



SMART 'JOYRIDERS' COVER UP IDENTITY AFTER SMASH-UP

Remove License Tags, Cushions and All Means of Identification

5 WOMEN IN THE PARTY Don't Know Whether Machine Hit Another or Not; Two Wheels Smashed

Evidently fearing publicity, a party of alleged "joyriders" in an automobile, after an accident at Front and Seneca streets, about 1:30 o'clock this morning, removed the license tags, cushions and other means of identification from the machine.

Coroner Investigates Mt. Union Accident Where 8 Met Death

Special to The Telegraph. Altoona, Pa., Aug. 14.—Coroner Potter, of Mifflin county, and Pennsylvania Railroad officials began to-day the investigation of the accident at Mount Union yesterday in which eight men lost their lives.

It is the belief here that the men, who were working on the westbound freight track, had stepped off to allow a train to pass, failed to hear the signal given by the track foreman, H. E. Mills, because of the noise made by an approaching "jitney" train on another track and the passing freight train.

Frank E. McCool, of Huntingdon, died at the hospital last night, ten hours after the accident occurred. He had been employed on the track but a week and was but 19 years of age. His father was killed in a similar accident several years ago and it was to support his widowed mother that he tried to fill the place of his father.

JAPAN SEEKING TRADE. Washington, D. C., Aug. 14.—Efforts of Japan to foster trade in South America where markets formerly held by nations now involved in the European war are seeking new sources of supply, were reported to the Department of Commerce to-day by Commercial Attaché Verne L. Havens, at Santiago, Chile.

EXCHANGE TO REMAIN OPEN. Liverpool, Aug. 14.—The Cotton Exchange here will remain open until 6 p. m. on August 31 to receive the American Agricultural Department's report on the condition of the cotton crop.

Vacation season is at its height. Rest and recreation will not be complete unless you have all the news from home daily. Your favorite newspaper, The Harrisburg Telegraph, will fill the gap.

THE WEATHER. For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair to-night and Sunday; not much change in temperature. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair to-night and Sunday; gentle, shifting winds.

General Conditions. The greater part of the United States is covered by an area of high barometric pressure slightly above normal, extending from the Atlantic coast northward through the central valleys into Montana, with its center off the coast of the Carolinas. Pressure is low over the remainder of the country, but with no disturbance of importance charted.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 70. Sun: Rises, 5:10 a. m.; sets, 7:04 p. m. Moon: New moon, first quarter, August 17, 9:17 p. m. River Stage: 4.9 feet above low-water mark.

Yesterday's Weather. Highest temperature, 85. Lowest temperature, 60. Mean temperature, 74. Normal temperature, 72.

BANKERS ARE SEEKING \$500,000,000 CREDIT

Discussion of Methods For Advancing Sum Already in Progress

NEED FUNDS FOR MUNITIONS

Credit May Be Secured by Deposit Here of American Bonds Held in Europe

By Associated Press

New York, N. Y., Aug. 14.—International bankers who have been handling financial affairs for Great Britain, France and Russia in this country contemplated to-day the possibility of arranging credit reaching \$500,000,000 to meet the situation arising from heavy European purchases of war munitions and the consequent extraordinary decline in rates of foreign exchange.

One of the chief questions up for consideration was the nature of security to be required for the advances of American funds. It has been suggested that the credit may be secured by the deposit here of American bonds held in Europe, an effort to collect such bonds for a similar purpose in Great Britain recently did not meet with an encouraging response.

It is also proposed that British and Canadian bonds to the proportion of 25 per cent. of the total be advanced as collateral. Suggestion has been made recently that \$100,000,000 in credits chiefly for Great Britain be established here but bankers have now taken the stand that when the bulk of American war supplies in process of manufacture are sent forward the final payment then due will be so large that \$100,000,000 in actual stemming the decline in exchange rates.

THOUSANDS OF LOST ARTICLES ON CARS

Harrisburg Railway Company's Claim Agent Thinks Harrisburgers Absent-Minded

SCORES OF UMBRELLAS FOUND

Have to Mail Dozens of Letters Dropped on Seats by Hurrying Patrons

Are Harrisburgers absent-minded or have they formed a habit of forgetfulness? Is the question claim agents of the Harrisburg Railway Company ponder over daily as articles continue to pour into the office in Market street from the street cars operated in the city and by other members of the city and its vicinity.

Business in Sharon Best in Seven Years

Sharon, Pa., Aug. 14.—Activity such as this region has not known in seven years is shown by blast furnaces interests, due to the increasing demand for pig iron. The statement was made to-day that furnaces which have long been idle would be placed in operation before October 1. Superintendent J. S. Robbins, of the Clair furnace, received orders to repair the plant without delay and President George S. Boyd, of the Valley Mold and Iron Company announced the blast furnace would be placed in operation as soon as possible. Two blast furnaces at Middlesex are being repaired and the Hall Furnace of the Republic Iron and Steel Company also is being made ready for work, while an additional furnace of the Shenango Furnace Company it is expected will be blown in next week.

Quiet Reported in Haiti; Reception For President

Washington, D. C., Aug. 14.—The Haitian flag flies again over Fort National and both Port au Prince and Cape Haitien have been quiet since President Dantignat took up his duties. Rear Admiral Caperton reported to-day that the new president's reception was enthusiastic. The president made public acknowledgment of the part American troops took in restoring government.

THIRTY DIE IN STORM

Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 14.—Details of the damage done by the severe storm which swept over Jamaica yesterday are coming in slowly as telegraphic communication with the north side of the island has not yet been resumed. It is known, however, that thirty lives were lost at Anotto Bay, on the north coast, where considerable material damage was done and many persons were made homeless.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE POSTER TELLS HOW TO RETAIN CLASS AA BASEBALL IN HARRISBURG FOR 1916 SEASON



(Cartoon drawn for Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce.)

The Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce has already begun to work for the retention of the Harrisburg International franchise for 1916. Posters telling how this can be done have been sent to businessmen, fans, members of the chamber, and in fact to everybody who is at all interested in seeing Harrisburg boosted through a bang-up ball club. The poster says: "Accident and disaster will wreck any organization and cripple even the finest made mechanism. This is true of the Harrisburg baseball team which plays here again to-day in two games with Richmond, the first of a series of games which will keep the team in the Capital City until September 4."

"This Class AA team has proved a National advertising medium for Harrisburg. Nothing boosts a city so much as a successful baseball team, and members of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce should realize its advertising possibilities and lend their genuine support. One way is to attend the games in person, another is to give half-holidays in order that employees may attend. "Harrisburg, with less than 80,000 population, gave better support in twenty-four days than cities ten times its size. To keep the club next year, this mark must be bettered, and businessmen must help; not only for the city, but for themselves."

"Next week the club meets Providence Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Thursday is an open date. Saturday, the 21st, the club plays two games here with the Jersey City club. Lend your support and help give Harrisburg a permanent place in the International League. Boost the series by attending in force on Saturday."

GREAT HOMECOMING WELCOME TO INDIANS; LEAD IN SIXTH, 5 to 4

Harrisburg was leading 5 to 4 at the end of the sixth inning of the first game of the double-header with Richmond at 3:45 this afternoon.

The local boys were given a great ovation on their homecoming and despite their crippled team are putting up a brilliant game.

Three for Richmond in Second. Richmond was retired on a fast double play in the first inning. Harrisburg lost a chance to score when Zimmerman fanned with the bases loaded.

Second Inning, Richmond.—Bates walked. Twombly singled to center. Bates going to third. Bankston flied out to Lowe. Twombly stole second. Harrisburg's jinx started in on the next play. Healey hit to Low, who threw to Heckinger to catch Bates at the plate. The throw was low and wide and Heckinger attempted to make a bare-handed catch but split his finger, putting him out of the game. Zimmerman sent Kraft, regular first baseman, in behind the bat and sent Tooley, who has been out of the game, to cover first. O'Donnell sent a two-bagger to center, scoring Twombly, and a few seconds later Healey scored on Russell's single to short. Crane flied out to Thorpe and Enzmann threw out Arragon at first. Three runs, three hits, one error.

Second Inning, Harrisburg.—Tamm hit out at first. Tooley out at first on grounder. Enzmann out. Crane to Twombly. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning, Richmond.—Thompson fanned. Bates walked. Twombly singled to left field. Bankston whiffed and Bates out. Kraft to Zimmerman, attempting to steal third. No runs, one hit, no errors.

3 For Harrisburg, Too. Third Inning, Harrisburg.—Mensor flied out to Thompson. Lowe out, Crane to Twombly. Witter walked, and scored on Thorpe's three base hit. Kraft and Zimmerman were passed. Thorpe and Kraft scoring on Tamm's two base hit to center field. Tooley walked. Morrisette going in to pitch for Richmond. Tooley was forced out at second, when Crane flied out. Enzmann's hit to Arragon. Three runs, three hits, no errors.

Indians Get 1 in Fourth. Fourth Inning, Richmond.—Healey out on fly to Lowe. O'Donnell flied to Thorpe. Morrisette out, Zimmerman

to Tooley. No runs, no hits, no errors. Fourth Inning, Harrisburg.—Mensor walked, taking second on Lowe's sacrifice. Mensor out, trying to steal third. Witter went first on a fielder's choice, stole second and scored on Thorpe's single to center. Thorpe out, trying to steal second. One run, one hit, no errors.

Each Get 1 in Fifth. Fifth Inning, Richmond.—Crane singled to center, going to second on a passed ball by Kraft and taking third on Arragon's out. Tamm to Tooley. Crane scored on Thompson's sacrifice fly to Mensor. Bates tossed out Enzmann to Tooley. One run, one hit, no errors.

Neither Sore in Sixth. Sixth Inning, Richmond.—Twombly flied out to Tamm. Bankston singled to right field. Healey singled to third base. Bankston went to third on O'Donnell's sacrifice fly to center. Morrisette flied out to Thorpe. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Sixth Inning, Harrisburg.—Mensor walked, caught out trying to pilfer second. Lowe whiffed. Witter ending the inning on a fly to Arragon. No runs, no hits, no errors.

A home-coming welcome for a baseball team was never more enthusiastic than that accorded Eddie Zimmerman and his Indians to-day. The appearance of the Indians on the field at 1:15 for practice was the signal for an outburst of cheers from the fans. "Go at them, Eddie," shouted one spectator. "Don't bother about the hard luck, it is all over," yelled another. "We're with you, no matter what happens," came from the right field bleachers.

Harrisburg presented their patched line-up. Much regret was expressed because of the recalling of infielder Lowe by the Boston Nationals. He was in the game yesterday and gave promise of doing good work for Harrisburg. Manager Zimmerman expected another man to replace Lowe, but he will not likely get here before next week. Lowe will leave on Wednesday. Richmond had several new men on the field, including the famous New York American battery, John Warhop.

LEOPOLD'S FORCES MAKE STEADY GAINS

Germans Occupy Three Towns and Form New Front 60 Miles East of Warsaw

RUSS MAY ABANDON POSITION

Petrograd Claims That Germans Have Been Checked Between Poniewesch and Dvinsk

By Associated Press

London, Aug. 14, 12:20 p. m.—Steady progress for the forces of Prince Leopold, of Bavaria, eastward from Warsaw is taken here to indicate that the Germans are now massing their main movements on a drive through the Russian center and the continuance of the enveloping effort in the north, along the Dvina. Both Petrograd and Berlin agree that the Germans have occupied the towns of Sokolok, Siedlec and Lukow forming a German front about 60 miles east of Warsaw and 50 miles wide.

This is more than half way to Brest-Litvsk which Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-in-chief, hoped to make the new center of his defense. It is now regarded as probable that this point will be abandoned, owing to the speed of the German advance since the fall of Warsaw and the continued pressure of the armies of Generals Gallwitz, Scholz, Eichhorn and Flack, forming a semicircle closing in toward the north.

Petrograd claims that the Germans have been checked between Poniewesch and Dvinsk. Berlin, however, does not concede this, but in any event it does not affect the advance of the

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MRS. DUNBAR HERE

Mrs. Paul Lawrence Dunbar, widow of the negro noted poet, will spend to-morrow in the city. The Rev. U. G. Leper, pastor of the Bethel A. M. E. Church, has asked Mrs. Dunbar to speak to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. She will give an address on "Colored Woman's Work."

FIVE KILLED ON RAILROAD

London, Aug. 14.—A serious accident to the second section of the Irish Mail, on the Northwestern Railroad, is reported in a dispatch from Northampton to the Central News. The accident occurred at the Weedon end of the Stowe tunnel. Five persons were killed and a score injured.

JAILED FOR ANNOYING GIRLS

George Dunbarow, who said his home is in West Fairview, was given his choice of 50 fine or thirty days in jail this afternoon by Mayor Royal upon a charge of annoying a number of small girls at Fifth and Muench streets, yesterday. George took the thirty.

TEUTONIC FORCES CLOSING IN

Berlin, Aug. 14, via London, 3:30 P. M.—The forces of Field Marshal Von Mackensen pursuing the retreating Russians from the south have reached the line of the high road leading from Radzyn to Widladow (Vladova?) it was officially announced by German army headquarters to-day.

MEXICANS SLAUGHTERING CATTLE

Nogales, Ariz., Aug. 14.—Mexican soldiers entered American territory fifteen miles west of Nogales to-day and began slaughtering cattle, according to a report from the Harrisra ranch on the border. Three automobiles loaded with armed men started for the scene soon after the report reached here.

WILSON APPOINTS POSTMASTERS

Washington, Aug. 14.—President Wilson to-day announced the appointment of the following Pennsylvania postmasters: Elwood M. Ludwick, Honey Brook; C. C. Sterling, Masontown; John F. Mann, Wilcox.

FUNSTON MAY SEND TROOPS

Washington, Aug. 14.—President Wilson to-day telegraphed to Governor Ferguson of Texas, who asked for more federal troops, that Major General Funston was in charge of the border situation and that more troops would be sent if General Funston requested them.

MAYOR OF VERA CRUZ DISMISSED

Washington, Aug. 14.—General Carranza summarily dismissed the mayor of Vera Cruz from office for permitting the recent anti-foreign demonstrations which aroused the apprehension of the American government. Official notification of General Carranza's action reached here to-day.

REFUSE TO REORGANIZE LEADERS

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 14.—The military commanders of the states of Sinaloa, Tepic, Chiapas, Oaxaco, Guerrero and it is believed Durango, have refused to recognize the authority of either Villa or Carranza according to authoritative advices here to-day.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Arthur C. Higgins and Hazel H. Snyder, city; Charles Lester Mutch, Worleburg, and Anna Davis, West Fairview; Clarence M. Houser and Elizabeth C. Falls, York; Edward W. Gandel, Steelton, and Emma Daum, Columbia; John Chonka and Treva Hani, Steelton.

BOY HAS TETANUS

Norman Pottelger, aged 14, of Lingiestown, who is in the Harrisburg hospital suffering from an infection of the hand, is developing symptoms of tetanus according to physicians.

BRIDGE WORKMAN HURT

Frank Filling, 1840 State street, employed by the Grayce Construction Company, while working yesterday afternoon on the Cumberland Valley Railroad bridge on the island, fell to the ground, sustaining severe bruises of the body. He was taken to the Harrisburg hospital.

THE GAMES BY INNINGS AT ISLAND PARK

Table showing baseball game statistics for Richmond and Harrisburg in the first and second games. Columns include Innings (1-10), Runs (R), Hits (H), and Errors (E).