

MOB RULE IN ALBANY.

Strikers and Their Sympathizers Prevent the Running of Cars.

ONE MAN SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

Police Acknowledge Their Inability to Protect the Cars Against Mob Violence and Gen. Oliver Orders Out Troops—Eight Arrests First Day.

Albany, N. Y., May 15.—When darkness fell last evening several thousand weary street car strikers and sympathizers went to their homes, but they were replaced by as many more who took up the vigil to prevent the United Traction men from running their electric cars with non-union men. Two attempts made yesterday to run cars brought bloodshed and riot on such a scale that the local police, aided by scores of deputies and Pinkerton men were unable to quell the disturbance.

One man lies in a hospital seriously wounded, one of the two cars the company attempted to run is in the gutter of a street not two blocks from the car house, wrecked, and the trolley wires are cut in several places, practically crippling the road. Near the car houses are thousands of men and women and children wrought up to a pitch of frenzy that would ill fit the doors of the car house open to let out another car. Inside the car house, afraid even to look out of the grated windows, are about 75 non-union men whom the company expects to use in running the cars. Early yesterday morning there were about 150 of them, but by nightfall 65 had deserted and joined the ranks of the strikers. The men claim that they were brought here under a misapprehension.

When the police practically admitted that they were powerless to take care of the large crowds on the street if cars were run General Manager McNamara immediately called upon Gen. Oliver, in command of the Third brigade, for protection. He said: "We intend to run cars out if it takes the entire National Guard of New York state to protect us."

Gen. Oliver issued an order assembling at their armory the Tenth battalion of Albany, comprising four companies of the National Guard of infantry, and the Third signal corps mounted. Gen. Oliver said that he would warn the remainder of the Third brigade to be in readiness for a call. Later the Twenty-third regiment was ordered out.

The riot yesterday was full of exciting features. At 10 o'clock two of the big car doors swung open and out darted a closed car, with all the windows opened. Immediately there was a roar of hisses and shouts. Several men made an effort to board the car, but they were kept from doing so by the police.

The second car did not escape. When the doors were opened the mob surged towards it, despite the efforts of the police. The crew consisted of four men dressed in plain clothes. As the car swung around the curve there was a rush for it, but the crowd was driven back. The committee from the strikers was allowed to approach the men. "Do you want to come with us, boys? You won't regret it."

There was no response from any of the men. The motorman waved the car and the car was off again.

All restraint in the great crowd broke. Through the middle of the street men ran, with women and children, mingling with the officers of the law, whose clubs were swinging and arms moving, in vain almost, to keep people from danger. Men stooped to pick up stones and were overturned, to be pushed and kicked by the others.

Before the car had started two policemen boarded it. They simply made two extra targets for the stones and bricks. The car had not gone 50 feet before one's helmet was crushed and the other policeman was in danger of having more than his helmet damaged.

There was a perfect fusillade of stones. They came from all directions and crashed through the car.

The men aboard dodged and jumped from side to side to escape them and were successful, with the exception of the motorman. A great rock struck him full in the forehead, and he dropped to the floor of the platform into a pool of his own blood that covered the entire platform. The assistant, as soon as the man dropped, grasped the brakes and controlling handle and faced the mob. A few feet more and the car was upon an insurmountable barricade.

With a sudden jerk it came to a stop and all aboard it were thrown forward one of the conductors falling among a pile of broken glass, to receive some ugly flesh wounds and cuts.

The conductor and one motorman joined the strikers and the wounded man went to the hospital. He said his name was Marshall, and he lived at Greenpoint, L. I.

Several thousand strikers and sympathizers charged at dusk on a wagonload of non-union men who had been sent out from the Quail street barns by the company to repair the trolley wires which had been cut during the riots of the morning. The police were powerless to stop the storm of stones and bricks showered upon the non-union men from vacant lots, cross streets and housetops. The men lay upon their faces on the floor of the wagon, and surrounded by the mounted men, who used their clubs on the more aggressive of the rioters, were hurried back to the barns. Two of the non-union men were injured, and several of the mob severely clubbed. Three arrests were made.

Eight arrests have been made, and thus ended the first day's attempt to run cars.

DEATH OF MITKIEWICZ.

Bogus Count Who Investigated Many Prominent Men in His Schemes.

Asbury Park, May 15.—"Count" Eugene Stanislaus De Mitkiewicz, the "financier and promoter," died at his summer home here Monday night of heart disease. For years he had been a sufferer from heart trouble, but the end came suddenly. Mitkiewicz came into prominence some years ago, when



THE LATE "COUNT" MITKIEWICZ

he gained, with Wharton Barker, of Philadelphia, immense concessions in China. The concessions stirred up financial men the world over. The Chinese government apparently became frightened and eventually cancelled the privileges extended to the count.

Mitkiewicz was a native of Poland, the son of poor parents, with no claim to nobility, but posing as a count in this country he succeeded in inveigling many prominent men in his various schemes. He was several times arrested on swindling charges, but always escaped conviction in this country. In England, however, he served a five year term for swindling.

CHINA'S APPEAL FOR MERCY

Asks For Thirty Years to Pay the Indemnity Demanded.

Washington, May 15.—A cablegram from Mr. Rockhill, our special commissioner at Peking, received at the state department yesterday, mentions the receipt by the ministers of the response of the Chinese envoys to the ministers' demands for indemnity. The dispatch indicates briefly that the Chinese request that an annual payment of \$10,000,000 is the full extent of their power to pay on indemnity accounts. It will take 30 years to discharge the debt at that rate, without interest. Mr. Rockhill made no mention of the subject of interest.

According to a press dispatch the answer of China commences with an appeal for mercy, saying that the country is impoverished. The answer explains that the utmost China can offer is 15,000,000 taels annually for the next 30 years. The ministers refuse to discuss this answer until it has been considered by them in meeting.

Our Exports and Imports.

Washington, May 15.—The monthly statement of imports and exports of the United States shows that during April, 1901, the imports of merchandise amounted to \$76,759,982, of which \$36,461,728 was free of duty. The whole amount is \$1,900,000 in excess of the imports of April, 1901. The exports of domestic merchandise during April aggregated \$120,780,590, an increase of \$2,000,000. For the last ten months the total imports of merchandise were \$41,049,350 less than for the corresponding period last year. During the same months the exports of domestic merchandise exceeded those for the corresponding period in 1900 by \$85,566,258.

The Presbyterian Assembly.

Philadelphia, May 15.—Arrangements have been completed for the meeting of the 113th Presbyterian general assembly, which begins here tomorrow morning. The 500 commissioners represent 224 presbyteries and 21 synods, in all parts of the world. The church will this year report over 7,000 ministers, 26,000 elders, 7,500 churches and over 1,000,000 members. The contributions to foreign missions are close to \$900,000 and \$1,000,000 to home missions, and both boards are out of debt, which has not been the case for many years. The church has given to all causes of benevolence during this year over \$15,000,000.

The New York Builders' Lockout.

New York, May 15.—While the bricklayers did not return an answer to the ultimatum delivered by the builders last Saturday, they did not report for work today. The bricklayers say they cannot take this action until the representatives of the various unions reach a decision in the matter at a meeting to be held tonight. With the cessation of work on building operations from 6,000 to 8,000 bricklayers are thrown out of employment, and also all other mechanics employed on the buildings. The suspension of work thus immediately affects from 40,000 to 50,000 workmen, and indirectly may affect 150,000 to 200,000 men.

Machinists to Strike on Monday.

Washington, May 15.—The representatives of the machinery and allied metal trades national and international unions, who have been in session here for two days considering the enforcement of a demand that union machinists hereafter shall be required to work only nine hours a day, with an increase of wages that would make the daily pay the same as under the present ten hour scale, late yesterday afternoon decided that there should be a strike on May 20 in shops refusing to grant the desired concessions. The strike order will affect 500,000 workers. Employers declare it is in violation of agreements.

KEYSTONE REPUBLICANS

Gather in Philadelphia to Honor Senator Quay.

HORTICULTURAL HALL BANQUET

Was the Second Largest Dinner Ever Given in Pennsylvania's Metropolitan—The Senator's Enthusiastic Reception at the Academy of Music.

Philadelphia, May 15.—Republicans of the dominant faction from every section of the Keystone state paid homage last night to United States Senator Matthew S. Quay in honor of his reelection to the upper chamber of congress. Barring a state convention last night's gathering was probably the greatest outpouring of Republicans to do honor to one man that has ever been seen in this state. Governor Stone was there, as were all the members of his cabinet, members of the legislature, the municipal heads of several Pennsylvania cities and all the prominent Quays Republicans of this city. The occasion took the form of a banquet, followed by a reception, and was under the auspices of the Pennsylvania State League of Republican clubs.

Senator Quay, accompanied by J. Hampton Moore, president of the league, and Joseph N. Huston, who acted as the senator's escort, arrived here from Washington at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The party was met at the station by a reception committee of 300 clubmen, who escorted Colonel Quay to the Hotel Walton. Broad street from the station to the hotel was filled with people.

At 6 o'clock the senator was escorted to Horticultural Hall, where an elaborate banquet was served, covers being laid for 500 persons, and was the second largest dinner ever given in the city. There was no speechmaking at the dinner, this feature of the occasion being reserved for the reception at the Academy of Music, which adjoins Horticultural Hall.

There was not a vacant seat in the big auditorium when the dinner, headed by Senator Quay, marched into the Academy, and the doors were closed to all late comers except those who participated in the banquet, and who occupied seats on the stage. Senator Quay's reception was a particularly enthusiastic and noisy one. Cheer after cheer was given in his honor as he took his seat at the front of the stage.

President Moore presided and made a short address before introducing the guest of the evening. There was another outburst of enthusiasm as Senator Quay arose to speak. He spoke in part as follows:

"At three score years and ten the world grows lonely. Through wilderness almost desolate the stream of life glides darkly towards the eternal gulf. The associations of early existence are gone. Its objects are gained or lost, or faded in importance. Occasions like the present stand in pleasant relief—green patches on the sandy delta—and are especially attractive and welcome. Fully recognizing that your tribute is not personal, but attaches to the high office with which the Republicans of Pennsylvania have honored me, I thank you.

"My political race is run. It is not to be understood that God's sword is drawn immediately against my life, nor that my seat in the senate is to be prematurely vacated, but that with the subscription of my official oath on the 18th of January my connection with the serious labors and responsibilities of active politics ceased, except in so far as I may be committed to certain measures pending in the present legislature.

"I will never again be a candidate for nor accept any official position. I have many friends to remember; I have no enemies to punish. In this regard I put aside the past."

Continuing Senator Quay said the Republican clubs of Pennsylvania have reason to be proud of their party and its work in the state. Ever since the Republican party came into power in the state, he said, its government had been wisely and economically administered. In conclusion he discussed the nation's foreign policy.

Senator Quay was followed by Mayor Ashbridge, who welcomed the distinguished senator to the city. Governor Stone spoke on behalf of the state, and Senator Penrose on "The Republican Party from a National View Point."

Once Valuable Bonds Cremated.

Pittsburg, May 15.—After supplying fuel for a close furnace for a week securities representing over \$150,000,000 of Pittsburg wealth lie smouldering in the great armor plate vault of the Union Trust company, of Pittsburg. They were the gilt-edged securities of the Carnegie company, the launching of which signaled the practical close of the famous business quarrel of Andrew Carnegie and Henry C. Frick. The bonds were of such bulk that they would completely fill to the ceiling a room 6 by 12. For a round week there was kept busy a force of men to feed the furnace fire.

Four Killed by a Cavein.

Roanoke, Va., May 15.—News reached here last night of an accident near Shawsville, on the line of the Norfolk and Western railroad, about 20 miles west of Roanoke, about 6 o'clock last evening. As a result of it four colored laborers are dead, one cannot live and two more are said to be buried under a mass of stone and dirt. The accident occurred in the tunnel one mile east of Shawsville, in which a large force of men was at work. Just how it occurred is not known, it simply being stated that a cavein took place.

"If I were sick and wanted to get well, I'd find out how some one else got well who had the same sort of sickness as mine."

That is the language of a philosopher. Every human being, black or white, bond or free, is constructed on the same plan. The organs of a rich man differ in no degree from those of a poor man. Even "the king is served from the field." The processes of nature by which life is originated and preserved are the same in the beggar as in the prince. What cures the "weak lungs" of the poorest will cure the weak lungs of the richest. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has cured thousands of men and women, who "had bad cough, spit blood, and were short of breath." It has cured ninety-eight of every hundred persons who have given the medicine a fair and faithful trial.

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