

THE REVOLT IS SPREADING

Situation in Croatia Assuming Alarming Proportions.

FIERCE FIGHT WITH POLICE

Charge Made With Drawn Sabres on Crowd, and Numbers of Persons Were Injured—Peasants Stone Society, Who Retaliate.

(By Associated Press.) VIENNA, May 21.—The revolt in Croatia is spreading to every part of the titular kingdom and threatens to extend to Dalman.

The celebrations at Agram yesterday of the anniversary of the death of Jellicich von Busin, the former ban of Croatia, culminated in a fierce conflict with the police, who attacked the crowd with sabres, wounding many persons and making 30 arrests, including several students and women.

The city of Agram is now completely under military rule. The principal streets are closed by cordons of troops. Four regiments, fully equipped for war, have been ordered to proceed from Oedenburg to the Agram district.

At Buccari and Meljani thousands of peasants attempted to destroy the railroad in order to prevent the arrival of troops. They tore up the rails at five different points, and when the military arrived the peasants pelleted them with stones, injuring several soldiers. The troops retaliated by shooting and bayoneting many of the peasants.

The Slavs resident in various parts of Austria and Bohemia are holding indignation meetings in order to protest against the proceedings in Croatia, where over two thousand persons have already been imprisoned.

The disturbances in Croatia are primarily due to the long standing race hatred between the Slavs and the Magyars.

TWO SOURCES. The present outbreak has two main sources. First, the general discontent of the peasantry, arising from the extreme poverty prevailing everywhere, and from the fact that in some part of the country the peasants are on the verge of famine. Second, the indignation aroused by the alleged tyrannical rule at Count Khun Hedeervary, the present ban of Croatia.

The Croatians attribute much of their poverty to the financial methods of the present government, which is accused of drawing from Croatia money in excess of its legal proportion of the taxes in spite of the protests of the inhabitants. Consequently, throughout Croatia there is increasing hatred of Hungarian rule and language. The recent attempts made to introduce the Magyar language in Croatia has especially aroused popular indignation.

An evidence of official tyranny, the Croats point out that there is absolutely no liberty of the press. Scarcely a day has passed for many years without opposition newspapers being confiscated and their editors arrested. The people have not the right to hold public meetings, not even at election time, and the government is accused of absolutely controlling the press. Only three per cent. of the population is allowed to vote, and many opposition voters, and even opposition candidates, have been imprisoned on the eve of the elections. The Croats, in brief, enjoy absolutely no rights of citizenship. Since the Hungarian government is employing strong military forces to quell the disturbances, it is probable that order in Croatia will be restored.

SNAP-SHOTS TAKEN IN HOTEL LOBBIES

"The adjournment of the Legislature will have a wholesome effect on the business interests of the State," said a prominent business man at the Jefferson hotel last night.

"The final passage of the revenue bill, for instance, settles things on that line for a while and fixes the policy of the State with reference to taxation."

"Then, too, it is always true that when the lawmaking body of the State is in session there is a certain amount of uncertainty about what will be done and it always has its effect upon business. The little rumors that are going around will be doubled and utilized for all it is worth by the business interests of the State."

Hon. A. F. Withrow, of Bath county, is in the city, superintending the construction of a new hotel at the corner of Ninth and Grace Streets for the building of which he is the contractor.

Captain Withrow, who has several times represented his district in the Legislature, is being urged to stand aside this time, but he has no intention of re-entering public life.

Hon. W. C. Winn, former member of the House of Delegates from Lunenburg, was in the city last night on private business.

"We have a fine crop of candidates for county officers this fall," said Mr. Winn, "and most of those who are out are good men. Our people are voting wisely, and want of rain and are hoping for a good tobacco season shortly."

Mayor Henry E. Lee, of Crews, who will likely be put up by the Democrats of Nottingham and Amelia counties, to succeed Congressman E. G. Southall, in the House of Delegates, is here and is registered at Murphy's.

Mr. Lee is a young lawyer of ability and has been prominent in both of the counties composing the district. There has been talk of Rev. James Cannon, Jr., running for the seat on the Prohibition issue.

Jefferson—R. P. Bell and wife, Staunton; E. Stevens, Lynchburg; John B. Moon, Charlottesville; Lynchburg; Murphy's—N. P. Gilling, Lynchburg; Rev. George S. Vinton, Franklin; H. E. Lee, Crews; Mrs. R. W. Duncan and children, Howardsville; J. H. Ayres, Accomac.

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CARNIVAL FREE TO CHILDREN

All children under twelve years of age will be admitted free to the carnival grounds to-morrow afternoon.

Yesterday afternoon extensive preparations were commenced by the carnival directors to complete what is promised to be an extra gala day for the children.

A band of adroitly trained dogs, ponies and monkeys were busy training in the dog and pony circus yesterday; extra lemonade, candy and peanut stands have been arranged for; hundreds of extra colored lights have been ordered to increase the brilliancy of the immense midway in the evening and general overhauling of trunks and properties on the part of all the performers was indulged in for it has been decided to feature the curiosity and pleasure of the little ones to the fullest extent possible.

The Weltmans, whose daring high-wire performance has attracted universal satisfaction, have ordered a big quantity of fireworks for the evening, the candles, dogkeys and other animals have been carefully looked over and especially in the mammoth Streets of India steps have been taken to increase and double those portions of the entertainment that are especially adaptable for children.

Prince Hained, the Hindoo magician, and his troupe of jugglers, acrobats and other interesting acts, are expected to arrive in the city to-morrow.

The directors of the carnival are pursuing a plan that received its first inception in Honolulu.

"We tried the scheme and found it gave satisfaction all around," said General manager Will for, "and we are now planning to carry out the same thing with the coming Saturday afternoon a red-letter one for boys and girls. The free attractions will be carried out, doubled as regards length and wealth of detail and in all the individual shows extra double performances will be given."

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"The boys and girls can learn a whole lot by attending our carnival organization and there is not a crook or corner in the entire midway for all our shows are clean and peopled by ladies and gentlemen. Everything represented is a true picture from the den and in the villages of the far-away lands on the other side of the globe, as given in our Streets of India and the Picturesque Orient."

GLOSE OF THE EVENING COLLEGE

List of Those Who Will Obtain Awards To-night.

The commencement exercises of the Evening College of the Y. M. C. A. will be held to-night at 8:30 o'clock in the main hall of the Y. M. C. A. building, and an address by Rev. C. S. Gardner, pastor of the Grace Street church, will be given.

Senior—Elementary Arithmetic—John Brockwell, F. B. Longan, Linwood Bonner, Fred Williams, Geo. C. Schweickert, Caske G. Burch, English Grammar—L. E. Williams, Nat. Rickett, Stenography—Samuel G. Mason.

Junior—Business—Clarence Darden, Fred Dunkel, Willie Grigg, Hunter Camp, E. B. August, Business—Thomas Jones, Pennamanship—John Hamrick, Frank Jett, George B. Palling, Ernest L. Knight, Thomas E. Jones, Spelling—Fred Williams, Stenography—Richard Sale, Jr., Robert A. Slacked, Earl Brooks.

Senior—Elementary Arithmetic—H. W. Flournoy, Book-keeping—R. L. Phillips, Ernest Bates, Penmanship and Correspondence—R. G. Hughes, Henry W. Flournoy, Mechanical Drawing—Malcolm Day, Alvin H. Hays, Stenography—Bernard Warriner, Fred Dunkel, George Pulling, August Manger, Thomas J. Jones, Nat. Rickett, Business—Julian Pitt, Earl Jones, Fred Williams, Penmanship—Graham Grigg, Willie Campbell, John Hamrick, Frank Jett, George B. Palling, Ernest L. Knight, Thomas E. Jones, Spelling—Fred Williams, Stenography—Richard Sale, Jr., Children, Clem. Johnson.

WEDDED IN WASHINGTON

Mr. A. Clyde Kessler and Pannine B. Yarbrough were married in the parlors of the Hotel Hamilton, at 100 Third Street, Northeast, Washington, D. C., at 10:15 o'clock Tuesday morning, May 19, 1903. The groom is the son of the late Dr. A. M. Kessler.

THE ODD-FELLOWS

Friendship Rebekah Lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F., the ladies' branch of the order, will have a very interesting meeting to-night at Davison Hall, corner Seventh and Broad Streets. There will be initiation, and a large crowd will be assembled, who will certainly have a good time.

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Postmaster Scores Him for Exceeding Appropriations.

BIG DEFICIT IN EXISTENCE

Congress Will Be Called Upon to Appropriation for Both the Free Delivery and the Rural Free Delivery Service.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 21.—Congress will be asked at the opening of its next session to make an appropriation to cover deficiencies in both the regular free delivery service and the rural free delivery service of the Postoffice Department.

Postmaster-General Payne today announced that this deficiency now aggregates exactly \$27,300, of which \$105,700 is in the free delivery branch and \$121,600 in the rural free delivery service.

The Postmaster-General said he very much regretted the existence of the deficit, and for the first time publicly criticized the administration of A. W. Machen, the general superintendent of the free delivery system, who is on indefinite leave of absence.

"This is not the first time that a deficiency has occurred in the free delivery service," said Mr. Machen, "but I regret its existence. At the opening of the last Congress Mr. Machen pointed out that without additional appropriations no more routes could be established beyond those ready to be installed, and he requested that \$500,000 for the purpose, the work could be continued during the rest of the fiscal year. This appropriation was promptly made, but it was exhausted. Despite this fact the free delivery office went on increasing the deficiency, and if we had not taken steps to curtail the expenditure and suspend the establishment of routes until the beginning of the next fiscal year, the deficit would have been much larger. It was not good administration."

Postmaster-General Payne, in discussing the big deficit in the free delivery service, said:

"It is very reprehensible for a bureau officer to have a deficit of \$200,000 rolled up on the 1st of May. It was bad, very bad administration. A bureau officer should not incur a deficit of that kind. I am not standing for that kind of administration and I do not approve of it. An official must be held to a more strict accounting. I do not say that there was anything criminal or anything wrong in Mr. Machen's action, but it was certainly loose administration, and he should have had his business more in hand."

Postmaster-General Payne was asked if there were any questions as to the effect of the discovery of the deficiency on the status of Mr. Machen, but parried all the questions. He said that the matter would be looked into and communication might be made to Mr. Machen A. M. Bowman, of Salem, who in part represents the district, composed of Roanoke city and county and Craig.

Colonel Bowman is a leading member of the Finance Committee, and was looked upon as both clear-headed and conservative in matters relating thereto.

He, perhaps more than any one else, is responsible for the proposed Virginia exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition, having gotten the appropriation bill through by hard work. Governor Montague named him at once as the leading member of the commission on the part of the State.

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MAY MAKE BAER GIVE TESTIMONY

A Vigorous Effort to Get Contractors Among Roads Limiting Production of Coal.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WASHINGTON, May 21.—A vigorous effort is to be made by the Interstate Commerce Commission to compel President Baer, of the Reading Coal and Iron Company, and the Reading Railway, and officials of other anthracite coal carrying roads to answer certain questions and to produce certain documents which they refused at the recent hearing before the commission in New York, to answer and produce.

The particular documents, the originals of which are demanded by the commission, are alleged contracts among the coal carrying roads limiting the production of coal.

After considering the refusal of the railway officials to present the contracts to the Interstate Commerce Commission, the members of the commission requested Attorney-General Knox to direct General Burnett, district attorney for the Southern District of New York, to present the case to the United States Circuit Court, and ask for an order to compel the officials of the coal carrying roads to appear before the commission, answer the questions and produce the documents. This request was made May 8th. The same day Attorney-General Knox gave the necessary directions to General Burnett. In co-operation with the attorneys for the complainant in the case, General Burnett, in the afternoon, has prepared the petition, which will be presented to the Circuit Court probably next Monday.

CROPS BEING BURNED UP

Much Damage to Crops Being Done by the Dry, Hot Weather.

In Henrico county and throughout the State generally crops are slowly and unremittingly being burned up by the dry, hot weather. For three weeks or more there has been scarcely any rain, and the Weather Bureau holds out no immediate prospects for any.

Unless relief comes soon there are great dangers of serious damage. In Henrico trunks and farmers as well as already suffering heavily. Fields of strawberries are ruined and are producing practically nothing. The berries are shriveled and without juice. The bushes are so dry that they almost rattle when touched, and they would burn nicely if set afire.

Hay is much injured and various other crops, like wheat and oats, are being backwashed. Many of the farmers have even set out their tomatoes, which should have been in the ground by the 15th of May. But little corn has been planted. It is practically impossible to plough the dry, stony earth.

These conditions prevail more or less throughout the State. In his report to Washington this week, Farmer Evans gives the following for Virginia: "Winter wheat and oats are springing out deteriorating; wheat beginning to head; corn planting delayed by hard, dry condition of the land; tobacco plants abundant, but unfavorably affected by dry weather; grasses and pastures getting thin; garden truck still backward; apples dropping."

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Bill Relating to Corporations Becomes Law Without Executive Approval.

House bill 102, relating to the subject of corporations became a law yesterday without the signature of the Governor, His Excellency, James B. McCreary.

The bill, which was passed by the House of Representatives on May 14th, and by the Senate on May 15th, is a measure of great importance, and it is likely that at the November session of the Legislature Governor Montague will ask the body in a formal message to modify the bill so as to meet his objection.

The Corporation Commission is now in a position to grant charters and will begin that important business in a few days, though there is a great deal of work yet to be done along the line of sending out terms, etc.

The demand for charters from all over the State has been very great, the gap in the law on the subject having prevented the issuance of any charters since April 1st.

The commission was in session yesterday, but the business was so urgent that no reference to the granting of charters.

These arrivals were recorded on the register of the Jefferson Hotel yesterday: T. R. Rosevear, H. L. Dands, J. Stanley Richmond, H. C. Hahn, Col. Rosenbaum and wife, M. A. Greene, J. L. Meyer, W. H. Guyer, A. M. Chano, R. Alexander, Rouben C. Foster, Frederick Foster, P. Marshall, J. Theodore E. Straus, Baltimore; F. W. Veghte, Rochelle, N. Y.; C. E. Gifford, Jr., wife and child, H. B. Hines, Jr., H. B. Hines, Jr., H. B. Hartford; Miss Van Sant, Washington, D. C.; Wm. M. Brumback, Bryn Mawr, Pa.; Mr. Bell and wife, R. P. Bell, J. J. Staunton; E. W. Myers, B. B. Drane, S. Geological Survey; A. L. Bowditch, Boston; S. S. Dudley, St. Louis; E. A. Ehness, Ind. and wife, Mrs. David Lynchburg; George E. Bates, Philadelphia; R. C. Hammond, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. John B. Moon, Charlottesville; Wm. E. Tinsley and wife, Woldemoldor, W. Va.; R. B. Stiles and wife, Rodman Carson and wife, New Jersey.

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Information for Philadelphia Passengers

Effective Sunday, May 24th, northward trains leaving Byrd-Street Station, Richmond, at 3:51 A. M., daily, and at 11:00 A. M., daily, will arrive at the new Pennsylvania Railroad Station, Thirty-second and Market Streets, West Philadelphia, instead of at Broad-Street Station, Philadelphia.

Southward trains arriving at Byrd-Street Station, Richmond, at 8:00 A. M., daily, and at 10:29 P. M., daily, will depart from the Thirty-second and Market Street Station, instead of Broad-Street Station, Philadelphia.

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By E. A. Catlin, 6 N. Eleventh Street.

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FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1903, at 6 o'clock P. M., on the premises, sell at public auction the dwelling No. 520 North Twenty-eighth Street, which is described as commencing on west line of "Twenty-third Street," thence running southerly 18 feet, and extending back to a line with some small improvements 20 feet wide.

TERMS—Cash sufficient to pay a note of \$100,000, with interest thereon, and balance at one and two years, with interest added; or all cash, at option of purchaser.

E. A. CATLIN, Trustee.

AUCTION SALES—FUTURE DAYS.

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New Cut Herrings, per dozen.....10c.

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California Peaches, pound.....8c.

Huster Laundry Soap, 12 bars.....25c.

Mother's Rotted Oats, package.....8c.

T. M. Shoe Blacking, 2 boxes.....5c.

Best City Meal, per peck.....18c.

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Canned Virginia Tomatoes, 7c, or 4 cans for.....25c.

Pure Ground Pepper, pound.....10c.

New Prunes, 4c, or 7 pounds for.....25c.

Ivory or Celluloid Starch, package.....4c.

Cordova or Lion Coffee, pound.....9 1/2c.

Gibson's XXXX No. 1 Cider, per bottle.....10c.

Pepper and Old Brands Whiskey, bottle.....80c.

Imported Macaroni, pound.....5c.

Blackberry or Catawba Wine, quart.....12c.

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