

SHERIFF'S POSSE FACES MOB

Governor of West Virginia Asked to Send Troops to Kanawha.

AWAIT DETAILS OF SKIRMISH

Striking Coal Miners Are in Angry Mood Because of Shots Fired Into Camp from Passenger Train.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 8.—Governor Glasscock, Adjutant General D. D. Elliott and other state officers awaited with anxiety this morning information from Mucklow concerning the fate of Sheriff Bonner Hill and twenty-five deputies of Kanawha county, who at an early hour, were reported to be facing an angry mob of striking miners in the little mountain village.

Significance is attached to the fact that two miles from the scene of last night's skirmish, is located one of the largest camps of striking miners in the Kanawha coal field. Shooting from the train, attacked on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad during the night, was in the direction of the camp, and it was feared if any of the women and children had been hurt the sheriff and his men would be unable to restrain the angry men, as they outnumbered the posse ten to one and are said to be well armed.

Martial law proclamation, under which troops were sent into the coal fields last year, is still in force. The legislature in session and it was rumored here this morning that the governor would confer with some of the leaders before answering the call of Sheriff Hill for troops. At 11 o'clock today Sheriff Hill reported to the military authorities here that he and his men had been unable to enter the miners' camp, and up to that time had been unable to ascertain whether the firing last night had resulted in death or injury to any of the campers. The miners and their sympathizers occupy strong positions, guarding all approaches to the camp.

They Never Learn. Draw poker is a fine game, full of skill and science, and the man who knows what to draw and when to do it is the fellow who gets the money. Harry Dixon, the author, was explaining one day that every man who makes a practice of trying to fill a four-card flush is doomed to bankruptcy. "There is no use talking," said Dixon. "Drawing to a four-card flush is bad business. I knew an old man down in Mississippi who lost three plantations by losing at drawing and never filling the flush, and he threw away the third by finally making the flush against a full house."—Popular Magazine.

NEW MANAGER FOR ORKIN BROS.' MILLINERY

Frank Robins Comes From New York to Accept the Position.

Coming direct from one of the leading millinery houses of New York, Mr. Frank Robins has entered upon his duties as buyer and manager for Orkin Bros.' millinery department.



The remarkable prestige this department has developed since the taking over of the store by Orkin Brothers demands a manager with the greatest capabilities and Mr. Robins measures up to the full requirements of the position. Mr. Robins has spent most of his life in the millinery business in London, Paris and New York, and announces to the ladies of this vicinity that he will endeavor to keep his department in the front rank of style producers at all times. He is an ardent believer in honest advertising and giving the people what they want when they want it. "Activity" is Mr. Robins' motto. Mr. Robins left for New York and the eastern markets Friday and expects to be able to announce many new ideas upon his return.

Socialist Candidates

OUR SLOGAN! NO AX TO GRIND—NO BOSS TO MIND

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Cut out this ad and take it with you to the polls Tuesday.

From Our Near Neighbors

Irvington. Mrs. A. C. Dein visited in South Omaha last week.

Sidney Meacham of Omaha visited at the A. C. Dein home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson of Omaha were visitors at Irvington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobsen visited at the Sundall home Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid society met at the Gus Sundall home Wednesday for dinner.

Mr. Stahr and son, Arthur, of Orchard Neb., shipped a carload of horses and cattle to Irvington last Saturday.

Woodrow Wilson, the 8-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jensen, died Tuesday morning. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Twenty-fifth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor society was held at the Finch home Tuesday. The first part of the evening was spent in reading and telling about Endeavorers twenty-five years ago. The remainder was spent in playing games. Fifty-five were present.

Papillon. Judge Travis came up from Plattsmouth Friday to hold district court.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Brown gave a dancing party at the opera house Monday night.

J. P. Simpkins of Winner, S. D., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Chase and family early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil McEvoy and family of South Omaha were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lesieur on Sunday.

Clarence Larson, who had been suffering from a broken back for several years, died Wednesday afternoon at his home north of town.

Mrs. Carl Haug died Tuesday night at her home just west of town. Mrs. Haug, formerly Miss Mary Ube, was married a little over a year ago.

Miss Tena Harmsen entertained the Papillon Card club and friends Tuesday evening at her home. Dancing and high-ways furnished the amusements of the evening.

The Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. C. D. Brown on Wednesday afternoon. This was a special meeting for the study of women's suffrage. Mrs. Sunderland and Mrs. Sunday of Omaha were the guests of the club. Mrs. Sunderland was the principal speaker at the afternoon. Mrs. Harrison, formerly secretary of the State Suffrage association, was also present.

Blair. O. C. Thompson is in Chicago for ten days.

D. Z. Mummert is on a business trip to Colorado this week.

Guy Wallace and Miss Hazel Dunn of De Soto, were married Wednesday by Rev. H. S. Lytle at his home in Blair.

John Lanter and wife, with Messrs. Henry Shoetter, Ed Ludwig and Will Wilson of Omaha, were visitors with Mr. Guy Wilson this week.

Word was received here of the marriage in Chicago on January 21 of Miss Wilma Worley, formerly of this city, to Mr. Whitely, a jeweler of Omaha.

Mr. Will Cheley was in Des Moines last week attending a meeting of the salesmen of the milling company for which he has been traveling for several years.

The merchants of Blair held bargain day Friday. They rented the Home theater and gave free tickets to the afternoon performance to all their customers and their families.

A committee from the Business Men's association is making strong efforts towards the rebuilding of the Martin and Nurse cannery factory, recently destroyed by fire in this city.

W. P. Cook, manager of the Blair telephone, was in Lincoln last week and appeared before the state railway commission with matters pertaining to the telephone interest.

Miss Fanny Compton, a sister of Sheriff Fred Compton, has been appointed deputy in the office of County Judge I. C. Eller and Miss Mary Christiansen, formerly in Judge Eller's office, has been appointed deputy county clerk.

Misses Perle Artler, Marian McDougall, Marguerite Nielsen, Vivian Bracy, Flora Yezzer, Louise Marburg, Ruth Wainstrom and Gladys Nyberg of Omaha, were an auto party which made a short stop in Blair last Sunday evening en route home from Craig.

Florence. Miss Bertha Anderson, who has been very ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Vogel are spending several days with friends in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and daughter of Omaha were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Helfrich Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Clure and son Howard, left Thursday for an extended visit in southern Texas.

D. Tracy has sold his fruit farm north of town to Mrs. Eleanor Michael and N. H. Huston of Omaha.

John H. Boston, ex-mayor of McCaillburg, Ia., was the guest of his brother, O. W. Boston, last week.

Mrs. Willard Brahm entertained her class of girls at her home on West State street, Tuesday evening.

The Ruths and Ludias were entertained at the home of their teacher, Mrs. R. A. Golding, Monday evening.

Frank Scott's father, who has been very sick for some time, has been moved to Immanuel hospital in Omaha.

A stereopticon lecture on "Missions Around the World" will be given at the Methodist church Thursday evening.

Mrs. Roy Lathrop and Mrs. Byron Hollis and son, Donald, of Laurel, Neb., were guests at the J. Weber, sr., home Monday.

Donald Butler of Spokane, Wash., is the guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Butler, it being his first visit at home in five years.

Tuesday evening Miss Petch will present some of her pupils in a "three-act comedy," "When the Clouds Lifted," at the Fontainebleau club house.

Thomas Thirte has resigned his position as mail carrier and will be succeeded by Fred Seiss, who has been transferred from Station D in Omaha.

Saturday evening occurred the marriage of Miss Norma Morgan and Mr. Wilbur Holtzman at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Charles Saughman. After the ceremony a large reception was held at the home of the bride.

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at the home of Mrs. R. H. Olmsted on February 19. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock, after which a program will be given. Mrs. Jose Ortega of Chimayo, New Mexico, and Mrs. Merrow of Omaha, will be the guests.

FEEDING BALKAN FIGHTERS Black Bread in the Pan and Mutton on the Hoof Support Bulgar Army.

Some fine trailing work is being done in the Balkans by the newspaper correspondents, who were not welcome in the war with Turkey. With one or two exceptions all were kept in the rear. But those that got to the scene late, after the Turkish army was broken at Kirk-Kiliseh, are able to send back home some interesting descriptions.

Green Gables SANATORIUM Lenora, Neb. This institution is the only one in the central west with separate buildings situated in their own ample grounds, yet entirely distinct, and rendering it possible to classify cases.

OMAHA BIG GRAIN CENTER

January Record Shows that it Now Surpasses All Past Predictions.

MANY SHIPMENTS GO SOUTH Plantations Find Grains from This Locality Particularly Non-risking and Send Here for Their Supplies.

The grain business done in and out of Omaha during January has convinced officials and representatives of the Omaha-Chicago lines that if they are to remain in the grain carrying game, they must form close traffic arrangements with the present gulf roads, or else the companies they represent, must build into that section of the country, thus affording their outlets to the new southern market.

During January, according to the report of the Omaha Grain exchange, a total of 6,364 cars of grain came to the Omaha market. This was divided up as follows: Wheat, 1,311 cars; corn, 1,008 cars; oats, 866 cars; rye, 25 cars; barley, 32 cars.

Most Goes South. This loss of business on the long haul is where the roads figure on making their profits, especially where proportionate rates maintain as they do in most of the territory tributary to the Omaha market.

ations, it secured 311 out. Another line operating into the south, brought thirty cars of grain into Omaha and during the same period, it handled 1,311 out, distributing all of it at points below St. Louis.

Omaha is Growing Grain Market. When the Omaha grain market was established nine years ago, railroad men all laughed at the idea of grain from here ever moving south. Chicago and Minneapolis were then the logical markets to which shipments were sent.

Studebaker Production Experts. Max Wollering, formerly production manager of the Flanders Motor company, has resumed his old duties as production manager of The Studebaker corporation's Detroit factories.

Studebaker Boys Tackled. Through the help of Assistant General Manager C. H. Booth, the small army of office boys at The Studebaker corporation's Detroit headquarters have been given memberships in the Boys' Department of the Young Men's Christian Association.

THIS HOME MIXTURE QUICKEST RELIEF KNOWN FOR SEVERE COLDS AND COUGHS The following comes from a prominent doctor and is said to be the best and quickest prescription known to medical science for colds and coughs.