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The coffin was banked high with the floral offerings contributed by the pupils of the High school, the teachers of the board of control, and many friends of the family and the room was heavy with the fragrant perfume of the flowers. Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. James McLeod, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Rev. Dr. Robert E. Y. Pierce read the following poem, which was a favorite of Prof. Grant, during his lifetime, and which had a special application, because he, himself, died at his post:

There are countless heroes who live and die of whom we have never heard!

For the great, big, brawling world goes by like a flash, and a look or a word, and one of the bravest and best of all of whom the list can boast.

Is the man who falls on duty's call, the man who dies at his post.

While his cheek is mantled with manhood's bloom, and the pathway of life looks bright, he is thought in a moment to face the gloom surrounding the final night.

He bravely sails o'er the sunset sea, and is dashed on an unseen coast—Till the ship goes down, at the helm stands he, the man who dies at his post.

Who knows the glorious title of war? And knows that the honor will hover o'er? And ever his name with light, but he passes, unnamed, unknown, who hears no applauding host.

God's angels in the dark to his late, alone, the man who dies at his post.

Who bears with disease while draws draws near, who faces his fate, and dies, yet strives to comfort and help and cheer his comrades along the way.

Who follows his work wide he yet may do, and smiles while he suffers most, it seems to me a hero true—the man who dies at his post.

There are plenty to lead and crown with bays the hero who falls in strife, but few who offer a word of praise to the crowning hero of life.

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## ANSWERS WERE UNFAVORABLE

### THREE REPLIES TO NINE HOUR DAY DEMAND RECEIVED.

President W. D. Zehnder Met His Men Saturday Night with Unsatisfactory Results—Superintendent McLaren, of Dickson Shops, of Allis-Chalmers Company, Willing to Grant Nine Hour Day and Have Wage Question Adjusted by Arbitration—Strikers Send Away Imports.

Unless unexpected developments take place today, not a man employed by the large local metal working concerns will be at work, with the exception of those employed by the Dunmore Iron and Steel company, in the Erie shops at No. 6, in whose case a cessation of labor has been indefinitely postponed.

A meeting of the council was held Saturday night and in view of the general feverish conditions which will prevail today, it was decided not to have any meeting until tomorrow, when a general mass meeting will be held.

The strike movement has met with a stumbling block at Richmond, Va., where the Richmond Locomotive works are refusing to grant the men's demand for a nine hour day. The men met after the company's answer was received and decided to return to work this morning under the old conditions.

The machinists of the Lehigh railroad company's shops at Wilkes-Barre struck Saturday morning and to-day the men at the North Wilkes-Barre shops of the Lehigh, the Dickson works at Wilkes-Barre, which employ about two hundred men, the Lehigh Iron works at Lehigh, and the Lehigh Valley shops at Lehigh, have all gone out on strike. The men at the Lehigh Valley shops succeeded in obtaining their requests.

Master Car Builder L. T. Canfield, of the Lackawanna, returned to this city Saturday from New York. Twenty men came in Saturday night from Hoboken and were taken to the shops. Several of them reported at strike headquarters yesterday, and were sent home. The greater part of those who reported were well utilized by the officers. The charges against Fred Babecek, one of the car builders expelled at the last meeting of the union, have been found groundless and the dismissed member has been reinstated.

## MISSIONARY WORK TO BEGIN.

Today the men expect to hear from Hoboken and the other places along the coast. They will be met by a day inaugurating their scheme of missionary work among the imports. The large fence surrounding the paint shop, in which they are quartered, and their guard of one hundred and fifty deputies are but slight obstacles to the men. They declare they will fly kites in the New Yorks, bearing at their tails union literature and documents expressive of the local situation, which will be liberated by a string attached when the kite is floating over the shops. It is reported yesterday that thirty-six out of forty bridge builders employed by the company resigned rather than be pressed into service as specialists, as requested Saturday night.

Today is the crucial period of the strike. If at this last moment the big manufacturers post positive granting the strikers' demands, there is no doubt that the smaller firms such as the Finch Manufacturing company, and McLaughlin & Brooks, will follow suit. There seems to be little likelihood of this, however, and all parties concerned are at present girding themselves for what looks like a long and hard fight.

## LEAGUE AGENTS IN NEW ROLE

### Noisy Love-Makers on North Washington Avenue Arrested and Penalized—Residents Complain.

Three girls, employed by families residing in Green Ridge, and their three respective "fellows," who hail from Providence, were arrested last night by Agent Robert Wilson and Detective William Limney, of the Municipal league, for disorderly conduct on the street.

They were taken into custody at the corner of Washington and Delaware streets. This particular neighborhood has been the rendezvous for young people for years, and lately their boisterous conduct has become intolerable to the nearby residents and they determined upon heroic measures to break it up.

One of the young men got away. The other two and the three girls were taken before Alderman Bailey and each subjected to a penalty of \$3 fine and costs. Later, the alderman remitted the fines of the three girls and one of the youths. The other young man was recognized as an old offender and denied any leniency. All settled and were released.

It is claimed that women have been frequently insulted by the youths who have made it a practice of loitering about this corner.

## COL. HITCHCOCK DENIES.

### Says That Reed and West Have Not Been Dismissed.

The statement was circulated on Saturday as coming from Recorder Mott, that James Reed and George West, the two special officers who were charged with exceeding their instructions by sending the boy detective into a saloon with a forged order for beer, had been dismissed by Director of Public Safety Hitchcock.

Director Hitchcock, when seen yesterday by a Tribune reporter, said that the statement was absolutely unfounded and that the men would continue their connection with the department of public safety.

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