

STRIKERS ARE ARMING.

Preparing to Resist the Militia at Sacramento.

DEPUTIES REFUSED TO CHARGE.

Officers Insisted on Marshal Baldwin Giving Them a Written Order to Fire. Quiet Day at Chicago—Strikers Arrested at Trinidad and Pueblo—Judge Ross Charge to the Grand Jury.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 6.—Throughout Wednesday the most intense excitement prevailed here. The celebration of the national holiday was completely overshadowed by the stirring events arising from the desperate struggle between the Southern Pacific and the A. R. U. At 10 in the morning two regiments of state militia from San Francisco and two companies from Stockton marched into the city. They had abandoned their trains two miles from the city. The troops marched direct to the armory, around which the local militia companies had established a strong guard. At 1 o'clock the troops moved towards the depot, where a large force of police, deputy sheriffs and deputies under United States Marshal Baldwin were already on guard. The strikers and sympathizers to the number of several thousand had preceded the troops. The appearance of the military surgeon, laden with his instrument case and a bundle of bandages, had not helped to improve the temper of the strikers. When the soldiers arrived they were greeted with derisive yells.

Militia Refuse to Charge. One body of troops passed into the railroad yards and took up positions along the main line. The rest of the soldiers were massed outside of the depot. It became known that General Spontaneous Fildner had announced his intention to start trains under military protection. The strikers at once became demonstrative. Chairman Frank Hayes, the leader, saw the gravity of the situation and addressed the men, urging them not to molest the militia. Notwithstanding his conciliatory talk, the strikers loudly declared that no Pullmans should be moved. Finally, three companies of militia were ordered to drive the strikers from the depot. The scene was at once tumultuous and the situation threatening. For a few moments the soldiers hesitated, then they wavered, and then came a blunt refusal to move against the excited strikers. A few minutes later all the troops turned their backs upon the turbulent mob at the depot and quietly withdrew to the armory.

Second Victory For Strikers. A deafening shout announced the second victory of the strikers over the railroad company and their first victory over the state militia. Soon after this it became known why the militia had retreated. General Stephens when ordered to clear the depot of strikers asked for a written order to fire, but United States Marshal Baldwin refused. It was then the officers declined and the Stockton companies followed their example. Baldwin then ordered the soldiers to retreat to their armory. A large number of strikers from San Francisco have overcome by the intense heat. Mayor Stern then issued a proclamation commanding the people to keep away from the scene of the disturbances. The strikers have complete possession of the depot.

Warlike Preparations of Strikers. The authorities and railroad people became greatly alarmed when advised of the warlike preparations of the strikers at various points north of here on the Oregon branch. At Dunsmuir shortly after noon, a body of 75 strikers fully armed and equipped for battle marched to the Southern Pacific depot, where other A. R. U. men had a car and locomotive in waiting and soon this armed body of excited men were speeding toward Sacramento. At Red Bluff a demonstration which also portends trouble was made by the strikers. The A. R. U. men there received orders early in the morning to come to Sacramento and at once began rustling about town for arms. Finally 100 rifles and plenty of ammunition were secured and placed in a caboose at the depot and soon they were speeding toward Sacramento.

Federal Grand Jury Charged. Judge Ross of Los Angeles Lays Down the Law on Strikes. LOS ANGELES, July 6.—Judge Ross' charge to the grand jury was as follows: I understand, through the district attorney, that you desire some further instructions in regard to the mail. Congress has provided by statute that the postmaster general in all cases shall decide in what manner the mails shall be conveyed, and that other laws, through his subordinates, designate the Southern California Railroad company and the Southern Pacific Railroad company in this judicial district the regular passenger trains of these roads for the carrying of the United States mails. Neither of these companies are by the law required to run any other trains than their regular passenger trains for the carrying of the mails and their failure to do so is not a violation of any law of the United States to which my attention has been called or that I have been able to find.

Any and every person who shall knowingly and willfully obstruct the passage of the mails in violation of a crime against the law of the United States, and if two or more persons conspire to commit that

or any other offense against the United States, and one or more of such parties do any act to effect the object of the conspiracy, all of such parties to such conspiracy are guilty of a crime, and if you find from your investigations that any such offense has been committed within this judicial district it is your imperative and solemn duty to find an indictment or indictments against any or every such offending person or persons. Using the substance of the language of Judge Jackson in a somewhat similar case that arose in West Virginia in 1893, it is proper for me to say that exactly what is involved in this strike, which has brought all the trouble here and elsewhere, is not for me or you to investigate.

At this time it is not necessary to know which side is in the right or which side is in the wrong, nor whether, in fact, either side is in the wrong upon the merits of that question. It may be again said that there is but one way to redress a wrong done in this country, and that is through the regularly constituted tribunals of the country. No man nor set of men, no combination of men on lawfully undertaken to redress a wrong except the way pointed out by law. Whenever men attempt to unlawfully combine themselves together for the purpose of redressing a wrong they strike at the very foundation of those laws which gave them the rights of a citizen, the protection of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. It is the sworn and the imperative duty of those charged with the administration of the laws to take prompt and vigorous measures to bring to the bar of justice any and every infraction of the laws.

QUIET DAY AT CHICAGO.

Strikers Seem to Have a Wholesome Respect For the Troops. CHICAGO, July 6.—Taken in its entirety the Fourth was a quiet day in strike circles barring an occasional flurry caused by the gathering of the mobs in the stock yards district, which, however, were held in check by police and deputies backed up by the near proximity of a detachment of regulars for whom the strikers have a wholesome respect. Trains are once more moving at Blue Island. The turbulent element having suddenly withdrawn when confronted by police and snarling bayonets.

After the troops disembarked at the stock yards strikers vented their spleen by ditching the two rear coaches of the troop train and disabled the engine by throwing coupling pins into the cross head guides, being careful, however, to wait until the regulars had got a safe distance away. The Chicago and Northwestern has resumed its passenger service, which is now moving regularly and without interference. The Santa Fe and the Alton service is still seriously crippled, though the Santa Fe passenger trains are moving on time. The Michigan Central got out a train of 40 cars of meat Wednesday.

Strike Committee Arrested. LOS ANGELES, July 6.—Six men, comprising the strike committee of the A. R. U., were arrested Wednesday afternoon by a deputy United States marshal. Bail was fixed in each case at \$1,000. The indictment charges the men with having obstructed and incited others to obstruct the carrying of the United States mails on regular trains of the Southern Pacific railroads. The witnesses, whose names were indorsed on the back of the indictments, were the officials of the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific railroads.

Trinidad Strikers Arrested. TRINIDAD, Colo., July 6.—Thirty-eight men, half members of the A. R. U. and the remainder being sympathizers, were arrested here and taken to Denver. Among them are President Melick, Vice President Marth, Chairman Carrig, Secretary Imhoff, of the union, and D. B. Rollins, a Populist politician. The men were arrested for disarming the deputies last Sunday. In addition to these 10 others were arrested, who ventured too near the railroad property.

Militia Stoned by Strikers. SIOUX CITY, July 6.—Militia companies to the number of 300 men arrived here Wednesday night. The men were stoned by a crowd of strikers while marching up town and had to prick a number of people with their bayonets. Three of the militiamen were slightly hurt. A lieutenant was hit with a coupling pin and quite badly hurt. At 2:30 this morning the Omaha railroad bridge over the Floyd river was set on fire by incendiaries.

Federal Troops at Pueblo. PUEBLO, July 6.—Companies A and H of the Seventeenth United States Infantry, 40 men, under command of Captain Van Horn, of Company A, arrived here from Fort Russell to assist the United States marshals in protecting the property of the Santa Fe and the Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf.

Twelve Arrested at Pueblo. PUEBLO, Colo., July 6.—Twelve disturbers of the peace were arrested here among them a striker from the Denver and Rio Grande named Karrol, who was a ringleader and made himself very offensive to the deputy marshals. They will be taken to Denver.

Will Stand by the Company. DENVER, July 6.—The engineers of the Denver and Rio Grande have unanimously decided their duty to both their order and railway requires them to perform every service required of them as engineers by the road.

Twenty-Two Dead Engines. MASON CITY, July 6.—Twenty-two engines are "dead" at this point on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and all business is practically suspended. The Iowa Central shops are shut down.

Injunction Against Debs. SAN FRANCISCO, July 6.—Judge McKenna has issued an injunction against Debs and other members of the A. R. U., restraining them from interfering with the Southern Pacific trains.

Militia at Cairo. CAIRO, Ill., July 6.—Six companies of the Fourth regiment I. N. G. arrived in Mounds and are quartered in the Illinois Central roundhouse.

Headache is the direct result of indigestion and Stomach Disorders. Remedy these by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers and your Headache disappears. The favorite Little Pill everywhere. C. L. Cotting.

Venice has no street, horses, trees or wooden houses. Dr. J. M. H. Brown, a Chicago physician, was drowned in Madison.

Real Faith never grows weak by haying to wait. Sufferers taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for chronic complaints should be patient and the result will be satisfactory Hood's Cures.

Hood's Pills act easily, yet promptly and efficiently, on the liver and bowels, 25 cents.

The steamer City of Madison struck a dike in the Ohio river and sank.

All Free. Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertiser Druggist and get a Trial Bottle Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bushkin & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills Free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, Free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing at C. L. Cotting's Druggery.

The Florence and Crippie Creek Railroad is running again.

Gen. Fry's commonwealth army arrived at Washington.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. Its first dose greatly benefits, 75c. Sold by Devo & Grice, Druggists, Red Cloud.

Single mastodon teeth sometimes weigh from 17 to 30 pounds.

Haller's Australian Salve derives its wonderful healing qualities from a scientific combination of several of the greatest curative discoveries known to the world. Applied to cuts and sores of all kinds it will prove itself a marvelous healer. An Iowa farmer writes and asserts that it should have been called—"The Corn Husker's Balm." Try it for Piles. Devo & Grice sell it.

In Finland and East Turkestan thunder storms are wholly unknown.

"There is a Salve for every wound." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, cures burns, bruises, cuts, insect stings, etc., as a local application in the nostrils it cures catarrh and always cures piles. C. L. Cotting.

Twenty-two chemical elements have been found in meteors.

Shloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures ineffectual constipation. It is the best Cough Cure. Only one cent a dose, 25 cts., 50 cts., and \$1.00.

William Stacy was hanged by a mob in Texas for larceny.

"Orange Blossom" is safe and harmless as a Flux Seed Pontic. Any lady can use it herself. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

Mrs. Paul Bynton, of Hoosick Falls, died at the age of 101.

The Waller Proprietary Co. challenge the world to produce a better remedy for barb wire cuts, sores, galls and wounds of all kinds, than their Barb Wire Lintment. It kills quickly, leaves no scars, does not irritate and keeps away the flies. Their faith in this truly wonderful Lintment is so great, and its endorsements from thousands who have used it so strong that they absolutely guarantee it. Sold by Devo & Grice.

Robert Tucker, the oldest negro in Indian territory, died at the age of 113.

Juo. G. Letton of LeRoy, N. Y., prominent grocer and G. A. R. man says: "I have been troubled with indigestion and biliousness for years. Tried Park's Tea and it has cured me. I recommend it to everybody." Sold by C. L. Cotting.

The Hyatt school slate factory at Bangor, Pa., was destroyed by fire.

Karl's clover root, the great blood purifier gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., \$1.00.

George Parker committed suicide near Toledo, Mo., by taking poison.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says, "Shloh's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver or Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cents.

Ladies—For diseases of women, Dr. Sawyer's Pastilles will relieve the difficulty radically, positively and effectually. It is mild but effective. Sold by Devo & Grice.

The Hawthorne Juniors defeated the Spartans Saturday by a score of 1 to 5.

Ladies—The druggist named below will give you a free sample package of Dr. Sawyer's Pastilles, which cure diseases peculiar to women. Sold by Devo & Grice.

BURIED THE GODDESS.

Novel Performance by Coxeey Wealers on the Fourth.

IT WILL EXONERATE CARLISLE.

Report of the Sugar Investigating Committee Will Please the Secretary—Government Officials Aroused Over the Strike. Grand Jury Ordered at Chicago—Kyle's Resolution Will Cause Debate.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—The Coxeey commonwealers went through the spectacular performance of burying the Goddess of Liberty in front of the Capitol at noon Wednesday. It was a sequel of the demonstration of May 1, when, according to Coxeey and Browne, liberty was mortally wounded and lingered until she expired on the Fourth of July. Captain Austin and a force of 10 mounted and six unmounted police were on hand with two patrol wagons. A small crowd was attracted by the novel performance. The commonwealers marched four abreast, 246 strong, with many banners and devices. At their head rode Carl Browne in a remarkable disguise. His beard had been removed and his face powdered. A wig of yellow hair fell to his waist; his arms were bare and powdered. A liberty cap was on his head and his body was wound with the emblematic garments of liberty.

It was not intended that Browne should be known in the disguise and the name of the goddess was announced as Sarah Elkhart. The army formed around Peace monument, where the Goddess Browne delivered an apostrophe to the bronze goddess on top of the Capitol. As he closed his address he flung into a badly simulated swoon from his horse and his comrades catching him placed the pale faced marshal in an impromptu hearse and laid him at full length with flags and crepe over him. The hearse was inscribed: "Liberty is dead."

The procession then moved away to Mulligan hill, where the "Goddess" stepped from the hearse, and the commonwealers closed the day with dancing and speeches.

WILL EXONERATE CARLISLE.

Senate Sugar Investigating Committee About Ready to Report. WASHINGTON, July 6.—One thing on which the Democrats and Republicans of the sugar investigation will agree and upon which emphatic report will be made, is the exoneration of Secretary Carlisle from any improper action in the matter of the sugar schedule, and the report will state the facts as brought out in the testimony and will say it is the belief of the committee the secretary's only connection with the whole affair was the preparation of the sugar schedule at the request of the members of the finance committee.

It is not yet known whether or not Senator Allen will occur in this part of the report, and, in fact, there is very little known as to what the Nebraska senator will do or the kind of a minority report he will submit. Senator Gray has made a draft of the report, but it is not wholly satisfactory to the Republican members, who say it is too mild in its suggestions. A draft prepared by the Republicans is in the hands of Chairman Gray and he is attempting to harmonize the two, in order, if possible, to get a report which all can agree upon.

Authorities at Washington Aroused. WASHINGTON, July 6.—A dispatch was sent from the department of justice Wednesday to the United States attorney at Chicago directing him at once to call together the grand jury. It is surmised the intention is to secure the indictment and punishment of Debs and the other prominent leaders for violations of the antitrust act of July, 1890, committed prior to the issuance of the omnibus injunction by Judges Grosscup and Woods. The authorities here are fully determined to enforce the laws and punish those who violate them, and so far as the national government is concerned there will be no compromises and no temporizing. The present strike is regarded as a bold defiance of the laws of the country and a criminal infringement of the rights of the people of the whole country.

Kyle's Resolution Will Cause Debate. WASHINGTON, July 6.—It is the general understanding that when the senate meets on Friday there will be only a brief session and that the senate will then adjourn until Monday. It is quite probable there will not be a quorum in the senate again this week. The resolution of Senator Kyle introduced at the request of the striking railway men is regarded as sure to cause debate and senators who expect to speak on it understand it will go over until Monday. The resolution will cause some very tart debate in which Senator Davis (Minn.) will take a leading part, following the line of his telegram to McInnis at Duluth in which he said he would not support the Kyle resolution.

Celebrated Very Quietly. WASHINGTON, July 6.—The Fourth was celebrated very quietly here. There were half a dozen celebrations by patriotic bodies, of which the most interesting was conducted by the Sons of the American Revolution, which, under an escort by the Marine band and a detachment of the National Guards, marched to the foot of the Washington monument and held exercises there.

Stevenson the Attraction. GREENSBORO, N. C., July 6.—Vice President Stevenson was the attraction at the Fourth of July celebration on the historic battlefield of Guilford Court-house. The vice president was received enthusiastically and made a patriotic speech.

Ex-Governor Winans Is Dead. HAMBURG, Mich., July 6.—Ex-Governor Edwin B. Winans died at his home here of heart disease. Mr. Winans was born in New York state in 1836 and was a resident of Michigan since 1894.

THE NEWS OF KANSAS

CRIMES, CASUALTIES AND OTHER IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS.

Brief Mention of Matters Which Every-body Should Know About—Events of the Week in Nearby Sections Accurately and Concisely Chronicled.

Wichita Postmaster Confirmed. WASHINGTON, July 2.—The senate confirmed the nomination of Thomas G. Fitch as postmaster at Wichita.

Deputies Guard Santa Fe Property. TOPEKA, June 30.—A posse of deputies left here for Florence and Dodge City to take charge of Santa Fe property.

More Troops For Chicago. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., July 6.—Four companies of infantry at Fort Leavenworth left on a special train for Chicago.

Second Trial of Sattley. KANSAS CITY, July 4.—In the criminal court at Independence the second trial of Elmer C. Sattley, cashier of the wrecked Kansas City safe deposit and Savings bank, was begun.

Santa Fe Shops at Topeka Closed. TOPEKA, July 3.—At noon the Santa Fe's shops were closed for an indefinite period. The responsibility for their closing rests somewhat between the managers of the A. R. U. and those of the railroad.

At Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, July 3.—The tie-up is now effective on the Santa Fe, Rock Island and Chicago and Alton. The last two named roads have practically suspended operations. The Rock Island has positively notified the superintendents of that road to abandon all trains on that road until further notice.

Refuses to Handle Freight. HIAWATHA, Kan., July 4.—All freight trains on this division of the Missouri Pacific road have been laid off on account of the strike and the local office refuses to handle any freight. This orders 29 crews out of work. The switch engines in the yards have also been taken off.

Blow at the Reciprocal Tax. TOPEKA, Kan., June 29.—Judge Hazen of the District Court decided what is known among the insurance companies as the "reciprocal tax" case, holding that the claim made by the Kansas Insurance Department of a right to collect a tax on the gross premiums received by New York fire companies in Kansas was illegal.

CROP CONDITIONS IN NEBRASKA.

Wheat Harvest Well Advanced and Corn Is in Excellent Condition. LINCOLN, Neb., July 4.—The weekly weather crop bulletin of the Nebraska weather service says: The week has been hot and dry, but the general rains immediately preceding had left the ground in excellent condition, and all crops have made very satisfactory growth. Light rains of a half inch or less prevailed over the state generally.

Small grain continues to show general improvement. Wheat harvest is well advanced in the southeast section. The straw is short, in some cases even too short to bind, and the yield will be light, but the grain generally is of good quality. The corn everywhere is in excellent condition. Much of it has been cultivated for the last time.

Time hay is a light crop, but wild hay is improving and pastures are everywhere in good condition.

Packing Houses Lay Off Men. OMAHA, July 4.—All the packing houses laid off a number of men today because of the inability to secure transportation for dressed meats. If the strike keeps up few days longer the four big plants, Cudahy's, Swift's, Hammond's and the Omaha, will be closed down.

Twelve Arrested at Pueblo. PUEBLO, Colo., July 6.—Twelve disturbers of the peace were arrested here, among them a striker from the Denver and Rio Grande named Karrol, who was a ringleader and made himself very offensive to the deputy marshals. They will be taken to Denver.

Union Pacific May Abandon All Trains. OMAHA, July 4.—It was stated at the Union Pacific headquarters that unless the situation improved during the next 48 hours all men in the employ of the company would be discharged and all trains abandoned until the strike is ended.

Missouri Pacific Shops Closed. SEDALIA, Mo., July 4.—The Missouri Pacific shops were closed here Monday for a period of nine days, and if the strike to enforce the Pullman boycott has not been amicably settled by that time the suspension will be continued indefinitely.

Will Stand by the Company. DENVER, July 6.—The engineers of the Denver and Rio Grande have unanimously decided their duty to both their order and railway requires them to perform every service required of them as engineers by the road.

Another Lynching in Missouri. FULTON, Mo., July 4.—James Johnson, colored, charged with committing a criminal assault upon Mrs. William Guthrie in 1892, was taken from the sheriff at Hiller's Creek by a mob and hanged.

Daughters of Veterans Meet. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 29.—The fifth annual convention of the Daughters of Veterans of Nebraska opened here. The president, Mrs. Davis of Lincoln, delivered the annual address.

Iowa Militia Ordered Out. FORT DODGE, Ia., July 5.—The entire Fourth regiment, Iowa National Guard, has been ordered to Sioux City.

To Take Strikers' Places. CRESTON, Ia., July 5.—About 50 engineers left here for Chicago to take the places of strikers.

NEWS OF NEBRASKA.

BRIEF BUT PITHY MENTION OF THE HAPPENINGS OF A WEEK.

News Which Tell the Story of Seven Days' Crimes and Casualties and Other Important Matters Arranged Attractively and Given in a Few Words.

Drowned in the River. NEBRASKA CITY, July 4.—Harry, the 18-year-old son of the late Thomas B. Stevenson, was drowned while bathing in the river.

Harvard Will Have Waterworks. HARVARD, Neb., July 4.—At an election in this city by a vote of 2 to 1, bonds to the amount of \$7,500 carried for a system of waterworks for fire protection.

Nebraska Loses an Educator. GENOA, June 30.—Professor H. L. Chaplin, for six years past the city superintendent of schools, has been elected superintendent of schools of Sterling, Ill.

Charged With Using Canceled Stamps. VALPARAISO, Neb., July 4.—C. W. Johnson, a mail carrier, was arrested by officers from Lincoln and taken to that city to answer to the charge of using canceled postage stamps.

Bathed in Stagnant Water. HASTINGS, July 2.—Willie Humphrey, the 9-year-old son of H. Humphrey, died of blood poisoning and typhoid fever of less than a week's duration, caused by swimming in a stagnant pool of water.

Flood at Winnside. WINNSIDE, Neb., July 2.—This section has experienced the most severe hail and rain storm of years. Hail of the regulation hen's egg size fell for over half an hour. Damage to crops will be immense.

Sudden Death of a Pioneer. PALMYRA, Neb., June 30.—William M. Thaler died suddenly of heart failure. Mr. Thaler had been a resident of Otoe county since 1867. He was a member of company A, Seventy-third Illinois infantry.

Found a Vein of Coal. MURDOCK, Neb., July 3.—This town is in a fever of excitement over the discovery of a fine vein of coal by Will Sac while drilling a tubular well. The vein is 111 feet from the surface and is two to four feet thick.

Weaver Addressed Them. AINSWORTH, Neb., July 4.—General J. B. Weaver spoke at the Goodrich grove in Keya Paha county, 20 miles northwest of Ainsworth, to the citizens of Rock, Brown and Keya Paha counties, to fully 5,000 people.

Used a Knife on Him. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 3.—During an altercation Mike Conley stabbed Isaac Plattner with a long dirk knife, inflicting several deep gashes in the region of the heart. Plattner is in a precarious condition. Both parties are disreputable characters.

Wenters at Grand Island. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 30.—About 90 commonwealers, under the charge of General H. C. Higginson of Denver, are camped on the Platte river at the Hamilton county bridge. The men are traveling on flatboats and rafts, and are mostly from Denver.

In Favor of His Wife. HASTINGS, Neb., July 4.—The grocery store of F. M. Coover was closed by the sheriff on a confessed judgment to his wife for \$975. The wife's claim will be investigated by other creditors. His total liabilities are nearly \$2,000, with assets about half that sum.

Committed Murder and Suicide. DRS MONTES, June 30.—Near Lone Tree, Johnson county, this state, Jacob I. Zing, aged 35, shot and killed Mary Tevord, aged 17, because she refused to marry him. He then turned the weapon on himself and fired, inflicting wounds from which he cannot recover.

Demented Italian Killed. CHAPMAN, Neb., June 29.—Peter Debbando, an Italian emigrant from Butte, Mont., to New York, and with a steamship ticket to Genoa, Italy, jumped from the flyer and was instantly killed. He had been acting very strange on the train and was evidently crazy.

Decline to Call a Strike. OMAHA, July 2.—There is absolutely no change in the situation here with reference to the Pullman strike, except the declaration of the president of the local union that they do not propose to mix up in the trouble and that if the president persists in ordering them to strike they will surrender their charter.

Duel County Seat Contest. BIG SPRINGS, Neb., July 2.—In the election for the location of the county seat of Deuel county, Big Springs, ChapPELL and Froid were the towns contesting. Out of a total vote of 711, Big Springs received a plurality of 11 votes. Another election will be called in a few days between Big Springs and Cappell.

Lynched the Rustlers. ATKINSON, Neb., July 4.—A report has reached here from the north part of the county that Ralph Hills and son and another man were lynched early Sunday morning near Brush Creek. It is said they had been arrested for arson and cattle rustling and were taken from the officers by settlers and hanged. Young Hills is the party who stabbed a man at Napier, in Boyd county, a couple of weeks ago.

Omaha Firemen Out. OMAHA, July 4.—Ten firemen on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha road struck here today. General Superintendent James made up the north bound passenger train himself, and it pulled out of the station with a fireman secured from the Union Pacific blacksmith shops. When the train reached the north end of the yards the fireman deserted his post and the train was left standing half a mile from the depot. The situation on the other roads entering Omaha is practically unaltered.