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MAY DAY TROUBLES IN INDUSTRIAL CENTERS

Comparatively Few Strikes Reported From Cities of the East.

PAINTERS AND CARPENTERS OUT

Paterson and Newark, N. J., the Scenes of Slight Difficulties.

OFFICERS OF COASTING SHIPS DEMAND HIGHER WAGES—UNIONISTS OF BROOKLYN MARCH IN SYMPATHY FOR ALLEGED MURDERS OF STEUNENBERG—MAYDAY TROUBLES IN PARIS.

By Associated Press.
New York, May 1.—Mayday strikes were comparatively few in Paterson, N. J., a thousand car painters struck for an advance of from three fifty to four dollars per day and building is at a standstill. At Newark, N. J., thirteen hundred carpenters struck. These were employed by members of the Masters Association. Nine hundred others working for independent employers received an advance.

Chief interest was in the threatened strike of the first, second and third officers of the coastwise ships and lines entering this port accepted the new schedule, but a compromise offered by the Morse Consolidated Steamship Lines was refused and a conference between officers of the company and the men agreed upon.

Sympathy for Miners.
New York, May 1.—With "Marseillaise" as their marching hymn, six thousand socialists and labor unionists of the East New York section of Brooklyn today showed sympathy for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone charged with the murder of former Governor Steunenberg, of Idaho. Every one wore picture buttons of accused men; large banners pictured them as martyrs in righteous cause.

Clemenceau Denounced.
Paris, May 1.—Numerous Mayday meetings were held here and in the most important meetings Premier Clemenceau was violently denounced. At one point where several thousand unionists gathered, the demonstration caused the cavalry to charge and disperse the crowds, and shots were fired from a distance one of which wounded a trooper. Over a thousand arrests were made during the day and early evening. Twenty persons were badly injured and scores trampled upon.

To Protect Scabs.
Boston, May 1.—Master Teamsters today asked Governor Guild to assign infantry to protect the property and lives of strike breakers which it is alleged are jeopardized on account of several recent riots.

Taft at His Desk.
Washington, May 1.—Secretary of War Taft returned to Washington today and was at his desk at the opening of business.

3 ALDERMEN ARE INDICTED

New York Election Case Will Come Up for Trial To-day.

By Associated Press.
New York, May 1.—The grand jury today returned indictments against three aldermen in connection with the election of the successor of Recorder John W. Goff. Wm. S. Clifford was indicted for accepting a bribe; Henry Clay Peterson, two indictments for perjury; and Jos. C. Ronin, for perjury. They were ordered to appear in the supreme court to-morrow.

DEWEY'S VICTORY DULY CELEBRATED

By Associated Press.
Washington, May 1.—The ninth anniversary of Admiral Dewey's victory over the Spanish fleet in Manila bay was celebrated to-night by the officers who participated in the battle and invited guests. Admiral Dewey presided at the reunion and Admiral Lambertson acted as toastmaster.

MABELLE GILMAN TO MARRY COREY

New York, May 1.—Miss Mabelle Gilman, the actress, after her arrival from Paris to-day, permitted the announcement of her coming marriage to William Ellis Corey, president of the United States Steel Corporation, May 13.

HILLSBOROUGH CO. DIVISION

Motion to Postpone Pinellas Bill Lost by Closest Vote of Session.

By Associated Press.
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1.—By the closest vote of the session the divisionists won, on second reading, the Pinellas bill, on second reading, the postpone being lost by twenty-six to twenty-nine and the bill passed to third reading without amendments. The house committee heard arguments on the Atlantic county bill to-night (Volusia) and the report will probably be unfavorable or without recommendation in the morning. The Bobe relief bill passed the senate.

20 INJURED IN WRECK

Baltimore & Ohio's Fast Train Goes Over High Embankment.

By Associated Press.
Parkersburg, W. Va., May 1.—The fast passenger train on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad on the Ohio river division was wrecked forty-five miles below this afternoon, injuring twenty persons, two fatally. Running sixty miles an hour the baggage car left the track, causing the engine and five coaches to fall. The two rear coaches turning over the embankment.

HURRICANE IN MEXICO

Swept Coast of Campeche and Killed Several People.

By Associated Press.
San Antonio, May 1.—A violent hurricane swept the district of San Juan Bautista, Campeche, Mexico, last night killing several persons and destroying property valued at a million dollars. Coconut groves for wide area along the coast were ruined, and forests and houses were destroyed. Reports from the outlying country are still meager.

WRIGHTS TO TRY THE NEW AIRSHIP

By Associated Press.
New York, May 1.—The times today says that an official trial of the Wright Brothers aerial, with which they have endeavored the last two years to solve the problem of aerial flight, will be made in a few weeks in Germany. The Wright brothers, who have recently been experimenting with their new machine at Kitty Hawk, N. C., will sail for Germany some time this month. The test, it is stated, will be conducted under the auspices of the recently-formed German Aerial Navigation Society, which organized early this year through the personal influence of the emperor of Germany. Its purpose is to reimburse inventors who give satisfactory proof of having attained a reasonable amount of success in building and operating practical aerial machines.

GUILTY OF MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE

By Associated Press.
Memphis, Tenn., May 1.—The jury in the case of Barney Burchett, charged with the murder of Mrs. Mercedes Donovan, on the night of February 9 last, today brought in a verdict of guilty in the first degree. Mrs. Donovan was killed on a crowded street, having been struck by a man with a guitar. A mob searched the city in an effort to apprehend the murderer. Burchett was later arrested.

BALLOON AMERICA NEAR GOLCONDA, ILL.

By Associated Press.
Golconda, Ill., May 1.—The balloon America, which sailed from St. Louis last evening, was discovered this afternoon ten miles away with Aero-naut McCoy and Signal Officer Chandler unhurt.

INSURANCE MEN UNDER ARREST

Charged With Conspiring to Obstruct Enforcement of the Laws.

DECIDED SENSATION CAUSED BY THE ARREST OF PROMINENT MEN—CASES GREW OUT OF RECENT ELECTIONS HELD BY INSURANCE COMPANIES.

By Associated Press.
New York, May 1.—George B. Scrumham, manager of the international policyholders' committee, who was arrested in Albany last night on conspiracy charges growing out of the recent life insurance elections, arrived in the city early today in the custody of Detective Fitzsimmons of the district attorney's office. Later, with Charles F. Carrington and Charles Stirrup, employees of the committee, who acted as watchers during the elections, and who were arrested on similar charges, Mr. Scrumham will be arraigned before a magistrate and be given a hearing.

The arrests have caused a decided sensation, especially in view of the fact that it was at the instance of Mr. Scrumham that the district attorney began an investigation of the methods of procedure at the life insurance elections.

The charge against the three men is that "they unlawfully agreed and conspired together for the perversion and obstruction of the due administration of the laws of the state of New York, especially with relation to the election of directors of a certain insurance company called by the New York Life Insurance Company."

George Scrumham is the manager of the international policyholders' committee, which organized to protect the interests of the policyholders after the insurance scandals, and its membership includes a number of representatives of the country, former members of the cabinet and governors of several states. Nicholas Longworth, son-in-law of President Roosevelt, is secretary of the committee.

Mr. Scrumham's office has railroad interests in Cincinnati, organized a policyholders' committee in Ohio before he came here and took charge of the work. When Mr. Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the committee, was in Europe, he had charge of everything here. Mr. Scrumham says he has received no pay from the committee and that he has been working simply for the benefit of the policyholders. Richard Olney, who was secretary of state in President Cleveland's cabinet, is chairman of the committee. It was Scrumham who complained to the district attorney's office not long ago that forged ballots had been used in electing the administration ticket. While investigating this charge, the representatives of the district attorney's office say that they discovered irregularities in the ballots turned in by the policyholders' committee.

Another arrest in connection with the elections was that of Jacob Frank, an agent of the New York Life Insurance company. He is charged with the forgery of ballots. At the district attorney's office it is said that the inquiry has not yet been concluded and that further developments may be looked for.

IS HELD IN \$1,000 BAIL

Stenographer Who Sold Famous Harriman Letters to Be Tried To-day.

By Associated Press.
New York, May 1.—Frank M. Hill, former stenographer for E. H. Harriman, charged with selling to a newspaper the letter from Harriman to Sidney Webster for publication, which drew out the Roosevelt-Harriman controversy, is held in one thousand dollars bail for trial to-day.

NOTHING HEARD OF CREW OF SIX MEN

By Associated Press.
New York, May 1.—The schooner Everett Webster, of Philadelphia, from Wilmington, N. C., for Philadelphia, was sighted and abandoned, water-logged, April 29, by the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse which arrived to-day. Nothing is known of the schooner's crew of six men.

THREE THOUSAND IRON WORKERS OUT

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, May 1.—A strike of employees in the iron trades went into effect to-day and it is estimated that three thousand men are out.

TWO LARGE MEETINGS MARK THE CLOSE OF MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN

BLISS SCORED AT INGRAHAM GATHERING

Several Addresses Delivered in Which He is Severely Criticised.

HON. E. C. MAXWELL AND HON. W. A. BLOUNT

Were the Principal Speakers and Both Arraigned Mayor Sharply.

WATER WORKS, STREET PAVING, CURBING AND OTHER QUESTIONS AT ISSUE HANDLED WITHOUT GLOVES AND IN ELOQUENT AND MASTERLY MANNER—THREE OTHER SPEAKERS.

The last gun of the municipal campaign in behalf of the candidacy of Walker Ingraham for mayor, was fired in the Plaza last night when a large crowd listened to addresses by Hon. E. C. Maxwell, Frank Radcliffe, Hon. W. A. Blount, Cade Shackelford and City Attorney John B. Jones. Contrary to expectations Mr. Ingraham did not make an address, although he was present at the affair. The principal addresses were made by Mr. Maxwell and Mr. Blount, and both were masterly efforts, devoted to dissecting the past record of Mayor Bliss, comparing it with the record of Mr. Ingraham, and dilating upon the fitness of the latter for the office of mayor of the Deep Water City. The address was presided over by Mike O'Leary in his graceful and witty manner.

Hon. E. C. Maxwell. Mr. Maxwell, the first speaker, declared that Mayor Bliss did not stand for any party or any policy, and branded as absurd the issue of "classes against the masses" which has been raised by the mayor during the present campaign. Such a position was entirely untenable and only served to antagonize a people who should work together for the upbuilding of the city. As far as Mr. Bliss was concerned, he had never been associated to any extent, with either capital or labor, but when he did take a hand it was with capital and against labor.

Mr. Bliss, said the speaker, had been elected to office without having been affiliated with either the so-called classes or the masses, but shortly after election there was a change, and Mr. Bliss came into the business world in connection with several different industrial projects, every one of which was more or less collaterally connected with the affairs of the city. Mr. Bliss had violated no law, but such action was against public policy which dictated laws upon the statute books. It was not wrong according to law, but it was morally wrong, and was a violation of the confidence imposed in him as the city's executive.

Mr. Bliss, said the speaker, was a comparatively small property holder when he was elected to office, but immediately after his election he began the acquisition of property—and the property which he acquired would be of great value in the future development of the city. Mr. Maxwell then discoursed at considerable length upon the wharf property at the foot of Florida Blanca street acquired by Mayor Bliss, intimating that he had used his official position to a certain extent for his own gain in the acquisition of this property. Mr. Maxwell also referred to certain other property, at present owned by Mayor Bliss, and which the city is now renting.

Mr. Bliss had infringed his absolute right or any statute law "but I say to you that those are not the acts and that is not the attitude which entitles him to place himself before the people of this city as the man whose election is necessary in order to keep Mr. Ingraham and his associates, or backers, out of the treasury and from the acquisition of public franchises." (Applause.)

Mr. Maxwell, then paid high tribute to the worth of Mr. Ingraham whom, he said he had known for nearly 10 years, during which time not even the most of scandal had been heard against him, and whose business ability was beyond question. Mr. Maxwell's address was careful, eloquent

IMPRISONED MINERS RESCUED FROM DEATH

By Associated Press.
Johnstown, Pa., May 1.—Taken from the dark corridor of a coal mine, where they had been imprisoned for over one hundred hours, the seven men taken from the Berwind-White mine No. 38, at Fongswell are lying in the Windber hospital, physically exhausted.

The men were reached by the rescuers about 11 o'clock last night, but were not brought out until an early hour to-day, the physicians fearing that a sudden relaxation from the nervous strain might have serious effect.

Immediately on being brought out, the men wanted to go to their homes, and were taken to the hospital under protest. No food was given to them at first, but a stimulant in the form of brandy and water was administered. Soon after arriving at the hospital, the exhausted men fell into a sound sleep, and are only awakened when the nurses administer hot

Forty One Miners Killed by An Explosion at Hinton W. Va.

By Associated Press.
Hinton, W. Va., May 1.—By an explosion in the Whipple mine at Scarboro, Fayette county, this afternoon, forty-one miners are believed to have been killed and fifty-one were able to reach the surface by the steps of the air shaft. Many of these were injured, some seriously, but all will recover. Isaac Peltier, mine boss, is among the missing. He was closing

Ten United States Sailors Injured in Santiago Conflict

By Associated Press.
Santiago, Cuba, May 1.—A conflict yesterday between sailors of the cruiser Tacoma and Police Captain Lay and a squad of policemen resulted in wounding ten sailors by machetes and the fatal shooting of another. All are in the hospital of the cruiser. The sailors were returning to the ship from a banquet, in charge of an

TO PREVENT A COAL FAMINE

Dealers Urged to Lay in Adequate Supply During the Summer.

Chicago, Ill., May 1.—The traffic and operating department of the Harriman and the Hill lines have united in a strenuous effort to prevent the recurrence of a coal famine next winter in the West and the Northwest. Orders have been issued by the highest officials of the various roads, and have the sanction of E. H. Harriman and James J. Hill, requiring all of the officials to make every effort to induce the coal dealers to lay in their winter supply in the summer months. The officials of the railroads have decided if possible to prevent another such coal famine as occurred last winter, when they were blamed for the suffering and destitution which reigned in the West and Northwest many weeks.

Accordingly a personal canvass is being made in all the coals and coal dealers are being urged personally to co-operate with the railroads in placing the western country beyond the possibility of another coal famine.

QUICK INDICTMENT OF NEGRO ASSAILANT

By Associated Press.
Decatur, Ala., May 1.—Apprehended after an attempted assault upon the married daughter of former Sheriff Silas Ryan, infuriated citizens today prepared to visit summary punishment on the negro, Lipscomb, when the authorities interfered and caused the empanelment of a grand jury which quickly returned an indictment. The negro was then taken to Birmingham to await trial.

ALABAMA EDITOR DROPPED DEAD

By Associated Press.
Huntsville, Ala., May 1.—Colonel Charles P. Lane, editor Evening Tribune, only republican paper in Alabama, dropped dead this afternoon, aged fifty. He was once nominated on the republican ticket for governor.

LAST RALLY OF CAMPAIGN BY BLISS

Addressed a Large Crowd in Seville Square Last Night.

WATER COMPANY CHIEF SUBJECT

Also Charged That Walker Ingraham Will Not Be Mayor If Elected.

BUT THAT THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK IS MAKING THE FIGHT—MITCH JACOBY PRESIDED OVER MEETING AND OTHER CANDIDATES MADE ADDRESSES INCLUDING JAMES O. WALKER.

Mayor Chas. H. Bliss closed his campaign last night, when he and other candidates spoke to a large gathering in Seville square. Mitch Jacoby presided in the absence of Judge Chas. H. Laney, and in a manner peculiarly his own, introduced the various speakers and incidentally talked a little on the side himself. As a sort of introductory speech Mr. Jacoby told the audience that on Thursday the opposition would have paid workers of the public works negro hackmen taking Democratic voters to the polls, but that Bliss and his supporters would have neither paid hirelings or negro hackmen. He then introduced the first speaker.

James O. Walker, who made himself known by referring to himself as the "tall man with a bunch of whiskers." Mr. Walker took with the crowd at once and after relating a few anecdotes told what he proposed doing should he be elected to the board of Public Works and how he would listen to every complaint no matter whom it might be who complained. He said he was not in the mayoralty fight, as the respective candidates for that position were capable of taking care of themselves, but that he was speaking in the interest of the candidacy of James O. Walker for the Board of Works and would appreciate the support of the voters.

Mayor Chas. H. Bliss. Mayor Bliss was then introduced by Chairman Jacoby as the next mayor of Pensacola and the crowd longed cheering. The mayor commenced his address by referring to those who would attempt to corrupt men by purchasing their vote in elections, and particularly to the man who would sell his manhood. The latter he referred to as using words which he would not use before he would be elected in such a manner that he would rather be defeated. He then charged that at a meeting of those opposed to him Tuesday night the sum of \$2,000 was raised, and that some of this money was sealed in envelopes passed to his office during the afternoon seeking its source. The speaker then stated he was not running against Ingraham, but the First National Bank, and if Ingraham were elected he would be mayor of Pensacola.

The Water Company. The mayor proceeded to speak up on the Pensacola Water Company, stating that the company is charging 50 cents per thousand gallons for water, \$5 for a meter with which to measure the water, and then rent every quarter on the meter, which the consumer had purchased, in order to allow the company to measure the amount of water consumed. He then charged that the company, under the charter granted it by the city, could only charge from 3 to 5 cents per thousand gallons, and that for the past several years the company had been robbing the people at the rate of 45 cents per thousand gallons of water used. Going further he stated that some one had falsified the record of the proceedings of the council by scratching out a paper, thus making it read that the company had a right to charge at the rate of from 3 to 5 cents per thousand gallons.

Arraigns The Journal. Mayor Bliss then proceeded to arraign The Journal for placing the word "advertisement" over an article which appeared in the paper Sunday morning. He said in his long experience in the newspaper business, thirty years, he had never before seen city records sworn to labeled "ad

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