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CARNAGE AT MOSCOW

Czar's Troops Now In Partial Control of City.

THIRTY THOUSAND TO AID REBELS

Fighting Rages With Savage Hate on Both Sides—Striking Workmen in Burning Factory Slaughtered With Artillery Fire.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Dispatches from Moscow say that the troops there have secured partial control of the city, but fighting continues in many of the outlying districts.

The government is censoring all telegrams, so that it is impossible to learn the true conditions existing there.

The soldiers have been in the main body of the insurgents in the quadrilateral near the Brest railroad station.

The troops have been rendered extremely savage on account of their losses, and their officers find it impossible to restrain the men from perpetrating the most savage tortures on any one falling into their power.

The insurgents attacked both the Kazan and Nikolai railroad stations, and a bloody fusillade ensued between the mob and the troops occupying the depots.

Some 300 revolutionary militiamen arrived by special train from Perovo, on the Moscow-Kazan line, and a crowd of 2,000 strikers, including several hundred local militiamen, joined the new arrivals outside the Kazan station.

The troops, jaded and worn out after hours of dangerous work, loathe the sight of a crowd and fire upon them mechanically and irresistibly.

The driving force behind the rebels is hatred of any troops. There is no long-term enthusiasm, loyalty, patriotism or any human impulse.

The revolutionists hold the outskirts of Moscow, and a thousand men are working night and day at the barricades, some of which are described as marvels of strength.

Police and troops in St. Petersburg surrounded and captured all the members of the executive committee of the fighting revolutionary organization while they were discussing plans for an armed uprising there.

A man named Scheolman was at the head of the executive committee, which numbered forty-seven members.

The government is confident that these captures practically put an end for the present to any attempt to repeat in St. Petersburg the uprising at Moscow.

A terrible holocaust has occurred at the 87th works, where 6,000 workmen were suddenly surrounded by cavalry and artillery.

At Warsaw the street railroad employees have struck, and the employees of the steam railroads are expected to follow suit.

The revolutionists are threatening an armed insurrection similar to that at Moscow.

Detachments of infantry occupy the railroad stations.

At Lodz, Russian Poland, the workmen threaten to strike, and an armed rising in the coal mining districts also is threatened.

French Warships For Riga. BREST, France, Dec. 27.—French warships are being prepared here to sail for the Baltic port of Riga.

Chancellor Hill in Low State. ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 27.—Chancellor Walter B. Hill of the University of Georgia, is critically ill with pneumonia, and the attending physicians state that he is now passing through the crisis of the disease, with the chances against recovery.

HIT A STAGECOACH.

Fatal Accident Near Freehold, N. J. One Dead and Twelve Injured.

FREEHOLD, N. J., Dec. 27.—One man was killed and twelve injured, two so badly it is feared they will die, in a collision between a Pennsylvania freight train and a stage carrying members of a basketball team and their friends from a game they had played in a nearby town.

The stage, with about fifteen men inside and others sitting on the seat with the driver, crossed the railroad tracks directly in the path of the fast freight.

The men were singing and having a jolly time. The driver did not notice the approaching train, which was hidden from his view by a clump of trees.

The stage tumbled on to the tracks; then the headlight of the locomotive shot out of the darkness and was on the vehicle in an instant.

The driver and those on the front seat gave a cry of alarm and jumped. Those inside had no chance after their first warning.

The dead man is John Benneman. His home was in Asbury Park.

Howard Soffield and Samuel Hampton, the most seriously injured, will probably die. Four others are suffering from fractured skulls.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Alfred Witte of this city is the mother of a three-day-old daughter, she insists, was born 110 days, or less than four months, after she had given birth to a son.

Horses Die of Astoria Epidemic. NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Owners of horses in Brooklyn have been panic-stricken by the sudden appearance of the rare disease known as astoria, which has killed off scores of the animals.

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A MISSING PRESIDENT

Santo Domingo on the Verge of Revolution.

MORALES TO ESTABLISH NEW CAPITAL

Conflict Between Two Factions Imminent, Probably at San Juan. Government Will Intervene, if Necessary.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Santo Domingo seems to be on the verge of a peculiar revolution. President Morales, dissatisfied with the support of his cabinet, has left the capital, Santo Domingo city, with a few followers, and it is said that his intention is to establish a new capital and cabinet, thereby forming a new government.

At Puerto Plata there seems already to have been trouble, the captain of the port being shot, wounded and captured.

Between the affair at Puerto Plata and the departure from the capital of President Morales is not quite clear.

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MAHER'S PUNCH WON.

Morris Harris Went Down and Out in the Third Round.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—Peter Maher still has the wallop. He landed it on Morris Harris in the third round of a contest at the Kensington Athletic club here, and the big negro went down and out. The victory was a popular one, and Peter held quite a reception after leaving the ring.

Maher was up against it in the first two rounds of the bout. Harris jabbed him continually, and in the second round had the better of some fast exchanges.

Harris started to rough it in the third round, but found this to Peter's liking. Harris jabbed Peter twice on the nose, and Maher slipped to the floor, where he stayed, resting up for the full count.

A straight left staggered Maher when he got up. Another mixup followed this, and it was then Peter landed his right, and Harris dropped like a log.

Queen Rec Won in Fog. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—It was impossible to see any of the races at Ingleside with the exception of the starts made in front of the stand.

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SPEAKERSHIP FIGHT

E. A. Merritt, Jr., Gives Out Statement at New York.

A SWEEPING REFORMATION TO COME

Insurance Inquiry Revelations Have Caused Deep Distrust on Part of Public and Remedial Legislation Is Necessary.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—E. A. Merritt, Jr., candidate for the Republican nomination for speaker of the New York state assembly, gave out a statement on the speakership fight last night in which he said that "the Higgins leaders" thought they could create a new board of control with Governor Higgins as dictator or boss.

"Many inquire why a contest, proper enough in the Republican state convention, should be brought into the organization of the state assembly. The reason is plain. An orderly and decent administration of affairs in the assembly and the passage of wholesome legislation this winter in that body would be to some extent to the credit of the Republican organization."

"Whatever of virtue there may be is desired to go to the credit of Governor Higgins. The Higgins leaders—Aldridge, Hendricks, Kilburn, Franchot and others—think to establish a new board of control with the governor as leader, dictator or boss. There is to be no room for anybody who has heretofore done the work of the Republican party in the legislature under either the leadership of former Governor Odell or of Senator Platt."

"The change is designed to be as sweeping as the reorganization of the Scottish church, historically known as the 'New Plan.'"

Battleground Shifts to Albany. ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 27.—The contest for the speakership of the state assembly will be transferred from New York city to Albany today.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The following statement relative to the consolidation of the Interborough and Metropolitan traction interests was given out here: "Mr. Belmont and Mr. Ryan, after consultation with their respective associates, have approved a plan for the union of the Interborough and Metropolitan interests, which will be formally submitted to the stockholders of the corporations involved as soon as the lawyers have completed the necessary papers."

Dredger Hit Submerged Cartridge. PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 27.—A dynamite cartridge which failed to explode when Henderson's point was blown up by the government last summer was struck by the digger of one of the Eastern Dredging company's dredgers, with the result that the craft was nearly sunk and several members of the crew injured by being thrown against the machinery. The dredger is badly damaged and will be beached.

Kansas Town Burned Out. WILSONVILLE, Neb., Dec. 27.—Nearly the entire business part of Herndon, Kan., was destroyed by fire. Two drug stores, a meat market, a bank and three general stores were burned, together with smaller concerns. A hardware store and general store alone are left. No estimate has yet been made of the loss.

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