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the mills entirely and paid no attention to the reports of the new men that have been secured. Many of the strikers have secured work elsewhere.

MACHINISTS USE THE CAMERA

Chicago Strikers Photograph Non-union Men as They Go to and from Work.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Striking machinists have taken up the camera as a means for evading Judge Kohlsaat's injunction prohibiting them from picketing the Allis-Calmers company's plant.

Since there is nothing in the injunction restraining the strikers from taking pictures, the pickets have been transformed into amateur photographers and every time a non-union man enters or leaves the works his picture is taken.

KANSAS MINERS WILL GO OUT

Employees of the Big Four at Pittsburg to Strike the First of September.

TOPEKA, Kas., Aug. 26.—The employees of the southern Kansas companies known as the "Big Four" will strike September 1, according to W. L. A. Johnson, state labor commissioner. The center of these mines is in Pittsburg, Kan., where the recent conference between miners and operators was held without result.

FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE

Arthur C. Marshall of Cleveland Arraigned in Municipal Court on That Charge.

BOSTON, Aug. 26.—On the charge of being a fugitive from justice, Arthur C. Marshall of Cleveland was arraigned before Judge Burke in the municipal court here today and held in bonds for \$10,000 for a hearing August 29. It is claimed that Marshall obtained from W. B. White, general manager of the American Cycle company of Cleveland, personal property and notes to the value of \$10,000, in return for which he gave certificates of the Mississippi Valley Lead company of St. Louis. In order to dispose of the stock it is claimed Marshall paid monthly dividends on a small quantity of securities which Mr. White held. Later Mr. White was induced to take more stock, which was found to be worthless. Marshall had left Cleveland, but through the efforts of W. J. Stone, a New York broker acting for Mr. White, the missing man was located here and placed under arrest.

FEAR SAVES LIVES OF TWO

Man and Boy Step from Mine Cage, Which Falls and Kills Four Others.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 26.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Bloomington, Ill., says: Four miners lost their lives in an accident at the Chenoa coal mine on noon today. Several miners were about to descend in a car when one man and a boy took fright and stepped off the cage just in time. The cable holding the car broke, precipitating the four others to the bottom of the shaft, 247 feet below. All were killed instantly, their necks being broken.

FOUR BOYS ARE DROWNED

Youngsters Get on a Raft and Are Swept into Sea by Waves.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Four boys between the ages of 10 and 15 were drowned today at Long Branch, N. J. The victims are: TWO SONS OF PROF. BLAKELEY, the head of the Long Branch high school. A SON OF ALEX GASKILL of Long Beach, Cal. HAROLD SHERMAN, son of Harry Sherman of Long Branch.

FORESTERS' SUPREMACY

BALTIMORE, Aug. 26.—Delegates to the seventh biennial meeting of the supreme court of the Foresters of America, to the number of about 500, arrived today in this city and, after enjoying an afternoon's sport at one of the numerous resorts on the shores of the Patuxent, prepared themselves for the meeting tomorrow.

DISCOVER VALUABLE RELICS

Good Returns from Overhauling Garrets and Cellars of British Royal Palaces.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The overhauling to which various royal palaces are being subjected, by order of King Edward, is leading to extraordinary discoveries. Garrets and cellars closed over a century are being cleared and thrown open. Recently a magnificent portrait of Queen Caroline, by Lawrence, was found, along with some other paintings, in a garret at Windsor castle, and now an old fourgon, or velvet-lined van, of great size, filled with splendid silver and silver gilt plate, has been found in a cellar at St. James palace which has not been used for 150 years.

BEARER OF EDICTS DELAYED BY FLOODS

BEKIN, Aug. 26.—Li Hung Chang today informed the ministers that the bearers of the edicts necessary to the signing of the protocol by the Chinese plenipotentiaries, who was on his way here from Sian Fu and expected to arrive Wednesday, has been delayed by floods, but that it is anticipated he will reach Pekin shortly.

NEGRO CORNERED IN SWAMP

J. C. McLeod's Assassin Is Surrounded Near Eufaula and Dogs Are After Him.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 26.—A telegram was received at the governor's office today, stating that the negro, Bob Brown, who killed J. C. McLeod, near Batesville, Ala., last Wednesday, is surrounded in a swamp near Eufaula. The telegram requested that dogs be sent to the scene at once. The governor immediately telegraphed to Wetumpka and four bloodhounds being deployed there for collection. That thrasher have arrived here enroute to Eufaula.

MAKES TEXAS MORE CAUTIOUS

Nipping by First National's Failure Results in Rejection of Checks as Payment.

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 26.—The state treasurer today issued an order in which he gave official notice that henceforth he would not accept checks in payment for money due the state.

KILLED ON HOMEWARD WAY

Stewart Gwynn of Omaha Is Crashed by a Freight Car.

EMPLOYE IN SWIFT'S PACKING HOUSE

Leaves Three Brothers and One Sister in This City and Was Journeying from Sioux Falls to Join Them.

Stewart Gwynn of Omaha fell under a freight car at Westfield, Ia., north of Sioux City, at 6:30 o'clock last evening. One arm and both legs were broken. He died an hour and a half later on his way to Sioux City and his body was taken to Westcott's morgue at Sioux City.

On his person was found a letter from his brother, Percy E. Gwynn. The letter if undelivered was to have been returned to 265 North Twenty-fourth street, Omaha. In the letter Percy gave his younger brother considerable advice and told him not to be discouraged. It was written August 24 and the dead man received it in Sioux Falls, S. D. He was on his way to Omaha and was trying to board a moving train at the time of the accident.

Stewart Gwynn had lived in Omaha fifteen years and had worked in the shipping department of Swift and Company, South Omaha. He left there two months ago for Sioux Falls, but wrote recently that he might return. He was a member of the Omaha Guards and was discharged last night on his own application. He leaves three brothers and one sister, all in Omaha. The brothers are: Fred, of the Nebraska Telephone company; Arthur, of the same concern; and Percy, of the same concern. His sister is Miss Edith Gwynn of the Nebraska Telephone company.

NEGROES EXIT IS ORDERED

Notice Posted at Sapulpa Empties the Town of the Race.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 26.—A special to the Star from Sapulpa, I. T., says: Additional notice warning the negroes of Sapulpa to leave town this afternoon were posted last night and today nearly all blacks not employed or owning property are missing. United States District Attorney Soper has wired that he will prosecute the offending whites. Surmounting the negroes are taking the fight against the negroes and it is said that cowboys and horsemen will help them out of Sapulpa.

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DETECTIVE MAKES ADMISSION

Lieutenant Joyce of Chicago Bureau Tells His Profit on Job He Didn't Do.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—The three officers of the detective bureau of the city police department who are charged with defrauding the city by means of fictitious expense accounts were put on trial today before the civil service commission. The accused officers are Lieutenant Peter J. Joyce, Detective Sergeant John C. Cramer and Detective John J. Tracey.

The charges against them were preferred by Chief of Police O'Neill, who was recently placed at the head of the department. The case of Joyce was taken up first and the board went into the matter of the expense accounts for the return of Prisoners Loveless and Clarkson from Cleveland last May.

W. H. Eufaska, chief clerk in the state auditor's office at Springfield, had identified the requisition paper and a check for \$75.50 which Tracey received as expenses for bringing back Larkins. Tracey was called before the board. Although he proved an unswerving witness, the corporation counsel drew out his constant incriminating testimony against Lieutenant Joyce and Detective Sergeant Cramer.

Tracey refused to answer a number of questions put to him by Corporation Counsel Fyffe, on the ground that it might incriminate him. He was, however, given the advice of his attorney, Simons Armstrong, who frequently interrupted his examination with suggestions that he refuse to answer. Finally President Eia of the civil service commission threatened to have the lawyer ejected from the room. The witness then admitted that he had the desired effect.

Tracey testified that he and Cramer had been assigned to run down the man Larkins, who was charged with horse-stealing, and that they were finally notified that the man was under arrest in Cleveland. Larkins, but arranged with Policeman Gallagher, who was in Cleveland after the prisoner Loveless, to bring both men back. Pressed further by the attorneys Tracey admitted that he had signed and presented a check for \$75.50 to the man Larkins, full charges for bringing Larkins to Chicago. He explained that Lieutenant Joyce, a desk officer of the detective bureau, made out the expense account and attached the notary's seal. A moment later he said he got the check cashed.

"What did you do with the money?" Tracey was asked.

His attorney advised him not to answer and the witness said: "I do not wish to answer because it might incriminate me."

"It was the regular thing for an officer to bring back another man's prisoner and to put in an extra expense account for it."

Chief O'Neill has charged that the money illegally obtained was divided among the officers. Tracey further explained that he had given Cramer \$27. He admitted that this covered the actual expenses of bringing Larkins to Chicago and that the remainder of the sum received from the state represented the surplus.

"Did you know that any of the \$27 was expended in actual expenses?" asked Attorney Fyffe.

"Of course he did; he saw the voucher and the receipt," he replied.

"What closed the direct examination of Detective Tracey and an adjournment was taken until tomorrow."

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ROBBED OF SEVEN HUNDRED

Frank Schaffer of Burlington Has a Lively Time in Omaha.

HE'S A MINISTERIAL LOOKING CHAP

Behind His Austerity Exterior is a Gay Spirit, but He Finds Dodge Street Jollity an Expensive Sort.

Frank Schaffer of Burlington, Ia., has good cause to remember his visit to Omaha yesterday. Last night Schaffer reported to the police that he had been robbed of \$710 by a colored man in the house of Mary Haley, 1212 Dodge street.

Schaffer is a stockman of Burlington, and from appearances one would take him to be a clergyman. He is of medium height, heavy set, and has a small gray mustache. His dress was faultless. He wore a black Prince Albert coat, light trousers and a Panama hat. He is about 50 years of age.

The officers immediately issued orders to bring in all the colored men and women in the neighborhood of the robbery, and in a few minutes a mob of men of all sizes and description, and every degree of color, were declaring their innocence to the night officers in charge.

Up to a late hour the money had not been recovered.

GUSHER CAUSES TWO DEATHS

In Spouting Wildly and if Fire Starts There Will Be an Awful Texas Catastrophe.

BEAUMONT, Tex., Aug. 26.—Two men are dead and one of the largest oil gushers in the world is going absolutely wild, utterly defying the mechanical skill of man to stop it. The famous oil field presents tonight the possibility of one of the direst catastrophes which ever visited Texas should the joint forces with the great gushers. Tomorrow the great gusher will still be spilling itself on the prairies and flooding the country with oil.

James Smith died trying to shut off the gusher and John McDaniels died trying to save Smith. Both showed great heroism. The wild gusher is in the Hog-Swayne syndicate tract. The well belongs to the Palestine-Beaumont Oil company.

COLORED KNIGHTS IN CAMP

Pythians Get Ready for Biennial Convention of Order of United States.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Colored Knights of Pythias went into camp here today for the biennial convention of the order of the United States. There are 115 tents, where 600 members are to be accommodated.

Among the officers encamped are Major General R. Jackson of Chicago and his adjutant, General L. Jones of Cincinnati. Supreme Chancellor S. W. Starks and Quartermaster General James A. Hazelgood of Charleston, W. Va., and Brigadier General D. S. Miller of Paris.

TEMPLARS' TRAIN IS DITCHED

Strikes Horse and Leaves Track—Engineer Killed, but Passengers All Unharmed.

BARNESVILLE, O., Aug. 26.—A special train on the Baltimore and Ohio, carrying Pennsylvania Knights Templars enroute to Louisville, struck a horse on the Barnesville Hill division this morning and the engine train was ditched. Engineer Miles Francis of Zanesville was killed and Fireman Walter Boston of Newark, was fatally injured. So far as known the passengers escaped with slight bruises.

SOL WARPS KANSAS AGAIN

Mercury Gets Ten Above Hundred Mark and Air is Extremely Oppressive.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 26.—The last two days in Kansas have been hot. Today the weather has been as oppressive as during the drought, as far as heat was concerned. The thermometer here today registered 94. In the southern part of the state the temperature was higher, reaching 110 degrees in Wellington. Some local rains are reported tonight.

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ERIE MAY ABSORB MORE ROADS

Chairman Thomas of Board of Directors Declines to Affirm or Deny Rumor.

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