15,000 CARPENTERS JOIN CHICAGO'S IDLE ARMY

CHICAGO, April 16.—Building operations involving contracts aggregating $25,000,000 were tied up last night by the strike of 15,000 carpenters, who demanded an increase from 45 cents to 70 cents an hour, having refused the employers' offer of 67½ cents.

The employers' union had previously locked out the unions of painters, lathers and sheet metal workers because they refused to sign anti-strike contracts with no question of wages involved. The carpenters' strike and the lockout have forced 100,000 men in the building trades out of work.

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GRAND JURY PROBING WHITE SLAVERY CASE; WITNESS ARRESTED

Action Taken on Statement of Henrietta Annette and One Man Is Held.

A Bronx County Grand Jury yesterday began an investigation into Henrietta Annette's statement to District Attorney Martin that she had been coached to present her charges against John J. Delaney, the lame, who was active in politics in serving a long sentence for white slavery, the indictment against him having been based in part on evidence given by the Annette woman. When he came to trial she was missing, but on the last day returned and took the stand in Delaney's behalf.

Antonio Fish, a young produce dealer, of No. 307 East One Hundred and Fiftieth Street, followed the Annette woman before the Grand Jury yesterday afternoon. A short time later he was taken before Justice Brady, who was told by Assistant District Attorney Mork and Foreman Darwin P. Kingsley that he had been reluctant to answer questions.

"I'm not going to squeal like a pig!" broke in Fish, whom Justice Brady thereupon rebuked.

Fish was again taken to the Grand Jury room, but within a few moments more had been returned to Justice Brady and charged with perjury. He was committed to jail without bail. Fish is said by the authorities to have met the Annette woman when she returned to the city from Amsterdam, N. Y., to take the stand for Delaney.

The Grand Jury adjourned yesterday until Tuesday, by which time it is expected that further arrests will have been made. Detectives Kennedy and McLoughlin, who arrested Giovanna Sianna, a servant, at the Brooklyn home of former Judge John Palmieri Tuesday, started out last night on a mission they would not disclose.

In Hands of a Receiver.

TRENTON, April 16.—C. H. Holcombe of Trenton was appointed by the Chancery Court as receiver for the New Jersey Steel Corporation of Rahway on the application of the American Finance and Security Company, which also is in a receiver's hands. It alleges that the steel company owes it $450,000.

C. F. Adams Estate Is $1,500,000.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 16.—The will of the late Charles Francis Adams, allowed in probate to-day, leaves the estate, which consists entirely of personal property appraised at $1,500,000, to the widow, Mrs. Mary Ogden Adams.

WILL OPPOSE GIFT OF STRIP OF PARK TO INTERBOROUGH

Zoological Society, Parkway Board and Others Denounce Commission's Plan.

CALL IT VANDALISM.

Storage Yard or Subway Cars to Replace Present Beautiful Spot, Is Claim.

Declaring the proposal of the Public Service Commission to take 112,869 square feet of one of the most picturesque parts of Bronx Park and turn it into a storage yard for subway cars to be a scandal, the New York Zoological Society, the Bronx River Parkway Commission and the Bronx Park Department have united in active protest.

A bill enabling the commission to utilize the land for this purpose has been passed by the Assembly and is now before the Cities Committee of the Senate. The measure was introduced by Assemblyman Hoff of Brooklyn.

The strip in question extends from a point just north of One Hundred and Eightieth Street to Unionport Road, a distance of 2,500 feet. It is about 150 feet wide at the northern point and narrows to eighty feet.

In return the commission offers to give to the park a triangular plot of 115,400 square feet which cuts into the park south of the car yard site.

"BRUTAL VANDALISM," PARKWAY COMMISSIONER DECLARES.

Madison Grant, President of the Bronx River Parkway Commission, speaking for Director Hornaday and other officials of the Zoological Society, characterized the effort of the commission and the Interborough to seize the strip as "a piece of brutal vandalism."

"The use of that part of the park for railroad purposes would be nothing short of a public scandal," continued Mr. Grant. "We are about to start work on what will be the finest driveway in the world, and this fine section of the park particularly should not be taken."

Borough President Mathewson of the Bronx said:

"If we are to get some good land with trees and other improvements in exchange for the strip under discussion, the city will not be hurt much. On the other hand, if we are only to receive a slice of desert land without any improvements that is quite a different proposition."

NILES HOSTILE TO PLAN TO CUT INTO THE PARK.

W. W. Niles, ex-President of the Bronx Board of Trade and Vice President of the Bronx River Parkway Commission, said he was "very hostile" to the plan of acquisition by the commission.

"It will be very unfortunate from many angles," said Mr. Niles, "if this splendid strip of park land with its more than 300 ornamental shade trees is turned over for car storage purposes. I am unalterably opposed to the proposition.

"Why, there is no necessity for the scheme, as the subway line is already under way. There must be plenty of land to be had by the Interborough for storage in the district without grabbing this splendid piece of park property. We intend to fight the proposal to the last ditch."

"So long as I have anything to say about it," said Park Commissioner Thomas W. Whittle of the Bronx, "no part of Bronx Park will ever be used as a car yard. It would be disfigurement of the worst kind."

Assemblyman Evans Battles Against the Bill in Albany.

ALBANY, April 16.—"This would permit the subway to build a freight yard in Bronx Park," asserted Assemblyman Evans to-day, in opposing the Hoff bill authorizing the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to exchange one piece of land in Bronx Park for another.

"It will do no such thing," replied Assemblyman Hoff. "The Public Service Commission finds that the extension of the new subway will cut off from the park a strip of about 12,000 feet, which it seeks to obtain by giving the city the 14,000 feet. The park would benefit from the transaction."

The bill had passed the Assembly and Evans tried to have it recalled from the Senate, but his motion was defeated.

MRS. CLARENCE C. PELL LOSES A $6,000 JEWEL

Society Woman Reports Loss at Charity Ball Given by the Paul Jones Club.

Mrs. Madeline Borland Pell, wife of Clarence C. Pell, the old Harvard hockey and tennis star, lost a diamond fleur de lys pin, valued at $6,000, at a charity ball given last Friday night in the Hotel Vanderbilt by the Paul Jones Club.

The pin, made up of 149 diamonds and weighing more than thirty-seven carats, was one of the many beautiful wedding presents received by Mrs. Pell at the time of her marriage, in May, 1910.

"It may have dropped from my gown when I was dancing," she said to a reporter for The World yesterday in her home at No. 169 East Sixty-fourth Street.

MEMORIAL TO STRAUS UNVEILED ON THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH

Mayor and Others Laud Philanthropist and Wife, Titanic Victims.

Under a clear sky and in bright sunlight there was dedicated yesterday afternoon a monument to Isidor and Ida Straus, who died together three years ago in the Titanic disaster.

"Their splendid courage," said Mayor Mitchel at the dedication, which took place in Straus Park, One Hundred and Sixth Street and Broadway, "would not mitigate our bereavement but would give us the right to be proud that such people were our fellow-citizens, exemplars and teachers. The virtues we worship lived for the sake of others, to whom they were dear. In this monument stand for the aspiration of those who are to appreciate exemplified."

In the unveiling of the monument, built in Grecian style of the white Botticino marble, Mr. and Mrs. Straus. The one referred to the death of Kate Buliter, who might have escaped by taking the deck to an adjacent one in the ship of the Mediterranean Line. Mrs. Straus had to use her influence to persuade her husband to leave the ship, and told him the sculptor had given unselfishly a block of his time to help in the choosing of the design for the monument.

In speaking the eulogies, ex-Mayor Seth Low eulogized Mr. and Mrs. Straus, saying: "They have endured even beyond the wreck of the Titanic, and wherever the story of the Titanic is told there the love of these two will stand out above the horror of the wreck and the fate of the victims."

The monument is in the form of a fountain, flanking on a base of granite, looking toward a point of rock, is a bronze figure representing Memory. Behind the figure is a large granite bench, on the back of which is the inscription, "In memory of Isidor and Ida Straus, who lost their lives in the Titanic disaster, April 15, 1912," and the verse from the Bible "Lovely and pleasant were they in their lives, and in their death they were not divided."

August Lukeman was the sculptor and Evarts Tracy the architect of the monument.

Oscar Defies Reaper Again.

Oscar Hammerstein, who suffered an attack of blood poisoning following an operation for a bunion and for a time was in danger of having his foot amputated, has so far recovered that last night at his home, No. 847 St. Nicholas Avenue, his wife said he would not have to return to the hospital.

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Dressy Suits, of tussah and faille silks; also serges; copies of foreign models, some embroidered and silk trimmed; sizes 14, 16 and 18 years, **34.75**

Sport Coats, of English golf cord, gabardines and checks, lined throughout with striped, checked and flowered silks; sizes 14, 16 and 18 years, ... at **18.50**

Girls' Dresses, smart guimpe model, of ramie linen, front of dress hand embroidered, tunic skirt effect; sizes 8 to 16 years, at **$5.00**

Girls' Confirmation Dresses, of net, with insertions of Valenciennes lace, silk girdles in pastel shades; sizes 8 to 14 years, ... at **$14.75**

Girls' Spring Suits, faultlessly tailored in serges or shepherd checks, belted models; sizes 12 to 17 years, ... at **17.50**

Girls' Tailored Coats, of serges or checks, trimmed with silk and pique collars; sizes 6 to 14 years, at **$4.75**

Girls' Attractive Coats, of checks or serges, trimmed with extra collar of embroidered linen or pique; sizes 6 to 14 years, . at **$7.50**

Girls' Coats, in belted, Empire or box models, of fine serges, shepherd checks or coverts, one model strictly tailored and silk lined; sizes 6 to 14 years, . . . at **$9.75**

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Women's Handkerchiefs, Sheer Shamrock Lawn, colored initial; value $1.20, ... doz. **90c**

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, with wreath initial, . . . doz. **$1.90**
Value $3.00

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The Women's Neckwear Section

IS showing attractive collections of guimpes, embroidered collars and machine made sets, together with the new military blue and sand color neckwear in all the new effects now in vogue.

A most noteworthy offering to-morrow, will include

White Organdie Guimpes, embroidered roll collar; also hand emb'd collars in sand and blue, white and blue and all sand
Value 75c, at **50c**

Collars and Guimpes, also the new military blue and tan neckwear including the Quaker model.
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Splendidly tailored from fine twill plain blue serge; also new mixtures and checks; sizes 7 to 18 years.

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New models in plain covert cloths and mixtures; some have silk lined shoulders and sleeves; sizes 8 to 18 years.

Boys' Spring Overcoats, . . at **$4.75**
Broken assortments specially reduced to effect a clearance; sizes 14 to 18 years.

Boys' Spring Reefers at $3.50 & 4.75
Of plain blue serges, shepherd checks, covert cloths and mixtures; all sizes but not in every model; in sizes 2½ to 10 years.

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