

## REPORT OF THE A. AND N. C.

## PRESIDENT BRYAN'S STATEMENT TO THE STOCKHOLDERS.

The Road is Badly in Need of Equipment—The Coast Line and Southern Could Tie It Up in a Week and Make It Bankrupt in Six Months.

(Special to The Messenger.)  
Raleigh, N. C., September 25.—A copy of the annual report of President Bryan, of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railway as submitted to the stockholders yesterday was received here today. It says the road's gross earnings were \$394,197; the operating expenses \$185,562; fixed charges and interest \$32,716; net earnings \$75,929 which have been expended as follows:

For the permanent improvements \$35,886; new equipment and machinery \$7,437; real estate \$6,598; leaving a balance of \$25,906. Cars are so badly needed that 750 cars of other roads have to be used daily at an annual cost of over \$30,000. The road's own cars are so light that they can earn nothing on other roads. The report says:

"The road is tapped at every vital point by the Coast Line and Southern, and has no rail outlet except such as they choose to give it and is dependent upon them for equipment. It is absolutely at their mercy and but for their clever courtesy, (for they can tie it up in a week) it would be bankrupt in less than six months and would have to suspend operations."

The road needs two locomotives, a hundred box cars, fifty flat cars, 198 log cars, five passenger cars, two parlor cars, two other cars; fifty miles of light rail of 45 and 50 pounds to the yard will soon have to be replaced with sixty pound rails. This new rail will cost \$125,075 and the equipment \$150,500. President Bryan urges that the bonded debt of \$325,000, bearing 6 per cent interest, be funded at 4 per cent.

## FAYETTEVILLE NEWS LETTER.

Fine Entertainment in Armory—Wholesale Company to Take New Quarters.

(Special to The Messenger.)

Fayetteville, N. C., September 25.—The managers made good their promises in the merit of the vocal and instrumental concert given in the armory last evening for the benefit of the organ fund of Hay Street Methodist church. It was first class all through. Besides our home musicians, the audience were greatly indebted to Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cheek, of Durham, and Misses Bason, violinists, and Johnson, pianist, of Red Springs Female Seminary. Music-lovers among The Messenger readers will not find the space badly taken up with the following programme of the evening: Vocal Duet—Pearls of Love, Mesdames W. M. Morgan and T. E. Cheek. Recitations—Old Sweethearts, Negro Lullaby, Miss Johnson. Soprano Solo—Le Printemps, Mrs. Cheek. Violin—Beressence, from Jodelyn, Miss Bason. Soprano and Bass Duet—Moment That I Blose, Mr. and Mrs. Cheek. Soprano Solo—Dream of Paradise (by request), Mrs. Morgan. Violin Obligato—Miss Bason. Reading—Mary Jones' Blacksliding, Miss Johnson. Violin—Candzonetta, Miss Bason. Soprano Solo—Good Night and Sweet Dreams, Mrs. Cheek.

A recital and sacred vocal concert will be given in Hay Street Methodist church this evening, using the new pipe organ just put in place.

The T. C. Williams, Jr., the Wholesale Company will take the Williams block mentioned in The Messenger correspondence. This company has been long carrying on a successful business on the corner of Hay and Windsor street, but by removal will get nearer the business center.

Capt. A. C. Graham, who has long been in feeble health, is critically ill today, which will be heard with regret by Messenger readers in Wilmington, where he is well known, having been for years a veteran Cape Fear river steamboat captain, before he engaged in mercantile life.

Many Fayetteville people went up to Dunn yesterday, and much enjoyed the railroad celebration, where there was good speaking from distinguished men. The state administration was well represented by a number of officials, and a crowd went down from Durham.

This community received with regret the news yesterday of the death at Rozier, Robeson county, of Mrs. S. B. Rozier, aged 66 years, whose funeral services took place at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the Presbyterian church at Lumberton. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. D. S. McRae, of this city, and of Dr. R. G. Rozier, Mrs. M. Lestah, Mrs. T. A. Norment and Mrs. Alex. Bethune, of Lumberton. Messrs. Stephen and Benson, and Misses Fannie, Minnie and Dora Rozier, of Rozier.

Mr. J. A. Steel, the Fayetteville dry goods merchant injured in a street car accident in New York city, reached home last night, sufficiently recovered to be able to walk from the train to the carriage.

Mrs. R. W. Bidgood and daughters have returned to Birmingham, Ala., accompanied by Miss Jane Williams, after a visit to relatives in this city.

A laboratory, for demonstration and lectures on the physical sciences, will be added to the equipment of the Donaldson-Davidson Academy. Prof. Wakefield is especially well versed in this branch of high school education.

Miss Nellie Cook has returned to Wilmington.

Capt. John Ledbetter, one of the proprietors of the Fayetteville Steam Laundry, on the corner of Hay and Burgess street, had his hand badly torn in the machinery this morning.

German Cruiser Falke at Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., September 25.—The German cruiser Falke, Captain Musculus arrived in port today, firing the national salute as she passed the forts and navy yard. The vessel will remain until October 3rd, when she will sail for Kingston.

The vessel was shown the courtesies of the port by the government officials, who, together with the city officials, paid a call this afternoon when the health of the Kaiser was drunk. The Germans toasted President Roosevelt. The Falke was recently in the blockade off Venezuela.

Elliot's Emulsified Oil Liniment.

Is the best Liniment on the market for use in the family or on animals. It is very soothing, very penetrating, relieves quickly and heals in an incredibly short time. Try it, you will not be disappointed. Large bottle, Price 25 cents. R. R. Bellamy.

## ANTI-LIQUOR FORCES.

Warm Fight Being Waged in Goldsboro—Albemarle Presbytery to Meet.

(Special to The Messenger.)  
Goldsboro, September 25.—The prohibition forces, who are now waging a warm campaign on the liquor question, and who will endeavor to carry the town on the 8th of October, will hold a mass meeting in the Messenger opera house on Sunday night, at which Rev. R. C. Beaman, of Durham, and other speakers will make addresses.

The Albemarle Presbytery will convene in the Presbyterian church in this city on the 6th of October. Extensive preparations are now being made by the congregation of that church for the entertainment of the distinguished visitors, who are expected to be present. The Albemarle Presbytery covers all the Presbyterian churches in the eastern part of the state.

Professor A. J. Barwick, of the Goldsboro Graded schools, went down to Dover yesterday, where he delivered an address before the New Bern District Sunday school convention.

Mrs. Dr. Paul C. Hutton and little daughter are in the city where they will make their home with relatives during the absence of Dr. Hutton in China, where he is on army duty. He expects to be in China for the next two years.

## THE GOMEL RIOT.

No Foreigners Nor Foreign Interests Were Jeopardized.

Washington, September 25.—The following bulletin was posted at the state department today:

"The department of state has received advices from the American charge at Petersburg to the effect that in the Gomel riot, eight Jews and five Christians lost their lives. Mr. Riddle says that no foreigners or foreign interests suffered."

In view of the position taken by the Russian government at the time of the Kishineff affair the report of the American charge at St. Petersburg that no foreigners or foreign interests were jeopardized in the recent anti-Semite riot at Gomel, closes the incident so far as the state department is concerned.

Negro Held as an Involuntary Prisoner.

Birmingham, Ala., September 25.—In the cases of Aaron and Archie Dill, on trial before United States Commissioner Birch, the prosecution introduced evidence which they claim shows Charles Hudson, a negro to have been held an involuntary prisoner and horribly treated by his captors. The testimony tended to show that Hudson had been stopped on the public road near the Dill place, in Lamar county, some time ago, and forced to work on the farm of Marshall Dill. Also that he was paid nothing for his services, and that his clothes and a little over ten dollars were confiscated by Marshall Dill. During the time he worked there witness testified, he was beaten over the head and knocked down and guns had been pointed at him and snapped.

## Did Woodmen Kill Dexter?

New York, September 25.—The body of Orlando P. Dexter, the New York millionaire who was assassinated near his summer home in the Adirondacks, arrived here yesterday. John P. Badger, who was attorney for the dead man, and who accompanied the body, said: "Mr. Dexter had many enemies because of his relentless warfare against game poachers, timber cutters and trespassers. He had much litigation and many of the woodsmen felt bitter against him. Some of these men had made threats against Mr. Dexter's life and naturally they are under suspicion."

Dexter was shot Saturday on his lands near Santa Clara, Franklin county, N. Y. He was riding along in his conveyance, with A. Giles, of Santa Clara, ahead of him in a buggy, and with Bert Russell, his farm hand, behind him in a wagon.

Frank Manoley, Somnambulist, Convicted.

Baltimore, September 25.—Frank Manoley, 26 years old, was adjudged guilty of murder in the second degree by Judge Wright and Stockbridge today in the criminal court. Sentence was suspended pending a motion for a new trial. Manoley, while in a somnambulist state fired four shots at his wife during the night of July 9th. The woman was dead when the other inmates of the house reached her. Manoley and his wife came here from Wilmington, Del., two years ago. They were each twenty-six years old and were married in Richmond, in 1899.

## Automobile as a Factor in Warfare.

Camp Young, West Point, Ky., September 25.—With the commanding general on the ground and all preliminaries disposed of, the regular troops from the department of the lakes were arriving today. The maneuvers will be the second of their kind under taken in time of peace since the civil war. About 14,000 troops will participate.

The automobile as a factor in warfare already has been given a trial by the signal corps men. Their lumbering "Red Devil" struck its colors, however, last night to one of the Kentucky "knots" surrounding the camp and was shoved back to a steamboat to be sent to Louisville for repairs.

Fire Destroys Hotel Brunswick.

Rochester, N. H., September 25.—Two lives were lost and several persons were injured in a fire that destroyed the Hotel Brunswick early today. The dead are: George Raywood, Concord, N. H., and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Harwood occupied a room on the second floor and were found in the corridor where they had met death while attempting to escape from the flames.

There were many narrow escapes and it was at first believed that a number of persons had perished in the building. The monetary loss is about \$14,000.



Young girls at this period of life, or their mothers, are earnestly invited to write Mrs. Pinkham for advice; all such letters are strictly confidential; she has guided in a motherly way hundreds of young women; and her advice is freely and cheerfully given.

School days are danger days for American girls. Often physical collapse follows, and it takes years to recover the lost vitality. Sometimes it is never recovered.

Perhaps they are not over-careful about keeping their feet dry; through carelessness in this respect the monthly sickness is usually rendered very severe.

Then begin ailments which should be removed at once, or they will produce constant suffering. Headache, faintness, slight vertigo, pains in the back and loins, irregularity, loss of sleep and appetite, a tendency to avoid the society of others, are symptoms all indicating that woman's arch-enemy is at hand.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped many a young girl over this critical period. With it they have gone through their trials with courage and safety. With its proper use the young girl is safe from the peculiar dangers of school years and prepared for hearty womanhood.

A Young Chicago Girl "Studied Too Hard."

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to thank you for the help and benefit I have received through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills. When I was about seventeen years old I suddenly seemed to lose my usual good health and vitality. Father said I studied too hard, but the doctor thought different and prescribed tonics, which I took by the quart without relief. Reading one day in the paper of Mrs. Pinkham's great cures, and finding the symptoms described answered mine, I decided I would give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. I did not say a word to the doctor; I bought it myself, and took it according to directions regularly for two months, and I found that I gradually improved, and that all pains left me, and I was my old self once more.—LILLIE E. SINGLAR, 17 E. 22d St., Chicago, Ill."



"Miss Pratt Unable to Attend School."

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel it my duty to tell all young women how much Lydia E. Pinkham's wonderful Vegetable Compound has done for me. I was completely run down, unable to attend school, and did not care for any kind of society, but now I feel like a new person, and have gained seven pounds of flesh in three months."

I recommend it to all young women who suffer from female weakness.—MISS ALMA PRATT, Holly, Mich.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the one sure remedy to be relied upon at this important period in a young girl's life.

\$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness.

Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

## ELECTION OF BISHOP COADJUTOR.

Big Church Event for Goldsboro—The Kennon is Prosperous—Cotton Coming in Fast.

(Special to The Messenger.)

Goldsboro, N. C., September 25.—The election of a bishop coadjutor for the East Carolina Diocese will take place in this city on the 10th of October. The election will take place in St. Stephen's Episcopal church. There will be over 200 clergy and laymen present to participate in the meeting. The election is called because Bishop Watson is not able to perform the duties of his office. The congregation of St. Stephen's church are making extensive preparations to entertain the delegates.

Relatives in this section have just been informed of the death of Mr. West Holland at his home in Oklahoma. He was a former resident of this county and was at one time register of deeds.

The death of Mrs. R. M. Cox occurred yesterday at her home in Grantham's township. Her death was sudden. She leaves an aged husband and several grown children. She had relatives in this city, where she was well known.

The broom drill in the tobacco warehouse last night for the benefit of the organ fund of the Episcopal church was a great success and the promoters realized a handsome sum from the undertaking. Captain Cohen, of the Goldsboro Rifles, had been drilling twenty young ladies in the manual of arms (brooms) for the past month. They went through with the commands last night with a rhythm and precision which showed how well they had been instructed. A large crowd was present to witness the performance and the ladies dispensed delightful refreshments.

Col. W. D. Pollock, a popular young member of the Kingston bar and a member of the governor's staff, was in the city today on his way to New Haven, Conn., on professional business.

The farmers are bringing their cotton to market as fast as they can pick it out and gin it. John street today was crowded for several blocks with carts and wagons loaded with fleecy staple. The recent drop in the price has caused the planters to fear further decrease and they are taking no chances on that score, but are selling all they can get ready.

If there is any one single city feature of which Goldsboro can boast more than another it is the Hotel Kennon, which is not only abreast of any similar institution in the state, but is, perhaps the leading Tar Heel hostelry. No more comfortable or better furnished

rooms than those to be found in the new annex can be found south of the great Metropolis from which the whole country takes its patterns. Its cuisine furnishes gossip for the traveling fraternity who come out of their way to spend a day or night in the hotel, and who are the best judges of hotels as well as a great many other things. These gentlemen as well as the traveling public generally will be gratified to learn that the progressive proprietor of the hotel, Mr. B. H. Griffin, intends at an early day to make still further improvements to his already excellent service by adding an up-to-date cafe to be known as the Kennon Cafe. Goldsboro has reached such proportions as a city where such an institution is not only a convenience, but a necessity and it is the purpose of Mr. Griffin to supply this need. Like the Hotel Kennon it will be second to none in the state. Besides being a place in the very best of style the table will be supplied with the most tempting viands that the most fastidious epicurean can wish for. Mr. Griffin has had the experience necessary to know how to furnish and conduct the new enterprise and he will spare neither pains or expenses to make the cafe the success that he has the Hotel Kennon.

Is Indigestion a Disease?

The best medical authorities say that indigestion is not always caused by a diseased stomach, but may result from a disordered liver, constipation, excitement, etc. The cause is of little consequence when Rydalen's Stomach Tablets are taken, as they never fail to digest the food, check fermentation, free the stomach from irritating acids and an excess of gas. They relieve at once Belching, Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Fullness after Eating, etc. Rydalen's Stomach Tablets have a specific tonic effect on the stomach and organs of assimilation and are guaranteed to cure the worst forms of stomach trouble. R. R. Bellamy.

Charges Fraud in the American Car Company.

Philadelphia, September 25.—A bill was filed today before Vice Chancellor Grey, in Camden from F. Shoefeld, a stockholder of the American Car Company, praying for an injunction to restrain the payment of 2 1/2 per cent. dividend by the board of directors on the company's preferred stock. The bill among other things charges fraud in the organization of the company and over capitalization; that the tangible assets are not worth more than \$10,000, whereas the company is capitalized at \$25,000.

## REUNION AT GREENSBORO

MORE THAN 5,000 NON-RESIDENTS WILL PROBABLY ATTEND.

Free Excursion to be Given by Raleigh Chamber of Commerce—Desperate Safe Blower at Work in the State—Penitentiary Gossip—Other News Notes.

Messenger Bureau.

Raleigh, N. C., September 26. Interest increases daily in the dispensary election, which is to be held here October 5th. Both sides continue to make claims of a sweeping victory and nobody knows what will be the result.

The state superintendent of public instruction has prepared an article composed of clippings from newspapers in 49 counties, giving opinion as to the educational campaign now in progress all over the state. These opinions are very favorable indeed, and particularly gratify the superintendent.

On the 6th day of October, the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce will give a free excursion on the Raleigh and Cape Fear railway in compliment to the people of Lillington and of Harnett county. Five hundred invitations will be issued, to each excursionist will be given a button as a souvenir of the event.

State Treasurer Lacy left today for Graham to participate in the ceremonies at the laying of the corner stone of the graded school there. It is very evident that the reunion of non-residents at Greensboro next month is going to be an immense affair, as already more than 5,000 names of non-residents have been received who express their intention of attending. Five hundred newspapers, all over the United States and Canada, have published the invitation to attend this reunion. Answers have come from Australia, Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

There are now 55 female state convicts, of whom 35 are at the state farm. Of the 20 remaining here, seven are white. The two white men, Medlin and Rice who hid in a loft for nine days and were finally found, have forfeited all the good conduct time they gained, this being three days in each month. To this five days is added for each 30 days gained, so it will readily be seen that good conduct is its own reward. There are some very desperate convicts in the penitentiary, and there are three or four especially so, who are ring leaders, although very quiet men to all appearances, three of these being murderers and another a safe cracker. Various rumors have been current during the past few weeks to the effect that some of the convicts had arms, but it is probable that the officials inspect their cells and persons so frequently as to guard against such thing as this.

It appears that the desperate safe-blower who is at work in this state and who has recently dynamited at least six postoffice safes, is Frank Duncan, for whom the sheriff at Burlington, Ala., offers \$500 reward. Duncan is known also as Edwards and Winston, and his name among his fraternity is "Davton Slim." He is an Illinois man, but married at Chattanooga. He is 5 ft. 8 1/2 inches high, weighs 168 pounds, has fair complexion, light brown hair, small mustache, beard lighter than hair, medium blue eyes, chin rather protruding, nose rather long, and slightly turned to the right, and oblique scar, a cut, on the second joint of the left thumb, and a regular cut on the inside of the right thumb above the second joint, a small oblique scar above the right eye-brow, and small scrofulous scars on the neck, under the right ear. He is a professional burglar and safe cracker and is also a murderer. His victim being a police officer, who was a brother of two locomotive engineers.

James Stark, who recently killed a man in Florida, is a son of Bolling Stark, who for a number of years was manager of the Western Union Telegraph office at Raleigh.

Judge Purnell of the federal court, has rendered an opinion in the case of a bankrupt manufacturer here, the North Carolina Car Company. The opinion winds up the litigation, which has gone on for several years. At one time this was an important enterprise and built a good many cars, also furnished material for houses. Then it engaged in the manufacture of car wheels and soon afterwards failed.

The corporation commission will do all it can to investigate railway accidents, but few people have any idea of the difficulty of obtaining information about such things, as there are so many men who will not talk, some from disinclination and others because of fear of loss of position and that sort of thing.

NO MEXICAN BOLL WEEVIL.

State Entomologist Sherman Does Not Think It Exists in This State.

(Special to The Messenger.)  
Raleigh, N. C., September 26.—State Entomologist Franklin Sherman writes your correspondent that no report of the presence of the Mexican cotton boll weevil in Union and Mecklenburg counties has come to him direct and no specimens have been sent. He does not believe this insect is in North Carolina. Doubtless some other has caused damage.

He says: "There is every indication that the Mexican boll weevil will eventually spread throughout the cotton belt, but I do not believe that it will appear in North Carolina for several years. Last year it was stated in the government crop reports that this weevil had done damage in the vicinity of Gibson, but by corresponding with the person who first originated the report from Gibson, I found it was entirely incorrect. I suspect the same is true in this instance."

BASE BALL YESTERDAY.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.  
Washington 4, Chicago 7.  
Philadelphia 5, Cleveland 2.  
First game: New York 8, Detroit 13.  
Second game: New York 5, Detroit 1.  
First game: Boston 2, St. Louis 6.  
Second game: Boston 8, St. Louis 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Cincinnati 7, Brooklyn 10.  
Chicago 3, Boston 4.  
Pittsburg 1, New York 4.

## A DISASTROUS FREIGHT WRECK.

Fire from Lamp in Caboose Caused Oil Cars to Explode—Burning Oil Hurled Hundreds of Feet into the Air—All of Western Union Telegraph Wires Down—Wreck Occurred Last Night About 1 O'Clock.

One of the most disastrous freight wrecks which has occurred on the Southern in a long time occurred just beyond the city limits and directly in front of the Spoke and Bending Works last night. The wreck occurred about 12:30 a. m. Southbound freight train No. 83 was backing into the side track to let the northbound vestibule No. 49 pass. Several flat cars were standing on the side track and the train hit them with terrific force hurling six of the cars from the track. Three of the cars which left the track were flat cars loaded with large oil tanks.

The lights from the caboose which was wrecked, caused the oil to catch fire. In a few minutes the whole train was in a mass of flames. Suddenly the oil tanks exploded and a very mass of flame was hurled hundreds of feet into the air. The fields on the north side of the track were burning for some distance. A deep ditch which runs between the railway track and the Spoke and Bending Works was all that saved the factory from destruction. The ditch was filled with oil and fire for more than a quarter of a mile from the track.

Flagman Edmore was on the rear of the train when the wreck occurred and he said several of the cars which were wrecked passed over his body. He escaped without any injuries.

Northbound train No. 49 is south of the fire and it will probably be near noon today before the track can be cleared.

All of the Western Union telegraph wires are down and all communication south is cut off.

At 3 o'clock this morning the burning cars were piled high on the track and it looked like it would take several hours before the railroad men could get to the track to begin repairing it. Six cars in all were burned. Several of them were loaded with baled paper. It made an exceedingly hot fire and was burning very slow. All of the fire companies from the city and a number of people went to the fire but were powerless to do any good.

All the material for repairing the track was gotten on hand last night and a force of hands are waiting to go to work at the earliest possible moment.—Greensboro Telegram, September 25th.

A Good Liver.

A bad liver means a bad breath, bad complexion, poor digestion and often constipation. A good healthy active liver means a fine clear skin, free from pimples and spots, bright eyes, buoyant spirits, in other words, good health. Make the Liver healthy and keep it healthy by using Rydalen's Liver Tablets. They act specifically on the liver, as a mild stimulant and tonic, arousing it to activity. They gently stimulate the muscular walls of the bowels and intestines and thus assist nature to restore a regular healthy habit. R. R. Bellamy.

RECORD HIGH JUMP.

Heatherbloom Clears the Bar at Seven Feet, Nine Inches.

Philadelphia, September 25.—Heatherbloom, the world's champion high jumper created a new record today at the Brynmor horse show by clearing the bar at seven feet nine inches (correct) breaking the record of seven feet eight inches established by the same horse last year.

The record was made during an exhibition trial. Four attempts were made. At the first attempt the great jumper cleared five feet six inches; on the second attempt six feet 3 3/4 inches were cleared; on the third seven feet one inch and the fourth trial the bar was topped at 7 feet and 9 inches. The owner of Heatherbloom, Howard Willets, of White Plains, N. Y., was present and received no end of congratulations. Richards Connolly was in the saddle.

A Lock-Out Probable in New Orleans Wharves.

New Orleans, September 25.—The Association of Stevedores today sent a letter to the two screwmen's associations, the white and the colored, notifying them that after October 1st, no contracts would be signed for loading cotton at this port. This ultimatum means that instead of another strike there will most likely be a lockout on the wharves, as the screwmen say they are determined to load cotton under the old rules or not load it at all. The old rules allow but 120 bags to be stowed per day, while the stevedores want at least 225 loaded.

Rydalen's Elixir.

The new scientific discovery for diseases of the throat and lungs, acts upon a new principle differing greatly from the old style Cough Medicines, which do little more than stimulate the lining of the throat and lungs. Rydalen's Elixir strikes at the root of the trouble, it kills the microbes that cause throat and lung diseases. It removes the cause and hastens recovery by helping nature restore the diseased organs to health. R. R. Bellamy.

Prisoners Ordered to be Released.

Cripple Creek, Colo., September 25.—After a telephone conversation between Governor Peabody and Adjutant General Sherman Bell, an order was issued, directing General Chase to immediately comply with the decree of Judge Seeds, and release the prisoners, held by the military.

A few minutes thereafter Sherman Parker, Charles Campbell, H. R. Rafferty and H. W. McKinney were released and went to their respective homes in Independence and Altman where they were enthusiastically received by large crowds of Union miners.

Street Car Strikers Return to Work.

Newark, N. J., September 25.—The employees of the North Jersey street railway who went on strike last night, returned to work today. The company signed no agreement, but promised to consider changing present objectionable "split run" system.