

DENVER STILL HOPES

Labor Battalions Halt Pending New Effort to Arbitrate Differences.

STRIKE ORDER MADE AND RESCINDED

Thousand Extra Men Called Out and Then Sent Back Again.

UNIONS PROPOSE SECTIONAL ATTACK

Workmen to Quit in Order Till All Business is Paralyzed.

FEDERAL JUDGE REFUSES INJUNCTION

Employers Ask Restraining Order, but Court Declares Both Sides Must Be Heard Before He Will Issue One.

DENVER, May 15.—An order was issued this morning by the general executive committee of organized labor calling out 1,000 union men in various trades in addition to the 3,000 already on strike.

It is declared that if some practical and sure steps are not reached between the warring elements to settle the strike by that time a general order to call out all the union men in the city will be issued.

The State Board of Arbitration has tendered its services to the unions' committee and the Citizens' alliance and is awaiting replies.

The labor leaders today issued another bulletin giving a general review of the strike situation. They place the responsibility for the present condition of affairs on the American Smelting and Refining company and allied corporations, which, it is alleged, instigated the organization of the Citizens' alliance, the object being to defeat the movement for an eight-hour day in the smelters.

The alliance, which claims a membership of 8,000, has opened an employment bureau, which it claims finds places for all who apply for work.

Officers of coal companies are driving wagons and loading and unloading coal.

There is plenty of provisions of all kinds in the city and families are able to get whatever they want by carrying their purchases home themselves.

The Western Packing company's plant at the stock yards has been shut down, but the refrigerating plant is in operation and no meat has been lost yet.

Thus far there have been no serious disturbances.

The total number of union members in the city, exclusive of the railway organizations, is 17,123, and it is the intention of the labor committee to keep on trying up one branch of business after another, so far as lies in its power, until the employers agree to some method of arbitration that is satisfactory to the unions. So far no serious disturbance has occurred. The regular police force has been doubled and it will be further enlarged if necessary, to cope with any outbreak of violence that may take place.

There has been some disorder, but nothing of a serious nature. The police department has increased its force to handle the situation.

Apply to Federal Court.

At 10 o'clock today counsel for the transfer and was on the city applied in the federal court for an injunction against the Teamsters' National Union of America, the Transfer Drivers' local union No. 83 and Van Drivers' and Helpers' local No. 62, and all members belonging to these organizations.

The plaintiffs ask for an injunction restraining defendants "and their associates, confederates, co-conspirators, agents, servants and employees" from interfering with the business of complainants as common carriers of freight between the states of the United States, or from hindering, obstructing, deterring or in any way interfering with the business of complainants in carrying freight and articles of interstate commerce; from posting pickets about the places of business of complainants; from interfering with any of their employees by violence, threats or personal injury; from ordering, directing or inciting any other persons to threaten, assault or by the use of profanity or vile epithets to intimidate any employees; from following the employees to their homes or other places for the purpose of intimidating, and from publishing any orders, statements, rules or directions by the officers of the unions or any other similar organization, commanding, exhorting, under pain of personal violence or other persuasion, any employees from continuing in the service of the complainants.

Judge Hallett refused to grant the injunction without a hearing. The attorneys for the defendants stated that they had not had time to examine the complaint and asked for further time. They promised in the meantime to do nothing in conflict with the terms of the injunction asked for. The judge then granted a continuance until Wednesday.

Former Lieutenant Governor Coster announced tonight that President McKinley of the Western Federation of Miners this afternoon issued a call for a meeting of the executive committee for Monday to consider calling out all the miners and smelter employees in the state in sympathy.

Kansas City Also in Threats.

KANSAS CITY, May 15.—A general strike is threatened in Kansas City, according to the leaders of several labor unions and prominent members of the Industrial council, who say organized labor is determined to make this a "union town." Officers of the Employers' association has declared with equal emphasis that the Industrial council, or all the trade unions combined, cannot successfully order a general strike.

The unions, backed by the council, are making a special fight now against non-union restaurants, and since the present waters' strike began employees in all lines have worked together to prevent boycotts, which have been maintained against non-union restaurants, bakeries and other trades dealing with non-union houses.

Tube Workers Change Scale.

PITTSBURG, Pa. May 15.—The International Association of Tube Workers today elected officers, choosing Henry Sabel of Washington, Pa., for president. The convention then took up the wage committee's report and it will probably be adopted this afternoon.

A radical change in the scale is a clause making a day's work consist of eight hours.

Chicago Falls to Wash.

CHICAGO, May 15.—Six thousand strikers, after an all-day session which closed the Leasing works of the International Harvester company for nearly three weeks, (Continued on Second Page.)

COLOMBIA SEEKS AMERICANS

Bogota Paper Holds Out Undiscovered Gold as Bait to Northern Immigrants.

LONDON, May 15.—In a recent issue of La Esperanza, a paper published at Bogota, there is published an article advocating North American immigration to Colombia.

The writer points out the advantages which he deems will follow intercourse with such a population, whose commercial standing today is one of the most notable events in the history of the world. He also depreciates the idea that the United States contemplates absorbing Central or South American republics existing after dominating them the United States would certainly trample them beneath its feet.

Immigration from nations far advanced being inestimable good the writer continues and he instances European immigration as the cause of the phenomenal prosperity of the United States. Among the benefits resulting from the desired American immigration, the article cites the introduction of new industries, new methods of developing industries already established, fresh capital and a spirit of enterprise hitherto unknown in Colombia.

The statement is made that in three Colombian departments of Antioquia, Cauca and Tolima alone there is more gold underground than in all California. This article was evidently written to aid the passage of the canal convention before the Colombian congress and to offset the opposition at Bogota to the canal scheme.

MONKS FINED AND JAILED

French Populace Strew Flowers and Cheer Holy Fathers Going to Court.

PARIS, May 15.—The government is actively pursuing repressive measures against unauthorized congregations. These measures are now principally confined to judicial action. The opposition to them seems practically to have ended, although the manifestation caused by the trial of the monks, many of the women cheering. Owing to the precautions taken these manifestations do not assume a serious character.

The trial of ten Capuchins at Lemens today drew a crowd of 3,000 sympathizers around the courthouse, who cheered the monks, many of the women strewing flowers in their pathway.

In court the superior made an eloquent defense and was much applauded by those present. The Capuchins, however, were sentenced to pay the minimum fine of \$20 each. They were escorted back to their convent by the crowd, which chanted the Magnificat on the way. Socialists attempted a counter manifestation at Lemens, but the sympathies of the crowd were evidently with the monks and order was not disturbed.

Seven Redemptionists were arrested today at Valenco-Sur-Rhode for refusing to leave their convent. They were led from the convent by the police to prison.

Amid many manifestations of sympathy several Capuchins were tried today at Blois, convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 each.

REBEL LEADER IS EXECUTED

First Politician to Die Legally in Panama is Shot Despite Protests.

PANAMA, May 15.—Victoriano Lorenzo, the Indian chief who led guerrillas during the last revolution, was shot this afternoon.

Governor Mutis and the consular representatives petitioned General Briceno, the military commander on the isthmus, to postpone the execution until the government cabinet sent it asking that the Indian's sentence be changed to life imprisonment. General Briceno refused, saying an exemplary punishment was necessary.

The execution has created a profound indignation, as it is the first execution for a political crime in Panama. Lorenzo died bravely. Before he was shot he said he had only been an accomplice and not the principal in the crimes of which he was accused.

ABUSE THE AMERICAN FLAG

Seditious Play in the Philippines is Stopped at Obnoxious Scene.

MANILA, May 15.—A party of Americans stormed the stage of the Liberty theater last night and stopped a seditious play. The piece, which is historical, has a climax in which the heroine throws the American flag to the ground and raises the standard of the Katipunan secret society. When this scene was reached a score of Americans sprang on the stage, routed the actors and smashed the furniture. The audience fled.

Colonel Tolentino, the former insurgent, who wrote the play, will probably be prosecuted.

URGES KING EDWARD TO CALL

W. T. Stead Believes His Majesty Should Pay Visit to United States.

LONDON, May 15.—W. T. Stead's Review of the Review suggests that King Edward should break all records and visit the United States in 1904. Mr. Stead thinks the St. Louis exposition would furnish an excellent pretext, if any is wanted. The review of Reviews adds:

"If King Edward does not take the initiative he may find himself forestalled by the Kaiser, or, incredible though it may seem, even by the czar."

RATE RAISE IS SIGNIFICANT

Chinese Telegram is Believed to Tell More Than Advance in Telegraph Scale.

SHANGHAI, May 15.—A British official here has received from the Imperial Chinese Telegraph company a memorandum which, verbatim, is as follows:

In regard to charges to New Chungang at old times it is noted that the rate of telegrams has been increased to 11.10, as they treat Manchuria same as Russia.

This official intimation is considered here to be significant.

BULGARIAN CABINET QUILTS

Leader of Stambouloff Party Summoned to Form a New Ministry.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, May 15.—The Bulgarian cabinet resigned today. Prince Ferdinand accepted its resignation and summoned M. Petouff, leader of the Stambouloff party. It is possible that a coalition may be ordered.

CONFIRM MASSACRE STORY

Berlin Paper Prints Additional Details of the Bloody Affair.

Berlin, May 15.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—Reports received from Kishineff say that during the three days' massacre of the Jews forty-eight persons were killed outright, eighty have since died of their wounds and upward of 1,000 were injured.

Nine children were murdered in a horrible manner. One child was found with his body split in two. Most injuries were inflicted with pieces of furniture and heavy sticks. Such was the fury of the crowd that many of the bodies were unrecognizable. The Tageblatt publishes a special dispatch from Kishineff which says:

"On the evening of the second day Russian doctors, who were moved to pity by the horrible sights they had witnessed, drove to a distant station and sent a telegram to St. Petersburg, informing the authorities of what was happening.

"The murderers and robbers were well organized. The attack was evidently being carefully planned. They worked in groups of eight and ten.

"The total number of the murderers did not exceed 300, whereas there were 6,000 soldiers and 200 police in the city.

"The military and police calmly looked on while the atrocities were being committed, making not the slightest attempt to stop them. They gladly accepted many a good piece of loot thrown them by the ruffians.

Let us say about work.

"In some cases the barbarous wretches took their time over their awful work. One band in particular took possession of the dwelling of a Jew in good circumstances and which promised to yield valuable plunder, and leisurely killed and robbed.

"The cutthroats murdered the mistress of the house and subjected her daughter to a worse fate. The band then turned its attention to the safe, in which the owner had deposited his money. In the meantime the head of the house drifted from one police station to another seeking official aid, entreating vainly for help and police protection.

"The members of the gang worked over the safe for ten hours before they were able to open it, and during that time the owner could not find a single officer, the law or of the military who would give him aid.

"One Jewish manufacturer saved his property in a very simple manner. Shortly after the looting he called to a captain of Cossacks, who was passing, and presented him with 1,500 rubles (about \$50). The captain immediately sent twenty Cossacks to guard the manufacturer's house and his property was untouched, although every other Jewish place of business in the neighborhood was sacked and the property that could not be carried away was drenched with petroleum and fired."

An appeal issued by the Jewish associations of Berlin says:

"The crimes inflicted on the Jews of Kishineff are as awful as those inflicted during the middle ages. The Jews, excited by the lie of ritual murder, fell upon the Jews and for two days plundered, burned and murdered them with impunity. The attack was cruelly prepared beforehand and it was during the Easter festival with the convivance of the authorities. Widows and orphans are bewailing their bread winners and thousands of families are reduced to beggary."

VIENNA, May 15.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—A dispatch from Kishineff confirms the account of the Jewish mechanic who was bound to a board and his hands sawed off with his own saw. With fiendish cruelty the murderers deferred his fate, leaving him helpless until they had made victims of his wife and daughter before his eyes. Then they slaughtered the woman with an axe in the most horrible fashion. Many Jews hid themselves in closets and cellars, where they were killed. Bodies have been discovered in many strange hiding places.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 15.—Reports of a great Jewish massacre at Tiroptov, Russia, are pronounced here to be without foundation.

VALUABLE JEWELS STOLEN

Mrs. Pierre Lorillard Robbed of \$50,000 Worth White on a Train.

(Copyright, 1903, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, May 15.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, daughter-in-law of the late Pierre Lorillard of New York, has been robbed of a dressing bag and jewel case containing valuable articles estimated at \$10,000.

The valuables were stolen on a train between Paris and Calais, but at what point they disappeared is not known. No trace of them has since been discovered.

MAD DRIVER WRECKS TRAIN

Many Disasters Lead to Investigation and Engineer's Incarceration in Asylum.

BERLIN, May 15.—Investigation of railroad disasters, which have occurred quite frequently of late, on a suburban line, has shown that an engineer concerned was insane. He has been confined in an asylum.

IBSEN IS AGAIN IN DANGER

Friends of Norwegian Dramatist Are Anxious Regarding Outcome of His Illness.

COPENHAGEN, May 15.—Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian dramatist, is again seriously ill. His friends are very anxious regarding the outcome of his illness.

Manchester Fights for Shipping.

MANCHESTER, May 15.—A meeting of representatives of the cotton trade was held today at which resolutions were passed urging the trade to do its utmost to support the steamer lines bringing cotton from American ports direct to Manchester, and requesting applicants to insist on the delivery of cotton at the Manchester docks.

Funds to Establish Peace.

MADRID, May 15.—A dispatch from Melilla, Morocco, says the sultan's envoys, who are charged with a pacificatory mission to the rebels, have arrived there with \$50,000. The rebel chiefs, it is added, have chosen a new pretender named Hubet Kader. He is a Moor of good family.

CONVICT CHEATS GALLOWS

Man Saves State Trouble of Hanging Him by Taking Dose of Morphine.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 15.—William McCarty, who was to be hanged at 8 o'clock this morning, took morphine some time during the night and died at 8:15. The death watch, Alex McKeever, sat within three feet of McCarty all night, but says he absolutely at a loss to know how or when he took the drug. McCarty, however, became restless and turned over on his cot. Jailor Robert Wallace was in the cell at the time. He accused McCarty of doing something he ought not to do. McCarty called for whiskey and Wallace brought him coffee instead. He drank the coffee and went into violent convulsions.

County Judge Bullock and County Attorney Kimball announce that under the law the person who furnished McCarty the poison is guilty of murder and they will make an investigation. Police and detectives have been put to work on the case. It is certain that McCarty did not have poison concealed when he was put into jail. The governor has been notified and has approved the course taken by the county officials.

NEW ORLEANS FLYER PILED

Engine and Six Cars Roll into Ditch, Crushing Fireman and

OWENSBORO, Ky., May 15.—Two trainmen were killed and two others badly injured in a wreck on the Illinois Central at Owensboro, Ky., sixty miles from here tonight.

The dead: JAMES MATTHEWS, engineer. JOHN KERR, fireman, of Louisville.

Only a few passengers were hurt and it is believed their injuries are not serious. The train wrecked near the New Orleans limited eastbound. It was three hours behind and running at a high rate of speed when nearing the depot. Suddenly the engine left the track and the six coaches followed, all rolling into a heap. The engineer and fireman were crushed under the engine and crushed to death. The baggage master and express messenger were also thrown under the wreckage and both badly injured.

MILES' AIDE FOR OMAHA

General's Approaching Retirement Anticipated and Staff Assigned to Other Duties.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Anticipating the statutory retirement of Lieutenant General Miles next August, the work of assigning his aides to other duties has begun. Lieutenant Marion Maus, Twenty-second infantry, is reported to be relieving from headquarters to report to the commanding general of the Department of the Missouri, for assignment to a station. Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Reber, who has been acting as General Miles' military secretary, has been made a member of the general staff.

Secretary Root gave a dinner at the Century club tonight in honor of the members of the newly organized general staff. Those invited included Assistant Secretary Bangs, Lieutenant General J. B. M. Schofield, Major General E. B. M. Young, Major General Henry G. Corbin and a large number of army officers now in the city. General Miles was not present.

WHITES WARRING ON NEGROES

Black Men Shoot One Farmer, Precipitating Three Days' Hunt with Guns.

LAUREL, Miss., May 15.—A race war has broken out near Burns, Smith county. The whites there are up in arms and are whipping and killing negroes wherever they find them. One white man is reported mortally wounded and several negroes killed. The trouble started by a negro leaving a crop field to be planted for white farmers.

The farmers gathered some of their neighbors about them and went after the negro. On their way the negroes fired on them and Mr. Craft, a farmer, was mortally wounded. The white men returned the fire and the negroes fled, the whites pursuing them.

The riot began on Tuesday and it is said that the enraged white men of the community are still in the saddle searching for the negro who instigated the trouble.

HARRIMAN FEELING BETTER

Doctor Relieves Abdominal Pain, Thereby Removing Fears of Appendicitis.

CLEVELAND, O., May 15.—Mr. Harriman left for New York over the Lake Shore at 8 tonight.

Mr. Harriman was not seen, but his private secretary said no symptoms of appendicitis had appeared. He had a slight pain in his abdomen had been a little slumped as to warrant the conclusion that there is no probability now of appendicitis. Mr. Harriman was reported to be sitting up in his car.

NEW YORK, May 15.—E. H. Harriman's special train passed Buffalo at 12:30 this morning. Mr. Harriman's secretary said he was resting comfortably and would undergo an operation in New York if it was considered necessary.

FIDELITY KNIGHTS ELECT

National Convention Terminates After Naming Full List of Officers.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 15.—Before adjournment today the national convention of the Knights of Fidelity elected the following officers, in addition to those previously announced:

President, E. W. Winkler, Troy, N. Y.; orator, Henry E. Drakon, Savannah, Ga.; master of ceremonies, Albert Elste, Cleveland; captain of guards, F. R. McKelvy, Pittsburg; tyler, J. Rehmman, Newport, Ky.; supreme trustee, J. M. Graves, Lexington, Ky.; E. Harvey, Washington, D. C.; Jesse Hendrick, Harrisburg, Pa.; Frank Volmer, St. Louis; C. S. Ellsworth, Danville, Ill., and Charles Polster, Indianapolis.

WILSON NAMED FOR OFFICE

International Association of Machinists Name Omaha Man Vice President.

MILWAUKEE, May 15.—The International Association of Machinists today elected the following vice president: Arthur W. Holmes, Toronto, Canada; John D. Shucknow, Little Rock, Ark.; Thomas L. Wilson, Omaha; George Mulberry, Chicago.

PLOT TO KILL PRESIDENT

Italian Assassins Frustrated by Exceptional Police Activity in Oakland.

OAKLAND, Cal., May 15.—The police tonight explained their hitherto unexplainable precautions during the president's stay here by announcing the discovery of a plot to assassinate him.

Late on Wednesday night Mayor Olney received a communication signed "E. S.," stating that two men, named Charles Girardo and Antonio Polivino, the latter the Italian who tried to kill the emperor of Austria before St. Stephen's church in Vienna on May 15, 1887, had agreed to meet at Girardo's home to discuss the killing of the president.

RAYMOND, Cal., May 15.—President Roosevelt started at 7:30 this morning for the Yosemite, going by stage. The president will be in the park until Monday.

ROHWANNEE, Cal., May 15.—President Roosevelt and party arrived here at 11:15 this morning in stages, completing the first half of their journey to the big tree country. Luncheon was served here and the party is scheduled to reach the big trees at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The ride from Raymond was a dusty one and the members of the party presented a bedraggled appearance as the coaches drove up to the station. At Grub Gulch the president quickly deserted their employers and left with a party of little girls. He alighted from the stage and shook hands with his small admirers and spoke a few words of greeting to the grown-up folks assembled there.

AWONA, Cal., May 15.—After lunching at Alhambra, the president began to ascend the mountains. The day was perfect, bright and clear, and as he went higher and higher he saw the plains of the San Joaquin stretching to the far-distant Coast Range. He arrived at the entrance of the Mariposa big tree grove at 4 o'clock, where he was met by a detachment of soldiers and two forest rangers with saddle horses. The president rode among the grand sequoias and through the park on horseback, accompanied by John Muir, who is familiar with the big tree country and the Yosemite National park.

DATES FOR HEARINGS SET

Commerce Commission Announces Calendar for Cases Alleging Violations of Interstate Law.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The following dates and places for hearings in important violations of the interstate commerce law are assigned by the Interstate Commerce Commission:

St. Louis, June 11.—Central Yellow Pine Association against nonunion railroads, involving payment of alleged rebates by tapline divisions of freight.

Chicago, June 15.—Oral argument Chicago Live Stock Exchange against Chicago, Topeka & Santa Fe at, involving rates on live stock as compared with rates on products of live stock. Further hearing, The Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, complainant, and the Chicago Live Stock Exchange, intervenor, against the Fort Worth & Denver City Railroad at, involving the terminal charges at the Chicago stock yards; Chicago, June 18, investigation of the matter of allowances to elevator by the Union Pacific Railroad company; Chicago, June 17, hearing in the matter of rates on grain and grain products over the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, and eight other investigations; hearing in the matter of class and commodity rates from St. Louis to Texas common points in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma & Texas railway, and three other investigations.

MEXICO BUYS RAILROAD BONDS

Spends Five Million Dollars and Obtains Interest in Inter-oceanic Line.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Advices from London stating that the Mexican government has agreed to purchase a large interest in an important Mexican railroad are explained as follows by Speyer & Co.:

"Last fall the Mexican government bought \$5,000,000 4 1/2 per cent bonds of the Inter-oceanic railroad, which runs from the City of Mexico to Vera Cruz.

"A bill authorizing this purchase is now before the Mexican senate, the lower house having already approved the measure. A part of the new Mexican 4 1/2 treasury bonds recently sold in this city will be applied to the Inter-oceanic purchase when fully ratified."

Sugar Rates Discussed.

CHICAGO, May 15.—Executive officers of the western railroads today discussed in an informal manner the question of equalizing Pacific import sugar and the rates from the fields where sugar beets are raised. No action was taken and no decision was reached which promises action of any kind in the near future.

NEW COMPANY ORGANIZED

Ten-Million-Dollar Combine Plans for Business of Humboldt County California.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The board of directors of the California Northern railroad took the first step today toward the extension of its line from Willets in Mendocino county to Eureka, Humboldt county, by organizing a new company to be known as the San Francisco & Eureka Railway company, with a capital stock of \$10,000,000. This company entirely disassociated from any plans which the Southern Pacific or Santa Fe may have for obtaining a foothold in Humboldt county and is independent in furtherance of an independent plan for extending the California & Western northward to Humboldt county.

COLORADO MAN IS CHOSEN

Professor in Western College Will Be Member of International Scientific Congress.

COLORADO SPRING, Colo., May 15.—Dr. Florian Cajalor, dean of the school of engineering of Colorado college and head professor of mathematics, has been notified of his appointment as the American member of the international congress for the study of the history of science, which will hold its next meeting at Berlin in 1906. The appointment is announced in a message from Prof. Gino Loria, dean of the faculty of sciences of the University of Genoa, Italy, and secretary of the congress, which has just held a convention in Rome.

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

Forecast for Nebraska—Fair and Warmer Saturday, Sunday Fair, Except Showers and Cooler in West Portion.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday:

Table with columns: Hour, Day, Hour, Day, Deg. 5 a.m., 6 a.m., 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 m.

SHAW ENDORSES ONE MERGER

Says it is Time for Methodist Church North and South to Get Together.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw presided and Bishop W. A. Chandler of Georgia made an address tonight at a joint meeting of the Epworth leagues of the Washington district of the Methodist church, south, held to commemorate the birth of John Wesley, Secretary Shaw, in an address introductory of Bishop Chandler, expressed the belief that the time had arrived when there was room for but one Methodist church in the United States. The old principle that divided the church, he said, was dead, and there was no reason for their remaining apart. Illustrating in a humorous way the demand for union of the churches in their work, he said he was not a believer in mergers, but if he were he would begin first with the Methodist church. Bishop Chandler responded to the secretary's greeting by saying that he was inclined to think there was but one Methodist world over.

MAYOR SOUNDS THE RIOT CALL

Citizens Answer and Stop Street Railway from Laying Its Tracks.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 15.—A riot call was sounded by Mayor Doyle this afternoon as a means of stopping the Old Colony Street Railway company from laying tracks in the city streets in violation of an order from the mayor not to do so. After calling upon the Newport artillery and the Newport naval reserves to be in readiness in case they were needed, Mayor Doyle caused a riot alarm to be rung on the fire bells and then as commanding chief officer turned out at the head of the forces of the police and fire departments. Fully 5,000 citizens answered the call and in the face of this overpowering force the fifty track layers quickly deserted their employers and left the streets. The city council later made the mayor's forbidding order permanent. The trouble arose from an order of the council directing rival companies to make joint use of certain tracks.

CONDUCTORS WANT NO HOME

Members Believe Disabled Can Be Better Cared for by Relief Fund.

PITTSBURG, May 15.—The movement in the Order of Railway Conductors of America to erect a home for the permanently disabled will come to naught this year. The subject has not yet come before the convention, but the opinion is that the disabled members can be better and more satisfactorily taken care of by the relief fund as at present.

There is no opposition to the present plan and they will all be re-elected unanimously and the relief fund raised. It is almost certain Mr. Clark will accept the position of grand chief conductor again, which means he will not become assistant