## THE LABOR BATTLE IS OF

Clash Between the Knights and the United Mine Workers.

He Gives a Graphic Recital of the Alleged Abuse That Has Been Heaped Upon

the Miners by Secretary and Treasurer Hayes.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.-The war between the United Mine Workers and the Knights of Labor is on. Secretary McBryde, for the Mine Workers, issued a lengthy manifesto today. He gives a detailed statement of the causes leading up to the trouble. He places the entire blame on Secretary-Treasurer Hayes, and says it is

due to his malevolence. Coming down to the recent open rupture, he says: "On Sept. 7 I forwarded credentials, received from Hayes, to McBride, Watchorn, Penna and Wilson. McBride sent in the credentials as members of local assembly 1932.

"On Sept. 20 the gang had matured their plans to keep out the miners, so Sovereign notified us that the charter of Local assembly 1932 was revoked; that the board so decided at the Buffalo meeting. I believe this statement to be untrue. The scheme was hatched by Hayes and carried out by Sovereign. Keep out McBride and Penna and the miners would be reduced to two delegates. Their reasons will be made plain; and it shows the gang had counted noses before they went to New Orleans.

"To the horror of Hayes and company six miners went to New Orleans, so that no matter what two were kept out, 135 would still have four delegates upon

"The miners' delegates went before the committee on credentials in New Orleans, who informed them they could not tell them how many delegates they were entitled to, as Hayes had the books. Hayes was sent for, but refused to give any information. Being asked if there were any changes or protests against the miners the committee said they knew of none. The miners' delegates left their credentials and

withdrew. Hayes Cared Not for Rights'

"Brother Watchorn in the presence of James Campbell, of the Window Glass Workers, demanded from Hayes how long he was going to be kept out of his right to a seat in the general assembly. d-n for rights, that right or wrong, Watchorn could not sit in the general

assembly if he could prevent it. "When the general assembly met they were informed that the committee | the most irritating arrangements, was | ton on the price of coal could be a loss had not passed upon their credentials | ratified in 1850.

"The miners' case was so clear that the officers became alarmed; they set up men to talk against time, so as to force a recess, which was taken about 2 o'clock on Sunday morning. Between that time and the meeting of the assembly on Monday every means was adopted to whip the delegates into line. When the vote was taken the miners were excluded. Having kept out the miners upon trumped up charges, the farce must be continued to the end. The board was ordered to reorganize N. T. A. 135. In other words, that the United Mine Workers must be disreputed and the curse of two organizations inflicted once more upon the miners.

Pay No More Tax. "We do not ask a single man to leave the order, but we do ask the members to pay no more tax to the gang in Philadelphia, and prepare to attend a convention to elect officers of their choice who will manage the affairs of the order in the interest of the members and not for the personal benefit of Sovereign, Hayes and company. To the miners the question is momentous. "Will they remain solidified as at

present, or once more inaugurate sectional strife by obeying the mandates of men who never had any interest in their welfare. "Remember, no man is asked to leave

the Knights of Labor, but all are requested to hold fast to their assemblies, advocate the principles of the order and be ready to take part in its re-organiza-

"To the tirades of Sovereign, Hayes and company I have this answer: 'Come one, come all to the next meeting of the N.T. A. 135; we will not confine you to any time; we will divide the floor with you and let the representatives decide who is in the right-you or us."

### MIXED HOT TODDIES.

Lucy Moyer Testifies as to Mr. Day's Favorite Beverage. By the United Press.

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 3.-The alms house investigation was continued this morning at the court house before the usual crowd. Only five witnesses were sworn. The only testimony of a sensa tional character was the statement of Mrs. Lucy Moyer, the cook, who said that Lizzie O'Brien had been in a bed room with Poor Director Day.

She also testified that she had mixed

hot toddies for Day and the O'Brien girl. This afternoon the auditors went to the almshouse to examine some of the inmates.

## DEMAND \$1.45 PER DAY.

Striking Huns and Slavs at Braddock Hold Noisy Sessions. By the United Press.

Braddock, Pa., Jan. 3.-The striking Slavs and Huns from the Edgar Thomson Steel works to the number of 1,000 gathered at the opera house at 11 o'clock this morning. About one-half entered the building while the rest congregated in noisy crowds on the streets. The meeting was very turbulent and a number of fist fights occurred. The look at the remains. time. One man, Mike Coloski, a leader, was thrown bodily from the hall. In the turmoil which followed half a dozen others were carried to the door and thrown into the street.

New York police will not bother with William Evans, who gave himself up in the turmoil which followed half a dozen others were carried to the door and thrown into the street.

Gayley. The meeting continued with great disorder until 1.30 this afternoon. The committee had some difficulty in deciding on what demands they would make at the conference with Manager Gayley, but finally determined to demand eight hours for a day's work at \$1.45 per day, or a twelve hour day at M'BRYDE'S WARM MANIFESTO

#### ADAMS EXPRESS WINS.

The Company's Property Not Subject to State Tax from 1868 to 1888.

By the United Press.
Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—Judge Acheson filed an opinion in the United States circuit court of appeals today decided that the Adams' Express company is not subject to taxation upon its property in this state for the years from 1868 to 1888. The amount at stake was \$61,750. The proceedings were begun by the Adam's company in March 1893 to restrain the auditor general of Pennsylvania from collecting taxes upon its property for the years mentioned, Judge Dallas, in the United States circuit court, decided that the company was not a corporation and therefore not subject to taxation as such, and this view the court of appeals

upholds. The legislature in 1889 passed an enactment bringing the company within the laws of taxation as a co-partner-

#### THE BLUEFIELDS AFFAIR.

Great Britain Surrenders All Claims to the Protection of the Territory and Recognizes the Government of Nicaraugua.

By the United Press. Washington, Jan. 3.-The president today sent to the senate a full report of the Bluefields affair, comprising all of from \$8,000 to \$10,000 a year; and this the correspondence relating to the subject which has passed in the last two years, making a formidable document of over 600 pages. It shows that the administration has succeeded in practically settling one of the most annoying international questions that has perplexed this government for about

fifty years. The controversy resulted from the efforts of the United States to open a shorter sea route to California at the time the Pacific coast territory was acquired. Following the treaty of 1846, with new Granada (since Colombia), which led to the construction of the Panama rallway, a treaty was concluded by the United States with Nicaragua in 1849 for a canal from Greytown by way of Lake Nicaragua. Great Britain, however, maintained a protectorate over the east coast of Nicaragua, claiming guardianship over the Mosquito Indians and their territory under a treaty with Spain, made "Hayes replied he did not give a in 1786, and to neutralize this European menace to the Atlantic entrance of the canal, which was repugnant to the Monroe doctrine, the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, which has since proved one of

and requested to withdraw. The reason soon became manifest. There were fifty-two delegates presnt, twenty-five of whom were favorable to the miners; majority would be against the powers ham covering the correspondence and quired consideration of all classes, that be. Great Britain has absolutely surrendered all claims to the protection of the territory and recognized the "Paramount sovereignty of the government of Nicaragua."

#### DISMAL OUTLOOK. Great Destitution Exists in the Mononga-

hela Valley. By the United Press.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 3.-The Monones hela river has been closed to navigation for more than a week. In consequence of this every mine in the Monongahela valley is closed to the coal miners and in all about 5,000 men are idle.

These men have had but little work

during the past year; many of them have large families depending on them for support, and already many cases of destitution are known to exist,

### FROZEN TO DEATH.

Body of a Prominent Young Man of Eckley Is Found in the Snow. By the United Press.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 3.-Adam Hill, a prominent young man residing at Eckley, a short distance from Hazleton, was found in a snow bank near his home, this morning, frozen to death. It is thought that he met death by violence, but as yet there is no evidence to indicate that such is the case.

#### "Buck" Goes to St. Louis. By the United Press.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 3.-A. C. Buckenburger, formerly manager of the Pitts-burg base ball team, closed a contract with President Von Der Ahe to manage the St. Louis Browns for the coming sea son. Nearly all o been re-engaged. Nearly all of the old players have

### Freezing Their Miners.

By the United Press.

Wilkes-Barre, Jan. 3.-Linderman & Skeer, coal operators, near Hazleton, have today increased the price of coal used by their miners from \$1.50 to \$2.25 per ton. The increase has caused much dissatisfaction among the men. No strike

### CONDENSED STATE TOPICS.

Joseph E. Young, of Philadelphia, journal clerk of the senate, fell on the ice at Harrisburg and broke his left arm. While crossing the mountains on Tuesday, Thomas Searles, of Excelsior, had his

feet so badly frozen that they will have to be amputated. On Jan. 31 and Feb. 1 the fifth annual convention of city and borough school superintendents of Pennsylvania will be held at Harrisburg.

Coal Miner William Ridding was in-stantly killed and Windom Godfrey fatal-ly hurt by being run down by a train at Irwin Station, near Pittsburg. The Lancaster Bar association has rec

ommended that G. C. Kennedy, the law yer who has been proven guilty of numer ous forgeries and embezzlements, be dis

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Sloveh Greybill's station, York county, was post poned, as signs of life were discovered after the coffin had been opened for a last

thrown into the street.

When peace had been restored another leader—Shedloski—took chafge of the meeting and a committee of seven was appointed to confer with Manager

An injunction has been granted to prevent the sheriff of Northampton county from selling the jewelry store of James K. Rauch, at Bethlehem, because of the alleged fraudulent Judgment of \$1,000, which Rauch confessed to his wife.

## **OPENED**

Senate and House of Representatives Transact Business.

SPEECHES ON THE CURRENCY

Consequences of Reduction in Prices of Coal-Mr. Allen Objects to Furnishing Ice For Restaurant Keepers-Chaplain's Prayer For Peace.

By the United Press.

Washington, Jan. 3 .- The senate was opened with prayer by the blind chaplain, Rev. Mr. Milburn. There were some forty senators pres-

ent-the vice-president being in the Mr. Sherman, (Rep., Ohio), reported the Lodge resolution, requesting the president to transmit to the senate all papers relating to the delivery by the United States consul at Shanghal, of two Japanese citizens to Chinese authorities; and to inform the senate whether those two Japanese were put to death after being tortured. The reso-

lution was agreed to. During the morning hour there was a somewhat amusing discussion of the resolution offered by Mr. Allen, (P., Neb.), before the holidays proposing an investigation into the affairs of the senate restaurant, Mr. Allen asserting that in addition to rooms, furniture carpets, tables, chairs, ranges and stoves, supplied gratutiously to the restaurant keeper he was also furnished with fuel, light and ice, to the amount outlay from the contingent fund of the senate was denounced as laceny.

At the expiration of the morning hour the resolution was placed on the calendar and will hardly be heard from any more. The senate adjourned at 5 p. m.

House Proceedings. Less than 100 members of the house attended the session of that body to-

Chaplain Bagby, in his opening prayer, asked that there might be unity of opinion among the representatives in the coming months in order that legislation might be affected for the benefit of the whole people. The speakers today were Mr. Black

(Dem., Ga.), McCreary (Dem., Ky.), and Breckner (Dem., Ky.) in advocacy of the currency bill, and Haugan (Rep., Wis.) and Adams (Rep. Pa.) in opposition. Speaking of the changes that had oc-

of 50 cents a ton in the price of coal, as country. Mr. Simpson (Pop., Kan.) interrupted | drawer. to ask how a reduction of 50 cents a

The reduction of the price of coal was finally been completely incorporated accompanied by a reduction of wages to go outside the railing and they could under Nicaraguan sovereignty and to a starvation figure, and where one class of people had no surplus over the pled with him. One of them struck demands of bare subsistence, it was a loss to the whole people. He then asked Mr. Simpson if what he had stated with regard to miners as a consequence of the reduction of the price of coal was not true with regard to farmers as a result of the fall of prices of farm pro-

Mr. Simpson conceded that it was true, or would be under similar condi-

Coal Banks Closing.

Later, a colloquy occurred between Adams and Warner (Dem., N. Y.) respecting the rate of wages paid to cosl miners in Pennsylvania, in the course of which Mr. Adams asserted that coul banks had been closing ever since the Democratic party came into power, and that if it should remain in power they would all be closed. Mr. Warner charged that the reduc-

tion in wages began immediately after the McKinley bill had been passed.

#### ANARCHIST MOWBRAY'S PLEA Says Not Guilty to the Charge of Having Made Seditions Speeches. By the United Press.

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.-Charles W. Moworay, the English anarchist, who was arrested here last Friday night after he had addressed a meeting of anarchists, was placed on trial before Judge Gordon in the quarter sessions court today. He pleaded not guilty to two bills of indictment charging him with making seditions speeches.

Mowbray's attorney, Thomas Earle White, after the prisoner had pleaded, stated that he had not had time to gather his witnesses. The case was therefore continued, no date being fixed.

#### FORSAKE THE WORLD. Nineteen Young Women Take the Veil at

West Chester. By the United Press. West Chester, Pa., Jan. 3 .- Archbishop Ryan today conducted the services at the Villa Maria convent here, in which nineteen young women took

the vows forsaking the world. Of these, thirteen took the black vell the yows of eternal seclusion, and six took the white veil, which holds them for two years.

### Princeton Alumni Banquet.

By the United Press. Harrisburg, Jan. 3.—The Central Pennsylvania Alumni association of Princeton college had its annual banquet at the Commonwealth hotel tonight. Among those who responded to toasts were Professor Harper, of Princeton; Attorney General Hensel, President Reed, of Dickinson college, and B. M. Nead. Judge McPherson was re-elected president.

### Coke Trade Improving.

By the United Press. Connellaville, Pa., Jan. 3.—The coke trade continues to improve and the outlook for 1895 indicates the best business in the history of the Connellaville region. An advance in belling price to \$1.50 per ton is expected when the Frick scale extense is Exhaust. pires in February.

Gold Withdrawa.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The treasury lost today by gold withdrawn \$100,000, of which \$100,000 was taken for foreign export and \$300,000 for shipment to Canada. The gold reserve at the close of business stood at \$83,394,032. By the United Press.



Enterprise and Its Drawbacks.

Frank H. Sparks Concocts a Lurid Story of Assault and Robbery.

CASHIER'S BIT OF ACTING

BUMPS HIS HEAD ON THE FLOOR

In Order to Cover Up His Own Tracks as a Defaulter He Claims to Have Been Robbed by Bold Thieves.

By the United Press.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 3.-After three hours of the shrewdest kind of detective work, Chief of Police Deitch and his detectives this evening caused Frank H. Sparks to confess that he was a thief and that his previous sensational statements were lies

Sparks is an assistant cashier of the postoffice money order department. At 1.30 o'clock this afternoon he was found lying on the marble floor of his office, seemingly in an unconscious condition by Janitor John Weihe. Sparks was curred in the financial condition of the lying on his face with his head in the country, Mr. Adams noted a reduction direction of the door and Weihe turned him over and asked what was the mata loss of \$20,000,000 to the people of the ter. "I have been robbed," he exclaimed as he pointed to the cash

He was lifted to a sext, after which Inspector Soloman was notified, Sparks had two contusions on the forehead and as he sat with pale face, frequently resting his hand upon the bruised head, he told a sensational story. He said he was alone in the office two men entered. One of them asked for change for a \$5 bill. He told them get the money, but the fellows graphim in the forehead and knocked him to the floor in an unconscious condition. They then stole all the cash in

the drawer-\$868. Sparks was escorted to police headquarters, where he adhered to his story, but as witnesses were from time to time brought in who contradicted him. he began to get worried. Detectives confronted him with proof that he had been living a fast life unknown to his

After 5 o'clock he was startled by the question from Detective White: "How much are you short in your accounts?" Sparks equivocated for a time and hen said: "Well, I expect it will althen said: most reach \$200," and with a gasp sank back in his chair. Sparks confessed

secreting the money in the office. The contusion on his head was produced by his falling purposely on the floor at full length and bumping his head to bring blood. Over \$600 was found where he had secreted it, and he was locked up.

### LOCOMOTIVE BUILDING.

The Business Has Declined at a Tremendous Rate During the Past Two or Three Years.

By the United Press.

New York, Jan. 3.-The following record of locomotive and car building for the past year is taken from the Railroad Gazette: Reports from thirteen companies make the total of 695 locomotives for 1894, against 2,011, locomotives built in 1893. Three companies building nearly ninety locomotives in 1893 did not turn out a single new locomotive in 1894. More than eighty locomotives of the total number built in 1894 were built for export.

The record of the car builders is even vorse than that of the locomotive builders. In 1894 only twenty-seven companies have reported as having built any freight cars, the output being 17,029 cars. In 1893, 51,216 freight cars were built by thirteen companies. There were fifteen important car building companies which did not turn out a single car in 1894. As to passenger cars the returns show that 510 cars were built by eight companies, against 1,980 built in 1893 by fourteen companies. In 1892 over 93,000 freight cars were built by eighteen companies in the United States; in 1891, the figures were over 95,000 cars by fifty companies, and in 1890 over 103,000 cars were built. A decrease in output of 34,000 cars in one year and of over 86,000 cars in five years, tells its own story.

The 1894 demand was doubtless lessened by the fact that considerable equipment was built in anticipation of the great business of the World's fair year which turned out to be so disap-

#### MEMORIAL TO CURTIS. Committee Organized in Charleston to

Cooperate with New York. By the United Press. Charleston, S. C., Jan. 3.--A commit-tee was organized in Charleston this morning to co-operate with the New York committee in erecting a suitable memorial to the late George William Curtis. Judge Charles H. Simonton, of the United States circuit count, was made chairman of the committee, and Arthur L. Jones secretary. The gen-

eral committee consists of thirteen prominent men of this city. A special committee of five was appointed to selicit subscriptions to the memorial fund.

WAGONHURST RULED OUT. Will Not Be Allowed to Row with Penn sylvania's Crew. By the United Press.

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.-Otto Wagonhurst, who was re-elected captain of the University of Pennsylvania crew after the race with Cornell last year, will not be allowed to take a seat in the boat. This is the result of a ruling by the faculty committee on athletics to the effect that no student, except under special circumstances as to class standing, will be allowed to take part in two branches of sport in any one year. Wagonhurst played tackle on the foot ball eleven this fall, and so will not be

allowed to train the crew. PULLED MOORE'S WHISKERS.

Little Johnnie Shelby, Counsel For Colonel Breckenridge, Objects to Being Called a Liar in Print.

By the United Press, Lexington, Ky., Jan. 3.—Colonel Breckinridge's law partner, John T. Shelby, who, during the Pollard-Breckinridge trial attacked an attorney for Miss Pollard, in the court house attacked Editor C. C. Moore, of the Prohibit, on paper, Blue Grass Blade, this afternoon. The Blade this afternoon contained an article asking Miss Pollard to join the editor on a lecture tour.

The article concluded thus: "She has more sense than Billy kinridge, and his man Friday, Bet Butterworth, and Charles Stoll and Little Johnnie Shelby, all put together She cleaned out the whole gang and did not lie once like all of them did." Mr. Shelby, with George Shanklin,

young lawyer, went to Moore's office where they found him. Shankiin asked him if he intended to say that Mr. Shelby had lied and if so he wanted to know his reasons for making such a statement.

Moore read the paragraph carefully and said he did not think it was so strong and he did not know that he meant to say that Mr. Shelby lied. Moore's manner showed his indiffer ence to the whole matter and Sheib; abused Moore, who invited the lawyers | The Prospective Groom Proved to Be a to leave his office. Shelby refused to do so. Moore then said he would leave By the United Press.

and started toward the door. Shelby by this time was livid with rage, and, jumping in the air, smashed butcher here, and Valentine Hoyer Moore over the head with his cane. He were to have been married this evenstruck so hard that the cane broke and ing, but an hour before the time set then with is left hand grabbed at a for the ceremony the bride receive a pulled the whiskers out and then Moore grabbed his assailant around the arms, children in Northampton, Mass. Hoyer holding him so tightly that he could do no more violence. When the little lawyer had cooled down somewhat the editor released his hold and the visitors

Moore was not badly injured owing to his hair being thick. He says he has no intention of having Shelby arrested.

### MET THEM WITH A GUN. Burglars Receive a Warm Reception at a

Country Store. By the United Press. Bethlehem, Pa., Jan. 3.-While safe crackers were at work in Clauser's country store, five miles from here, last night, they were surprised by Harry Clauser, aged 19 years, who slept over the store.

Shots were excanged and one of the burglars was badly wounded but made his escape. He could be traced ten miles by loss of blood. The burglars left a kit of tools and a quantity of dynamite sticks behind.

Struck by a Train.

By the United Press. Sharon, Pa., Jan. 3.—James Bentley and Albert McKnight, while driving in a sleigh across the tracks of the Erie and Pittsburg railroad today, were struck by a passenger train. Both were fatally in-

Broke Through the Ice. By the United Press, Trenton, N. J., Jan, 3.—Thomas Haley, the 10-year-old son of Martin Hale, a well known potter, broke through the ice while skating on the Assanpink creek this after-

Violent Earthquakes. By the United Press.

Rome, Jan. 3.—Violent earthquakes shook Reggio, Messina and Milazzo this morning. The inhabitants fled in panic from their houses and few had returned

noon and was drowned.

#### this evening. WASHINGTON CHAT.

Colonel John G. Chandler, assistant quartermaster general, has been retired from active service.

A voluminous correspondence marking the close of the Bluefields episode will be sent to congress soon. Chief Engineer B. H. Wharton has been detached from the New York navy yard and placed on the retired list.

General Guido N. Lieber, who has been acting as such since General Swalm's court-martial, in 1884, will be appointed judge advocate general.

#### LAMBERT DEAD LEGALLY

Lawyer to Save a Murderer.

EXECUTION POSTPONED

Ingenious Scheme of a New Jersey

Prisoner Was to Have Been Hanged Yesterday When His Attorney Appeared with a Stay of Execution from Justice of the Supreme Court.

By the United Press.

Camden, N. J., Jan. 3.-The persistency of a lawyer and the power of the highest court in the country have saved Theodore Lambert, the colored burglar and convicted mureder of aged William Kalerer, from the gallows. Whether or not Lambert will eventually be excuted cannot be determined for nine nonths at least. The negro was to have been hanged

in the Camden county jail at 19 o'clock this morning, and everything was in readiness for the execution, but at \$.40 o'clock his attorney John L. Semple walked into the sherin's office and handed Sheriff Barrett an order from Associate Justice Shiras, of the United States supreme court, staying the execution. The order was issued in Washington last night upon the solicitation of Lawyer Semple and is directed to Sheriff Barrett.

It cites that official to appear before the supreme court of the United States at Washington on March 4 next "to do and receive what may appertain to ustice to be done The writ further orders that the execution "of the said Theodore Lambert be and the same is hereby stayed until

the further order of the court." The writ was made returnable March next, but the case will not be argued until the October term of the United States supreme court, and possibly not then. After Justice Shiras had granted the stay, Judge Dallas, of the United States circuit court made it operative by his endorsement. Should the higher tribunal decide the case adversely, the negro cannot be hanged for at least a

# WEDDING DECLARED OFF.

Married Man. Bothlehem, Pa., Jan. 3.-Miss Mary Alice Fogel, daughter of a wealthy big bunch of Moore's whiskers. He letter which stated that her intended was a married man, having a wife and has fled.

He came here from Wilkes-Barre three years ago and has done well in the confectionery business since then The letter was read to the assembled guests and the wedding declared off.

### THE WAR IN THE EAST.

Care of Invalid Japanese Soldiers-Em

peror William Decorated.

By the United Press.

Yokohama, Jan. 3.—The wounded and sick of the second army will be kept in the field hospitals until the spring as the coast is now ice-bound. Only the invalid soldiers of the first army

will be sent to Japan. It is stated that the Mikado has conferred upon Emperor William the Grand Order of the Imperial Chrysanthemum in recognition of the service rendered by German officers to the Japanese officers who have been under their instruction in military and

#### naval science. FLASHED FROM THE WIRES.

Six women have been appointed clerks in the Colorado house. The defalcation from the Central Na-

tional bank of Rome now amounts to \$134,-Chicago university has received from John D. Rocknfeller \$175,000 as a New Year's gift.

entence of death, has for the second time scaped jail at Perry, O. T. Although hanged in effigy by Richmond college students, Professor F. W. Boat-wright accepts the presidency. Sawing through jail bolts, A. J. L. Rod-

John Milligan, a double murderer, under

dy, Andrew Winters, George Alexander and C. D. Kiger, all murderers, escaped at Nashville, Tenn. Twenty passengers were hurt at Indian apolis by a collision of street cars in a snow storm, and one man may lose his

nose in consequence. For the supposed murder of W. H. Price, the Cleveland manufacturer, C. F Benz, a coachman, and Thomas Grant, laborer, are under arrest.

Creek, Mich., charged with wrecking passenger train there during the American Railway union strike last summer, was yesterday released from custody.

E. M. Jewett, under arrest at Battle

#### WEATHER REPORT. For eastern Pennsylvania, fair; south erly, shifting to northwesterly winds.

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