

CONTRIBUTION FOR NEWARK STRIKERS

Delegation Calls on Mayor Hissling to Protest Against Police.

Mayor Hissling, of Newark, N. J., was visited by a delegation of Italians yesterday...

The committee discussed with the mayor the alleged clash between a detachment of police and a body of 700 strikers...

It was explained to him that on the day of the so-called riot a body of several hundred strikers went to the park with the intention of inducing several laborers...

The police officer then mounted a motor cycle and rode away, returning very shortly with an escort of reserves.

The mayor regretted what had occurred and said he would bring the whole matter to the attention of the Police Board...

The committee which called on the mayor consisted of R. A. Fiore, O. Gonnelli, G. B. Acciani, F. Morzulli, S. Montalano, R. Villanova, G. Mastoni, O. Ceccati...

Today the differences of the men and the contractors will probably be submitted to arbitration. The arbitrators will consist of two men from the union, two from the contractors, and Mayor Hissling.

Two more aviators killed. PARIS, May 14.—Two French aviators were killed today and one was badly hurt...

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LEVEE CAVES IN NEAR NEW ORLEANS. Engineers Trying to Close Break With Small Success—No Lives Endangered.

NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—A crevasse that will cause heavy loss to the Louisiana oyster industry occurred in the Mississippi River levee fifty miles south of New Orleans today at Nestor Canal.

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REBELS CAPTURE MADERO'S BROTHER

Will Hold Him as Hostage for Safety of Their Prisoners.

EL PASO, TEX., May 14.—Juan Raoul Madero, brother of the President of Mexico, is a prisoner of the rebels as a result of their capture of Mapimi on Sunday, the news of which reached here today, is the assertion of the rebels.

Their prisoner is to be removed to the State penitentiary at Chihuahua and held as hostage, his safety depending upon the safety of rebels made prisoners by the federalists.

The rebels declare that they have succeeded in surrounding the federal column at Torreon and point to a Mexico City dispatch as proof of their assertion. This dispatch declares that the President of Mexico was unable to communicate yesterday with his army because of wire trouble.

Mexican Consul E. C. Lorente says he obtained wire communication tonight with the federalists at Conchos and Torreon and that they deny positively that Mapimi has fallen into rebel hands.

General Huerta, according to rebel scouts at Jimenez, has been at work repairing some of the bridges destroyed by the rebels between Verno and Reñano on their retreat Sunday and appears to be preparing to come north.

Colonel Argumado followed one of the hottest battles of the present revolution and one that resulted in more casualties than the fight Sunday at Conchos.

Colonel Escobaca has been in several engagements in Sonora and his forces have gradually dwindled down to a very few men. His Sonora campaign has been a failure.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Dispatches received at the State and War Departments today report a decisive battle fought yesterday in Mexico in which the federal force won another victory. The revolutionaries are being driven still further north, it is stated.

The army transport Buford continues to receive Americans desirous of leaving Mexico, though General Wood remarked this afternoon that foreigners in Mexico do not seem to be so numerous as some people thought they would.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 14.—Bitter denunciation of President Madero of Mexico was voiced on the floor of the Socialist national convention this afternoon by L. Gutierrez de Lara, of Los Angeles, the noted Mexican agitator.

"Madero," declared De Lara, "says he is for the people. He is a liar! He and his family are among the biggest landlords in Mexico. He has betrayed the people of his native land."

The revolution now in progress in Mexico is going to succeed. Within two months the revolutionary government will be the real government in Mexico, and then the people of Mexico will be given the lands now held by Madero and his family and friends.

"The American Government would like to intervene in Mexico. You know why? I will tell you. They would interfere because they want to save the Mexican gentlemen who have the money of my country and the lands that should be the people's. All of this suggestion that American lives and property are in danger in Mexico is a lie, a part of the propaganda to have the United States intervene to save the big Mexican property owners."

De Lara declared that suggestions of foreign intervention in Mexico were due to the desire of the big bond owners of the United States, Great Britain and Germany to protect their own pockets. His utterances were warmly applauded by the delegates.

William D. Hayward offered a motion that the convention approve the action of the Copenhagen International Convention in declaring for a general world wide strike to prevent war. The motion was ruled out of order by the chairman.

WAITERS SCORE FIRST VICTORY

Waldorf-Astoria Management Grants Wage Raise—General Strike Still Being Talked.

The first victory in the attempt of the International Hotel Workers' Union was scored yesterday when the management of the Waldorf-Astoria granted the waiters employed in the banquet room an increase in wages from \$2 to \$2.50 per night, and thus averted a strike of its special waiters.

The Executive Committee of the union met last night to draw up demands to be presented on all the hotels in this city and the officials stated that unless their demands are granted a strike would be ordered which would tie up every hotel in the city.

Joseph Elster, organizer of the union, stated yesterday that he had received word from J. Tierney, chairman of the Executive Board of the Hotel Men's Association, that the hotel men were ready to meet a committee of the union and consider their demands. He said Tierney promised to call a conference between the union and the hotel men to consider the demands and to arbitrate in case they failed to reach an agreement.

The Belmont strikers yesterday succeeded in getting eight more scabs to quit work and strike in sympathy with them. Victor Pearl, the maître d'hôtel, tried to persuade them to remain at work, but they paid no attention to him and joined the strikers.

FREIGHT STRIKE HITS OTHER CITIES

Shipping of Goods Through Other Cities Causes Revolt of Handlers to Spread.

CHICAGO, May 14.—Strikes of freight handlers in every city where railroads attempt to divert freight from its normal route in order to avoid Chicago, will be called at once, according to a statement of Freight Handlers' Union officials here this afternoon.

One hundred men struck in Dubuque, Iowa, today, where the union officials found that an attempt was made to send freight through that city to avoid its being handled here.

To force immediate consideration of the demands of the union tug men who have been on strike for a week, stokers and other trades working on tugboats to strike at once, the orders will tie up practically every tug in Chicago Harbor.

PARIS BANDITS FIGHT POLICE. Last of Brigand Gang Conquered. Wound Two Police Inspectors.

PARIS, May 14.—A second siege and battle was necessary for the extermination of the remaining leaders of the automobile bandits. Prefect Leprieux and Chief Guichard of the detective force got rid of Bonnot and Dubois at Choley-le-Mer in the Sunday battle three weeks ago.

THIRTY WALK OUT BECAUSE FIRM WOULD'N'T PAY UNION WAGES. The Alteration Carpenters' Union yesterday ordered a strike against Greenwald & Pollak, 137 Henry street, because the firm refused to pay the union scale of wages.

GIBBONS BEATS LAVIN. BUFFALO, N. Y., May 14.—Mike Gibbons received the decision over Paddy Lavin in the eighth round of the ten-round bout before the Buffalo Athletic Association here tonight.

PRINTERS CHOOSE OFFICERS TODAY AFTER HOT FIGHT

After touring the country from coast to coast in behalf of their candidacy, the various candidates for office of the International Typographical Union last night wound up their campaign after carrying on the most exciting battle in the history of the I. T. U., and today's voting will show who were victorious.

THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY. HUNTINGTON, W. Va., May 14.—Chief of Police Springer and City Attorney Clyde Levy, of Ashland, Ky., today face examination by the Grand Jury on sensational charges. Both are under \$500 bond.

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ANTI-MILITARISM A CRIME IN BAY STATE

Six Months for Dissuading Young Men From Militia, Says New Law.

BOSTON, May 14.—Recognizing the fact that military patriotism is on the decline and that enlistments in the militia are not coming in as fast as they used to, the capitalists of Massachusetts have succeeded in forcing a bill through the last session of the State Legislature making the discouraging of any one from joining the militia a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not exceeding \$500, or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or both.

The danger that lurks behind this law for radical minded people and for Socialists in particular can only be realized when the scope and magnitude of this bill is understood.

The law reads in part as follows: "Any person who willfully either deprives a member of the militia or naval reserve of his employment, or denies him employment, or prevents his being employed by another, or obstructs him or his employer in respect of his trade, business, or employment, because of such member's connection with the militia or naval reserve, and whoever dissuades any person from enlisting in the militia or naval reserve shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor."

In view of the fact of the heroic part that the State militia played in the Lawrence strike, it is easy to understand why the capitalists of the good old abolitionist State are so eager to maintain, protect and increase the strength of these loyal hirelings of the exploiting class.

DOUBTS SIGHTING TITANIC'S LIGHTS

LONDON, May 14.—Further testimony in regard to the vessel which was near the Titanic on the night of the collision and wreck was given before the British Investigation Court today by Capt. Stanley Lord of the Leyland liner Californian. He testified that at 11 o'clock on the night of APRIL 14 he saw the lights of an unidentified vessel and tried to communicate by Morse lamp signals, but received no response.

Captain Lord said that the second officer saw a white rocket at 11:15, but that he (Captain Lord) did not believe the rocket was a distress signal and was positive that the vessel whose light were seen was not the Titanic.

THE REPORT OF THE GOVERNOR'S SPECIAL INVESTIGATOR, HARRIS WEINSTEIN, is now in the hands of the Governor and definite action is expected soon from the State capital, which will bring to justice those criminal "vigilantes" who have been outgunning the workingmen in San Diego with the protection of the police.

OFFICIALS IN BAD BOX. Police, Chief and City Attorney Caught in Resort by Mayor.

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IT IS ALLEGED THAT Mayor Moore made a raid on a resort and found the two officials in company with Hattie Burnwell and Edna Morgan, said to have escaped from the Delaware (Ohio) Reformatory. The Mayor stripped Springer of his badge on the spot. The two men are charged with contributing to the delinquency of the two girls.

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VICTORY AT HAND IN FREE SPEECH FIGHT

Authorities and "Vigilantes" of San Diego Backing Down Before Public Opinion.

SAN DIEGO, May 10.—That "a battle in a just cause is bound to win in the end" seems to be the sentiment prevailing here. As the days in the battle for free speech pass on, the fighters realize more and more that they have not fought and suffered in vain; that the sacrifices that were bought are already beginning to bear fruit; that it is better to fight for a principle in the face of defeat than not to fight at all.

Both sides to the controversy are proceeding cautiously, but it is very evident that the San Diego authorities are weakening and victory is in sight for the workers.

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All matter intended for publication in this department must be submitted to this office by noon of the day preceding that on which it is to appear.

MEETINGS TODAY

MANHATTAN AND BRONX.

Executive Committee—229 East 43rd street. Bohemian Branch—Soho Hall, 525 West 73rd street.

Public Speaking Class to Meet. The Public Speaking Class of Branch 3 meets tonight at 264 East 103rd street.

Coming Circle 6 Affairs. Circle 6 of the Young People's Socialist Federation will meet on Friday night at 143 East 103rd street.

Work for the Festival: The coming campaign is uppermost in the minds of all who hope for a better civilization.

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The Call Anniversary Festival Committee requests that all donations which are to be sold at the festival should be sent to Mrs. C. G. Stillman, 16 East 57th street, New York City.

Minutes of the previous meeting corrected and accepted. The resignation from Comrade Marion Boughton was read and accepted.

Moved and carried to ask the City Executive Committee for 10,000 leaflets and also to print Mrs. Stern's leaflet. On motion it was decided to start the open air noon meetings on Saturday, May 18, if possible.

4th A. D.—264 Marcy avenue. 5th A. D.—234 A. D. Branch 1—15 McDougal street.

ERON PREP. SCHOOL. Commercial, Regents, College and Civil Service Courses. Day and Evening.

Under the auspices of Branch 2 of the 20th A. D. David Hirschfeld, of the New York Bar, will speak this evening at Marotta Mansion, Eastwick and Gates avenues.

To Hold Naturalization Conference. On Saturday evening Branch 2 will give a dance and entertainment in Room 20 of the Brooklyn Labor Lyceum.

Invitation to Father Belford. Hubert H. Harrison will lecture on Socialism and Anti-Socialism, which is tomorrow evening at 8:15 o'clock at Hamilton Hall.

QUEENS. Rockaway Beach. A regular meeting of Branch Rockaway, Socialist party will be held this evening at Comrade Goldin's residence.

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CARRIAGE, WAGON AND AUTOMOBILE WORKERS OF BROOKLYN. By John Bergman, Secy. At the last regular meeting of this union it was decided to open an employment bureau at the Labor Lyceum.

LADIES' TAILORS UNION LOCAL 33. By B. L. Banach, Secy. The Executive Board of Local 33 at its regular meeting last Monday night adopted the following resolution.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. H. Krause will lecture in German on his travels in Europe at the meeting of the Young People's Educational Association.

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The Fourth Anniversary Festival OF THE New York Call WILL BE CELEBRATED ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1912 AT THE NEW STAR CASINO Park Avenue and 107th Street WITH A CONCERT and BALL

Minutes Central Committee. The Central Committee of Local Queens County met on May 11 with Comrade Froelich in the chair.

DEFENDER OF CAMERON DAM REFUSED RETRIAL. MADISON, Wis., May 14.—The Supreme Court today refused to grant a new trial to John F. Dietz, the defender of Cameron Dam.

