campbell, 128 Hoffman street, driver of the truck, was arrested.

GIRL TRIES TO KILL MAN SHE LOVED

Anna Penter Goes Gunning for Barber Who Intended Marrying Another Today

DISARMED BY POLICEMAN

Angered because the man she loves did not tell her of his approaching marriage to another girl, Miss Anna Penter, twenty-four years old, 1334 North Hancock street, last night attempted to kill Albert Pilger, twenty-four years old, of 1303 North Orianna street, in a barber shop at Fourth and George streets, where he is employed.

She was arrested after a five-minute struggle with Patrolman Paul, of the Front and Master streets station, who saw the girl emerge from the shop after her intended victim ran out the front entrance.

Before Paul could overcome Miss Penter he was attacked by her companion, Teresa Rickett, of 976 North Lawrence street. She also was arrested.

Unaware of Girl's Love

According to Pilger, he went to live at the Hancock street house, conducted as a rooming house by the girl's mother, five months ago. He did not know of her love for him, he says, until last Monday, when she demanded to know why he ignored her. Her actions frightened Pilger and he moved to Orianna street yesterday.

Last night he was shaving a customer in the shop, which is owned by John Selinger. He had intended to marry Katherine Hipp, of 2433 North Fairhill street, earlier in the day, but was compelled to postpone the affair until today because Magistrate Scullin, who was to perform the ceremony, was not at his office.

Told of Coming Marriage

Shortly after 8 o'clock Miss Penter entered the barber shop by a rear door. She encountered Mrs. Selinger in the kitchen, and was informed that Pilger was to be married.

The girl immediately drew a pistol and walked toward the front of the building. As she appeared through a doorway Pilger saw her holding the weapon and ran out the front door. Then the girl turned around and disappeared down the alley toward Fourth street.

The patrolman heard Pilger's calls for help and at the same time saw the girl emerge from the alley with the pistol still in her hand. He arrested her.

At a hearing today before Magistrate Scullen Miss Penter was held in $800 bail for a further hearing tomorrow.

Friends of the girl say that Pilger met her at a party and became enamored of her. They say he had promised to marry her.

Miss Penter is a blond, tall with regular features and blue eyes. She wept bitterly this morning and insisted that she meant no harm to Pilger, but merely wanted to frighten him.

EDGAR LEE MASTERS, POET, AND WIFE ARE RECONCILED

Love for Children Reunites Pair Separated Three Years

Chicago, Sept. 6.—(By A. P.)—Love for each other and their children, which has survived the test of three years' separation, of suits for separate maintenance and divorce, has brought about a reconciliation of Edgar Lee Masters, poet, and Mrs. Helen Jenkins Masters, according to friends of the couple.

Mrs. Masters brought suit for separate maintenance in 1920 and in March, 1922, she obtained a decree for $300 monthly alimony. Her suit for divorce on the grounds of desertion still is in the courts.

The poet and author of "Spoon River Anthology" is a practicing attorney in Chicago.

THE JOB YOU ARE LOOKING FOR MAY be found in the Help Wanted columns on pages 30 and 31.—Adv.

HARD COAL PEACE PLAN HELD SURE OF RATIFICATION

Lewis and District Leaders Predict Overwhelming Majority for Agreement

GREAT VICTORY FOR MINE WORKERS, SAYS UNION HEAD

Only Twelve of 400 Locals Opposed to Reed-Pepper Compromise

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Sept. 6. — The Pepper-Reed plan for ending the anthracite strike will be ratified by an overwhelming vote, according to the statements made today by John L. Lewis, international chief of the miners, and Chris Golden, William J. Brennan and Thomas Kennedy, the hard-coal district presidents.

The Lewis administration claimed today that a thorough canvass of the whole anthracite field, in which there are about 400 local unions, showed that only twelve of these had instructed the delegates to vote against acceptance of the peace offer.

"We have won a great victory," said Lewis, "and the United Mine Workers knew it. There is some slight opposition to acceptance of the tentative peace we have made, but it is so slight that we are enthusiastically happy in anticipation of an overwhelming vote of confidence."

District President Kennedy claimed the delegates from No. 7 would vote

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AUTO KILLS GIRL AND ALSO HER WOULD-BE RESCUER

Double Deaths at Shenandoah, Then Driver Is Held

Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 6.—Two persons were killed here today by an automobile, owned and driven by Dr. Walter Luchinsky. Returning from school, Margaret Grady became confused as the car bore down on her. Daniel Franey, seeing her peril, tried to rescue her, with the result that both were struck by the machine. The girl was killed instantly and Franey sustained injuries from which he died several hours later at the State Hospital at Fountain Springs.

The physician surrendered to the police.

WOOD ALCOHOL KILLS SIX

Number of Fatalities This Week in Brooklyn Starts Police Inquiry

New York, Sept. 6.—(By A. P.)—The sixth death attributed to wood alcohol poisoning in the Red Hook section of Brooklyn this week occurred today.

The police are investigating to learn if more of the liquor is in the neighborhood and how it got there.

LIFE GUARDS VINDICATED

Chelsea Jury Decides Heart Disease Caused Girl's Death

Atlantic City, Sept. 6. — The life guards stationed on the Chelsea beach were acquitted of negligence in the death of Miss Esther Kerchner, of Macungie, Pa., in the ocean here on August 21.

The inquest into the girl's death was held in the City Hall last night, lasting several hours, charges having been freely made that the guards had been negligent. The jury, after being out forty-five minutes, returned the following verdict:

"We find that Esther Kerchner came to her death by heart disease on August 21 while bathing in the ocean at the foot of Montpelier avenue. We do not find any apparent negligence on the part of the life guards in attempting to rescue her."

LAST-MINUTE NEWS

THIRTY-TWO AIRPLANES FLY AROUND ALPS

BERNE, SWITZERLAND, Sept. 6.—Thirty-two airplanes started a flight around the Alps today in connection with the international aviation meet at Zurich which opened today. A Swiss pilot took the lead. He was followed by eighteen other Swiss airplanes, six French, four Czecho-Slovak and three Polish machines.

BANDITS STEAL LIQUOR WORTH $40,000

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Bandits entered a storehouse early today, bound and gagged two watchmen and got away with liquor valued by the storehouse officials at between $25,000 and $50,000.

PINCHOT CALLS FOR FULL REGISTRATION

Nominee Says Every Voter Owes This Duty to State and to Self-Respect

CONFERS WITH HIS LEADERS

Gifford Pinchot, Republican nominee for Governor, made a stirring appeal to voters today to do their full duty tomorrow and register for the November election.

Tomorrow is the first of the three registration days. Mr. Pinchot wants every possible vote to be got out tomorrow, however, to lessen the work of getting a full enrollment on the later days.

With this end in view he issued the following statement today at his headquarters:

"If you don't register, you can't vote. No matter if you were registered last spring, you cannot vote again in Philadelphia or elsewhere unless you register again. You owe it to your State and to your self-respect to play the part of a responsible citizen and that means registering and voting."

Mr. Pinchot conferred today with leaders of his campaign, discussing principally the problem of getting out a full tally of registrants tomorrow.

The nominee realizes that the best way to show the Legislature that the people are standing squarely behind him is to get out a big registration on the first day. He pointed this out in conferences with his leaders.

Mr. Pinchot had a long conference today with Mrs. Barclay H. Warburton, vice chairman of the Republican State Committee, on the question of getting a heavy registration among the women voters.

The women expect to play a big part in the election, and they have made elaborate preparations, some of the leaders having for several weeks worked on plans to get a full registration.

Mrs. Warburton is one of the women leaders who have been working hard to assure a big registration. Mrs. A. R. Harmon, president of the Republican Women's Club of Pennsylvania, and a Vare follower, also has issued orders to her subordinates to get out the largest possible vote. The ward chairmen of the League of Women Voters have been going from house to house exacting promises to register tomorrow.

Mrs. George Horace Lorimer, president of the Republican Women of Pennsylvania, is making a "special information drive" from the organization's headquarters, 219 South Seventeenth street. Thousands of explanatory pamphlets concerning registration have been sent out. Tomorrow a telephone service will be maintained at headquarters, so that women voters can get information quickly over the telephone.

GUNS OF 8 NATIONS BOOM FOR HUGHES

Secretary Given Noisy Welcome by Warships in Harbor of Rio Janeiro

RETURN MEXICAN SALUTE

By Associated Press

Rio Janeiro, Sept. 6.—Guns boomed from the warships of eight nations when the U. S. S. Maryland entered the harbor of Rio Janeiro yesterday afternoon carrying the American mission to the Brazilian Centennial headed by Secretary of State Hughes.

The steamship Pan-America, which brought Mr. Hughes from New York, overtook the Maryland and the Nevada just before arriving at the entrance of the harbor where the Secretary and his party were transferred to the Maryland.

Four Brazilian destroyers, taking up positions on either side of the two American battleships, escorted them in to the majestic body of water surrounded by towering mountains which makes Rio famous as a beauty spot.

The Maryland anchored in the midst of an international fleet and exchanged salutes in which the harbor forts joined. The vessels represented Great Britain, Japan, Italy, Portugal, Argentina, Uruguay, Mexico and Brazil.

Although the United States has not recognized the Mexican Government, the gunboat flying the Mexican flag saluted and the Nevada returned the salute by order of the Secretary of State, who told Admiral Jones that diplomatic technicalities should be waived since both vessels were in a friendly harbor.

A delegation of Brazilian officials, accompanied by American Ambassador Morgan, visited the Maryland and welcomed the newcomers. After this Secretary Hughes and his party boarded a launch, which conveyed them to the arsenal.

Here were drawn up committees of Americans, who cheered the Secretary. There also was a crowd of Brazilians and a crack regiment of Brazilian marines, which saluted while the band played "The Star Spangled Banner."

The Hughes party was then driven to the Guanabara Palace, their official residence. Mr. Hughes later was driven to the Itamarty Palace, where he presented his credentials to Foreign Minister Marques. The Secretary rested last evening and today was scheduled to call on President Pessoa.

On his arrival Mr. Hughes gave a lengthy statement to the Brazilian press referring to the abiding friendship between Brazil and the United States, and recalling the visit of Dom Pedro II to the American Centennial in 1876 and the fact that he is returning that visit on behalf of President Harding.

RAIL INJUNCTION BREACH OF LAW, SENATOR ASSERTS

Robinson Declares It Violates Constitution and Reflects on Integrity of Courts

IMPEACH DAUGHERTY AND JUDGE, SHOPMEN URGE

Two Labor Chiefs' Disappearance Linked With Reported Move to Settle Strike

By Associated Press

Washington, Sept. 6.—The injunction obtained by the Government against the striking shopmen was declared today in the Senate by Senator Robinson, Democrat, Arkansas, to be violative of both the Constitution and the Clayton Anti-trust Act.

He asserted that the injunction "abridged freedom of speech, and of the press and the right of people peaceably to assemble." He argued also that it violated the section of the Clayton Act which he said implied "that laborers may organize and act in concert for the purpose of mutual help without the risk of prosecution under anti-trust laws."

Senator Robinson charged that the Federal court exceeded its authority in issuing the temporary restraining order and declared that "the alleged advantages" to be derived from the order "are more than offset by the permanent impairment of the reputation of the Federal judiciary for integrity and impartiality which must result from such an unwarranted assumption of authority."

Rumors of Pending Settlement

At the moment when rumors of impending partial settlement of the rail strike were in wide though controverted circulation today, W. H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, one of the largest of several rail unions now on strike, took occasion to disappear.

Mr. Johnston's associates and his family professed ignorance of his whereabouts, but were unanimous in their confidence that he was on official and important duty. At machinists' headquarters here inquiries brought the reply that he was "in Pittsburgh, Baltimore or New York."

Adding to the mystery was the established fact that Mr. Johnston had a conversation yesterday with Secretary Hoover before he dropped out of sight and was reported to have informed the Secretary that settlement prospects were bright. Whether B. M. Jewell, the official head of the entire striking group, was in company with Mr. Johnston in the latter's mysterious journeyings, or whether railroad presidents were seeking or being sought for settlement conferences remained in the "rumor" stage, with every railroad source of information denying that executives were seeking such meetings.

A more vigorous denial was entered by machinists' officials to suggestions that their elusive chief might be seeking to foil process servers armed with copies of the Chicago restraining order entered in the injunction suit against Mr. Johnston and the other strike leaders. To the exact contrary, it was said, he was "seeking service" of the papers, and would be instantly brought to light to receive them if any United States marshal showed up around headquarters.

It was even asserted that an official copy of the order itself was keenly wanted by the strike committee to check up against press reports.

No Overtures to Southern R. R.

The Southern Railway, whose president, Fairfax Harrison, has sought separate settlement with the striking shopmen on the basis of giving them everything their leaders had accepted as satisfactory in a national settlement, has had no overtures, it was said today, for renewal of negotiations. The management, though now engaged in employing new men, is still able to make the original offers again, it was added.

H. L. Brunson, assistant to President Johnston, of the machinists, said it would be impossible for any general conference between union officials and

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STONED B. & O. ENGINE

Fred Heppe Held in $500 Bail Following Bombardment

Fred Heppe, thirty-two years old, of Douglass street near Green, was held in $500 bail today for a further hearing August 12, by Magistrate Roberts, in the Twenty-eighth and Oxford streets station following his arrest last night for stoning a Baltimore and Ohio Railroad locomotive.

Heppe was seen shortly before 6 o'clock gathering rocks at Thirty-third and Thompson streets, which he later threw at a shifting engine. One of the missiles struck the engineer, E. A. Jackson, of 2133 South Frazier street. Another one narrowly missed D. S. Roach, the fireman, of 1522 South Fifty-third street.

Both men jumped from the locomotive and remonstrated with Heppe. When the latter became pugnacious, Fred Tschirig, of 2816 Master street, a watchman, tussled with the man and threw him to the ground.

TROLLEY CAR HITS GIRL

Marie Flynn, in Misericordia Hospital, Is Severely Injured

Marie Flynn, nineteen years old, 6047 Wheeler street, is in Misericordia Hospital suffering from cuts and bruises of head, hands and body, the result of being knocked down by a Route 36 car at Sixty-second street and Elmwood avenue shortly after 7 o'clock this morning.

Police say the young woman walked from behind a westbound car directly into the path of an eastbound one.

Russian Dancers Arrive in U. S.

New York, Sept. 6. — The autumn crop of dancers was enlarged yesterday by the arrival from South America on the steamship Vestris of two Russians, Ketty de Galantha and Gall Chabelska.

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