MILLS IN EAST PENNA. OPERATE WITHOUT LOSS

Strike at Coatesville Is Only Exception in This Section of State

Philadelphia, Sept. 23. — With a single exception there was no evidence early to-day of a strike in the score or more steel plants in Philadelphia and other eastern Pennsylvania cities.

The exception was at Coatesville where approximately 400 men out of 5,000 employed by the Midvale and Lukens Steel Companies remain away from work. Officials of both plants said last night they were operating as usual and that production would not materially be reduced unless more workmen quit. Pickets were out at both mills, but there was no disorder.

Normal conditions were reported by the Midvale Steel and Ordnance Company, the Pencoyd Iron Works and the Baldwin Locomotive Works in this city. Employers declared that the proportion of organized steel workers in the Philadelphia plants is small and that no cessation of work here is anticipated.

Similar reports were received from the steel and iron plants in Reading, the Eastern Steel Company at Pottsville, the Steelton plant of the Bethlehem Steel Company and the steel and wire mills at Allentown, Catasauqua, Hacungie and Topton. Officials at all these plants said they were operating as usual and that there were no indications of a strike.

Employes of the Reading Iron Company at Danville, numbering more than 500, voted to live up to their agreement with the company. The agreement does not expire until July, 1920.

Union employes of the Bethlehem Steel Company at Allentown have decided not to participate in the strike, pending action on a request for a conference with officials of the company.

Normal conditions were reported at all the steel plants in and adjacent to Wilmington, Del.

OUTLYING SECTIONS NEED MORE POLICE

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the United States Steel Corporation, were practically dead, he asserted.

Mr. Foster's claims were not borne out by reports coming from the Carengie Company and from independent steel company sources. The situation is improved, was the flat declaration of a representative of the Carnegie Company. "We have more men going to work at Homestead," he said, "and our reports show additional men are coming back at other plants of the company."

Situation Better

It was said by a company representative that the situation at the Carrie furnaces at Rankin was better than yesterday. One blast furnace was put in operation to-day and another was expected to do the same to-night.

At certain points in Western Pennsylvania outside the Pittsburgh district strike conditions while not bad were not as good as they were in the vicinity of Pittsburgh it was said in corporation sources. This was due, it was further said, because police protection for men who wanted to go to work was not as adequate as it was in and near Pittsburgh.

Few disorders were reported in the earlier hours of the day except at Farrell, in the northwestern part of the State near the Ohio line. Rioting occurured there last night and one man was shot and killed and a number of others were injured by bullets, including a State Trooper. Sporadic rioting also occurred there to-day, it being reported that a number of persons were wounded in shooting affrays.

Women Arrested

Three women were arrested at McKeesport to-day for alleged attempts to intimidate men who refused to go on strike. One of the women was attired in men's clothing.

One of the women is alleged to have thrown a bucket of water on a loyal workman when he refused to listen to her plea not to go to work. When a patrolman came to the man's rescue, the officer was smeared with a bucket of whitewash it was alleged.

J. L Beaghen, of Pittsburgh, vice-president of the Pittsburgh Central Labor Union, and John Patterson, of Chicago, vice-president of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, two union organizers, arrested yesterday, were fined $100 and costs on a charge of disorderly conduct and violating a city ordinance, in McKeesport police court.

"Getting Good Break"

The Monongahela Valley plants in Donora and Monessen remained shut down to-day. No attempt was made to work. More than 12,000 men are out in Monessen and approximately 5,000 are out of work at Donora.

The Second avenue plant of the National Tube Company in this city did not resume operations to-day, about 2,200 men being idle. Only 100 laborers showed up for work.

"We are getting a very good break," said an official of the Carnegie Steel Company to-day, in giving an authorized summary of the situation in the Pittsburgh district so far as it relates to that corporation.

"It becomes more apparent that the strike is due entirely to activities among foreign workmen. Almost without exception our American workmen are with us and are either actually at work or are ready to go to work at the first opportunity.

Foreigners Coming Back

"A most encouraging feature is that a number of the foreign element returned to work this morning. This relieves the situation at the Carrie furnaces in Rankin, where it is hoped to start one of the furnaces during the day. Other departments of the Homestead plant are operating and in every instance there are at least as many men working as yesterday. There is a noticeable increase in the number of men in the general labor department. The Americans are sticking to their work to a man, and there is absolutely no disorder.

"The Edgar Thomson works continue to operate and more men reported for work here than yesterday. The open hearth, too, is in better shape. This plant reports that quite a few of the foreign-speaking men have returned to work this morning.

"All told the situation in the Monongahela, where our four big mills are located, is considerably improved and is encouraging."

The Carnegie Steel Company, largest subsidiary here of the United States Steel Corporation, has closed several of its plants in the district, but according to an official of the concern, the situation is improving.

Disorders, some of a serious nature, marked the first day of the strike in the Pittsburgh district. Two men were killed at Farrell, Pa., one during a clash between State Police and local officers and a crowd of about 1,500 persons, near the American steel and wire plant. The other victim was murdered by a fellow boarder when he is said to have refused to go on strike.

Two Troopers Shot

Two State Troopers were shot during the Farrell outbreak, while seven persons were struck by bullets during a clash between mill guards and a crowd at New Castle, Pa. Other disorders occurred in the district and many persons were slightly wounded.

One man was killed, two State Troopers were shot and many other persons less seriously injured last night in an outbreak at Farrell. The fight occurred near the American steel and wire plant, when, it is said, members of a crowd threw bricks and other missiles at the State Police and local officers. Paul Prouse died as the result of a bullet wound received during the melee. Private Frank Milligan and Sergeant Smith, State Troopers, were struck by bullets and the former is in a serious condition.

Arrest Eleven

Disorders, so much feared by police authorities in the steel strike zone, were in evidence in several places in the Pittsburgh district.

During a melee in front of the zinc plant of the American Steel and Wire Company at Donora early last evening, one man was shot and slightly wounded. Other persons suffered minor bruises.

Riding into a crowd at an entrance of the Carnegie Company's plant at Homestead, after it had refused to disperse, State Troopers last night arrested eleven men and turned them over to the Homestead police.

Another outbreak occurred shortly afterward in Homestead, where a large crowd assembled. The State Police charged and, it is alleged, used their sticks freely. Several men suffered bruises, but none was seriously hurt.

Legion Is Loyal

Two men were slightly injured in an early outbreak at the entrance to the Farrell, Pa., plant of the American Steel and Wire Company during the change of shifts. The two men were attacked by a crowd of about 2,000 persons. The trouble was quelled by mill guards and borough police.

The first fatality to result from the steel strike occurred last night when Alexander Russ, of Farrell, was killed by a fellow boarder because he had not struck.

The East Liberty Post of the American Legion last night adopted a resolution declaring that if the necessity arises it will offer its services to the proper authorities to aid in maintaining law and order.

Two New Troops

An early survey of strike conditions in Carnegie Steel Company plants in the immediate vicinity of Pittsburgh, said an official of the company showed no material change from that of last night. It was stated that conditions at the Homestead plant were improving and that more men were reporting. At Duquesne, the company representatives said, the plant was working 100 per cent. The company had no early reports from outlying sections, it was said.

Six arrests of men found loitering about the Jones and Laughlin plant counting the workers as they came out, police said, were made early. They are said to have refused to move on when ordered.

It was learned to-day that two full troops of State Police, about fifty each, have been ordered from the eastern part of the State to the western part of Pennsylvania. One of the troops will operate out of Greensburg and the other out of Butler, the headquarters of the two troops permanently located in this section of the State.

William Z. Foster, secretary of the steel workers national committee, said to-day reports from men in the field showed that the strike was spreading. He said his reports showed that the Homestead works of the Carnegie Company were practically "dead."

Mr. Foster said he had a telegram from Birmingham, Ala., stating that 4,000 men are out there. This, he said, was pleasing because the union had not expected to make as good a showing there as the telegram indicated.

Orders have gone out, Mr. Foster further said, to "pull out" the men in all the plants of the Jones and Laughlin Company. Not much effort, he said, had been made to bring the Jones and Laughlin men out on strike up to this time. The union hoped to be able to close the plant by to-morrow.

Mr. Foster appeared in the Allegheny county court to-day as a defendant for alleged violation of an ordinance at Duquesne. He was arrested several weeks ago.

Two More Plants Close

Braddock and Rankin plants of the American Steel and Wire Company, both of which operated yesterday at decreased capacity, were closed to-day for an indefinite period. These plants employ approximately 10,000 men, including great numbers of foreign-speaking laborers. It was due to the walkout of laborers that the plants were closed.

Immediately after the decision to close the plants the company began paying off the men.

Owing to the closing of the plants the crowds on the street were greatly augmented in the two towns to-day. The police and State constabulary were having considerable difficulty in keeping the crowds moving. Two arrested were made by the State Police.

Continue Operations

Although crippled in all departments, the Allegheny and West Penn Steel Companies at Brackenridge were operating.

Union organizers said fewer men reported for work to-day than yesterday while the company officials declared that a greater number of men appeared. The Allegheny Steel Company officials said that they expected to start operation of the bar mill to-day, which was closed yesterday by the strike.

Officials of the Homestead Steel Works said that but ten per cent. of the employes had left the plant and that they were all foreign born. Union organizers declared that the men were continuing to leave the plant and joining the ranks of the strikers. Several men were arrested for refusing to obey orders of the State Police, at the Duquesne Steel Works, officials stating that the plant was running in full. Fourteen foreigners were arrested for loitering and disorderly conduct.

Gompers Names Labor Men For Industrial Confab

Washington, Sept. 23.—President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, announced the names of the fifteen representatives of labor who are to take part in the industrial conference called by President Wilson to meet here October 6. Besides Mr. Gompers they are Joseph F. Valentine, president Moulders' International Union; Frank Duffy, president of the Carpenters' Brotherhood; W. D. Mahon, president of the Amalgamated Association of Steel Railway Employes; T. A. Rickert, Jacob Fischer, Matthew Woll, Frank Morrison, Daniel J. Tobin, John L. Lewis, Sara A. Conboy, William J. Johnston, Paul Scharrenberg, John Donlin and M. F. Tighe.

Eleven Struck by Bullets in Renewal of Farrell Rioting

By Associated Press.

Farrell, Pa., Sept. 23.—More rioting occurred to-day in Farrell, where a man was shot and killed last night and several other persons injured.

Two persons were shot, neither seriously, and several other persons were otherwise injured in renewed rioting when State Police and local authorities dispersed crowds that had congregated in Main street. Last night one man was shot and killed, a State Trooper was shot and seriously wounded and another State Policeman was injured in the head with a brick.

This morning's melee did not last long, the authorities acting with much vigor and succeeded in scattering the crowds.

After the trouble was over several thousand strikers and their sympathizers went across the Ohio State line, several miles from Farrell, to hold a mass meeting. The burgess of Farrell has forbidden the holding of meetings in the borough.

Many shots were fired in the new disturbance to-day. The police say that at least eleven persons were struck by bullets.

J. H. Moody, burgess of Farrell, has taken personal charge of the police in the streets of Farrell. He appealed to Sheriff Gibson at Mercer to send deputy sheriffs here to assist the local authorities and the detachment of State troopers on duty. Additional State police, as a result of last night's trouble have been ordered here.

Many cases of individual assaults are reported by the police. Alvin Pfeiffer, of Farrell, while driving along the street in an automobile was suspected of going to one of the steel plants and was attacked by several persons with stones and sticks. His machine was damaged but he was not badly hurt.

Two other men were shut up in the old Mercer county brewing plant, the police said, by strike sympathizers to keep them from going to work. They were found and released by the police.

During the trouble here last night two horses of mounted troopers were shot.

Quiet Nearby

In Sharon and other nearby communities all was quiet. All steel and wire mills in this vicinity are closed to-day, not a whistle blowing anywhere. Among the larger plants closed are the south and north mills of the Carnegie Steel Company here and at Sharon; the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company and the American Steel and Wire Company. These plants operated part of the time yesterday.

The shooting here occurred late last night. Crowds had congregated on Broadway, the main street, and at the request of the borough authorities, the State police tried to disperse them. Part of the street is being paved and many in the crowds threw bricks and other missiles at the troopers. Shots were fired and the fire was returned, it is alleged. When the shooting was over and the crowd dispersed, it was found that at least three persons were shot and many were injured by flying missiles.

Paul Prach, 34, of Farrell, was shot in the face and died at the trooper, was shot in the hand and Buhl Hospital.

E. Milligan, of Butler, a State Cyrus Lowe, of Sharon, received bullet wounds in the hand and leg.

Strikers Are Filling Streets of Coatesville

By Associated Press.

Coatesville, Pa., Sept. 23.—Twelve hundred men are on strike at the Midvale Steel and Ordnince Corporation branch here and five hundred more at the plant of the Lukens Steel Company. Both concerns employ between 5,000 and 6,000 men.

Good order prevails. The strikers, mostly of unskilled class, are picketing and the streets in the vicinity of the mills are filled with men.

GARY AND STRIKE LEADER TO BE CALLED

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pressed concern over the general industrial situation.

"This strike seems to be the first skirmish in industrial warfare," said Senator Kenyon. "Let us face it and find out the facts."

Publicity, Senator Kenyon and other members said, might be helpful. The senator explained that his resolution was in the interest of neither the employers nor employes, but "the great third party—the public."

Senator Kenyon announced that the investigation would be begun Thursday and that the first witness would be Chairman Gary, of the United States Steel Corporation and John J. Fitzpatrick, chairman of the national committee organizing the steel workers.

The Kenyon resolution was endorsed by Senators Knox, Republican, Pennsylvania; Owen, Democrat, Oklahoma, and Norris, Republican, Nebraska.

Senator Thomas said he did not oppose the investigation, but doubted whether it would bring results. Senator Smith, Democrat, South Carolina, said he was concerned that Congress should be called upon to fix industrial relations, believing it tended toward Socialism.

Knox Urges Step

Senator Knox said that if reports that steel workers on strike were largely foreign born were true, there should be an investigation by Congress to determine the basis of the government's policy in the future.

Senator Thomas said the refusal of Judge Gary to receive representatives of the workers was "unjustified and unwise," and that the strike was "one of the developments that but American institutions to their supreme test." He said tha tthe Senate investigation would require too much time to be of service.

Senator Kenyon said industry was in "a rather ticklish" situation and needed every steadying influence. If reports that 300,000 men are on strike are true, he added, Congress should "not sit idly by and do nothing."

The Senate investigation of the Paint Creek, W. Va., strike several years ago, he said, had stopped the disturbances.

"Leaders of the strike and representatives of the steel property owners," he said in conclusion, "can be brought here before the committee and we can find out just what the matter is. The day is gone by when either capital or labor has the right to precipitate such conditions on the country."

Mahoning Valley Mills Either Closed or Run on Limited Scale

Youngstown, Ohio, Sept. 23.—The country-wide steel strike, now entering its second day, finds the mills of the Mahoning Valley, Ohio's principal steel center, either completely closed or running on a very limited scale.

Three large companies, Brier Hill, Republican Iron and Steel, and Sharon Steel Hoop closed completely yesterday. They employ about 16,500 men. The Carnegie Steel Company announced its work greatly curtailed and said it would close unless the men return to work. Other companies were able to continue operating some of their mills in a limited capacity.

Yesterday's quietude was interrupted last evening when men were leaving the plant of the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company. Approximately 500 men cangregated at the main entrance gate, at the plant and engaged in picketing. This precipitated trougbe and many blows were struck. The arrival of police and deputy sheriffs armed with riot guns had a quieting effect. Later a few shots were said to have been fired. No one was seriously injured.

Bethlehem Steel Heads Have Not Yet Received Ultimatum From Workers

New York, Sept. 23. — Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the U. S. Steel Corporation, continued to-day his policy of silence in regard to the steel strike.

Officers of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, the largest independent in the country asserted that no ultimatum had been received from its unionized employes demanding a conference with the executives. Nothing could be learned concerning the probable attitude of the company in advance of a demand for such a meeting.

All the Bethlehem plants are running to capacity.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the company, will leave this afternoon for Chicago to attend a dinner of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, but it is understood his visit to that city has nothing to do with the labor situation.

Private advices received here by men connected with the steel industry declared that 21,000 more men were at work to-day in the Pittsburgh district than yesterday.

Wilson Feels He Has Done All Possible to End Strike; Will Let It Work Self Out

On Board President Wilson's Special Train, Sept. 23.—President Wilson was without official advices regarding the strike of steel workers and it was indicated that for the present he did not propose to interfere directly.

He was represented as feeling that he had done everything possible to prevent the strike, and that the best that could be accomplished now was to maintain order while the situation worked itself out.

Much interest was expressed by White House officials, however, in the progress of events as reported in the newspapers.

Lebanon Mills Do Not Feel the Strike

By Associated Press.

Lebanon, Pa, Sept. 23. — The strike in the steel industry was not felt in Lebanon as puddlers and rolling mill employes have been out since April for increased wages. Threats were made to call out factory employes in all departments by Thursday unless demands for increases are met by the Bethlehem Steel Company, but officials stated the men would remain at work.

MANY TRAINMEN OUT

Youngstown, Ohio, Sept. 23.—Railroad men who conferred with President W. G. Lee of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen in Cleveland yesterday, were advised that where they have agreements with the steel companies they should continue on duty, but that where no agreement is in effect the majority should rule. Most of the trainmen, union officials say, already are out

Independent Mills Only Are Operating in Chicago; District Engineers May Go

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Dawn on the second day of the nation-wide strike in the steel industry found nearly all the plants in the Chicago district either closed down or working with a greatly reduced force. Labor union officials predicted that every plant in the district would be closed within a few days

Labor leaders asserted to-day that more than 75 per cent. of the workens in the district have left their work, while company officials said the number who failed to report at the mills was not more than 20 per cent. of the total of nearly 90,000 men employed in the district.

In this district the strike has developed no violence. At Gary, Ind., guards escorted from the works men who had continued their employment and thousands of strikers about the gates did not menace them. Some damage was reported there as resulting from failure to draw liquid steel from furnaces.

A sympathetic strike of the members of the international union of steam and operating engineers in the Chicago district was regarded as a possible addition to the ranks of the steel mill workers who walked out. Engineers at Gary, who left their work yesterday, reiterated statements that they would remain out. On the other hand H. M. Comerford, secretary of that union, declared "even if this union has a personal grievance it would not strikei in the face of a repuest made by the President of the United States that no action be taken until after he had opportunity to confer with the various parties to the controversy on October 6."

Mr. Comerford reviewed the attitude of the engineers' locals in various steel zones. At Waukegan, Ills., and Youngstown, and Stubenville, Ohio, he said, the men are willing to work but the mills have been closed by the companies. At Gary, Ind., and Joliet, Illinois, certain radicals have ignored the international officers' directions to remain at work, he said, and cannot be controlled.

Throughout the entire Pittsburgh and Pueblo, Colo., district, Mr. Comerford added, the engineers have remained at work.

Two Troopers Hurt and Four Horses Shot, Capt. Lumb Announces

Captain George F. Lumb, acting Superintendent of the State Police, stated to-day that corrected reports showed that Corporal Raymond Laughlin had suffered a fracture of the skull and that Private Frank Milligan had been shot in the eye at Farrell. Laughlin comes from Centralia and Milligan from Avoca. Both are members of D troop, Butler. Milligan will lose his eye, but Laughlin is probably not seriously hurt. Four State Police horses were shot in the melee.

Calls on Fraternal Order of Police to Stick

Pittsburgh, Sept. 23. — William J. Milten, grand president of the Fraternal Order of Police, with headquarters in this city, to-day sent letters to all lodges of the order calling upon the members to use every means within their power "to uphold and enforce the laws of the nation, State and municipality at this time of unrest in our country," as they are obligated by their oath of office.

Mr. Milton asks that the officers enforce the laws "impartially under all circumstances."

The Fraternal Order of Police has lodges in 26 cities. It is an independent union, not affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Gary Gets Morgan's Approval of His Stand on Strike

New York, Sept. 23.—J. P. Morgan, in a cablegram from London to Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, heartily approves of his open-shop stand and urges the steel corporation to be firm in its attitude.

The cablegram is as follows:

"Heartiest congratulations on your stand for the open shop, with which I am, as you know, absolutely in accord. I believe American principles of liberty are involved and must win out if we all stand firm."

SCHUYLKILL VALLEY QUIET

Reading, Pa., Sept. 23. — Complete survey to-day in this end of the Schuylkill Valley, with many steel plants, rolling and other mills, shows a complete absence of labor disturbances or strikes related to the general strike called in the Pittsburgh and Chicago districts. All plants are in operation, some of them on double turn. Prospects are that the middle western shut downs will divert orders to plants in this district.

SWEAR IN DEPUTIES

Steubenville, O., Sept. 23. — Five hundred deputies were sworn in today to maintain order at the Weirton, W. Va., plant of the Weirton Steel Company across the river from here, which is the only plant of the Steubenville district operating. No strangers are now allowed to enter the town, which is company property. Strike leaders at local headquarters stated to-day that railroad men operating cars in the Weirton yards withdrew this morning.

SWITCHMEN OUT

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 23. — Disturbances which began in the vicinity of the Lackawanna Steel Company's plant last night were continued this morning. A master mechanic was set upon by a crowd and severely beaten. A riot call brought out the police and two men were arrested charged with rioting.

Switchmen on the South Buffalo railway to-day quit work when ordered to move cars into the Lackawanna Steel Company's yards.

CLAIMS DISPUTED

Cleveland, Sept. 23. — Claims of union officials that 25,000 men were idle here to-day in the strike of steel mill workers, an increase of five thousand over their estimates of yesterday, were disputed by steel mill officials, who deny that the walkout is as complete as union officials claim and contend that actual strikers do not number more than 40 per cent. of the union figures.

OPERATE WITH SMALL FORCE

Gary, Ind., Sept. 23.—Several departments of the United States Steel Corporation were being operated today with small forces. Union representatives declared that 95 per cent. of the men employed by the corporation are out. Company officials decline to make any state-

STRIKERS QUIET AT WAYNESBORO

Work May Be Besumed in Plants in Factory Town Tomorrow

Waynesboro, Pa., Sept. 23.—The strike situation is quiet here to-day. Warned by their leaders to respect the deputies sworn in by Sheriff Enos H. Horst, the strikers have refrained from violence. It was said to-day that work may be resumed in the closed plants to-morrow, although this notice was not official.

Business men of Waynesboro, keenly alive to the seriousness of the situation, prevailed upon the manufacturers to confer with them on the situation in the hope that the trouble might end and work go ahead as before at the borough's industrial plants..

The firmness with which the Franklin county authorities took hold of the situation has had much to do with quieting the situation. All day yesterday the Sheriff's deputies were on duty on the streets, but they found no infraction of law.

Constable Walter Klipp, Chambersburg, yesterday, was in Waynesboro serving warrants on a number of men who were implicated in the trouble at the local plants the 15th and 19th of this month.

Eighty-six warrants were served in all. Sixty-five of these were for the trouble on the 10th, while the other 21 warrants were for offenses committed on the 19th. The charges are assault and battery and riot.

The Landis Machine Company, following the labor disturbance here, has secured an option on ten acres of land in Hagerstown, for a contemplated new plant. It also is considering a location in Lancaster. A committee composed of President J. J. Oller and Directors W. L. Minick and J. G. Moomaw, went to that city yesterday to look over a site and proposition offered by that city. It is not believed a definite move in either direction will be made if the effort now in progress by leading citizens to settle the local strike is successful.

Three of New Castle Injured Are Likely to Die, Following Riot

By Associated Press.

New Castle, Pa., Sept. 23.—With State police, 150 deputy sheriffs and scores of policemen patrolling the streets about the steel plants here, the situation following serious riots last night was slightly improved early to-day. Nine persons, two women and seven men, shot last night in addition to the stabbing of one policeman and injuring of another with a club, in an attack on the plant of the Carnegie Steel Company. Three of the injured likely will die, it is said.

Rioting assumed serious proportions late yesterday when rioters stoned workmen in their way to the mills. Five workmen were caught against a stone wall and were being stoned by a mob when guards set out to rescue them. A pitched battle took place before the guards rescued the injured men.

Two policemen were injured when they attempted to disperse a crowd which refused to allow workers to enter the Shenango works of the American Sheet Tin Plate Company.

The riots followed the appearance of several hundred men said to be from Youngstown, Ohio.

Thirty persons were arrested last night charged with rioting and carrying concealed weapons. With the arrival of a score of State constabulary, the strike zone will be cleared up here to-day, it is believed. Mills are being operated at about 5 per cent. capacity, according to plant officials.

Cambria Steel Is Paying Off Men

Johnstown, Pa., Sept. 23. — Announcing a general suspension of work, officials of the Cambria Steel Company to-day began paying off their employes, automatically cutting off the men from connection with the company. The plant was closed yesterday by the strike.

The Lorain Steel Company announced that it is operating in full but with a force estimated at 85 per cent. of normal.

There has been no disorder.

Farm Bureau Imparts Information to Tillers of Acres in Cumberland

Carlisle, Pa., Sept. 23.—Two important field meetings were held today by the Cumberland County Farm Bureau. One was at the Brandsville Milk Station and the other at the farm of John L. Basehore, in the Lower End. At the first meeting there was a demonstration of the hot-water method of the control of loose smut in wheat. At the other information was given on the benefits of spraying potatoes and the uses of various kinds and amounts of fertilizer. Potatoes were dug up and compared. Dr. E. L. Nixon, of State College, and P. L. Edinger, the county agent was in charge.

Mrs. M. H. Garland Hostess For Sunday School Class

Enola, Pa., Sept. 23.—Mrs. M. H. Garland entertained her Sunday School class of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church at her home on the State road last evening. Those present included Mrs. Ross Morris, Mrs. Shepley, Mrs. M. H. Garland, Mrs. Berwick, Mrs. Coldren, Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. L. B. McCaleb, Mrs. John Roth, Mrs. Jack Dunfee, Mrs. Benjamin J. Passmore, Mrs. Wendler, Mrs. C. W. Miller, Mrs. Cocklin, Amelia Roth, Jean Dunfee, Billy McCaleb, Marion Morris, Mary Elizabeth Sheffley, Mrs. H. F. Beisel, Mrs. Tripner, Winifred Tripner, Curtis Tripner and Katharine Famous.

How Fat Folks May Become Thin

If you are suddenly becoming stout, or if you have been putting on flesh for years, the cause is generally the same—lack of oxygen carrying power of the blood. This trouble occurs mostly in men and women over thirty, but it may be easily treated and without any of the privations most fat people imagine necessary to reduce their weight. Simply go to your druggist and get a box of Phynola. Take five grains after each meal and at bedtime. Wonderful results should be quickly accomplished by this simple treatment.

Be sure however you get the genuine Phynola. It is put up in original sealed packages, is pleasant to take and gives prompt results. Gorgas the Druggist, Keller's Drug Store, J. Nelson Clark or any drug store

THREE JUDGES SIT IN COURT

Minor Cases Disposed of at Second Day of Criminal Court

Three sessions of criminal court were held this morning, President Judge George Kunkel hearing cases in Courtroom No. 1, Judge C. V. Henry, of Lebanon, specially presiding Courtroom No. 2, and Judge S. J. M. McCarrell disposing of three cases in his rooms.

John M. Graybill, charged with aggravated assault and battery, was on trial this morning before Judge Kunkel. Graybill, it is alleged struck Samuel N. Farmer when the latter came from a house near Calder and Sixth streets, where he had been calling on a young woman. According to the evidence the two men got into a dispute and Graybill finally attacked Farmer he claimed. A verdict was expected this afternoon.

Daniel J. Morgan, charged with false advertising, was on trial before Judge Henry. It was alleged that he advertised that he furnished certain storage battery service but did not do so. A verdict may be returned later to-day.

Other cases disposed of were: Harry Griffey, larceny and carrying concealed deadly weapons, four months; Mike Kozar, fraud against boardinghouse keeper, sentence suspended; Chester Davenport, larceny of watch and chain from Patrick J. Sullivan, convicted; George D Macey, two charges, false pretence, 30 days; George W. Graham, false pretence, $10 fine and six months; Graham pleading guilty to a charge of pursuading a woman to furnish a $200 cash bond upon the condition that she should become an agent for an underclothing firm.

Christian Bones, colored, was given from one year to six months in the penitentiary on a charge of larceny, preferred by a Middletown store proprietor.

BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits were issued today for the erection of a three-story brick warehouse, two-story brick garage and a two-story brick building for offices.

John Hare, contractor for H. D. Douglass, will build a two-story office building at the rear of 1800 Market street, at a cost of $2,000; H. W. Black, contractor for Joshua T. King, will construct a two-story brick garage at 1419-21 James street, to cost $4,000; a contractor for B. A. Cartwright will build a three-story brick warehouse at 305-7 Calder street at a cost of $3,500.

Other permits were issued to C. C. Glase, W. H. Burkey, contractor, one-story concrete garage, rear of 2469 Reel street, $300; Edward Ewing, H. W. Black, contractor, alterations, 1208 North Second, $200.

PARADE COMMITTEE TO MEET

The parade committee of the Welcome Home celebration will hold its final meeting to-night when details of the procession and escort will be gone over with Chief Marshal George Rhoads.

Manhattan SHIRTS $3 and $2.50

FORRY'S PENN-HARRIS HOTEL BUILDING

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How the burglars gained entrance to the store is not known by the police. Every window and door was securely locked at closing time, and in the morning, when two workmen of the store came to sweep the floors everything seemed intact. When they reached the third floor rear, where the office is located, the discovery was made that the safe had been blown open. Several clues are being run down by the police department. It is their belief that the work was thoroughly planned in advance and that out-of-town robbers are the guilty parties.

Soldier Reported Dead Expects to Be Home Soon

Columbia, Pa., Sept. 23. — Mrs. Mary Saylor, of this place, whose son, Jay E. Saylor, of Company L, 11th Infantry, was reported dead, has received a letter from the young soldier saying that he had arrived at Camp Merritt, and expected to be home soon.

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