

STATE POLICE SENT TO CHESTER

Three Companies Will Make Their Headquarters at Traction Company's Barns.

TO BE TEMPORARY PRISON.

All Suspicious Persons Will be Searched to See if They Are Carrying Fire Arms.

Town in Charge of the Governor—No Cars Will be Started Until the Streets are Cleared.

Chester, Pa., April 17.—The three troops of the state police which were ordered to Chester last night after the street strike, arrived at Media, a short distance from the city, during the night and will come into town later in the day. The troops, A of Greenburg, B of Wilkesbarre and C of Reading, aggregate about 160 men. They will make their headquarters in the car barn of the Chester Traction company at 138 Edgemont street, which also will be turned into a temporary prison. The troops, it is said, will search all suspicious persons for firearms, prevent crowds congregating and protect the cars of the company if an attempt is made to resume traffic. About 200 private detectives employed by the company also went on duty today and will co-operate with the state police. In addition to these, the sheriff of the county has about 200 special deputies in service.

There was no disturbance during the night and the city is quiet today.

The company may attempt to resume the running of cars today.

John A. Rigg, president of the United Power and Transportation company, which controls the Chester Traction company, has refused a request made last night by the Chester board of trade to arbitrate. He said:

"Chester is in the hands of the governor and the state police are mobilizing at Media. No cars will be started until the streets are cleared and no one will run any cars while there is any danger of bloodshed."

James Lynch, one of the striking employees, has been held in ball charged with holding a riot.

Mayor Johnson has issued a proclamation in which he requests the people to keep away from the car barns and other places where the police are stationed. He also commands them not to interfere with the operation of the trolley lines.

Under command of Supt. John C. Grosse, the three troops of state police rode into Chester shortly after midnight and proceeded to the car barn of the Traction company. Each policeman was in fatigue uniform and armed with a carbine, a large Colt revolver, a pocket revolver and three belts of cartridges. Large crowds saw the troops pass through the streets, but no demonstration was attempted.

POSTAGE STAMP THEIF.

Youth's Operations Result in Perfecting Device to Prevent Stealing.

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ROOSEVELT

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MARCH RECORD MONTH ON ROOSEVELT DAM

Roosevelt, Ariz., April 17.—March was a record month for the construction of the Roosevelt dam. The cement mill which was built by the reclamation service and is operated by its engineers, produced over 12,000 barrels of Portland cement at a cost of \$1.65 each to the government. The plant is supplying the contractors who are building the Roosevelt retaining dam and the Arizona canal.

As soon as the spring rains are over and the question of floods is eliminated the waters of the Tonto creek and the Salt river will be diverted through the sluicing tunnel and the work of completing the dam across the canyon will be continued. At present about 200 men, in three shifts of eight hours each, are employed by the contractors.

When completed the dam will retain the flood waters of the Salt river and Tonto creek, making a lake about 30 miles long and from two to four miles wide. It will have two broad sided islands, one just opposite the dam and the other about eight miles east in the Salt river arm of the reservoir.

The town on the lake will be Livingston on the Salt river or southeast end; Roosevelt at the dam, and Cline at the Tonto creek or northwestern end. From the dam to Mesa by the government road is 60 miles.

TO PROBE LAND FRAUDS

Special Agent to be Detailed to Begin Investigations in Utah, Colorado and Wyoming Immediately.

Denver, April 17.—The United States department of justice reversing its policy, announced some time ago, will resume investigation of land frauds in Colorado and other western states and a force of special agents has been detailed from Washington to begin immediate work in Colorado, Utah and Wyoming. They are to make their headquarters at Denver.

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AFTER SCHOOL LAW BREAKERS

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Cases of Other Indicted Actors Will be Taken Up Immediately and Pushed to Early Conclusion.

Kansas City, Mo., April 17.—Judge William H. Wallace of the criminal court, was well pleased today at the first conviction last night in a theatrical case growing out of his campaign for the enforcement of the Sunday observance laws of Missouri.

Judge Porterfield's instructions to the jury in the case of L. A. Keller, a ticket-seller, convicted of violating the Sunday labor statute of selling tickets on Sunday vindicates my position on the law and agrees with that of our supreme court," said he.

Judge Wallace had been quoted as saying he would ask the grand jury to inquire into the work of the petit jury that on Wednesday failed to find a verdict in a similar case, that of Thomas Taate, a ticket seller.

"The defense offered no evidence that the defendant, Taate, did not work," said Judge Wallace, "and the state had evidence that he did. Under these circumstances it seems inexplicable how the jury refused to return a verdict for conviction, unless some of them deliberately refused to obey their oaths."

The cases of the other indicted theatrical actors will be taken up without delay, beginning next week, and according to Judge Porterfield, to whose division they have been transferred upon order of the state supreme court, they will be pushed to an early conclusion.

In the meantime, Judge Wallace, the latter says, will continue to seek the indictment of actors who violate the Sunday law. There is to be no let-up.

Colleges a Crying One, Says Elliot.

Cambridge, Mass., April 16.—In the opinion of President Charles W. Elliot of Harvard university, as embodied in his annual report to the board of overseers today, the exaggeration of athletic sports in schools and colleges remains a crying evil.

In a general criticism of college sports he reiterated his previously expressed opinions regarding football, classing it as "the least useful of all the games."

President Elliot says further: "The means of repressing the prevailing exaggeration of athletic sports are obvious as was stated in my report. The number of inter-collegiate contests should be reduced to two in each sport during any one season, the rest of the competition in each sport being exclusively home competition."

RAIN IN NEBRASKA.

Omaha, April 17.—Rain fell over the entire winter wheat section of Nebraska today. The moisture was badly needed.

PORTUGAL QUIET.

Lisbon, April 17.—The country has quieted down, but anxiety is being felt for April 29, when parliament is to convene and on which occasion King Manuel must personally appear before that body and take oath.

THE PATHOLOGISTS.

They and Bacteriologists Hold Eighth Annual Meeting.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 17.—The eighth annual meeting of the American Association of Pathologists and Bacteriologists opened here today with the election of the following council:

President, Dr. H. E. Ernst, Harvard university; vice president, Dr. T. H. Morgan, Johns Hopkins university; Dr. B. M. Mallory, Harvard university; treasurer, Dr. E. H. Williams, University of Buffalo.

A committee was appointed to take charge of a meeting to be held at the University of Michigan, under the leadership of Maj. Carroll, U. S. A., who died of the effects of his experiments while studying the mosquito theory of the spread of yellow fever at also for Dr. L. Tazewell, who was connected with Maj. Carroll in the experiments.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., MOB DRIVES OUT ITALIANS.

Bloomington, Ill., April 17.—Thirty Italians who have been employed by the Illinois Central railroad at Clinton were driven from town last night by a mob who intimidated them with a fusillade of shots from guns and revolvers. There had been much indignation against the Italians since Mayor Edmundson received a Black Hand letter threatening his life.

The Italians were charged with its authorship. The authorities are unable to secure any clue leading to the arrest of the men composing the mob.

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THE SALT LAKE NEWS.

TRUTH AND LIBERTY.

FRIDAY APRIL 17 1908 SALT LAKE CITY UTAH

Going to Move? Watch the "News" For Rent Ads and It Will Help You Decide.

FIFTY-SEVENTH YEAR

THE BUNGALOW CRAZE

Reaches Salt Lake. The narration, illustrated, will appear in the

SATURDAY NEWS

Other exclusive features which will appear in this issue are as follows:

World's Greatest Baseball Fan Makes England Play Ball, (Illustrated).

American Peers Twice Smuts Queen of Spain.

Ancient Polish Church Mecca of Eastern Europe.

Carpenter's Letter on Uganda Cotton, (Illustrated).

Requirements of a Forest Ranger.

Hints to Amateur Gardeners.

Frivolous Spirits and Spiritualists.

DYNAMITE IN A SUIT CASE

Package of Giant Powder Thrown And Jostled Around R. G. W. Depot Platform.

GREEK OWNER IS ARRESTED.

Officer Carey Notices Sticks of Giant Powder as Grip Bursts Open.

When Thrown from Car.

A big package of Giant powder was brought from Bingham to Salt Lake yesterday in the baggage car on a Rio Grande train. It was packed in a suit case and said suit case was not handled any too gently. The case was kicked and cuffed about and when the train arrived at Salt Lake it was thrown from the car and jostled about the platform most unceremoniously. That there was not an explosion, and a bad one, is due to something that cannot be explained.

A Greek by the name of George Angulos was responsible for the near accident. He had been working at Bingham and decided to come to this city. Just before leaving the mining town he found several sticks of giant powder. The number of sticks of the powder placed them in his cloth suit case and checked them in the baggage car. During the trip from Bingham to Salt Lake the baggage was shifted several times and so roughly was the case handled that one end of it was broken open. The case was thrown off the train at the depot and it was then that Officer Carey noticed a couple of sticks of the powder protruding from one end. It was poked up in a rather gingerly manner and taken to police headquarters yesterday afternoon, and officers were detailed to locate the owner. There were rumors that an anarchist had come to town for the purpose of blowing up somebody, but the mystery was cleared up this morning when the officers located Angulos and through an interpreter, learned his story. The Greek was taken to the station but was released and the explosive confiscated.

AMBASSADOR AS REFERENCE.

The communication to the mayor, containing pedigree, references, etc., is appended.

133 Shuter street, Toronto, Ont., Canada, Nth April 98. Sir: Kindly excuse the liberty I take in soliciting your worship's influence to have the following circulated widely in all papers throughout your worship's state and beyond.

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Should your worship wish to investigate my character, I can refer to the Rt. Rev. James Bryce, British ambassador to Washington, U. S. A., also professional gentlemen in this city, guaranteed by the mayor.

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TO SELL SCHOOL BONDS.

Board is Hopeful That Local Capital Will Show Interest.

Bonds of the Salt Lake City school district, amounting to a quarter of a million dollars and yielding 4 per cent interest, authorized at the bond election of 1907, will be advertised for sale by the board of education tomorrow, according to the decision of the board at a meeting held in the office of President H. P. Hendricks last night.

The money is to be used in the erection of new school buildings and additions to buildings already constructed to rapidly increase the population of the city. The congested condition of the schools now in session attest to the woefully inadequate accommodations for the children of school age in the city, and with the funds authorized a year ago the board feels that facilities for obtaining an education can be placed within the reach of every child for a long time to come with the wise expenditure of the money from the bonds.

The hope was expressed at the meeting that local capital would take up a large part of the bonds. The school board is advertised in New York as well as in Salt Lake, yet the board was of the opinion that the issue could be taken up at home by local capitalists and with the assistance, perhaps of the state land board, which has authority to invest in first class bonds in behalf of the state.

The advertisement will call for sealed bids for bonds in the denomination of \$1,000, dated July 1, 1908, to be delivered and paid for Aug. 1, interest payable semi-annually in Salt Lake City or New York city, to be received by the clerk of the board of education on June 1. The bids must be accompanied by certified checks amounting to 5 per cent of the purchase price of the bonds, to be retained as usual reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and no contingent bids will be allowed.

DE KOVEN IN VAUDEVILLE.

Martin Beck Arranges with the Famous Composer for Four Scores.

Word was received here this morning by Resident Manager Jennings that Martin Beck, the energetic general manager of the Orpheum circuit, made an exclusive arrangement yesterday with Mr. Reginald DeKoven, the famous American composer, for four one-act operettas by the popular writer of "Robin Hood," "Foxy Quiller," "The Highwayman," "The Red Feather," "The Crusaders," "Rob Roy" and nearly 25 other light opera successes. These were made by the producing department of the Orpheum circuit, under the direction of Mr. Charles Zevely, will be complete music. The operettas will be produced in Salt Lake City and New York city, to be played at the Lyric theatre at death's door. The bulletin is as follows:

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MAYOR IN THE ROLE OF CUPID

"His Worship" Importuned to Start a Matrimonial Agency in Salt Lake.

CANADIAN SEEKS UTAH WIFE.

Wants Leap-Year Proposals from Bona-Fide Wealthy Ladies Only—Furnishes High Class References.

There is a tide in the affairs of every body, according to some well accredited poet, which, if taken at the turn, leads on to fortune. The "turn" in the estimation of the writer of a certain communication received by "His Worship" the mayor this morning, is doubtless therewith presented to hosts of languishing young maids who have been waiting such an opportunity in this country by the thousand.

The proposed recipient of the "proposals" accompanies his letter to Mayor Bransford with a photo of himself, with a notation "for the newspapers only." There is only one photograph, and those of the aforesaid languishing maids who long for a look at "is" "lightness, must answer the ad under the conditions imposed.

Leap year has not happened for eight long years. How the Toronto swain has managed to wait all this time for the time to come when he could be received by him containing "proposals" for his "and art, must be left to be imagined; deponent sayeth not.

NOT "ARP" BAD LOOKIN'.

According to the photo enclosed, James is not such a bad looking chap, as you know. He has big black eyes (leastways they are black on the card), a well parted mustache and a peak he wears a military cap, bearing above the visor a device in embroidery greatly resembling a "G" mark. He appears to be nearing the age of 40, submits unquestionable references, and all in all seems to be such a likely "catch" as may give chance again in a lifetime. Following is the bid for proposals, addressed to the ladies:

"I shall esteem it a great favor to receive genuine leap-year proposals for marriage, from bona-fide wealthy ladies only.

"Applications to be addressed to 'Sutor,' care his worship the mayor of Salt Lake City, marked 'Leap-Year Proposal'.

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Two Men Enter Citizens' State Bank at Chautauqua, Kan., Locking Cashier in Vault.

TOOK ALL CURRENCY IN SIGHT

Was Before Opening Hour, Pulled Down Blinds and Calmly Went to Work.

Robbers Well Dressed—Cashier and Other Man Thought It Joke Until Pistols Shoved in Their Faces.

Coffeyville, Kan., April 17.—Two men entered the Citizens' State bank at Chautauqua, 25 miles west of Coffeyville, at 9:30 this morning, and after forcing Cashier C. C. Walterhouse and Del Easley, a business man, to enter the vault, locked them in, secured all the currency in sight, amounting to about \$3,000, and escaped into the Osage hills across the line in Oklahoma. Four posies are in pursuit and as the roads are muddy, it is believed the robbers will be captured.

The robbers secured but half an hour's start.

A DARING DEED.

The robbery was one of the most daring ever executed in this part of Kansas, the scene of many hold-ups on the part of Daltons, Starr and other gangs of outlaws who from time to time have made their rendezvous in the mountainous country of nearby Oklahoma. Cashier Walterhouse had scarcely opened the bank at Chautauqua this morning and placed his currency on the counter, ready for the day's business, when the two robbers entered. The only other person in the place was Del Easley. The robbers, both of them well dressed, made their way leisurely and up the main street. One of them was a man well-known about town and he commanded Walterhouse and Easley to throw up