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Democrats Who Try to Control the Types Appeal Compelled to Surrender.

Indianapolis Typographical Union, No. 1, has wisely decided that the organization shall be kept out of politics. By instructing its members, and taking snap judgment on them the Democrats secured a majority at a meeting of the union last Sunday, and enjoined the committee having charge of the publication of the Appeal, the organ of the union. They also passed a resolution instructing the committee on publication to oppose General Harrison. The action was against the advice of Mr. Plank, president of the International Union, and a good many Democrats only sanctioned it because they were practically compelled to do so by a few leaders. The Republicans were indignant over the matter, and a special meeting was called last night for the purpose of revoking what had been done. The thoughtful men in the union agreed that it must be kept free from politics, and as those who had sought to make it a Democratic political machine saw they were in a minority, and would cause the union to go to pieces if they persisted in their course, they backed down from their former position. A resolution was introduced discharging the committee in control of the Appeal, but before it was passed all the members of it resigned. A resolution then prevailed putting the publication of the paper into the hands of Frank Eckert. This action, it is said, means that the paper will not be political in its nature, and that hereafter the union will, in accordance with the desire of the International Union, attend strictly to matters concerning the craft.

THEY WILL PROBABLY UNITE

Action of Federated Miners Looking Toward a Union with Knights of Labor.

A National Convention is to Consider the Question and Also a Proposition Relative to a Reduction in the Hours of Labor.

The convention of the Federated Miners and Mine Laborers yesterday was devoted to the consideration of various questions, but in the afternoon special attention was given to a resolution providing for the reduction of the hours of labor in the mines. The morning session embraced a number of special communications from miners in States where no organization has been effected. These matters were referred to a board, which, for the ensuing year, is to be elected at the regular election of officers at 9 o'clock this morning. A committee composed of Alexander Johnson, William Gardner called on the representatives of District Assembly 135, Knights of Labor, and invited them to attend the convention. W. T. Lewis, master workman, George Harris and D. M. Evans responded and were escorted into the hall. These gentlemen represent the assembly the members of which are miners or mine laborers, and for some time past there has been a desire among them to bring the federation into the Knights of Labor.

Mr. Lewis at once presented the position of the Knights in regard to unity of action, and said that at the Cleveland meeting of the assembly a resolution had been adopted for the reduction of the hours of labor in mines from ten to nine in September of next year, to be followed a year later by reduction to eight hours. He asked in this co-operation of the federation, and insisted on like action in the matter of establishing a uniform scale for all the mines. His speech dealt at some length on the possibility of uniting the two orders, and he advocated the appointment of a conference committee to consider the matter.

After Mr. Lewis's remarks, a motion to appoint such a committee was taken up, and adopted. The following were appointed to represent the federation in the proposed conference: Daniel McLaughlin, of Illinois; John McBride, of Ohio, and James Cantwell, of Indiana. At this juncture the meeting adjourned its morning session to give the newly-appointed committee an opportunity for consultation.

In the afternoon the committee reported the following: Whereas, As members of the conference committee representing National District Assembly 135, of the K. of L., and the National Federation of Mine and Mine Laborers, to determine the best method of uniting all members of our craft, having decided that such a result can only be reached by a joint national convention of the two organizations, we therefore issue the following call: "You are hereby notified that a joint convention of the National District Assembly 135, K. of L., and the National Federation of Mine and Mine Laborers will be held in the city of Columbus, Ohio, at 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, Dec. 12, 1888. The object of the convention will be to decide upon the form of organization to govern our organization in the future, and to determine a policy which will ever effectively protect and promote the interest of our craft. The representation shall be on the basis of one delegate for every 500 members. Each organization shall make its own arrangements as to representation upon the basis named above. The following resolution was, immediately after the adoption of the above, sent in by the committee on resolutions, for consideration: Whereas, At the joint conventions of miners and mine laborers in the past, the operators have refused to consider and determine any question except that relating to mining rates, and as there are other questions which are general in character, and refer to conditions that inflict injury upon our craft in all States and Territories, Be it resolved, That the executive secretary be instructed to notify all operators who participate in the federated movement that they will be required to consider all questions general in character, so that justice may be done to miners and operators alike.

An unfavorable report was made on the resolution consolidating the offices of treasurer and secretary. When a resolution relating to a reduction of hours of labor was presented the interest of the meeting seemed to awaken into new life, inasmuch as the question involved is one of interest to not only the miners but to all laboring men in the passage, inasmuch as the operators' present contracts with the operators in many instances do not expire until after the date contained in the resolution, and he was not willing that the miners should treat their contracts with the operators. He suggested that the federation act in the matter both systematically and business-like. His remarks brought out a substitute, which provided that the reduction of eight hours per day in and around the mines be an issue for the joint convention of operators and miners, which meets here in February, 1889, and that the executive secretary so notify the operators.

Chairman Penna opposed the substitute. Employers, he said, had failed to keep faith with the miners and he was in favor of reducing the hours of labor in September, as specified in the original resolution. Mr. McLaughlin, of Illinois, spoke against the original resolution and thought that the miners' contracts should be filled before any action was taken in the matter. The discussion finally ended in the adoption of a resolution offered by Secretary Evans, to the effect that the question be acted upon at the joint convention of the Knights and federated miners in December. Should the operators refuse to grant a reduction in the hours as agreed upon at that convention the resolution provided that the miners inaugurate a movement and agree upon a time to put it into effect.

The convention then adjourned to meet at 8 o'clock this morning. To-day will be devoted principally to the election of officers and general routine business relating to the federation.

General Harrison at Home. General Harrison remained at home all yesterday, devoting nearly all his time to his correspondence, which had accumulated here during his absence. There were quite a number of callers from among his neighbors and friends, but no persons of distinction. Soon after the breakfast hour he received the following telegram: BURLINGTON, Va., Sept. 5. Hon. Gen. Harrison: Vermont indorses her choice at Chicago by giving Dillingham a larger majority than we have ever before given to any Republican Governor. CARROLL S. PAGE, Chairman State Committee. He also received the model of a log cabin from California admirer. The General will be permitted to enjoy several more days of undisturbed rest, as no appointments for delegations will likely be made for this or next week. Chairman Harrison is in receipt of a great many applications for dates, and will be prepared to make appointments in a day or two. A Kentucky delegation will likely be here on the 18th, and several Ohio delegations are anxious to come about the same time. The only time the General will leave the city between now and the election will likely be on the 18th inst., when he will go to Clayton, Hendricks county, to attend the reunion of his old regiment—the Seventh. Very elaborate preparations for the affair are being made by the Hendricks county people.

floor. When the firemen arrived nearly the whole floor of the room had been burned out, and the flames were beginning to spread to the walls. All the contents of the room were destroyed, and the furniture in a room below, occupied by M. S. Davis, a broker, was badly damaged by the debris falling through. The total loss was about \$200.

DECREASE IN WATER PRESSURE.

Statement of the Company as to the Cause and Why a Fair Test Could Not Be Made.

The Water Company does not appreciate the manner of testing the supply adopted by the Board of Health and the fire committee of the Council. But it has its statement to offer in regard to the decreasing pressure, which an unexpected examination revealed on Tuesday. Yesterday the following was sent to the secretary of the Board of Health: "Dr. E. E. Earp, Secretary of Board of Health, City: "The Common Council having ordered that all contemplated changes in water and gas distribution be referred to the fire committee of the Council. Before the laying of the asphalt pavement, yesterday morning this company began the work of replacing the four-inch line in Pennsylvania street, connecting with the twenty-four-inch main in Washington street with a twelve-inch main.

"To carry on this work it was necessary to shut out large valves at the intersection of Washington street and Pennsylvania street and Virginia avenue. The effect of this was to shut off temporarily that part of the system controlled by Board 1. Before shutting these valves the fire department was notified of the fact, also of the shutting entirely off of the line on Pennsylvania street, from Washington street to Scott street. Notices of this kind are given frequently when the necessity occurs for the repair of breaks in mains and fire hydrants, and when such notice is given it is understood that the fire department will rely upon its engines and not upon the fire-hydrants should a fire occur. Under preliminary orders from you an attempt was made and hose lines run out from hydrants on Scott street, but it was found that only a few domestic service on account of the large valves being shut. Of course fire streams were a failure and our large engine put in the greatest exertion. This pump was given away, which had no back pressure, had given away, there would have been no power to have saved it from utter ruin.

"As to the well test it was stated to you that the lead of the water in the gallery was being carried two feet low to enable the construction of a stone wall at the gallery, and that there was a leak in the gallery. This pump was being run all the time your test of capacity of the well was being made. This fact was known to officer Crane, who was at the gallery at the time of the test, and the direction of your board. The work at the gallery is very expensive and very dangerous. By keeping the water down we lessen the risk of lives of the men at the gallery, and the danger to their protection, and as they are working below the water level in the gallery, their danger is evident, for if any part of their protection should give out the danger would collapse and the trench would be filled almost instantly with water. Therefore, under the above conditions, a fair test, either of hydrants or well, could not be made, and I will thank you to make mention in your report of the foregoing state of facts.

"After the completion of the work at the gallery and on Washington street, we shall be glad to have all the tests run with you with and without notice to the company. Respectfully, by order of the board of Water Company. "T. A. MORRIS, President."

Dr. Earp and others who made the test say that, even if the water did come through a circuitous route, it could not have affected the result perceptibly. The investigation is about the same as that which was made at the meeting of the Council a week from Monday night.

Building Permits. The following building permits were issued yesterday: Frank Zebringer, frame stable and improvements at No. 160 John street, \$100; W. H. Nickerson, frame cottage on Broadway street, near Ninth, \$2,000; William Aufderheide, frame residence at No. 190 Davidson street, \$1,600; John Batz, three frame cottages on Kensington street, near Danlap, \$2,200; Mary A. Keating, frame cottage on Chadwick street, near Ray, \$225; John C. Dunn, frame house and barn on Mississippi street, near 11th, \$2,200; Fred H. Ingersoll, frame cottage on Morris street, near East, \$1,200; Mary C. Anderson, frame cottage on Hoyt avenue, near Reid street, \$400; H. E. Light, frame house at No. 59 Prospect street, \$600; J. S. Spann, frame cottage, corner Eighth and Alford streets, \$500; B. E. Stokley, improvements at No. 164 North 11th street, \$1,000; W. S. Green, frame cottage on Columbia avenue, near Tenth street, \$400.

Amusements. There will be a change of bill at the Park today and for the rest of the week. Mr. Mayo presenting for the first time on any stage, his new play, "The Silver Age," written for him by John G. Wilson, author of "Nordeck." It is a purely an American drama, and Mr. Mayo thinks it will be a special success presentation.

At the box-office of the Grand, this morning, will begin the advance sale of seats for the performances to be given by the Ramza and the Grand Opera Company on Saturday evening and Saturday matinee. The company is especially large and strong and gives new entertainments, including several European specialties.

Statuary for the Rotunda. The State-house Commissioners yesterday received eight pieces of statuary from Italy which were contracted for over a year ago, and are to be placed in the rotunda of the Capitol. The designs were executed by Alexander Doy, of Rome. The figures are as follows: Agriculture, Oratory, Liberty, Justice, History, Commerce, Art and Law. They will rest on eight pedestals already erected at an elevation of about twenty feet in the Capitol. They cost about \$8,000, and will be placed in position this month.

MINOR CITY MATTERS.

To-Day's Doings. REPUBLICAN DEMONSTRATION—Parade of clubs and speeches by General Hooper, Governor Porter and others. Tomlinson Hall, evening. INDIANA TROTTER AND BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION RACES—Fair grounds, 2 P. M. FEDERATION OF MINERS AND MINE LABORERS—Annual session, 8 A. M. LEAGUE BASE-BALL—Indianapolis and Pittsburg 3 P. M. Athletic Park. PARK THEATER—"Silver Age," afternoon and evening. BATTLE OF ATLANTA CYCLOPAMA—Market street, between Illinois and Tennessee streets, day and evening.

Local News Notes. Hollweg & Reese yesterday paid \$1,983.95 duty on an importation of quinquina. The capital stock of the Waterloo, ex-Governor Porter and others. Tomlinson Hall, evening. INDIANA TROTTER AND BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION RACES—Fair grounds, 2 P. M. FEDERATION OF MINERS AND MINE LABORERS—Annual session, 8 A. M. LEAGUE BASE-BALL—Indianapolis and Pittsburg 3 P. M. Athletic Park. PARK THEATER—"Silver Age," afternoon and evening. BATTLE OF ATLANTA CYCLOPAMA—Market street, between Illinois and Tennessee streets, day and evening.

Personal and Society. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallace left yesterday for Oregon to visit their son, Mr. Will Wallace. Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bowen have returned from three weeks' visit through Yellowstone Park. Mr. T. W. Newland and family, of Chehalis W. T., are expected this week to visit relatives here. Major F. L. Marsh has returned from Long Beach, Mich., where he has a summer residence.

Miss Mattye Jones, of Terre Haute, who is the guest of Miss May Sells, will return home on Saturday. Mr. Geo. Cattman gave an interesting illustrated lecture last night at the Beech Grove Mission Chapel. Dr. James Ritchey and his daughter are stopping with Mrs. J. W. Hess, at 553 North Alabama street. Miss Carrie Vajen returned yesterday from Lake Maxinkuckee, where she has been spending the summer.

Mrs. A. H. Sturtevant and daughter Nellie went to Columbus, O., yesterday to spend a week or ten days. Mrs. Myla Ritzinger and children are at home again, after spending two years in Europe in travel and study. Miss Ida Sweetie has returned from visits made to New York and Detroit, having been absent several weeks. Miss Lizzie Harrison, of Chicago, well known in this city, will be married on the 26th to Mr. Thurston of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Buren, who have been spending a month in Louisville with their son, will return home this morning. Mr. James Mitchell, who attends college at Bloomington, is spending a few days here with his mother, Mrs. James Mitchell, at 250 North Pennsylvania street, recently vacated by Mr. H. McCoy's family. The first meeting of the Mendelssohn Society for the season will be held in D. H. Baldwin & Co.'s store at 8 o'clock this evening.

Miss Cos Condit will return to-day from Terre Haute, and be the guest of Mrs. George W. Geiger until Saturday, when she will go to her home in Chicago. Albert Fulton, accompanied by his mother, has gone to Northfield, Mass., where he will enter the Mount Hermon school as a student during the coming year. Mr. John C. Lawrie and family will occupy the residence, No. 239 North Illinois street, which until recently has been the home of Mr. John Carey and family.

Mr. Robert A. Newland will go to Wabash on Friday to give an organ recital, and he will be assisted by the Haydn Quartet, of Fort Wayne, said to be the finest in the State. The Ruth Society of the Holy Innocents Church will give a lawn social at the residence of Mrs. Charles B. Stutz, corner of Wright and Sanders streets, this afternoon, from 4 to 6 P. M. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mrs. Geo. Brown, of Norfolk, Va., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, at Woodruff Place. Commodore Brown is expected here in a few days to visit his mother, who is suffering from an attack of heart disease. Mr. and Mrs. F. McQuiddy will go to Bloomington to-day to attend a reunion of the Bloomington and Indianapolis people who annually spend a short season at Fargher's island, Pine Lake, on the North Delaware street, between proceeding to their home, in Champaign, Ill. Miss Virginia Cooper went to North Vernon, yesterday, and on Saturday she will be joined by her mother, Mrs. J. J. Cooper, who goes to attend the celebration of the eightieth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Cooper's mother, Mrs. Myers.

CUNNINGHAM-PIERCY. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARTINSVILLE, Sept. 6.—Mr. Arthur Cunningham, a tutor in DePauw University, and Miss Nellie Pierce, step-daughter of N. J. Major, were married here to-day, at the home of the bride's parents, three miles east of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham left this afternoon for Richmond, and other Eastern cities, for a short tour before the college at Greensboro, N. C.

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