

GOMEZ BACK IN HAVANA.

Begins a Campaign for Presidency of Republic.

\$500,000 IS SUBSCRIBED.

Friends Say He Will Endeavor to Obtain a Plebiscite of the Entire Island to Force His Political Opponents—Heartily Welcomed on His Arrival.

Havana, June 5.—General Maximo Gomez arrived here yesterday, and was received with all honors. Representatives of the Nationalist and Re-



(Gen. Maximo Gomez.)

publican parties and various societies went in different tugs, each having a band, to bid him welcome.

The motives that have induced him to return are the subject of much speculation. Many believe that General Gomez, disappointed at the attitude taken toward him by the people of Santo Domingo, has come back to Cuba to engage in an active campaign for the future presidency of the Cuban Republic.

An intimate friend of Gomez says that if the political parties refuse to combine he will establish a Cuba Libre party of his own and endeavor to obtain a plebiscite of the entire island, expecting in that way to force the political leaders to adopt his proposal, if only in the hope of a future office.

It is rumored that, for such a purpose, Gomez has been promised funds by a number of wealthy men, including a United States Senator, who is said to have offered \$500,000 on certain conditions, to which Gomez will undoubtedly agree.

It is said his first step will be to bring all his influence to bear in favor of the election to the Mayoralty of Havana of General Alejandro Rodriguez, partly for personal and partly for political considerations.

Already his friends have issued a statement saying that early in the week he will attempt to consolidate the Democratic, Republican and Nationalist parties, with a view of bringing about a harmonious constitutional convention in this city in August.

The authors of this statement contend that such a convention is the only path to independence.

It is reported that Gomez while at San Domingo said he was returning to Havana to bring about the complete and absolute independence of Cuba, and that he had such a convention in view.

POLITICAL.

The sub-committee of the Democratic National Committee will meet in Kansas City this week to consider the question of alleged exorbitant hotel rates. The local committee, in denying the charges, say that a rate of \$1.25 a day, European plan, has been offered by one hotel for headquarters for the entire Virginia delegation.

Chief Justice David L. Snodgrass, of Tennessee, in opening his campaign for the United States Senatorship on Saturday, said the United States could not abandon the Philippines. He said he would acquiesce in the Democratic national platform, but in case anti-expansion was declared for would favor a constitutional amendment making it possible for Congress to legally free the islands, which it now has no right to do.

Congressman George G. Gilbert, of the Eight Kentucky District, and W. D. Vandiver, Fourteenth Missouri, both Democrats, have been renominated.

West Virginia Democrats will hold their State Convention this week to nominate a full State ticket and elect delegates to the National Convention. They intend to conduct the most vigorous campaign ever waged in the State. They hope to send a Democrat to succeed S. B. Elkins as Senator.

Court Acquits Union Men.

Buffalo, June 5.—Judge Murphy has decided that David Shankland, president of Typographical Union No. 9, and sixty-six other members were not guilty of conspiracy in preventing Edward Wunch, a linotype machinist, from following his trade.

National League Standing.

Following is the standing of the clubs, including yesterday's games:

Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	23	12	.657
Brooklyn	19	15	.559
Pittsburg	21	18	.538
Chicago	19	17	.528
St. Louis	18	17	.514
Boston	14	18	.438
New York	13	20	.394
Cincinnati	12	22	.353

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

Events of the Past Week Told in a Few Words.

After twenty years of service as leader of the choir in the Congregational Church at Ansonia, Conn., William W. Joy died in the choir loft yesterday, just after he had led a quartet in singing the anthem, "Come to Us." So great was the excitement following that the services were discontinued and the 500 people in the congregation were dismissed.

The "Glad Tidings" gospel tent renewed its campaign against sin in New York yesterday. A thousand persons were on hand to participate in the first skirmish. Prominent local ministers were present to evidence their support. It was considered a most successful beginning.

There is considerable excitement in East Orange over the alleged discovery of silver and copper on the property of M. B. Wallace, an octogenarian. An old well ran dry and Wallace had it deepened. The stone and dirt taken out was found to contain 5.50 ounces of silver to the ton and 9.80 per cent. of copper.

The Williamsburg Sunday School Association has perfected arrangements for the annual parade on Thursday afternoon of the 22,000 children in the forty-five schools attached to the organization. With teachers and other children there will be about 25,000 persons in line. George E. Moulton will be the grand marshal.

The new Cromwell liner Proteus, reached New York yesterday from the yards of the Newport News Ship Building and Dry Dock Company. The Proteus is built of steel, is 406 feet long, has a beam of 48 feet and a depth of hold of 39 feet 9 inches. She is commanded by Captain Gager, commodore of the line.

Eight of the nineteen cabin passengers on the Spanish liner steamship Cataluna, which arrived in New York yesterday from Havana, were transferred to Hoffman Island, because they had no acclimatization papers. They will be released to-day. Twenty-eight of the voyagers on the Ward liner Yucatan from Havana were also held at Quarantine for the same reason.

The schooner Warwick, which was towed, leaking into Norfolk, reached New York yesterday under tow, with a cargo of asphaltum from Trinidad. The vessel was partly dismantled in a gale off Currytuck.

Samuel S. Moors, of Trenton, N. J., a son of Henry C. Moore, president of the Trenton Street Railway Company, tried to kill his mother with a razor while suffering from acute mania caused by overstudy.

The congregation of the First African United Methodist Episcopal Church of Astoria, L. I., held a public baptismal service in the East River off Astoria Sunday afternoon. Fully five hundred persons saw the ceremony.

Whitecaps who punished Smith Alford with a coat of tar and feathers near Bridgeton, N. J., for his alleged cruelty to his dying wife, threaten to do further work in the outskirts of this place. The authorities fear they will be powerless to prevent the carrying out of the threats.

SPORTING NOTES.

Frank Kramer, the erstwhile amateur bicycle champion, proved pretty conclusively on the Vailsburg track, Newark, Sunday that he is the greatest sprinter in America. He also showed himself as game a rider as ever straddled a wheel.

Tom Sharkey and "Yank" Kenny will fight twenty-five rounds at the Broadway Athletic Club on next Friday night. Kenny was Bob Fitzsimmons' sparring partner for two years, and incidentally became a very clever boxer, fighting occasionally to enhance his reputation. Next to Jeffries, he is the biggest man in the ring to-day, and his size will give him quite an advantage over Sharkey.

Charles Fagerholm, a young Swede, completed his long bicycle ride from San Francisco to New York on Sunday. He started on April 12 at noon, and the entire trip took him 52 days 5 hours and 14 minutes. Fagerholm started from the Golden Gate City without a cent in his pockets. He said that he was treated kindly at most places, but in some places he was refused even a drink of water. His route was from San Francisco to Idaho City, then over the Rocky Mountains to Yellowstone National Park to Helena, thence to Niagara Falls via Minneapolis, Milwaukee, Chicago and Buffalo. Fagerholm said he met the worst roads in the Empire State. He is a machinist by trade and merely took the ride in order to see the country.

On Saturday, June 16, the Larchmont Yacht Club, by far the best racing club in the country, will hold its annual Spring regatta. Prizes are offered for all classes of schooners, sloops, yawls, raceboats and catboats. Entries will close on Thursday, June 4, and unless all signs fall the regatta will be one of the best of the season.

Corrigan Leaves Rome.

Rome, June 5.—Archb. Corrigan, of New York, left here this morning for a short trip through Italy. He will then go to Paris. His visit was solely of a religious character. The question of "Americanism" was not broached.

Some girls in an English school the other day were discussing the meaning of the letters "G. C. B." after Lord Roberts' name. One young woman awkwardly settled the difficulty by saying that the initials stood for "Generally Called Bobs."

WOMEN STRIPPED BY MOB

St. Louis Strikers Attack Helpless Passengers.

DYNAMITE BOMB SET OFF

Cars Stoned by Sympathizers of the Striking Street Railway Employees of St. Louis—Millionaires Act as Deputy Sheriffs—A Day of Carnage.

St. Louis, June 5.—Anarchy is rampant in St. Louis.

Innocent parties are not safe. Even weak womanhood is no protection against the malice of the lawless mob.

Yesterday there were two outrages upon young women.

Christine Thirre, eighteen years old, was set upon by a crowd, estimated to be two thousand men, simply because she had ridden on a car of the St. Louis Transit Company. She was on her way to spend the day with her mother. She worked far in the West End as a servant.

She could not afford to hire a carriage to get to her home in South St. Louis. The distance was too far to walk and get back to her employer's in time for the evening. She took the only method at her disposal—a street car.

When she alighted at Ninth and Geyer avenue at 5 P. M. from a Cherokee car she was approached by a young man who called her a "scab."

Others joined in the chorus. There was hissing and hooting, which grew into a perfect storm as the mob closed in about her.

A young man grabbed at her clothing, tore off her jacket; another tore way her hat. She was struck by fists of men and bruised about the face and body. A pocketbook which she carried in her hand was snatched away and the money taken.

Piece by piece her apparel was torn away until she was perfectly nude except her shoes, the centre of a howling, jeering mob of men. She ran to a house on the corner and appealed for admittance, but the people were afraid that the mob would tear down the house and refused her admittance. She went to the place next door, but no one came.

She reached an alley and ran down it, followed by the hooting men. There was a little window leading into a cellar. She broke the glass and jumped in and cowered in a corner in the darkness.

Finally her persecutors went away. Then she called for help. A little child who had been left at home by his mother came down and led the frightened woman upstairs, where she waited, clad in a shawl, until the woman of the house came home and furnished her with a dress.

At No. 196 South Twelfth street another incident of the kind occurred. Stella Broderick got off a car only to be assailed and hooted at by a mob. Her waist was torn from her by men. She ran down an alley and into the home of Mrs. Folke and the mob surrounded the house and began throwing stones and rocks through the windows.

Mrs. Folke, not realizing what it was all about and considering her home her castle, got a big revolver and opened fire on the mob from her front window, and they scattered at the first fire, cowards who had attacked a weak woman.

About dawn a heavy charge of dynamite was exploded in the conduit of the Olive street cable railway at Maryland and Boyle avenues, an aristocratic section of the West End, with destructive results.

The cable was broken, the heavy iron yokes were twisted together like wire and a huge hole was torn in the centre of the street. The force of the explosion shook buildings for blocks and waked up every one in the neighborhood. A squad of police hurried to the scene, but no one was seen placing the bomb and no arrests have been made.

This afternoon a mob stoned a car on the Lower Grove division in South St. Louis in a strike sympathizers' neighborhood. A man on the rear platform, whether a citizen or a guard is not known, fired into the crowd with a revolver. The bullet sped over the heads of the mob and lodged in the breast of Peter rank, aged sixteen, who was sitting in the doorway of his father's house. A detachment of police dispersed the rioters and carried young Frank to the City Hospital, where it is said the wound will prove fatal.

The barracks of the citizens' posse on Washington avenue was a scene of animation all-day. On each of the seven floors of the big building was stationed a company of men, who spent their day of rest in some of the hardest exercise of their lives. They were put through foot drill and manoeuvres with their guns, and when evening came they begged their superior officers so eloquently to let them go home for supper that leave was granted.

Two more millionaire deputy sheriffs were sworn in to-day—August A. Busch, son of the brewer, and Tony Faust, Jr., one of the proprietors of a restaurant called the "Delmonico" of St. Louis. They were welcomed to the barracks with a loud cheer by the crowd drilling on the first floor.

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