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SHOE WORKERS ARE ON STRIKE IN CINCINNATI

Over 6,000 Workers Out On Strike In Protest Of A Wage Cut

Estimated 3,000 Workers Have Found Employment In Other Lines of Work

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 24—The strike of 6000 boot and shoe workers in Cincinnati against a 10 percent reduction in wages finished its eighth week, with both sides in the controversy apparently holding firm.

Government conciliators from Washington have made several futile attempts to bring about a settlement, but leaders on both sides announce that no progress has been made.

The only break in the ranks of the sixteen manufacturing plants belonging to the Cincinnati Boot and Shoe Manufacturers' Association, was the signing of a separate agreement with the workers of the Sam B. Wolf company, and the Feder-Gregg shoe company restoring to the workers their former wage scale, according to the union leaders.

It is estimated in well informed quarters that some 3000 workers either have secured employment in other lines of work in Cincinnati, or have left for other shoe manufacturing centers. Strike benefits are being paid by the international union to approximately 3000 workers, each union member receiving \$5 a week.

The strike was called when the manufacturers announced a 10 percent reduction in wages at the expiration of their working agreement with the union. In making the reduction, the manufacturers contended that wages must come down in order that they might meet competition of other shoe manufacturing centers, which had cut wages. The union contended that the wages of their members were not increased during the war in proportion to those in other shoe manufacturing centers, and that the manufacturers had promised that if wages were not increased during the war to the high peak reached elsewhere, they would not be cut when the readjustment period came.

All factories have reopened, and the shoe manufacturers association announce the factories are running with about 1200 employees. Schools of instruction have been inaugurated where new employees are being trained to take the places of strikers. Strikers maintain the factories are not operating to an extent sufficient to break the strike.

Court injunctions have been issued against the international officers of

Riches Killed Romance, Wife Alleges



Mrs. Alberta E. Lewis, widely known social worker and philanthropist, of Chicago, has filed suit for separate maintenance against Francis J. Lewis, multi-millionaire building contractor. Mrs. Lewis alleges that her romance of thirty-four years was shattered by his transcendent and imperious, overbearing attitude, that became marked after he made a huge fortune during the war.

the Boot and Shoe Workers Union, restraining them from interfering with new employees, and fixing the number of pickets who may be stationed at the various plants and the wording that may be placed on banners carried by the pickets.

Several manufacturers are reported to be negotiating to open factories in Portsmouth and Springfield, but no definite announcement as to the progress of parleys has been made.

Factories where the strike now is in progress, include the Cahill Shoe Company, Val Duttonhofer Sons' company, Duttonhofer-Stevens shoe company, Holters company, Homan-Hughes company, Julian and Kokonge company, Krippendorf company, Krohn-Fechheimer company, Roth Shoe Manufacturing company, Sachs Shoe Manufacturing company, Scheffels Shoe Manufacturing company, Stern-Auer company, Follman Lawrence company, and the Robert Wise company.

GETTING READY TO DEDICATE STADIUM

Ohio State University To Dedicate Big Bowl On Saturday, October 21

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
COLUMBUS, Aug. 24—While business managers of big league baseball clubs, running one-two down the home stretch, are wondering which two of their number shortly will be engaged in frenzied preparations to accommodate world series crowds, Ohio State university athletic authorities actually have put into motion their machinery to seat 65,000 persons in the new \$1,341,000 Ohio stadium on dedication day, Oct. 21. Ohio State university and Michigan football eleven will engage in the first Big Ten gridiron classic in the new Buckeye bowl.

The first of 42,000 information leaflets and seat reservation blanks addressed to all Ohio State university alumni, students, subscribers to the stadium building fund, and many football fans at large, desirous of making advance ticket reservations, have passed through the local postoffice.

Ticket applications accompanied by checks will be received at stadium headquarters after Sept. 1. Meanwhile, special road trip railroad rates of fare and one-half, not only from all Ohio cities, but main alumni centers throughout the United States, are being arranged for dedication day by Alumni Secretary J. L. Morrill. Special trains already have been chartered in Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Detroit, and Ann Arbor. Options have been taken by Athletic Director F. H. Yost of Michigan on 15,000 seats for Michigan followers, who will invade Columbus on Oct. 21.

Association Will Hold Convention

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
CINCINNATI, Aug. 24—The Ohio Valley Improvement association will hold its annual convention at Louisville Oct. 3 and 4, it is announced, and a call has been issued to all cities of the Ohio valley to send a representative. In the call for the convention, it is pointed out that the Ohio river is becoming an increasing artery of transportation, and that during the recent coal strike, it has been the main route used to haul coal from West Virginia.

Figures which have been made public show how the canalization of the river is approaching completion, with 37 of the proposed 53 government dams finished, and eight more under construction.

Linking Of Americas By Radio Is Planned

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NEW YORK, Aug. 24—Linking of the Americas by radio through five radio stations, two of which will be erected in the United States and three in Central America, each with a sending radius of 2000 miles, was announced today by the Radio Corporation of America, which reported that orders for the stations had been placed by the United Fruit Co. and the Tropical Radio Telegraph Co.

Mail Thieves Soaked

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FIRST PICTURE OF GOULD AND HIS BRIDE



George J. Gould and bride. © KEYSTONE PRESS CO.

This is the first photograph to arrive in America of George J. Gould and his bride, who are now honeymooning at Deauville, France. Mrs. Gould was known on the American

stage as Miss Vera Sinclair, an Englishwoman. Gould married her only a few months after the sudden death of the first Mrs. Gould, who was Edith Kingdon, the actress.

MAN WANTS PERMIT TO BUILD LOG CABIN

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
CINCINNATI, Aug. 24—Cincinnati building commissioners were given a surprise when M. C. Steward appeared before them and asked for a permit to build a log cabin in one of the exclusive residential sections of the city. Steward said that he will use the log cabin as a residence for himself and family. "The new fangled ideas of how to build a house may be all right, but there is no type of construction equal to that of the log cabin," Steward said.

Plans for the cabin show it to be 28 by 14 feet all made into one room, which will serve all purposes. Steward proposes to hew the trees and build the house himself, he said.

Harding Called Wall Flower By Tim Healy

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Aug. 24—Charging that President Harding had broken faith with the striking shopmen in his efforts to settle the railroad troubles, Timothy Healy, international president of the stationary firemen today called him "that great big wall flower in the White House" in a speech before the convention of New York State Federation of Labor.

He referred to Chief Justice Taft as a man who couldn't get a job as constable or dog catcher in any election anywhere in the United States.

Pope To See Movies Of K. of C. Meeting

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
NEW YORK, Aug. 24—Pope Plus XI, will view on the screen at the Vatican, scenes at Atlantic City during the recent supreme international convention of the Knights of Columbus, it was announced today.

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WALK IN SLEEP; DROWNS

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BIRTHDAY OF EX-PRESIDENT TO BE HONORED

Centenary Celebration Of Birth Of Rutherford B. Hayes Occurs Oct. 4

Event Will Be Staged At Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Near Hayes Homestead

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COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 24—Arrangements are being completed for a combined military and historical centenary celebration of the birth of Rutherford B. Hayes, the nineteenth president of the United States, to be held under the auspices of the Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society, October 4, at Spiegel Grove, Fremont, where the old Hayes homestead, and the Hayes museum and library are located.

The following committee on arrangements is to conduct the affair: James E. Campbell, former governor of Ohio, and president of the Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society; Col. Edward Orton, Jr., Beman G. Dawes, F. W. Treadway, Arthur C. Johnson, Dr. W. O. Thompson, Daniel J. Ryan, Mr. Johnson is editor of the Columbus Dispatch, and all the committee members are from Columbus. The site of the ceremonies now is the property of the state historical society, through the generosity of Col. Webb C. Hayes.

The historical and military pageant is to leave old Fort Stephenson at 1 p. m. The military section probably will be composed of national guard units including Troop A, Celveland; the Toledo battery, and the provisional regiment of infantry, a duplication of the troops which attended the funeral of President Hayes 30 years ago. Troop A of Celveland was President Hayes' escort from the White House to the capitol on the occasion of the inauguration of President Garfield. The incoming president rode with Hayes in the family presidential carriage, now in the Hayes museum.

The commander in chief and the state commander of the G. A. R., in automobiles, will head the procession, followed by the commander in chief and state commander of the Spanish War veterans, and of the world war veterans. Camp fire girls and other juvenile organizations will join the procession at a recently erected split boulder gateway, in which the whitehouse gates are to be erected and named in honor of Major George Croghan, the defender of Fort Stephenson in the war of 1812. The gateway is located at the southern entrance of the Sandusky-Scioto trail, known later as the Harrison trail in the war of 1812.

The procession will follow the trail under the General Sherman elm, the Grover Cleveland hickory, and pass the presidential oaks named in honor of McKinley, Garfield, Taft and Harding, past the burial place on a knoll, and then down through the Harrison gateway with its historic tablets of the Indian and French and British expeditions, which marked over the trail prior to the Revolutionary war.

The soldiers' memorial parkway of Sandusky county, conceived by Col. Webb C. Hayes and tendered to the county in a cablegram received from France on the day the armistice was signed, was laid out in the form of a cross through property presented to him by the Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society.

Dedictory exercises will be held at the Croghan gate, the Harrison Gate, the McPherson Gate, in memory of the soldiers in the war with Mexico and the civil war, and the memorial gateway in memory of the soldiers in the Spanish and world war.

President Harding, Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes, and other high government officials have been invited to the ceremonies.

The meeting will be presided over by Mr. Campbell. Rev. Dr. William Pierce, president of Kenyon College, from which Mr. Hayes was graduated in 1842, will deliver the invocation. William H. Schwartz, mayor of Fremont, is to deliver the address of wel-

CHURCHMEN TO MEET IN CITY OF DAYTON

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
DAYTON, Aug. 24—Churchmen from the nation, as well as from Ohio, will be in attendance at the West Ohio conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here Aug. 29 to September 4. Bishop William F. Anderson of Cincinnati will preside.

Examination of student pastors will be the first thing on the conference program. This will start at 8 a. m. At 7:30 p. m. the same day, Rev. A. G. Schatzman of Delaware will preach on "Can Preaching Save the World?"

On Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock holy communion will be observed, in charge of Bishop Anderson.

A memorial sermon will be preached by Rev. J. N. Eason, Hillsboro, at 9:45 a. m. In the afternoon, the board of education for negroes will be represented by Dr. Morris W. Ennes, Chicago, treasurer of the committee.

Others who will speak and preach during the conference will include Dr. Ralph E. Diefendorfer, Chicago, department of education of the committee on conservation; Rev. C. E. Turley, Oxford; Rev. Frank Marston, Cincinnati; Rev. George W. Osmun, Springfield; Dr. Dan B. Brummitt, Chicago, editor of the Epworth Herald; James A. White, superintendent of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League; Mrs. John Mitchell of Celveland; Dr. Jesse Swank of Marion; Dr. F. I. Johnson, Columbus; Bishop Theodore S. Henderson of Detroit, Mich., and Rev. E. H. Roberts of Sidney, Ohio.

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Sept. 13, other sports at State will fade into the background while football gets the spotlight, for at that time, actual practice for the 1922 season will start. Western Conference rules provide that football practice starts two weeks before school opens; classes start at State October 2.

However, even though the grid season still is in the future, members of the State football team right now are getting ready for their fall campaign.

The season started for 100 athletes of the University the moment each peruses a copy of the round-robin letter Dr. J. W. Wilce mailed them from his vacation retreat at Otsego Lake, Mich., a week ago.

Smoking and cold drinks are under the ban, henceforward. On the other hand, plenty of sleep and wholesome food are prescribed. Beginning Sept. 1, daily periods of setting up drill are encouraged. Athletes who have had a summer of tossing bricks, juggling pig iron, or similar strenuous occupations, are advised to moderate.

Nor does Dr. Wilce overlook the mental side of getting down to business. In making subtle allusion to what he regards as a few of the salient aspects of the impending campaign ahead, the Buckeye strategist recalls the penalty exacted by Oberlin last year for failure of the Bucks to achieve a "flying start." He also calls attention to the height of some of the hurdles that are set up for the 1922 obstacle race in the form of the Western Conference games with Michigan, Minnesota, Chicago, Iowa, and Illinois.

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In some instances, Mr. Coffin said, soldier organizations have circularized all former service men stating that unless they filed their claims for compensation by Aug. 9 of this year, their compensable rights under the act would be outlawed.

The proper interpretation of the law, Mr. Coffin pointed out, is that a compensation claim for a disability which existed at the time of discharge may be filed at any time within five years from the date of discharge. A vast majority of compensation claims, he said, are of this character. If the claim is for a disability which occurred subsequent to discharge from the military service, it must be filed within five years from the beginning of such disability.

The vast majority of former service men, Mr. Coffin declared, if they believe they have any sort of suspected injury or disease due to their service, therefore should have filed claims for a certificate of injury prior to Aug. 9 last.

The date Aug. 9 was important, Coffin said, because many claimants will not be able to secure a certificate of injury after that date, but he pointed out, this does not mean that all who file claims after Aug. 9 must have certificates of disability in order that their claims may receive attention.

The district manager also says it is important to note that if a soldier died during his military service and his wife, child or other dependents want to claim compensation, they must file their application within five years after death, if officially reported to the military authorities.

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