

DYNAMITE FEDERATION SAFE

W. F. M. Members in Fierce Riot in Butte Streets.

UNION DIVIDED AGAINST ITSELF

Acting Mayor Goes to Building to Make Appeal for Mob to Disperse and is Thrown Out of Window.

BUTTE, Mont., June 14.—A crowd of federation miners surrounded by police started to pull the safe of the Western Federation down Main street in an attempt to save it from rioters tonight.

Four hundred rioters later took the safe from the federation members, but it was a waste as it had been fired to the flat below the city and dynamited it after driving the sheriff and his deputies from the ground.

BUTTE, Mont., June 14.—Butte tonight is virtually under armed rule with its saloons that have not been closed in years except on election days locked tight and with every hardware store cleared of all its arms and ammunition by the police as the result of the series of riots during the day-miners' union day—the thirty-fourth anniversary of the establishment of the union in this camp. The miners' union with upwards of 5,000 members is divided against itself.

More than 1,000 men have refused to recognize the union further and under the leadership of agitators of the Industrial Workers of the World, the seceders from the big organization this morning attacked the miners' parade composed of more than half the labor bodies of the city.

Knocked from Horses. President Bert Riley of the union and Pared Marshall Mitchell Conway were knocked from their horses by a volley of stones from the rioters. Other officers of the unions were chased from the line of march and took refuge in the sheriff's office at the court house.

The parade broken up and the speaking exercises in the theater abandoned because of the stormy street scenes, the rioters moved on the union hall in the center of the city. Every piece of furniture in the building was demolished and thrown into the street.

A piano was thrown down a stairway, the books, records and two safes of the union were thrown out. The ballot boxes containing the 4,500 votes cast at the recent election of union officers, which had not yet been counted, were destroyed and their contents emptied into the street.

Acting Mayor Thrown Out. Alderman Frank Curran, acting mayor of the city, a socialist, went to the union hall to appeal to the rioters to disperse and was thrown from the window to the pavement. He was taken to the hospital severely injured. The mob did not cease its work of destruction until even the carpets in the big assembly hall of the union had been torn from the floor and thrown into the street.

A crowd of 10,000 persons witnessed the demonstration. Police and the sheriff's deputies were powerless. Sheriff Driscoll went to the miners' union hall, but soon returned to his office, when word came to him that union officers had taken refuge there and were about to be attacked by another section of the crowd.

Chief of Police Murray during the midst of the turmoil sent out a score of officers to close all saloons. Half a dozen saloon keepers, who refused to obey, were taken to jail. A warning was sent to the hardware stores to secret all guns and ammunition. It was also decided to call off a boxing mob scheduled for this evening.

Origins of Trouble. Tonight the disorganized faction of the miners held a meeting in the auditorium to take steps toward the formation of a new miners' union under the Industrial Workers of the World organization. The trouble had its origin over the dissatisfaction of the miners with heavy special assessments levied against them by officers of the Western Federation of Miners and the local officials as benefits for the Michigan copper mine strike.

Some of the miners were said to be paying as high as \$1 to \$10 a month in assessments. More than \$200,000 had been sent from Butte to Michigan. Although the strike there has been called off, the assessments continued. Men failing to pay the assessments were disfranchised at the recent union election.

The climax came yesterday morning when the men employed at the Spencer mine of the North Butte company refused to exhibit their union cards to the six walking delegates of the union sent there to inspect them.

Negro Arrested in Connection with a Girl's Death Freed

Baltimore, Md., June 14.—John Rice, the negro arrested in the investigation of the death of Ella G. Winter, whose body was found in Curtis creek Monday, was released today.

State's attorney of An Arundel county said he learned nothing of importance from Rice. Developments thus far have failed to throw any considerable light on the mystery. Dr. Meredith Reese, jr., Miss Winter's intimate friend, said he had given her no cause for jealousy within the last year and repeated his previous story as to their motor boat trip up the creek the night she disappeared.

"I put Ella ashore at the float of the Curtis Bay resort," he said. "I remember her calling 'Goodbye' several times as I leaned over to start the motor and she was still on the float when I drew away."

Dr. Thomas B. Horton, who made a post-mortem examination, said he found no marks of violence and that the girl was drowned. "Whether she was a suicide or accidentally drowned I do not know," he added.

FOUR ARRESTED WHILE DISINTERING A BODY

CANYON CITY, Ore., June 14.—Four men were arrested in a cemetery here shortly after midnight today, while in the act of disintering the body of Mrs. Daisy Feltz of Los Angeles, whose husband, Charles E. Feltz, is on trial here charged with the murder.

Those arrested are Attorney Phillip Ashford and Prentiss Hicks of counsel for WILSON TO LEAD MIGHTY ARMADA THROUGH CANAL

(Continued from Page One.) retired, will be invited to make the passage, but it is doubtful if his health will permit.

Allowing one hour's time for the passage through the locks of each ship, and a day for its transit through the canal, the whole fleet should be transferred from the Atlantic to the Pacific in the course of about four days.

Exact Details Not Completed. Exact details of the formal ceremonies in connection with the passage of the great fleet of warships as the opening of the canal have not been completed. It is expected many prominent foreigners as well as high American officials will take part.

When the many ships have made the passage and have anchored in Panama bay fresh supplies of coal, oil and provisions will be taken aboard and the procession will start for the north. It is probable a short stop will be made at San Diego, Cal., to do honor to the Panama-California exposition, in progress at that place in connection with the canal celebration.

If all goes well the first vessels of the international fleet should pass through the Golden Gate by April 15, 1915, and the gathering of fighting craft in San Francisco bay, where the other warships will have arrived, will be one of the mightiest ever seen.

Just how long the president will remain in San Francisco and his plans for returning to Washington have not been determined.

DEATH RECORD.

Father Chase. SPEARPIST, S. D., June 14.—(Special.)—In the death at Hot Springs of Father Joseph Chase the Black Hills loses one of its best known and best liked Catholic clergymen.

Mrs. Christie George. DAVID CITY, Neb., June 14.—(Special.)—Mrs. Christie George died at her home in Garrison at 3 o'clock Saturday morning from lung and heart trouble, aged 60 years.

Mrs. Theo. Harms. AVOCA, Neb., June 14.—(Special.)—Mrs. Theo. Harms died at her home in Manhattan on Thursday, June 11, after an illness of only a few days.

Council Bluffs

THE WEEK IN BLUFFS SOCIETY

Lake Proves Popular Meeting Place for Many Functions.

WOMAN'S CLUB ANNOUNCEMENT

Publication Contains Review of Work and Outline of What is to Be Attempted During Coming Season.

In spite of rains nearly every night, the lake is proving the most popular amusement for both local and Omaha people. The tennis courts and golf links draw large numbers during the morning and afternoon while the evening sees the dance hall crowded almost to discomfort.

Ralph, alias "Stonewall" Metzger, has worked such an improvement in the cafe at the club, both with quality in management and service and with his and Mrs. "Stonewall's" personality, that the place has for the first time since its introduction as a part of the club, become really popular and altogether satisfactory.

The club women of the city are interested in the annual announcement of the Council Bluffs Women's Club which has just been issued.

The standing committees for the year are as follows: Program—Mrs. McDaniel, Mrs. Sidney Smith and Mrs. W. R. Orchard.

Finance—Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Bell and Mrs. H. W. Clark. Max Rapp, president.

Membership—Mrs. W. P. Hughes, Mrs. Robert Ingram and Mrs. Charles Hood. Child Labor—Mrs. George Phelps and Miss Drury.

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Social—Mrs. J. J. Sullivan, Mrs. Howard Sullivan, Mrs. Max Rapp and Mrs. R. M. B. Sanford and Mrs. F. W. Miller.

Publicity—Mrs. Henry Duell. Historian—Mrs. McDaniel. In the art department, Miss Mittle Pile will be the leader for the season with Miss Jennie Rice as associate leader.

Mrs. J. W. Bell will be the leader of the Current Topics department with Mrs. F. H. Heerman as associate leader and Mrs. E. H. Reed as secretary.

The old leader, Mrs. Paul Kodwies will again have charge of the Home Economics department. Mrs. H. W. Clark will act as associate and Miss McMillan will be secretary.

Council Bluffs

WOULD BUILD LOG HOUSE OUT OF FAIRMOUNT TREES

Mike Ryan, 69 years old, and several times cited to appear in police court on vagrancy charges, was taken into custody yesterday charged with insanity.

The aged man has been living in the open air in Fairmount park and in the cemeteries since the warm weather and has suffered exposure to all the frequent midnight storms that have occurred in the last two weeks.

He was in the terrific deluge that prevailed Friday night and until daylight yesterday. Exposure and neglect to secure proper food turned the old man's mind, and yesterday he decided to cut down trees in the park and build a log house for his protection.

He is being cared for at the central station. It is said he has relatives in Minneapolis, but none here.

Council Bluffs

INDICT CONSENT SOLICITORS

Three Men Who Turned In Names Are Accused of Perjury.

CASES BELIEVED TO BE WEAK

Action of Grand Jury Taken Under Personal Supervision of Attorney General Cosson—Delay Due to Defect.

The district court grand jury late Saturday afternoon returned indictments against three of the solicitors of names for the saloon consent statement. Bench warrants were served late last evening and each came forward with the \$1000 required. The indicted men are Mahlon C. Harford, T. O. McMullen and E. J. Heck.

All are charged with perjury upon the ground that names returned by them were declared to have been forgeries.

The indictments were all returned under the direction of Attorney General Cosson and his assistants, Rankin and Fletcher, who relieved County Attorney Capell and Assistant County Attorney Ware of all their prerogatives, excluded them from the grand jury room and even took the jury away from its usual place of meeting.

Believe Cases Are Weak. That indictments will all be quashed and dismissed on demurrer is the general opinion of local attorneys familiar with the facts, who say the attorney general gave the jurors erroneous interpretations of the law.

It is said he instructed the jury that the affidavits signed by each of the saloon petition canvassers required them to swear that they were personally acquainted with each of the signers whose names they returned and knew them to be persons whose names were attached, or in other words,

that the affidavit required is the same as provided by the code for the acknowledgment of legal documents. This, however, is declared to be not the fact.

Not a word is said about personal knowledge of the identity of the signer, and consequently there can be no perjury whatever, unless it can be shown that the canvassers forged the names themselves instead of being the victims of men representing themselves to be persons whose names were attached.

The Men Indicted. The men indicted are of high character. Mr. McMullen is the head of the McMullen Transfer company and is commercially rated at \$40,000. Mr. Harford has been prominent in railroad circles, but Mr. Heck is not so well known.

Friends of the men say they are incapable of committing the necessary forgery upon which the charge of perjury is based.

There are six counts in the indictment against Harford, alleging that six of the names he returned were forgeries.

All of the indictments were returned in many, when Attorney General Cosson was here. They were not reported to the court then for the reason County Attorney Capell discovered some had been signed by the foreman of the grand jury, and the abstract of the evidence upon which they were based was not attached.

The grand jury had adjourned before this was pointed out to Mr. Cosson, and it was then necessary to wait until the jury reconvened last Monday.

FLOODS CAUSE DAMAGE

IN SOUTHWEST NEBRASKA

CAMBRIDGE, Neb., June 14.—(Special Telegram.)—With two inches of rain last night and one inch the night before, the Republican river and Medicine creek are out of their banks and are causing much damage.

YOUNG MAN DROWNED

IN SWOLLEN REPUBLICAN

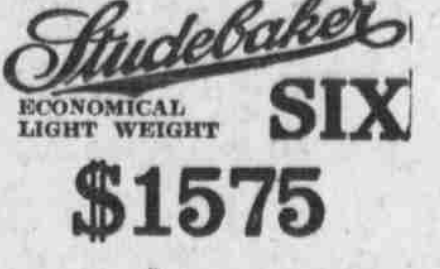
M'COOK, Neb., June 14.—Wade M. Stewart, night engineer at the Burlington water plant, was drowned in the Republican river here at noon today while on a raft in the swollen river. A companion, John Underhill, escaped.

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