CARNIVAL ENDS IN DISASTER

Troops and Police Intervene in Southern Italy and Sicily.

SCORE OR MORE PERSONS ARE WOUNDED

Masquerade Socialists Start Trouble by Insulting State Institutions and Bloody Fighting Results in the Streets.

ROME, Feb. 17.—The carnival festivities have resulted in disorder and bloodshed in southern Italy and Sicily. Troops and police were obliged to intervene, and a score or more persons have been wounded. Many arrests have also been made.

At Trani a number of socialists in masquerade costume started the trouble by insulting state institutions, and in the fighting which followed several officers and soldiers were wounded. The police then stepped in and as a result the jail at Trani is now full.

At Piazza Armenia, in Sicily, the masquerading brought about a conflict between the members of two local political parties and an attack was made on the city hall. The disorder became so great that troops were called out and fired on the people to disperse them. Fourteen of the rioters were wounded. Quiet was then restored.

HONOR TO THE DEAD

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as the casket was borne to its place.

The pall bearers had scarcely retired when the senate was called to order, and the senators who had entered took their seats on the fall of the gavel of the president pro tem. Immediately afterward the house of representatives, with Speaker Cannon at its head, was announced, and the members of that body filed slowly in, taking the seats previously assigned to them, the senators and visitors in the galleries rising.

President Arrives.

Speaker Cannon took his place at the left of President Pro Tempore Frye. Then came the ambassadors and ministers, from foreign countries, who were given the seats next to the front row on the republican side of the chamber and they were immediately followed by Admiral Dewey and Major General Gillespie, representing the navy and army, the chief justice and associate justices of the supreme court were ushered into seats on the democratic side.

President Roosevelt and members of his cabinet were then announced and all present rose without waiting for the tap of the gavel. The presidential party were escorted by Colonel Simons and Commander Winslow in full uniform. The president and his cabinet occupied the front row of seats at the right of the presiding officer.

Twenty minutes later Mrs. Hanna, leaning heavily upon the arm of her son, Dan R. Hanna, entered the chamber and took a seat in the front row on the left of the presiding officers.

She was followed by her daughters and their husbands and other members of the family and immediate friends, all of whom were given seats in the immediate vicinity of the casket. Everyone present rose as the family entered and remained standing until they had been seated. President Pro Tem Frye then addressed the senate, saying:

Senators: You have solemnly and lovingly dedicated this day to an observance of a proper funeral ceremony over Marcus A. Hanna, late a distinguished member of this body, and all business will be suspended to that end.

We will unite in prayer with the chaplain of the national house of representatives.

Chaplain Couden, who occupied a seat by the side of Chaplain Hale of the senate, immediately in front of the presiding officer, offered up an invocation.

Immediately afterward Dr. Hale delivered his funeral address. He did not use his notes in speaking, but never halted for a word, and although a man of over 80 years of age, his voice penetrated every corner of the hall.

Mr. Hale began his service as follows:

"Those who knew him best, loved him most. And those who knew him little loved him much." The speaker then described Hanna as a man who means to apply to politics the methods of business men of honor.

That class of people, which is too large, who make it their profession to ascribe the worst conceivable motives for every human action, could not make Mr. Hanna out when he appeared in what is called public life. They made the mistake, which such men always make, of thinking that the mind with all its maneuvers and gymnastics and memories and imagination, is greater and stronger than the soul of man, when it works in sincerity and truth, in faith and hope and love. They had to imagine, therefore, a cunning intrigue, a man who accounted for his success as you might account for a boy's success in a game of marbles. But the analysis of character did not prove true.

You might as well compare the stilted adjectives and substantives of a school boy's theme against the passionate song of Burns or of Tennyson. Here was no contriver, no schemer, no mere inventor, least of all was there any copyist. Here was a wholesouled child of God, who believed in success, and who knew how to succeed by using the infinite powers. Eight years ago an accomplished friend of mine said to one of the speakers in the canvass: "Who is this Cleveland man, this Hanna, whom the newspapers are describing?"

The answer stays by me. I wonder if the man himself remembers it:

"Hanna is a man who means to apply to politics the methods of business men of honor."

Honor, Truth and Love.

In conclusion Mr. Hale said:

Honor, truth and love. Go to the bottom and these are what win success. A square bolt will not fit a round hole in the side of a steamship. Truth—unless my word is as good as my note, my note will be looked at coldly when I offer it for discount. And unless I pursue the duty God has given me with an eager love of those who have fallen down, or those who have stumbled; unless in my strength I bear the infirmities of the weak, and so men regard what is true, this man more than any other could mediate between the men who provide the tools and the men who handle them, that this man had the confidence of the workman, and of the man whose father was a workman, or the man, who like himself, had made nature his star and ruled things, what is Godly power. You understand what worked the miracle. You can work it yourself.

"These three abide—faith, hope and love."

After a prayer with which Mr. Hale closed his sermon the Gridiron quartet sang "Nearer, My God, to Thee." This was the last tribute of an organization with which Senator Hanna had been a great favorite, and was a tender and delicate farewell from those who had known and loved him.

While the religious services were in progress suppressed sobs were heard in many parts of the chamber. Postmaster General Payne, who had been for years associated with Mr. Hanna on the national committee, was among those most affected. Secretary Hitchcock was also visibly touched.

Wanted to See Face.

The hymn concluded, President Pro Tem Frye addressed the assembly, saying:

We commit the body of our beloved senator now to the committees of the houses of congress and to the officers of the senate to be conveyed to his late home in Ohio and to its final resting place. May God sanctify his life and death to us who loved him.

The exercises were then closed by a benediction by Dr. Hale. The visitors and family then withdrew, the family being followed by the president and the cabinet.

The senate then, at 1 o'clock, on motion of Senator Lodge, adjourned.

Many persons who had occupied the galleries during the services, left the capitol building with apparent reluctance. It was not generally known that the remains were not to lie in state and as soon as the people were dismissed a crush occurred around the senate chamber doors by reasons of the large numbers seeking admission to gaze for the last time on a face known widely and loved by all. The order to clear the galleries was given, however, and within half an hour the senate chamber and galleries had been closed against the public. The remains were left at rest in the closed chamber, surrounded by the floral pieces and under guard of the capitol police.

Among the distinguished men from New York who attended the funeral services at the senate were former Secretary of the Interior Cornelius N. Bliss, General John J. McCook, president of the Ohio society; J. Pierpont Morgan, James J. Hill and Clement A. Griscom, president of the International Navigation company.

Taken to the Train.

The train bearing the remains of Senator Hanna left Washington for Cleveland at 6 o'clock tonight. On the train are all the members of the late senator's family and a number of personal friends. The casket was taken from the United States capitol building at 4:45 p. m. and was escorted to the Pennsylvania station by the committee of senators and representatives which had charge of the funeral in the senate chamber.

The train consists of one baggage car, a dining car, two Pullman sleepers, a private car and an observation car. The observation car was cleared of all of its observation seats and in this space the casket was placed. Around it were banked the many floral offerings and nearly every seat remaining in the car held one or more of these perfumed burdens. The car carrying the remains was the first in the train. The funeral party is composed of the following:

Mrs. M. A. Hanna, Mr. H. M. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. J. Medill McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dover, Miss Mary E. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Baldwin, Governor Myron T. Herrick, Bishop Leonard, Andrew Squire, General and Mrs. Charles A. Dick, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fisher, Dr. E. H. Carter, J. H. Dempsey, Miss Morton (nurse), Frank V. Bennett, John Kisley, several servants.

Arrangements at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 17.—In accordance with the wishes of the Hanna family, it has been decided that no remarks of an eulogistic nature shall be made in St. Paul's church at the funeral services over the remains of Senator Hanna which will be held Friday and the services will consist only of ritualistic services of the Episcopalian church. A memorial meeting, however, will be held at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday afternoon in which prominent citizens will deliver addresses on the life and work of the deceased senator.

Practically all business will be suspended in Cleveland for the greater part of Friday as a mark of respect to the memory of Senator Hanna. The exchange will close at noon, as will all stores. All street cars in this city will become motionless for five minutes at 1 o'clock, the hour set for the beginning of the funeral services at St. Paul's.

The attendance of notable men at the funeral promises to be large. Besides Senator Foraker, the three secretaries of the president's cabinet, Messrs. Taft, Wilson and Cortelyou, the delegation of the senate and house of representatives, there will also be in attendance the entire Ohio state legislature of about 150 men, who will come from Columbus on a special train.

Governor Herrick and staff and ex-Governor Nash and ten friends will also attend. So far as known, Governor Durbin of Indiana is the only state executive outside of Ohio coming to the funeral. Governor Durbin will be accompanied by his staff.

All public and parochial schools will close Friday and no theatrical performances will be given at the Euclid avenue opera house Thursday night. Senator Hanna owned that theater and Manager Hartz pays this tribute to his memory. Hanna pictures are in every store window in the city, surrounded either by simple draperies, an American flag or some handsome and appropriate floral design.

Ralph M. Easley, secretary of the Civic federation, and twelve members of that body, will attend the funeral, having left New York today for this city.

At the meeting of the United Trades and Labor Council tonight twenty representatives were chosen from the various crafts to participate in the Hanna funeral. The proposed general outpouring of working men has been abandoned at the wishes of the immediate family of mourning.

MINERS WILL SHOW THEIR SORROW

All Union Men to Cease Work at Noon Friday.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 17.—The following was issued from the national headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America today:

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 17.—To the members of the United Mine Workers of America: As a tribute to the memory of the late M. A. Hanna, and as an expression of appreciation of the many services rendered by him to our organization, you are requested to cease work at noon on Friday, February 19, the day of his funeral.

JOHN MITCHELL, President,
United Mine Workers of America.
T. L. LEWIS, Vice-President.
W. B. WILSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

Kentucky Senate Adjourns.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 17.—In the senate resolutions paying tribute to the memory of Senator Hanna were adopted by a rising vote and the senate adjourned as a further mark of respect.

FIRE RECORD.

Feed House at Peoria.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 17.—The feed house of the Great Western distillery was totally destroyed by fire this morning, with a loss of $75,000. The house is operated during the night and after the firemen started the furnaces this morning they noticed the flames, which are presumed to have started from spontaneous combustion, and sent in the alarm. The fire spread rapidly. It has destroyed several large stacks of hay to the west and is now burning in the old Manhattan distillery, but the firemen expect to control there, although the fight is difficult because of the high wind blowing.

The firemen are still working on the burning haystacks at the Great Western distillery, but there is no longer danger of a spread, it being entirely under control. The fire in the Manhattan distillery was easily extinguished.

Wymore Loss Not So Large.

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 17.—(Special.)—The first report received here of the Wymore fire which destroyed the stucco mills Tuesday night placed the loss at $30,000, but a more conservative estimate places it at between $5,000 and $7,000, with only $2,000 insurance.

HYMENEAL.

Ryers-Martens.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Feb. 17.—(Special.)—B. E. Ryers of Alma and Miss Pauline C. Martens of this city were united in marriage yesterday by Rev. H. B. Burgess. The young couple departed on the afternoon Burlington train for their home in Alma, Neb.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Fair and Colder in Nebraska, with Snow in Southeast and Colder in Southwest Portion.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Forecast:

For Nebraska—Fair Thursday, except snow in southeast portion; colder in southwest portion. Friday, fair.

For Iowa—Snow Thursday; fair in northwest portion and warmer in east portion Friday, fair.

For Illinois—Snow in north and rain or snow in south portion Thursday. Friday, warmer; fair and colder in central and south portions, with brisk to high north winds.

For Kansas—Snow Thursday. Friday, fair.

For Missouri—Snow in north and rain or snow in south portion Thursday. Friday, fair.

For South Dakota—Fair Thursday. Friday, fair and warmer in eastern portion.

For Montana—Fair Thursday, except snow in northwestern portion. Friday, probably snow.

For Colorado—Fair in west, clearing in east portion Thursday. Friday, fair and warmer in eastern portion.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Feb. 17.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.
Maximum temperature	15	22	27	46
Minimum temperature	13	—12	15	26
Mean temperature	14	5	21	41
Precipitation	.04	T	T	T

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1903:

Normal temperature	37
Deficiency for the day	12
Total deficiency since March 1, 1903	69
Normal precipitation	.02 inch
Excess for the day	.01 inch
Total rainfall since March 1	.32.96 inches
Excess since March 1, 1903	1.69 inches
Deficiency for cor. period in 1903	.85 inches
Deficiency for cor. period in 1902	6.47 inches

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER.

Station	Temperature at 7 p. m.	Maximum temperature	Precipitation
Omaha, snowing	13	15	.04
Valentine, clear	22	24	.02
North Platte, cloudy	34	38	T
Cheyenne, cloudy	26	30	.01
Salt Lake City, clear	30	32	.00
Rapid City, clear	32	38	.00
Huron, cloudy	14	14	.10
Williston, clear	8	16	.00
Chicago, cloudy	12	12	.00
St. Louis, cloudy	22	22	.06
St. Paul, snowing	10	10	.08
Davenport, snowing	12	12	.20
Kansas City, cloudy	22	24	.14
Havre, clear	20	32	.00
Helena, clear	32	36	.00
Bismarck, clear	14	18	.00
Galveston, cloudy	62	66	.00

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DICK SLATED FOR SENATOR

Feeling Growing that Anticipated Fight Will Not Materialize.

CAUCUS HELD WEEK FROM SATURDAY

Fact That Lieutenant Governor is a Partisan of Foraker Held to Be Against the Elevation of Herrick.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 17.—There is a growing feeling here that the question of a successor to United States Senator Hanna will not precipitate such a fight as had been expected. It is now believed that when the time for the balloting arrives Congressman Charles Dick will prove to be the man.

The republicans are expected to caucus a week from the coming Saturday night, and it is believed that they will decide to elect a senator for both the long and the short terms, despite the fact that their right to elect for the long term at this time is questioned.

A leader high in the republican party today told an interesting story, which makes it reasonable to believe that Dick will be the man chosen as senator. The story as told conforms to certain known facts. The gentleman said that a week before the last republican state convention was held in Columbus a conference occurred at a residence in Akron between Hanna, Herrick and Dick. Senator Hanna at the time had misgivings as to the time he had to live, and said to Herrick and Dick that he considered them as his boys and expected them to take up his work, which they both knew. With respect to Herrick it is said that Hanna was following out McKinley's wishes in taking care of the present governor.

There was a demand for recognition for Warren B. Harding that was too strong to be overlooked, and it was agreed in the conference that Herrick should be the nominee for governor, with Harding for the second place. There was also a distinct understanding that Herrick should not voluntarily relinquish the governor's chair, as that would throw the office into the hands of the Foraker element of the party by making Harding governor. There were certain agreements to be carried out and a change in the governor's office would violate these promises.

Hanna was anxious to carry Cuyahoga county and by making the concession to his opponents in Harding's nomination he believed that he would be able to do so. For this reason, it is believed that Governor Herrick cannot entertain for an instant the idea of going to the senate, and Hanna followers, including Herrick himself, must support Dick for the senatorship. While many names are being mentioned all are mere speculation, and those who give the situation serious consideration are growing firmer in the belief that Dick will be the man.

Go to Adler's auction sale of unredeemed pledges.
S. E. Cor. 12th and Farnam sts.

RUINED BY BALTIMORE FIRE

Insurance Company Unable to Pay Claims Against It and Receiver is Appointed.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 17.—Application was made today for the appointment of a receiver for the Old Town Fire Insurance company of Baltimore. The bill of complaint alleges that the company is insolvent and unable to pay the claims against it by reason of the fire. The company is said to have assets of $154,970 and liabilities of $254,970.

Receiver Richard B. Post of the Peabody Fire Insurance company of Baltimore announced today that the company will pay policy holders in the burned district 40 cents on the dollar. The policies of this company not affected by the fire have been taken over by an out-of-town company.

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THURSDAY—At 8 a. m. for CUBA, per s. s. Havana (mail for Mexico, via Progreso, Campeche and Vera Cruz must be directed "per s. s. Havana"); at 8 a. m. for BERMUDA, per s. s. Trinidad; at 12 m. for Mexico, per s. s. Yumuri, via Tampico (mail must be directed "per s. s. Yumuri").

FRIDAY—At 3:30 a. m. for BARBADOS and BRAZIL, per s. s. Catania, via Fernambuco, Rio Janeiro and Santos (mail for Northern Brazil, Argentine, Uruguay and Paraguay must be directed "per s. s. Catania"); at 12 m. (supplementary 12:30 p. m.) for BAHAMAS, per s. s. Santiago, via Nassau (mail for Santiago must be directed "per s. s. Santiago"); at 12 m. for ST. KITTS, NEVIS, ST. EUSTATIUS, ST. MARTINS, DUTCH and FRENCH GUIANA, per s. s. Uller.

SATURDAY—At 8:30 a. m. (supplementary 9:30 a. m.) for PORTO RICO, CURACAO and VENEZUELA, per Philadelphia (mail for Savanilla and Cartagena must be directed "per s. s. Philadelphia"); at 5:30 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for FORTUNE ISLAND, JAMAICA, SAVANILLA, CARTAGENA and GREYTOWN, per s. s. Alleghany (mail for Costa Rica must be directed "per s. s. Alleghany"); at 9:30 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for INAGUA, CAPE HAITI, PORT DE PAIX and SANTA MARTA, per s. s. Adirondack (mail for other parts of Haiti must be directed "per s. s. Adirondack"); at 10 a. m. for CUBA, per s. s. Morro Castle, via Havana; at 10 a. m. for GRENADA, TRINIDAD and CIUDAD BOLIVAR, per s. s. Grenada; at 10 a. m. for Haiti, per s. s. Prins Maurits (mail for Curacao, Venezuela, Trinidad, British and Dutch Guiana must be directed "per s. s. Prins Maurits"); at 12 m. for NORTHERN BRAZIL, per s. s. Hilary, via Para and Manaos; at 12:30 p. m. for CUBA, per s. s. Curityba, via Matanzas (mail must be directed "per s. s. Curityba").

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NEW ZEALAND, AUSTRALIA (except West), NEW CALEDONIA, FIJI, SAMOA and HAWAII, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 p. m. up the February 27th, inclusive, for despatch per s. s. Sierra. (If the Cunard steamer carrying the British mail for New Zealand does not arrive in time to connect with this despatch, extra mails—closing at 5:30 a. m., 5:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.; Sundays at 4:30 a. m., 9 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.—will be made up and forwarded until the arrival of the Cunard steamer.)

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HAWAII, JAPAN, CHINA and PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 p. m. up to February 29th, inclusive, for despatch per s. s. Doric.

TAHITI and MARQUESAS ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 p. m. up to March 13th, inclusive, for despatch per s. s. Mariposa.

NOTE.—Unless otherwise addressed, West Australia is forwarded via Europe; and New Zealand and Philippines via San Francisco—the quickest routes. Philippines specially addressed "via Canada" or "via Europe" must be fully prepaid at the foreign rates. Hawaii is forwarded via San Francisco exclusively.

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CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Postmaster.

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