

THE ERIC RAILROAD TROUBLE.

The strike at Port Jervis—Some Trouble Apprehended—Special Police and Deputy Sheriff at Port Jervis—Both men arrested.

PORT JERVIS, Nov. 8.—A great deal of excitement is being caused by the strike among the brakemen on the Erie Railway, and the people of this place feel some apprehensions that there will be trouble before the disagreement between the men and the company is settled.

The cause of the strike, as reported here by the men, is about this:—They claim that some of the brakemen have been discharged by the company without any other grounds than that they were engaged in a former strike, and that their places are being filled by men who work for \$1.75 per day. The regular pay to brakemen on freight trains has been two dollars per day, and the men now fear that it is the intention of the officers of the company to turn off the old men as fast as new ones can be hired to run for \$1.75. In fact they claim that the train despatcher at this place has made the assertion that he intended to have a new set of men as soon as possible.

On this basis they held a meeting on Wednesday evening last, with E. D. Rahlly, chairman, and thus decided that the company would reinstate the men, and pay full price to all the men, they would strike. This the company refused to do, and on Sunday the men refused to go out.

The other side of the story puts a different aspect on the affair. I composed this afternoon with Mr. Jay Gould and other officers of the road and gained this information: They say that the men who were discharged were the regular men, and that the company did not want them. That they had put on a few new gangs of men, and that of course they did not consider them worth as much as the experienced men. Mr. Gould informed me that he had brought up about 100 men from New York, and that there was nothing to prevent the regular running of the trains. He had a desperate man stating that he could get 100 men from there, and he said that he had no doubt they could get 500 men for every 100 that were needed.

The new force came up from New York were a pretty hard looking crowd, such as you see "repeating" on election day in the Tenth Ward. They did not like the job so well as they were expected to, and they took the first opportunity to slip off to the city. Sixteen of them went back to New York on the two o'clock train this afternoon. The rest felt a little nervous, although they are said to be well armed and prepared to fight in case there should be any disturbance. The strikers have given out that they do not intend to interfere with any men who come to work for the company, but they are firm in their determination not to work until their demands are complied with. They have hired a hall, and are holding meetings about every three hours.

Sheriff Daniel Van Sickle, of this county, came up last night and appointed about forty deputies, and during the night a special train arrived from New York, although they were officers and deputy sheriffs, but so far they have had nothing to do but patrol the yards.

Many of the citizens of this place are apprehensive of a riot to-night, but it is thought there will be no trouble. The men seem disposed to be quiet and orderly.

Messrs. Gould and Fisk, General Superintendent Buckner and Division Superintendent Beardsley are here, and the physician's car is also here, and the men are being paid off and discharged as fast as possible.

Both sides seem determined to hold out, and what the result will be time will have to decide.—Herald.

MR. PEABODY'S PECULIARITIES.

A Homeless Millionaire.

An exchange says: Mr. Peabody died at his residence in Eaton Square, it was one of the peculiarities of Mr. Peabody that he never would have a house of his own. He cared little for himself in all things—it was his habit, for instance, to dine off a mutton chop at the table, and to be used to give, where every luxury was spread upon the table. He had a room in the house of his old friend, Sir Curtis M. Lampton, in Eaton Square, and it was there he lived. He used to live there in the most quiet and retired manner, and his name did not appear in any directory or "Court Guide." He had suffered, however, during the last four years, and could very seldom be induced to call in a doctor; when he did he neither obeyed the doctor's orders nor took his medicine. As one of his physicians complained a short time ago, Mr. Peabody was a "most unsatisfactory" patient. He hated to be asked about his health, or to have any fuss made over him. He will, no doubt, be buried in Danvers, Massachusetts, that, at least, was the wish he often expressed in his lifetime. We may add that the statue of Mr. Peabody, recently set up in the Royal Exchange, London, has given satisfaction to everybody, except the Saturday Review. The attack of that journal upon it was lately reprinted in these columns. The sculptor is an American—quite sufficient to account for the success of the Saturday.

CITY BULLETIN.

THE LATE ADMIRAL STEWART.—The members of the Commercial Exchange Association held a meeting this morning, and resolved on the death of Rear-Admiral Charles Stewart.

John H. Michener, Esq., the President, stated the object of the meeting, and that Thomas Allan presented the following resolutions, which were seconded by Mr. C. J. Hoffman, and unanimously agreed to:

In common with the naval, military and civil authorities of our city, and citizens generally, this Association joins in the sincere sorrow now felt in the death of one of Philadelphia's honored sons, Rear Admiral Charles Stewart, therefore,

Resolved, That appreciating the valuable services rendered our beloved country in her early history, and through a long series of years, by the late distinguished naval hero, the Commercial Exchange of Philadelphia cannot withhold its meed of praise and honor to one to whom honor is so justly due.

Resolved, That this Association will attend the funeral, in a body, of the illustrious dead, on Wednesday, the 10th inst.

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Exchange the virtues of the late Admiral Charles Stewart should be perpetuated by a suitable monument, towards the erection of which this organization will take pleasure in contributing material aid.

The following amended order was issued by Admiral Bressé this morning, and is a substitute for the one published yesterday:

General Order.—The officers of the Navy and Marine Corps, on the occasion of the obsequies of the late Rear-Admiral Charles Stewart, U. S. N.

Evans & Hare, 431 Walnut street. Sabine, Allen & Dulles, Fifth and Walnut streets. Rowland & Shattuck, 405 Walnut street. Wm. H. Whitall, 405 Walnut street. Prevost & Herrick, 107 S. Third street. Jno. Wilson, Jr., & Bro., 121 and 123 South Fourth street.

David B. Hill, 117 South Fourth street. New Tenth Street, Agent. Boswell & Co. E. O. Lowry. Dwy & Wood. W. D. Sherman & Co. Scull & Newbold. Kingland & Hawley. William Arrott.

Chief Engineer Downey has issued a general order, inviting the members of the Fire Department to participate in the funeral ceremonies of the late Admiral Charles Stewart. The dress will be dark cloth and white gloves. Those who intend to participate are requested to report at the office of the Chief Engineer at the earliest possible moment.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT GERMANTOWN.

Last night, about 10 o'clock, a fire broke out in the extensive stone mill and carpenter shop of Smith E. Hughes, located on Queen street (Smith E. Hughes lane), west of Germantown avenue. The building was of stone, two and a half stories in height, and a portion of it was formerly connected with and used as a school house by the Holy Trinity (Lutheran) Church. The flames originated in the basement, and, owing to the combustible character of the contents of the building, soon spread through the entire structure. The Fire Department of Germantown was soon upon the ground, but was unable to subdue the flames, and the building and contents were destroyed. The flames communicated to a frame shed west of the mill, used for storing lumber, and a considerable amount of lumber in the shed, and all of it was destroyed.

The walls of the mill fell down during the night, and the eastern one tumbled into the graveyard of the church, greatly injuring some of the tombstones.

The loss of the mill is estimated at \$12,000, upon which there is an insurance of \$10,000.

West of the mill is the dwelling of Dr. William Darragh, a two and a half storyed stone structure. The roof took fire, and before the flames could be extinguished, the building was pretty well destroyed. The back building of the house was entirely demolished.

The fire continued to burn until after midnight, and the brilliant light made was soon visible in the city.

TRADE MARK SUIT.—In a suit brought by the Stark Mills, of Manchester, N. H., against the firm of Bailey & Cascard, of this city, the United States Court has decreed a perpetual injunction restraining the defendants from the use of the "Star Mills Seamless" as heretofore used on their bags, the Court deciding that such mark is a colorable imitation of the plaintiff's mark, "Star Mills Seamless," and a violation and infringement of their exclusive right to it.

SIGHT FIRE.—This morning, about half-past five o'clock, a fire occurred in the basement of the lager beer saloon of William Hammond, No. 7 Decatur street, in the Sixth Ward. The flames were discovered by Policeman John Roach, and were extinguished before much damage had been done.

BOLD THEFT.—Charles Schwartz was arrested last evening for having stolen a suit of furniture worth \$100 from the store of Erviler & Cornell, No. 807 North Second street. He will have a hearing at the Central Station this afternoon.

BREACH OF ORDINANCE.—Michael Barrett was arrested yesterday, for breach of ordinance in blocking up the highway. He was taken before Alderman Williams and was fined \$5 and costs.

STABLE BURNED.—A small stable belonging to Edward Adams, and located on the corner of Howe road, near Martinsville, was destroyed by fire about half-past seven o'clock last evening.

GENEROUS.—The sewing women of the city have hard work during the winter season to make a comfortable living, and Messrs. Stevenson, Brother & Co., manufacturers, agents and dealers in lubricating oils, &c., No. 132 South Second street, have generously given machine oil gratis to all sewing women who make application at their office. The oil is furnished by emulsion by others, who have the means of relieving the necessities of a very deserving class of the community.

AN APPEAL.—Rev. John D. Long, the Bedford Street Missionary, informs us that he is badly in need of a dozen or two pairs of shoes for girls from 8 to 12 years of age. The children are prevented from attending school because they are barefooted. We ask benevolent people to respond to this demand, and to enable his earnest Missionary to bring the children of his district under the good influence of the schools. Any contributions may be sent to the Mission House, 607 Bedford street.

NEW JERSEY MATTERS.

A destructive fire broke out in a row of small frame tenement houses, on Delaware street, near Cooper's Point, about 2 o'clock this morning, which resulted in the complete destruction of the building. The houses were owned by Messrs. Garrison & Co., lumber dealers, and stood directly opposite their mills and yard. The loss is very severe to those who reside in them, and the fire was nearly all destroyed. Several persons were quite badly burned in their efforts to escape, among whom were two or three children; they were removed to neighboring houses, where they were kindly cared for. The firemen were promptly on the spot, and did everything that could be done to confine the flames to the burning building and aid in saving the goods of the inmates occupying the houses in close proximity were saved. The fire was evidently the work of incendiarism, and the loss cannot be accurately estimated, though it must be heavy. The families occupying them are poor people, mostly those who labored in the lumber-yard, and having thus lost nearly everything they possessed, a meeting of citizens of Camden will take place at the Court House to-morrow evening, in order to raise funds in aid of the sufferers. This is one of the most distressing fires that have occurred in Camden for several years, as it involves the loss of a large number of people; those too, who are less able to bear their loss. Some fears are entertained that two of the persons who were burned will scarcely recover. The building was insured by the Mutual Fire and Marine Insurance Co., but to what amount could not be ascertained. The volunteer fire department deserve great praise for its promptness and efforts on the occasion.

It is the general impression that the Camden terminus of the Manchester and Camden Railroad will be at Kaighn's Point. Should such be the fact, new life and vigor will be imparted to business in that section of the city. The Ferry Company will also make many important necessary improvements in their ferry to meet with the wants of the public.

Intellectually, the people of Long-a-come, or of West Chester, place has been foolishly named recently, are on the increase. A series of interesting lectures are to be given there this winter, the first of which takes place on Thursday evening next, by Rev. A. G. James, Subject—"A Day in Jerusalem." These lectures will be highly entertaining.

The monument in memory of the Soldiers from Camden county who fell in the battles of the late rebellion, is progressing rapidly, and will be ready for erection early in the spring. It is being erected under the auspices of Post No. 6, Grand Army of the Republic, of Camden, and will be an imposing structure.

The body of the man who jumped overboard from the ferryboat while crossing the river on Saturday night, has not yet been recovered, nor has any clue traced to lead to information as to who he was.

The National Ship-Building and Armory Works at Kaighn's Point are again to be sold, in consequence of an informality in the previous sale. They are not now in operation.

In consequence of making numerous essential improvements and repairs to the school house in Newton township, the schools have been suspended for a few weeks.

Camden county jail at present contains twenty inmates, who are retained from business, and are boarded in that institution at the public expense.

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The Burning of Earles' Art Gallery.

PHILADELPHIA, September 1, 1869.

Messrs. FARREL, HERRING & CO.,

629 CHESTNUT Street.

GENTLEMEN: We have just examined, with the very

great satisfaction, our safe purchased of you some

years ago, and which passed through our destructive

fire of last night.

We find the contents, without exception, entirely un-

harmcd, merely slightly damp, and we feel now in a con-

dition to commence our business again, having every

Book perfectly safe.

We shall in a few days require a larger one, and will

call upon you.

Very Respectfully,

JAMES S. EARLE & SONS.

PHILADELPHIA, August 27, 1869.

Messrs. FARREL, HERRING & CO.

GENTLEMEN: In the year 1861 unfortunately was in

business in the Artisan Building, which was destroyed

by fire on the 10th of April. I had then in use what I

supposed was a Fire-proof safe, but upon opening it I

found everything was destroyed, and fire burning therein.

You will recollect, gentlemen, there was several of

your safes in this fire, also several in the fire at Sixth

and Commerce streets, the last May, five weeks after

the safe of which upon being opened, proved they

were fire-proof indeed, for I witnessed the opening of

the most of them, and in every case the contents were

preserved, while those of other makers were partially or

entirely destroyed, and I am convinced to have some-

thing that I could depend upon, and purchased one of

your safes.

The safe I purchased of you at that time was subjected

to a white heavy which was witnessed by several gentle-

men that reside in the neighborhood, at the destruction

of my Marble Paper factory, 221 Wallace street, on the

afternoon and evening of the 24th inst. After digging

the safe from the ruins, and opening it this morning, I

was much pleased to find everything, consisting of

books, papers, money and silverware, all right. I shall

want another of your safes as soon as I can get a place

to contain my business. I could not rest contented

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GENTS' LINEN HDKFS. McVAUGH & DUNGAN, 114 South Eleventh Street, HAVE OPENED TO-DAY A Small Lot of GENTS' HEM-STITCHED HDKFS., A GREAT BARGAIN. Hem-stitched Hdks. worth \$9 00 per doz., will be sold for \$6 00. Also, in Stock and Arriving Daily, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, RIBBONS And FANCY ARTICLES In Great Variety, At the Lowest Cash Prices.

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