

DOCK HANDS AND POLICE BATTLE

Strikers at Fort William, Ont., Incensed by Arrival of Special Canadian Constables

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Fort William, Ont., Aug. 12.—Fort William for the first time in its history is under martial law. A thousand dockworkers, principally Greeks, Hungarians and Italians who have been on a strike for a week, enraged by the arrival of special Canadian Pacific police from Winnipeg, were incited to riot and 300 of them engaged in a pitched battle with the police at noon today around the Canadian Pacific freight sheds.

Two Dozen Injured. Two dozen men were injured, three at least of them fatally, including Chief Ball of the company's local force and two Greeks. One of the wounded men, a Canadian Pacific constable, died. The other men, three are Greeks, one is a reporter, George Dickinson. Others are Sergeant Taylor of the city police force and John Lane, a butcher. Constable Carpenter of the Canadian Pacific force had a leg shattered and Chief Ball was badly wounded. The other men were injured in the riot.

The strikers have 25 railroad constables penned up in the Canadian Pacific railroad bunkhouse and shots have been heard all afternoon. Soldiers are guarding the district under command of Colonel Steele, who was here at the time of the riot. He is head of the Canadian permanent force in western Canada.

City Police Powerless. The permanent force in Winnipeg will arrive by special train early tomorrow. The city police department is absolutely unable to cope with the situation. It was impossible to control either the imported Canadian Pacific constables or dock strikers. The strikers are intensifying their fight and shoot in every direction, regardless of who is in the way. Friends and foe look alike.

It was near the noon hour when the first bullet was fired with evident intent to kill. Whether the first shot was fired by strikers or the Canadian Pacific constables is not positively known, but it is believed it was fired by one of the strikers. About thirty of whom arrived from Winnipeg, and were sworn in as specials. It is evident that the constables disregarded the orders of their chief. The men were taken through the yards to the Canadian Pacific constables and the Canadian Pacific constables are intensifying their fight and shoot in every direction, regardless of who is in the way. Friends and foe look alike.

At the city hall the mayor was doing what he could to arrange today to have the strikers removed. Canadian Pacific railway officials had agreed to grant the demands of the men and put them to work under an increased scale. Chief Andrews was

THREE MEN WERE KILLED. In the Shooting Wednesday Night at Dante, Va.

Bristol, Tenn., Aug. 12.—Details of the shooting reported from Dante, Va., last night reveal that three men were killed and two wounded. The dead are three who were employed in getting out timbers for the mines.

Disaffection among the foreigners because of alleged delay of the present contractors in paying their wages led the Greeks to hide certain tools belonging to the order of their chief. The strikers these led to the shooting.

The Greeks shot an American after which William Trent entered their cabin to find three men who were foreigners was intending to use on him, Trent shot and killed three. An American on the outside was struck by a stray bullet.

Trent who claims to have shot in self defense, was placed under arrest.

S. RIKE IN SWEDEN BROKEN. Idle Men Are Begging Food in Rural Districts.

Stockholm, Aug. 12.—The striking women of Sweden continue today to return to work. The strikers of Gothenburg are the latest to resume, and the foreigners taken to Gothenburg are being taken to their homes. Out of a total of 400,000 workmen engaged in Swedish industries, exclusive of agriculture and the iron and steel industry, only 100,000 are continually returning to their labor.

It is expected that the sawmill hands will be the last to return, through lack of funds, to return to their places. They are in a bad way. They have had an appeal for funds headed "Starvation is at the door," and they are begging food throughout the rural districts.

OPENING FLATHEAD LAND. Everything in Readiness for Drawings at Spokane, Wash.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 12.—Everything was ready today for Judge Wilton and his assistants to remove covers from fourteen large cans containing 57,000 applications for Flathead reservation lands. The drawings will be held here tomorrow.

Cabled Paragraphs

London, Aug. 12.—Adelbert T. Hoyt appeared in the Bow street police court today and was remanded for extradition on charges of larceny and forgery in New York.

Berlin, Aug. 12.—General Von Heeringen, commander of the Second army corps, was today appointed by Emperor William to the post of Prussian minister of war in succession to General Von Eimern, retired.

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Las Palmas, Canary Islands, Aug. 12.—Deputy Alejandro Leroux, chief of the Barcelona republicans, has arrived here from Buenos Aires. He will be present at Barcelona, fearing that his presence would incite the populace to new outbreaks; instead he will proceed to France and England.

Crisvenau, Hungary, Aug. 12.—Mme. B. Gayan, the wife of the noted composer, died in Budapest, in a sudden fit of madness today drowned two of her young children in the sea here. Her mother, who was with her, putting an end to her child in a similar manner and committing suicide herself.

DEVELOPMENTS IN PERSCH CASE. Note Broker, Released on Writ of Habeas Corpus, Was Re-arrested.

New York, Aug. 12.—There was a new arrest today in the circle of confidence surrounding the note broker, Persch, the note broker, who is charged with the larceny of \$110,000 worth of copper stocks paid to the company to secure a loan of \$50,000 made to M. M. Joyce, a broker for F. Augustus Heineze, W. L. Clark, another note broker, but representing Joyce, who is the complainant, maintains Persch was arrested in the district attorney's office.

Earlier in the day, Persch, freed on a writ of habeas corpus, was promptly re-arrested. The time was spent in a cell, where he was interrogated by the district attorney's office. Persch failed to secure today.

Chief of Police Dying. Fort William, Ont., Aug. 12.—It is reliably reported that a well known Italian lately made the threat that when the coal dock section was fit to take the life of the city into its hands, it would be worth a cent.

Second Train of Regulars. Winnipeg, Man. Aug. 12.—The second train of regular troops left tonight for Fort William.

BATTLESHIPS AT DRILL. Atlantic Fleet Has Begun Task Assigned by Naval Experts.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 12.—The flash of searchlights in the sky at night and the distant boom of guns during daylight, told the summer colonists on the Virginia coast that the Atlantic fleet had begun the hard task assigned it by the naval experts at Washington.

Ship of the fleet was on the drill grounds last night except the Idaho, which will join the fleet today. The flagship Connecticut, with Rear Admiral Scheroedinger at the helm, sailed from Hampton Roads yesterday afternoon, was preceded by the Minnesota, Vermont and Nebraska. The New Jersey left for the target range early yesterday morning.

Wireless reports said last night that the fleet was in the Chesapeake Bay, which is just the weather desired for the battleship practice under adverse conditions.

ARREST IN SCHUMACKER CASE. Farmhand Held on Suspicion of Being the Murderer.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Circumstances are somewhat against Edward Ewald, a farm hand and a former employe of Holy Sepulcher cemetery, who was arrested at his brother's home in the Virginia coast that the Atlantic fleet had begun the hard task assigned it by the naval experts at Washington.

Colonel Jewett Made Commander of Army of Philippines.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 12.—The third day's sessions of the convention of the Army of the Philippines was marked today by a speech delivered by Major General Frederick D. Grant, commander of the department of the lakes, Colonel Jewett of New Albany, Ind., was made commander.

Prisoner Jumped from Train and Escaped.

Yank, Pa., Aug. 12.—After being brought from California to answer charge of murder in Cecil county, Maryland, Scott Johnson, aged 23 years, jumped from the platform of a sleeping car on a Pennsylvania train a few miles south of this city today and escaped. A party of officers is in pursuit of the man in automobiles.

Steamship Arrivals. At Havre, Aug. 12: La Savoie, from New York.

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TREASURE UNEARTHED BY ARREST AT PITTSBURG. ITS OWNER LIVED IN EQUALOR

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Trunks Full of Coin. Trunks full of coin, stockings full of bills, washboilers full of nickels, dimes and pennies, the whole estimated at \$100,000, were found in a shanty wagon and taken to the Farmers' Deposit National bank by the police.

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Police Guard Treasure. A further search revealed two trunks, a small one and a larger one, both filled. A search of the larger trunk with money of small denominations. By lifting boards which the officers found marked with mysterious figures they found a box filled with nickels was hidden away under a bed. Several bankbooks were discovered and a check for \$100,000 was found. Inspector Scott Woods detailed two officers to remain at the house to guard the treasure until it could be removed to the city.

MINISTER WU RECALLED. Announcement Caused Surprise in Government Circles Here.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Announcement of the recall of Minister Wu came in a cablegram to the Chinese legation, which added that Chang Yin Tang has been named as his successor.

Income Tax Bill. The committee on federal relations reported on the income tax amendment to the constitution of the United States that it is referred to the house of the general assembly.

Death Damages Limit. Senator Chase reported for the committee on conference on the bill in reference to compensation for injuries resulting in death. He said he had given the matter closer attention.

Board of Pardons. Senator Heineken called from the foot of the mountain in relation to the meetings of the board of pardons, and moved the passage of the bill.

Auto Bill Amendments. Mr. Knight offered a report from the committee on roads and bridges in the shape of an amendment to the automobile bill. The bill provides for a license fee of 60 cents per horsepower, gives the secretary of state power to issue licenses to foreign drivers and take testimony in cases of reported violation of the law, and provides that automobiles must stop before passing a car on the side.

Resolution to Expedite Business. The resolution amending the joint rules concerning the introduction of bills and resolutions, which was designed as a measure to facilitate and expedite business in the house, caused considerable debate this afternoon.

THE HOUSE. Hartford, Aug. 12.—The house was called to order at 10:30 a. m. by Mr. Milford in the chair. Prayer by the chaplain.

Order of the Day. Mr. DeSno's bill, No. 314, concerning equitable practice after judgment, which provides for the collection of a judgment for the necessities of life furnished to the judgment debtor by his family or for milk or labor performed personally by the judgment creditor, any time within ten days after execution, was in order.

Two Connecticut Churches Benefited. Cambridge, Mass., Aug. 12.—Two Connecticut churches are benefited by the will of Mrs. Mary Charles L. Dean of Malden, filed for probate here today. Of the \$286,000 estate, \$3,000 is left to the Baptist church of Ashford, Conn., and \$1,000 to the Methodist church of Eastford, Conn.

Upholds Secretary Ballinger. Spokane, Wash., Aug. 12.—John Wilson, former United States senator from Washington, and John Parson, millionaire banker of Chicago, came today to the defense of Secretary Ballinger before the National Irrigation congress today in the reclamation controversy.

Condensed Telegrams

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Coney Island Property Owners pleaded before the public service commission for a return to the five-cent fare on the Coney Island and Brooklyn railroad.

Owners of Hudson River Ice Plants who are overstocked on account of the cool weather in July threatened to use the opportunity to raise the ice rate, forcing the government to look elsewhere.

When the Owners of Land at College Park, Md., where the army was to have its aerodrome, discovered that the government was to be the tenant, the rent was raised to \$100 per acre, forcing the government to look elsewhere.

Bloodhounds on Trail. Of Assessor of Night Agent of Queen and Crescent Road at Kings Mountain, Ky.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 12.—J. A. Englemann, night agent of the Queen and Crescent railroad at Kings Mountain, Ky., was arrested today for the theft of a diamond ring from a woman's pocket.

New Britain Boy's Foot Caught in Strap at Rear of Wagon—Condition Critical.

New Britain, Conn., Aug. 12.—Daniel Canard, a 12-year-old boy, fell while riding on a wagon on South Stanley Hill, and his foot caught in a strap at the rear of the wagon, dragging him a distance of a hundred feet. He was on the left side of his face and the left ear were scraped off. He was taken to a local hospital, where his condition is critical.

Not the Kidnapped Children. Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 12.—Pietro Viorio, a 12-year-old boy, was arrested today in connection with the disappearance of two children detained in Dunsmuir, and declared that they were not his daughter and nephew who recently were kidnapped from his home.

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THAW WILL FIGHT RECOMMITMENT

Judge Mills Finds Release of Petitioner Would be a Menace to Public Safety

MRS. THAW WRITES STATEMENT FOR PRESS

Denounces Prosecuting Attorney Jerome as "an Arrogant, Vindictive Persecutor of a Sane, Acquitted Man"—Decision Provides Grounds for Suit of Annulment of Marriage by Evelyn.

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Harry K. Thaw's latest attempt to gain his liberty met with complete and disheartening defeat today when Supreme Court Justice Mills dismissed the writ of habeas corpus which he had secured for the release of the prisoner would be dangerous to the public peace and safety.

The signing of an order sending Thaw back to Matteawan, is a formality which he will take place tomorrow morning in Justice Mills' chambers. Thaw has declared that he remains to complete the failure of his latest appeal to the courts.

No Comfort for Thaw. There is no crumb of comfort for Thaw in the seven-thousand-word opinion handed down by Justice Mills today. All the contentions of his old adversary, District Attorney Jerome, are supported, and it is declared that Thaw is still insane, still suffering from persistent delusions, and as such a paranoiac on the night he shot Stanford White.

Thaw Receives News With Calmness. Thaw, waiting in the White Plains jail at the rear of the court house, where the decision was filed, received the news with an outward calmness, which appeared, however, more forced than real. The members of his family and his attorney seemed stunned by the decision, evidently not expecting Thaw to decline to give out any extended statement, contenting himself with the assurance that he was disheartened and would at once continue his fight for liberty.

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