

TRIUMPH FOR PARKS. UNION COMMENDS HIM.

Carried on Shoulders Through Cheering Crowd of Followers.

The meeting of the Housewives and Bridgemen's Union, which ended in Mannerher Hall this morning at 12:30 o'clock, was followed by a remarkable demonstration for Samuel J. Parks, the walking delegate charged with extortion.

In all about three thousand votes were cast at the meeting. A complete ticket for officers and delegates of the body was nominated.

Before the Parks resolution was put to the meeting the assembly had dwindled considerably, but there were still hundreds of men in the hall when Assemblyman "Dick" Butler got the floor and proposed a resolution commending District Attorney Jerome for taking up the cases against Parks.

Then the doors of the meeting hall were flung open, and Parks was borne triumphant on the shoulders of four big iron workers down two flights of stairs to the street.

Nominations for walking delegates or business agents were made as follows at the meeting: Samuel J. Parks, John Dolan, Timothy McCarthy and Charles F. Massey (renominate), Henry Colvin, Harry Johnson and David Davidson.

Nominations for officers of the union were as follows: President, Robert E. Neldig and John Kelly, vice-president, John Earllett and Benjamin Abbott; secretary, Jesse Larimer, John Fitzgerald and Louis Graener; treasurer, John W. Johnson and Robert Davidson; recording secretary, William E. Barry and Frank C. Nagle; sergeants-at-arms, John Wynne, Frank Keller and William Sweeney.

The meeting throughout the night was characterized by order. Police Captain Tighe expressed surprise at the conditions, as he had been led to believe that the meeting would be disorderly.

As early as 7 p. m. the workmen began to gather, and at 8 o'clock the sidewalks on both sides of the street in front of the hall were blocked. Parks arrived at 8 o'clock. Frank Buchanan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, accompanied by President Neldig, reached the hall at 8:30 o'clock, and the meeting then began.

Three more unions join. Succeeds Now Have Majority in Building Trades.

To the already powerful United Board of Mechanics, the "skilled trades" split from the Board of Building Trades, were added three unions yesterday afternoon, when the new board met to organize, at No. 190 East Eighty-sixth-st. They were the Cement Masons, the Brotherhood of Boiler-makers and the Tile Layers' Helpers. This places the balance of power completely in the hands of the mechanics, and if, as has been predicted, they should decide to go back into the Board of Building Trades, they could effectually outvote the other members.

The board of governors of the Building Trades Employers' Association met yesterday and decided not to go to work on the cases of Charles L. Eilditz, chairman of the "committee on extortion," said: "We are at this investigation day and night. We got a mass of evidence to-day that puts in the shade anything we have yet had, but we are working on it in the hope that the men will see that corruption exists all along the line."

"What we've found to-day is of the greatest importance, and I'm undecided as to whether to call up Mr. Jerome at Lakeville. As to 'Sam' Parks, if we can't convict him with what evidence we have now, we'll dig up a lot more, and the same thing applies to Carvel. Everything we take to the District Attorney will be absolutely, positively cases of blackmail. We are not quite resolved on just how far to go in this investigation. We are considering the matter seriously at the present time, for we do not want the laboring men or the public at large to believe we are hounding the workers."

EAST SIDE DOCTORS PROTEST. To Complain to Mayor of Dr. Lederle's Action in Antitoxin Cases.

An indignation meeting attended by more than two hundred physicians of the East Side, to protest against the action of Health Commissioner Lederle in having warrants issued charging petty larceny against doctors who, he alleged, obtained antitoxin free from the Board of Health and charged exorbitant fees therefor, was held in Grand Oriental Hall, No. 245 Grand-st., yesterday. The meeting was in charge of the East Side Physicians' Club, which has taken up the cases of physicians arrested. A committee of the club which waited on District Attorney Jerome reported that he had said that Dr. Lederle had been hasty in his action. A committee was selected to set forth the views of the club and send them to Mayor Low and the Health Commissioner to-day.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS. Edward Sumner, Putnam Company, Worcester; W. J. Carrell, corsets, ladies' and infants' wear, No. 75 Spring-st., Hoffman; J. J. Stewart & Co., Buffalo, N. D., Neff, upholster goods, No. 118 West-st., Imperial; Atlanta; E. R. Du Boies, carpets and furniture, No. 295 Broadway; Chamblin, Johnson, Du Bose Company, Atlanta; G. H. Jones, representative, No. 305 Broadway; Holland; C. W. Wilson, Corsets, Buffalo; C. H. Nagel, hosiery and underwear, No. 877 Broadway; Imperial; Marshall Field & Co., Chicago; C. E. Catlin, furnishing goods, No. 104 West-st., Manhattan; Gimbel Bros., Philadelphia; D. Gimbel, representative, No. 104 West-st., Manhattan; H. Harris, furnishing goods, Herald Square; A. F. Lewis & Son, Drygoods Company, Denver; John Woolley, domestics, linens and fannels, No. 21 Union Square; Herald Square; Alfred Mayer, Washington; E. D. Mayer, cloaks, hats, etc., Herald Square; Modern Mercantile, Worcester; S. Saulson, clothing and furnishing goods, Herald Square; Frank, Bridgman, Washington; Julius Garfinkle, cloaks, waists, etc., Netherlands; D. M. Pfeiffer & Co., Chicago; L. Mayer, tailor, Broadway; No. 20 Leonard-st., Herald Square; Schaffner Bros., Cleveland; Leon Schaffner, drygoods, shoes and furnishings, Broadway; S. Seelig & Co., Boston, Ark.; B. Seelig, furnishing goods, No. 22 Howard-st., Hoffman; J. J. Stewart & Co., Buffalo, N. D.; D. J. Stewart, Jr., drygoods, Park Avenue; J. J. Stewart & Co., Buffalo, N. D.; D. J. Stewart, Jr., photograph goods, 43 Leonard-st., Herald Square.

MANY SUBWAY DELAYS. Doubtful Whether Service Will Begin by End of Year.

William Barclay Parsons, chief engineer of the Rapid Transit Commission, says that with any further interruption on account of strikes it will be impossible to open the subway for traffic by the end of the present year.

GUSTAVESON ON THE STAND. Story Reflecting on Head of a Militia Organization.

John P. Gustavson, secretary of the Armory Board, was on the stand yesterday in a long examination before the Commissioners of Accounts regarding the charges brought against him by Controller Grout.

ASKED LOW TO DROP RUSSELL. Merchants' Association Did Not Like Failure to Act on Its Report.

The Merchants' Association, it was learned last night, recently sent a letter to Mayor Low, suggesting that the interests of the city would not suffer if he asked for the resignation of William Heburn Russell, senior Commissioner of Accounts.

HOME NEWS. PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

ALBEMARLE—F. P. Fish, Boston; R. R. Quay, W. K. Shiras, Philadelphia; Grand-Captain J. C. Wilham, P. S. D. Caplan, E. D. Rothenbach, U. S. A. HOFFMAN—Colonel A. B. Andrews, North Carolina; General J. Gomez, Santa Clara, Cuba; L. A. Charles R. Lynde, Boston; Sir C. Rivers Wilson and Lady Rivers Wilson, London; Franklin Farrel, Jr., Ansonia; MANHATTAN—State Senator George B. Hulby, Gettysburg; John H. Hall, president of the New York, New-Haven and Hartford Railway, New-Haven, Conn.; MURRAY HILL—Senator Orville H. Platt, Connecticut; WALTER-ASTORIA—General Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A.; Victor E. Lawson, Chicago.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY. Departure of 221 Regiment for State Camp, Grand Central Station, morning. Inspection trip of Mayor Low and Board of Estimate and Apportionment along South Brooklyn shore, leaving Pier A, North River, at 10:45 a. m. June walk for women and children of the XXXst Assembly District, Mount Morris Park, 9:20 a. m. Yale-Exhibition baseball game, Yale grounds, 5 p. m. Conference of East Side Workers' Educational Alliance, evening. Gulliver Organ School commencement, First Presbyterian Church, 8 p. m.

NEW-YORK CITY. At the Church of the Messiah (Unitarian), Thirty-fourth-st. and Park-ave., to-morrow morning, Dr. Savage will preach on the subject, "The Jew in Christendom." The Young Men's and Young Ladies' Auxiliary of the Beth Israel Hospital will hold its third annual picnic to-morrow at Washington Grove Park, Massapequa, Long Island. This society of young people hopes to realize a large sum of money, all of which is to go toward the installation of an electric plant for the hospital. Two bands of music will alternate in the dancing pavilion, while athletic games and a bowling tournament will attract many. Prizes will be awarded the winners of these contests.

The friends of Lacey Baker, the organist of Calvary Protestant Episcopal Church, will be glad to hear he is doing well after a successful operation at the New-York Hospital yesterday.

BRIGHTON BEACH OPENED TO-DAY. This afternoon Brighton Beach will be opened to the public. During the last few weeks all traces of the ravages of the winter have been removed from this seaside resort, and the lawns and flower beds are in the full of spring color. The hotel has been thoroughly overhauled by E. Clarke King, who again assumes proprietorship of this hospitality, and for the greater pleasure of his guests he has built a music stand in front of the piazzas, where William E. Slifer and his band of fifty will give concerts twice daily. The programme for Saturday afternoon will be as follows: March, "Coming Thru the Rye"; Von Tilzer Overture, "The Merry Widow"; Supper Selection, "The Wizard of Oz"; Puller Valse, "Sentimental Autumn Thoughts"; Ellis Waltz, "The Merry Widow"; Cannon "Home to Me"; "The Merry Widow"; Dresser "The Merry Widow"; Tom Moore, tenor vocalist. Melange, "The Climax"; O'Hara Selection, "March"; Plotow Valse, "Two Little Blue Little Eyes"; Stratton "My Own Lullaby"; "The Merry Widow"; Intermzzo, "Panatella"; Loraine March, "Since I First Met You"; Walthall "The Merry Widow"; Haskins

OLD SALT KILLED AT ST. GEORGE. Captain Frank Bradford, an old sea captain, an inmate of the Sailors' Snug Harbor, was instantly killed last evening by a passenger train of the Island Rapid Transit, at St. George. The captain was walking on the track in the direction of the ferryhouse when the engineer saw him on the track and blew the whistle repeatedly. Bradford paid no attention to the warning, and the engineer applied the brakes, but in vain, as the train was moving from behind him.

INCENSED AT GROUT. Department Heads Do Not Like Letter on Public Letting.

Controller Grout has sent a circular letter to the heads of all the city departments, relative to the letting of contracts amounting to less than \$1,000, and words at least not complimentary are being applied to him.

The letter says that when the head of a department gives contracts to open orders, that is, without public advertising, a duplicate of the order must be filed with the Controller, that he may see just how much material is being purchased without competition. He also holds that materials to the amount of more than \$1,000, although each individual order may be for less than that amount, must be advertised. For example, if a department wants a set of harness which would cost only a few dollars, the Controller thinks that bids should be invited, because in the course of the year several more sets of harness might be required, and the total bill would amount to more than \$1,000.

VAN DE WATER'S DENIAL. Rector of St. Andrew's Issues Statement About Divorce Charges.

The Rev. Dr. George R. Van De Water, rector of St. Andrew's Church, One-hundred-and-twenty-seventh-st. and Fifth-ave., who has been named as co-respondent in the Watt divorce suit, gave out the following statement at his house, No. 7 West One-hundred-and-twenty-second-st., yesterday:

"I can make only one statement, and that is that I never committed any act associated with my name. This matter is in the hands of my lawyer, William H. Sage, No. 156 Broadway, who is conducting the case. I am not going to meet the charge now that it has been made definite. I have my own opinion as to why it has been made, and I am not going to say it in the air for some time. I have been too vague to be noticed. I did not deny acquaintance with the Watts. A reporter came to me and asked me if I knew Mrs. Watt. I said 'No.' Then he asked me if Mrs. Watt was in my parish. I said 'No.' That Mrs. Watt removed from the parish one month ago and took her membership card.

Mr. Sage declared that he knew nothing about the case except what he had seen in the newspapers. "I do not know that Mr. Van De Water is mentioned as a co-respondent, though the papers say he has been named," said Mr. Sage. "Mr. Van De Water called me up by telephone to-day, and asked me to take charge of the case for him. I have written to Mr. Sage, asking him whether it is true that he has written me in the answer in the Watt divorce suit, and notifying him that if it is true we will report and name him. I do not need a reply from Mr. Sage. I am not acquainted with Mrs. Watt, and any one acquainted with her would know that he is not the kind of a man to be guilty of such a charge. If he has been named in the answer, which should have been made some months ago, that he has not been served with notice of the suit, that is, that he has not been notified, and that is, that Archibald Watt named him purely through his desire to injure his wife, who has a meretricious character, without the shadow of a ground for the charge."

BRIDE LET SECRET OUT. There was published yesterday a notice that at the Church of the Transfiguration in this city, on March 21, Amy Van Wart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Leonard Washburne, and Daniel Earllet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Earllet, were married by the Rev. Dr. George C. Houghton. It brought to light a story of romantic courtship and secret marriage. Although the ceremony was performed near three months ago, the couple lived at their respective homes until Thursday. The wedding only became known because the bride's happy she said she couldn't keep still any longer.

A WESLEY CELEBRATION TO-MORROW. A Wesley bicentenary celebration will be held in St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church, Madison-ave. and One-hundred-and-twenty-sixth-st., to-morrow. A special programme has been prepared for the morning service by Charles Olney. It includes selections from the hymns of the Wesleys and short addresses on Wesley and Methodism. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Dr. C. W. Millard. The choir will be assisted by a chorus of three hundred voices from the Sunday school. In the afternoon, at 2 o'clock, H. A. Burt, president of Drew Theological Seminary, will deliver an address on "The Life and Times of Wesley."

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sunrise 4:28 Sunset 7:51 Moon rises 9:56 Moon sets 4:18 A. M.—Sandy Hook 9:15 Island 9:30 Hell Gate 11:32 P. M.—Sandy Hook 9:32 Island 10:04 Hell Gate 11:32

INCOMING STEAMERS. TO-DAY. From. Line. Colorado, Hull, May 21, Wilson; Nord America, Naples, May 28, Italian; America, Cadiz, May 29, Italian; Auguste Victoria, Hamburg, June 4, Hamb.-Am.; City of Savannah, Savannah, June 6, American; New York, Southampton, June 6, American; Eurymedea, Liverpool, June 6, Cunard; Emerald, London, June 6, Trinidad; Memphis, London, June 6, Al-Trans; Comanche, Jacksonville, June 10, Clyde.

OUTGOING STEAMERS. TO-DAY. Vessel. For. Line. Mails close. Vessel. To. Line. Louisiana, Liverpool, London, 4:30 a. m. 8:00 a. m. Zealand, Antwerp, Red Star, 4:30 a. m. 10:00 a. m. Britannia, Glasgow, Anchor, 4:30 a. m. 12:00 p. m. Wainwright, Naples, N. G. Lloyd, 7:00 a. m. 10:00 a. m. Hella, Denmark, Swansea, 11:00 a. m. 1:00 p. m. Minchalta, London, Al-Trans, 2:30 a. m. 5:00 a. m. Palatia, Hamburg, Hamb.-Am., 2:30 a. m. 5:00 a. m. Metro, Cadiz, Ward, 2:30 a. m. 5:00 a. m. Dazery, Yucatan, Hamburg, 10:00 a. m. 1:00 p. m. Antiochia, Antwerp, Hamburg, 10:00 a. m. 1:00 p. m. Rosalind, Newfoundland, Red Cross, 7:00 a. m. 10:00 a. m. Caribbee, St. Thomas, Quebec, 9:50 a. m. 12:00 p. m. Philadelphia, Antwerp, Hamburg, 9:50 a. m. 12:00 p. m. Catania, Barbadoes, Siam, 3:30 a. m. 7:00 a. m. Philadelphia, Porto Rico, Red Star, 4:30 a. m. 10:00 a. m. Philadelphia, Barbadoes, Hamb.-Am., 9:50 a. m. 12:00 p. m. Adriatic, Havre, Hamb.-Am., 9:50 a. m. 12:00 p. m. Leirassag, Galveston, Mailor, 3:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m. El Sud, Galveston, Morgan, 3:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m. Victoria, Liverpool, Liverpool, 3:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m. Montreal, Norfolk, Old Dominion, 3:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m.

SHIPPING NEWS. Port of New-York, Friday, June 12, 1903. ARRIVED. Steamer La Lorraine (Fr.), Aix, Havre June 6, to the Company's General Transportation, with 290 cabin and 184 stowage passengers, mails and mds. Arrived at the pier with mds. Monday, June 8, 10:30 a. m. Steamer Gregory (Br.), Bunnell, Manas May 24, Para 20 and Barbados June 4, to Bony & Co. with mails and mds. Arrived at the pier with mds. Monday, June 8, 10:30 a. m. Steamer Elyvian (Br.), Cresser, Liverpool June 6, to Verdon H. Brown & Co. with mds. Arrived at the pier at 10:40 a. m. Steamer Benefactor, French, Philadelphia, to William P. Rice & Co. with mds. Arrived at the pier at 10:40 a. m. Steamer Chantaboochee, French, Boston, to the Ocean S. Co. with mds. Arrived at the pier at 10:40 a. m. Steamer St. Andrew (Br.), Fitzgerald, Antwerp May 20, to Sanderson & Son, with mds. Arrived at the pier at 8:30 p. m. Steamer Wilkommen (Ger.), Schau, Schweineau May 23, to Schiffs 27, to Philip Rupprecht. Arrived at the pier at 8:55 p. m. Steamer Menominee (Fr.), Lucas, London June 1, and Southampton 2, to the Atlantic Transportation Company, with passengers and mds. Southeast of Fire Island at 9:25 p. m. Steamer Chicago City (Br.), Hunter, Bristol May 30, to James Arker & Co. with mds. Southeast of Fire Island at 10:25 p. m.



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Animosity Manifested by Italy's King Toward Austria--Article by Ex-Attache. Menu of the Famous Dinner Aguinaldo Was Eating When Captured by Gen. Funston. Woolsey Auditorium and the Big Newberry Organ Which It Holds at Yale.

One College Which Will Hold No Commencement This Year. The Laws of Breakeage as Studied at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.