# STRIKE BRINGS RIOT

Sixteen Men Are Wounded at New Orleans.

STREET-CAR MEN STILL FIRM

Militia Is Expected on the Ground Today - Local Company Resigns Out of Sympathy-Mass Meeting Denounces Employes.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 8.-The attempt this morning of the New Orleans railway companies to start cars on its lines, which have been completely tied up for 11 days. have been completely tied up for 11 days, precipitated a long-impending conflict be-tween the strikers and those who attempted to fill their places. Although a hun-fred shots were fired, nobody was killed, but the following persons were injured; Policeman John Fordyce, ribs fractured and scalp wound; Policeman Blouin, leg and hip fractured; Policeman Hessel, hit in the eye and on leg with bricks; Police-man Schlessinger, hit in neck with brick and bruised on head, shoulder and wrist; Policeman Hattler, scalp wound from a brick; Patrol Driver Brown, arm broken; Pete Jensen, of Chlengo, strike-breaker conductor, jaw broken by a brick; Louis Christensen, of Chicago, badly bruised by bricks; Thomas Jones, of Chicago, badly bruised by bricks; M. L. Kennedy, of Chicago, conductor of car, shot in foot; A. M. Clark, of Chicago, assistant to Jensen, hit in eye with a brick; Charles Ferguson, of Chicago, elbow broken by a blow; Budd Lynn, striker, shot in arm; Fred Elchting, switch boy, shot in leg; Alexander Derbs laborer, sympathizer, shot in leg; un-known striker, shot in head, scalp wounds.

Mayor Capdeville, who requested Gover-nor Heard to order out the militia, has been advised that Major-General Giynn, in command of the First military district, rould report to the Mayor tomorrow norning. The street railway company announces its intention to run cars tomor-row. The strikers are as determined as ever, while the citizens, who have been walking and riding in all manner of conyances for four days more than a week, niidently expect trouble. The riot this morning occurred in the same neighborhood as the one of the day before.

Tonight a mass meeting was held in

Washington Artillery Hall. The mass meeting was attended by 3000 workingmen meeting was attended by som workingmen and many women. It was presided over by Robert E. Lee, the Republican candidate for Congress and president of the Central Trades and Labor Council. The addresses were temperate, considering the situation, except when reference was made to J. H. Edison, the St. Louis strikebreaker. The crewd shouted "Hang him!" "Kill him!" "Lynch him!" etc. The first three speakers denounced the importation of the strike-breakers. The authorities were denounced for calling out the militia. Resolutions were adopted denouncing the railway company and protesting against the importation of outside labor. The crowd dispersed without disorder.

All the militin in the city was ordered under arms tonight, and corporal guards are rounding up the men. The plan of operations for tomorrow has not been determined. One company, C, of the Third Regiment, wants to evade service because of sympathy with the strikers and all of of sympathy with the strikers, and all of the officers and men resigned in a body. The Governor has not been heard from on this, but it is understood the resignations

will not be accepted.

The militia under orders tonight include the naval battalion, 400 men; Washington Artillery, 300 men; Louisiana Field Ar-tillery, 400 men, and the First Troop of Cavairy, 500 men, mounted. They are all at their armond. at their armories.

At midnight, Herman Corbush and Harry Fellman, nonunion men from Chi-cago, were walking out Canal street tocago, were walking out Canai street to-ward the barn. When at the intersec-tion of Basin they were accosted by a man who drew a revolver and fired two shots at them and escaped. Corbush was badly wounded in the groin and was taken to the hospital. Fellman was taken to the Cantral Station, which is only two blocks distant. The two men had only just reached town, and were going to report for duty to take out cars tomorrow.

### SALE OF RESERVE TIMBER Ample Provision Has Been Made by the Department.

KOOSKIA, Idaho, Sept. 27 .- (To the Editor.)—I have read with much interest and pleasure your editorial on "The Blue Mountain Reserve Project." You have stated a great deal of truth in a few senstated a great deal of truth in a few sentences. Permit me to say, however, that in one particular I fear you have not been correctly informed, if I read your words aright. The expression, "It (the forest reserve system) makes, as yet, no provision for the use of timber under rules assuring forest protection," possibly inadvertent, appears to me erroneous. As illustrative of the policy of the Government in this regard. I invite your attention. ment in this regard, I invite your atten-tion to the several circulars of instrucns relating to sales of timber and to

tions relating to sales of limber and to the free use of timber on forest reserves. The circular of February 27, 1902, is cal-culated and intended to provide rules on the point in question. It will be observed that as rapidly as practicable forest reserves are to be surveyed and mapped and accurate estimates of timber made, showing the timber conditions in every reserve. With such data in hand, expert serves are to be surveyed and mapp foresters will be able to determine to a nicety the annual growth in any given area. Having this information, the dearea. Having this information, the de-partment can apply the rule that "the amount of timber disposed of in any one year in a given basin or watershed should not exceed the estimated annual timber increment of that basin or watershed," which is now in full force and never lost sight of in determining the advisability of

granting or refusing any application for sale or free use of forest reserve timber. An examination of the circular of January 22, 1902, will show that paragraphs 4, 5, 7, 8, 14, 15, 16 and 18, on page 5, are especially designed to prevent the cutting of young or immature timber, except when such cutting is desirable for thinning dense growths; and to guard as far as possible against fires by requiring all refuse left by cutters to be collected and carefully disposed of, the prime object of all those paragraphs being to assure for-

est preservation.

Every forest officer knows that it is the declared intention of the department "to maintain and utilize the forest products of forest reserves in a state of the highest continued production for the direct benefit of the people dependent thereon, to supply local demands within the state in which the timber grows."

F. A. FENN. Forcet Superintendent of Idaho and Mon-

### RULES FOR TAKING TIMBER.

Sales From Forest Reserves When Not Detrimental. circular of the General Land Office.

issued last January, referred to in the foregoing letter, provides as follows: Timber will be sold, both live and dead, wherever the removal of such material will be beneficial, or at least not detrimental, to the

the disposition of this material the local

After an agreement is reached the applicant should sign a definite application, prepared on the regular form, with the assistance of the

the regular form, with the assistance of the forest officer.

After this, the forest officer marks out the block or area where the timber may be cut, mays it and estimates the amount of timber on the whole, and also the particular kind applied for. He who makes a general forest description of the tract, block or quarter section.

Then the application, together with the forest officer's description and recommendation, is sent to the department at Washington.

If approved, the timber will be advertised in a local paper for 30 days (30 days in California). This advertisement will be waived only in cases where the amount involved in the sale is of \$100 stumpage value, or less.

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Bids on this timber will then be in order. These bids, together with a deposit (insuring the good faith of the bidder), should be sent by the bidders to the receiver of the local land office, and the bid will be forwarded from that office to the department.

At the end of 30 days (80 days in California), the timber will be awarded to the highest bidder; and if the applicant is the successful bidder.

At the end of 30 days (80 days in California), the timber will be awarded to the highest bidder; and if the applicant is the successful bidder, the deposit is credited on the sale; if not, the money will be refunded.

When the timber is awarded the applicant will sign a contract containing the specifications contained in the original application, as to manner of cutting, scaling and cleaning up, see, and if the case seems to justify it, be and, if the case seems to justify it, will be asked to give a bond, usually in an amount double the value of the timber, to secure the proper fulfillment of the contract. Cutting may then begin.

The material will be skidded or piled in the

customary manner, and the purchaser is re-quired to mark the tops of the logs to facilitate

scaling. The scaling will be done in the customary way by the old Scribner rule. Railway ties are simply counted, and 30 ties, eight feet in length, equal 1000 feet board measure: 40 ties, six feet in length, equal 1000 feet board measures.

sin feet in length, equal 1000 feet board measure. Cordwood is measured in the ordinary way. Where green timber 10 inches and over in diameter is cut into cordwood it is charged as timber, and two cords are considered equal to 1000 feet board measure.

The scaling will be done according to the conditions of the case. If the cutting is on a sufficiently large scale, it will be done in such a way as to keep up with the work; otherwise, the scaling will be done at set times.

All timber must be marked with the United States stamp before it may be removed.

The contract provisions referred to by

The contract provisions referred to by Mr. Fenn are the following: To cut only timber on the area agreed upon and blazed and marked, and not to cut any of and blazed and marked, and not to cut any of the live trees bounding this area.

To leave no logs, ties, lagging or other mate-rial in the woods, and to pay double the agree-price for any material thus left in the woods. To cut only marked timber, and to cut al-

To leave no trees lodged in process of felling.

Tops to be dragged bodily into openings ready
for burning.

Tops to be lopped and brush piled on entire

No hewing except at skidways in openi Cut all dead material cound enough for fue

### INCANDESCENT LIGHTS. They Generate Heat, and Are Dan

gerous When Carelessly Placed. London Lancet. The incandescent electric lamp is essen-tially a device which transforms, electri-

city partly into light, but mostly into heat. As is well known, the carbon fla-ment of the lamp is a substance offering great resistance to the passage of the cur-sent, and the product of this resistance is light and heat. It is an instance of the translation of one form of energy into another. It may not, however, generally be known that the light produced is, after all, but a small percentage of the energy thus manifested—some 5 or 6 per cent only This fact is very important, bearing in

mind a very common notion that the elec-tric incandescent lamp is free from the heat rays. It is true that the lamp, when working, is not comparable with a flame or naked light, but at the same time the heat evolved is such as may lead to igni tion. We are disposed to emphasize this point because the incandescent electric lamp is used for the purposes of illumina-tion and decoration in shops without regard to the possibility-nay, probability-of fancy goods being fired which happen to be contiguous. Indeed, so firm is the idea that the incandescent electric lamp is free from heat that it is frequently to be found buried in a mass of easily-ignited and highly inflammable material. This is a mistake, and care should be exercised with the electric lamp in its application in this connection, but the risk, of course, is not so great as where naked lights are

We have found by experiment that on immersing a 16-candle-power lamp (100 volts pressure) in half a pint of water the water boils within an hour, and in proportionately less time when a 32-candle lamp is substituted. If, again, the lamp be buried in cotton wool the wool soon begins to scorch, and ultimately to burst into fiame. In one experiment which we tried the bursting into fiame of the woo was accompanied by a loud report, due to the explosion of the lamp. It dearly appears from this that the incandescent electric lamp cannot be regarded as an unlikely means of starting a serious fire, and shop-keepers, especially those who exhibit highly inflammable fabrics, should know that there is risk in placing such goods too close to the lamp. The lamp in contact with celluloid fires it in less than five minutes, and, therefore, the danger is particularly obvious in the case of toy shops, where electric incandescent lamps are often suspended in the midst of toy

### TO SHORTEN ITS LINE. Northern Pacific Will Go Over Coeur d'Alene by Wallace to Spokane.

MISSOULA, Mont., Oct. &.-R. I. Glea-son, consulting engineer of the Rocky Mountain division of the Northern Pacific, has started out on the Coeur d'Alene branch with a large party of engineers to make surveys along the line, looking towards making important changes. The party consisted of 30 men, and it is said in railroad circles here that the Northern Pacific will take a step that has been contemplated for several years, that of changing the main line business and run it over the Coeur d'Alene line via Wallace, Idaho, to Spokane. This plan has been considered feasible for some time, and would shorten the run between been would shorten the run between here and

Spokane by 80 miles.

The Coeur d'Alene branch as it runs at present has some curves that are too short and some grades that are too steep to be acceptable for main-line business and it is reported that it is expected to make such corrections on the line that Engineer Gleason and his party are starting out to make surveys for. starting out to make surveys for

Government Agent Ends Life. ST. PAUL, Oct. 8.-L. C. Hayes, supposed to be a Government agent in Mon-tana, committed suicide by shooting a the Merchants Hotel today. He left a note asking that his wife at Elizabeth-town, Ky., be notified of his death. He had a ticket calling for transportation to Harlem, Mont. He came to the hotel last Monday, and last night complained to an employe of the house of not feeling

Mascagni Begins Operatic Tour.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Pietre Mascagni tonight opened his American operatic tour with the performance of two of his own presentations at the Metropolitan Opera-House, which was literally crowded from parquette to gallery. The audience gave the composer a wonderfully warm and enthusiastic welcome. The evening and enthusiastic welcome. The evening's en-tertainment opened with the one-act love story "Zanetto." the bill being completed with "Cavalleria Rustleana."

demand will have preference, and, in localities where this local demand is so great that all available timber is likely to be needed, applications involving the export of the material to distant points will be retused.

The applicant who wishes to purchase timber will apply, in person or in writing, to the supervisor of the reserve, stating how much timber he wishes to buy, the kind of material desired, and where the timber is located.

As soon as practicable the supervisor or his

MINERS ALL VOTE "NO"

ROOSEVELT'S PEACE PLAN BADLY DEFEATED.

Will Not Return to Work Unless Con cessions Are Made-President Is Commended.

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United States were sent here, until they troops for this region have not arrived, and the general strike situation remain

National President Mitchell, of the Min ers' Union, and the three anthracite district presidents returned to this city from Buffalo this morning. The chief of the miners had nothing to say regarding yes terday's trip, and also declined to discus President Roosevelt's proposition for ending the strike.

The mail matter received at strike headquarters is increasing as the thermom eter goes down. Scores of letters are from eccentric persons giving advice as to what to do, and many are received from per sons who want the strike ended so that they can get coal. One postal card reached headquarters from Canada on which was written:

"Please take the advice in third chapter, 14th verse, St. Luke's Gospel, and let us have some coal."

### MITCHELL IN NEW YORK. He Confers With Quay and Penrose

But Will Not Talk. NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—President John Mitchell, of the United Mineworkers, ar rived at the Pennsylvania Station at Jersey City tonight, having come on a Le sey city tongat, having come on a Les-high Valley train from Wilkesbarre, With him were District Presidents Nicholes, Fahey and Duffy. They went immediately to the Ashiand House, this city. Mr. Mitchell was asked if he had come to hold a conference with the operators, but he a conference with the operators, but he declined to say. He refused to answer all questions, and say how long he would be in the city. Mr. Mitchell had the appearance of having been under severe mental and physical strain, but assured questioners that he was in good health though tired.

At 10 o'clock this evening, Mr. Mitchell called up Wilkesbarre by telephone, the reason being that he had expected-some telegrams which he did not find waiting him. Shortly after this he turned to the newspaper men and said: "The information has been conveyed to me by telephone that a total of 200 local

unions have reported unanimous votes against resuming work. The men are not deterred from going to work through any fear of bodily harm, but are resolved to remain out until the differences between them and the operators are arbitrated, or until they are ordered to return by their leaders. This leaves about 40 or 50 local unions to hear from yet. The local unions to hear from yet. The unanimous action includes the votes of strikers not members of the union, but who were present at the meetings and voted with the union men. At 11 o'clock, President Mitchell and two

of the dietrict presidents went from Ashland House to the Fifth-Avenue Hotel where Senators Quay and Penrose, of Pennsylvania, and Louis N. Hammerling, of Wilkesbarre, were registered. Mr Mitchell's conference with Senators Quay and Penrose lasted for an hour and three quarters. At its conclusion, Mr. Mitchell returned to the Ashland House. He de-clined to say a word as to his talk with the Senators and the latter left word with the clerk at the Fifth Avenue that they would not see anyone, instructing the clerk to refuse the cards of any per-sons who might wish to interview them.

### NO NEWS AT WHITE HOUSE. If Roosevelt Has Any Other Peace

Plan, It Is Not Known. WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.-There have been no further developments here in the coal strike situation. The President has re-ceived no response to his suggestion sub-mitted Monday evening to President come from the operators, nor are there any in prospect, so far as the Adminis-tration is aware. With the protection now offered by Governor Stone, it is presumed the operators will try to make good their assertions that they will supply the country with coal. If President Mitchell re fuses to entertain the latest proposition of President Roosevelt, it is said that de-velopments in the coal region must solve the problem. If President Roosevelt has other plan, no intimation of it has

Mitchell's Reply Still in Mail. WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 .- The enswer of President John Mitchell, of the United Mineworkers, to the letter of President Roosevelt requesting that the anthracite immediately, had not been received at the temporary White House up to 11 o'clock tonight. Secretary Cortelyou expects that the letter will be in the regular morning

Roosevelt and Root Confer.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Secretary Root was in consultation with the President for more than two hours tonight and it is thought that the strike situation received much attention. President Nicholl Murray Butler, of Columbia University, also called, but declined to indicate the object of his visit to the White House Early in the evening Attorney-General Knox was at the White House for an

Rumor That Baer Has Resigned. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.-A rumor was current here tonight that George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad, has submitted his resignation to the board of directors. Inquiry at Mr. Baer's residence here elicited the information that he had retired for the night, leaving strict orders that he was not to be disturbed. Two members of the board of directors, however, emphatically denied the rumor. The Reading directors met today to consider the annual report of the company and it was stated that no other business was discussed.

### OPERATORS FAIL TO SHOW UP. Manufacturers' Visit to Philadelphia

Fruitless Thus Far. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—The visit to this city of the committee representing the National Association of Manufacturers for the purpose of conferring with the presidents of the coal-carrying roads, who last week met President Rooseveit and the officials of the Miners' Union at Wash-ington, appears to have been fruitless The committee arrived here early this morning and spent the greater part of the day at the Manufacturers' Club awaiting the appearance of the presidents, but non of the latter appeared, in person at least, at the request of the committee for a conference. Then the committee issued

the following statement:
"The committee of the National Manufacturers' Association came to Philadelphia after meeting John Mitchell and his associates at Buffalo on Tuesday, for the purpose of considering measures by which the coal strike could be ended, and this committee will meet again October 14.

"D. M. PARRY, President,
"GEORGE H. BARBOUR, Detroit,
"RICHARD YOUNG New York

"RICHARD YOUNG, New York, "FRANK LEAKE, Philadelphia."

After the members of the committee had caten breakfast, they dispatched a messenger to the office of President Back, of the Reading Company, announcing that they were ready to meet the operators. The nature of Mr. Baer's reply is not

known, but in answer to a question the rallroad president said: "I know nothing about a committee." He declined to make

about a committee." He declined to make any further statement.

President Parry said invitations to meet the committee had been sent to all the presidents who had met President Roosevelt has week, and that favorable replies had been received from three of them. He would not, however, divulge their names. During the afternoon President Parry, in an interview, said: "The stylke has reached what we now believe is the crisis. We were in hopes of meeting the operators today, but, owing to the short notice they had, they were unable to be present."

Invitation to Operators. NEW YORK, Oct. &.—The presidents of the anthracite and coal roads and John Markle have received the following telegram from the committee of the National Manufacturers' Association, which met yesterday with Mr. Mitchell and the dis-trict presidents of the United Mineworkere at Buffalo:

ere at Buffalo:
"Albany, N. Y., Oct. 8.—Our committee
of conference here desire to meet you
tomorrow at 10 A. M., Manufacturers'
Club, Philadelphia. This is very urgent."
Two of the operators named have announced their intention to decline the

President Fowler, of the Ontario & Western, said there was nothing new in the situation, so far as his road was

"This is not the time to talk." said President Fowler, "It is the time for accoal and will bend all our energies in that There was an informal conference of

the leading interests today, but nothing of interest developed. PEACE DELEGATES ARRIVING.

Five Hundred Men Expected at Detroit Meeting Today. DETROIT, Oct. 8.-Delegatee to the interstate conference on the coal situation, called by Mayor Maybury and a special committee of the Common Council, are

arriving tonight on almost every train. The conference will be called to order tomorrow morning in the Masonic Tem ple by Mayor Maybury. No plan of acby the local committee. It is expected that by tomorrow noon there will be delegates present. SUIT UNDER TRUST LAW.

### Action Commenced Against Railways in Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.-Frank H. Thompson, of this city, began proceedings today in the United States Circuit Court to have the Philadelphia & Reading Railway, the Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Lehigh Valley road, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, the Delaware & Hudson Railroad and the New York, Ontario & Western Railroad Companies ieclared an illegal combination, because they are engaged in an unlawful restraint of the suthracite coal supply. Mr. Thompson also requests that the representatives of the companies "be restrained and prohibited from meeting either for the purpose of fixing the rate

New York Anti-Trust Action Put Off. ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The hearing which was to have been given today before Attorney-General Davies on the ap plication to commence proceedings under the Donnelly anti-trust law against the coal-carrying roads operating in state, which control the anthracite fields in Pennsylvania, has been adjourned until October 15, at the request of the rail-road companies. The Pennsylvania company filed an answer in which it denies that it is a party to any illegal com

Petition for Public Ownership. HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 8.—A committee from the labor union of Philadel-phia called upon Governor Stone this afternoon and presented a petition adopted at a meeting on Monday calling upon the executive to take action to acquire public ownership of the mines. The Governor promised to refer the communi-cation to Attorney-General Elkin.

### STRIKERS TRY TO STOP TRAIN.

Coupling Pins Are Removed Five Times and a Few Stones Thrown. HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 8.-The first the Sixth Regiment from Chester. outbreak of disorder since the marches and arrests of two weeks ago occurred at Williamstown last night, when an attempt was made to move 32 cars of coal from the siding of the Lykens Valley Coal Company. Coupling pins were drawn five times and some stones were thrown. Finally the trainmen got the cars coupled and started off with the train, amid the hoots and jeers of men and boys. When the cars were taken through Wisconisco the train crew was jeered. Soon after the train passed a mob marched about the town and threw stones at the houses of the men who had been working. No damage was done.

Striking Miner Fatally Shot. SHENANDOAH, Pa., Oct. 8.—Martin McAndrew, a striking miner, was fatally shot near his home tonight, Although h will die before morning, he steadfastly refused to tell who shot him. He was taken to his home by two unknown men who left him at the door and then ran

Drivers Will Not Work Under Guard. SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 8.-Two com-panies of the Fourth Regiment were on

keeping strikers bent on mischief away from the mine. The Liewllyn Coal Com-pany intended to start up the colliery today but failed, the driver boys refusing to go to work under armed protection Six companies of the Sixteenth Regi-ment arrived here today and camped on

packages at 15 cents at your grocers.

### Soldiers' Train Stoned. HAZELTON, Pa., Oct. 8.-The First

the outskirts of the town.

Regiment of Philadelphia arrived here this morning. The only incident of the trip was the stoning of the second section, near Bethlehem. Several car win-dows were shattered. The regiment will be concentrated at central points and details will be sent by railroad or trolley to collieries where their services may be required. Everything is quiet in the Hazelton district today.

Operators Make Gains. TAMAQUA, Pa., Oct. 8.-The Second Philadelphia. Regiment of Philadelphia, Guard, arrived here this mo No threats are made against the guardsmen and little trouble is anticipated. The The general feeling is one of anathy Rust ness is at a standstill. Reports from this region indicate that the operators made a slight gain in their working force to-

### WILL EXPEL MILITIAMEN. New York Trades Assembly Move for

Street-Car Strikers. SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The Trades Assembly tonight decided that all members of the militia on duty at Glens Falls should be expelled from their re-

### CITY HAS CONSIDERABLE COAL. New York Not Worrying About Pub-He Inconvenience Now.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.-Statements made today by the heads of the various city bureaus indicate that there is no immediate danger of public inconvenience from the coal shortage. The Superin-tendent of Public Schools said that they

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### A Bonanza for British Dealers. NEW YORK, Oct. 8 .- Although the de-

raising the price of coal on most of the British exchanges again, the exports show an increase for the past month of fully 100,600 tons, and the shipments to America are expected to have a marked effect on the expertations for October, cables the Tribune's London correspondent. Owing to Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's export du-tics, the British treasury must benefit

Negroes Take Places of Strikers. BIRMINGHAM, Ale., Oct. 8.-A report from Johns, in the Boue Creek district today, says that 60 negro miners are at work in the mines of the Tennessee Coal

# Iron & Railway Company, where a strike was declared last Monday. BIG FIRE FROM EXPLOSION

Birmington Property to Value \$200,000 Destroyed. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 8 -- An explosion today in a one-story warehouse of the Moore & Handley Hardware Com-pany, adjoining the other buildings of company on Powell avenue.

Twenty-first street, caused a fire that destroyed property valued at \$200,000; insurance about 25 per cent. The company's main building, a three-story brick struc-ture, narrowly escaped destruction. C. M. Ryce, a clerk, and John Simpson, a salesman, were hurt. Several heavy ex-plosions occurred during the progress of the fire, causing a panic among the thou-

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. H. B. Chase has left town to spend the Winter at Pacific Grove, Cal. Major L. D. Kinney, of the Great Central Railroad, has gone to Roseburg for a few days to look after organizing opera-tions for the Coos Bay line.

in which he owns a ninth interest. The new vein is fully 10 feet wide, and the owners are enthusiastic over the new discovery.

Toronto, Canada

NEW YORK, Oct. & - (Special.)-Northwest people registered at New York hotels today are as follows: Portland-Plaza, D. E. Smith and wife;

Cadillac, J. Silverton; Kensington, W. H.
Pope; Victoria, S. Bissinger; Grand
Union, P. A. Smith.
Seattle-Criterion, J. W. Stutman; Holland, P. J. Brandy: Herald Square, J. Bothwell; Imperial, J. W. Steadman; Mariborough, Mrs. T. M. Young, Dr. Young; Navarre, Miss B. Jaffe, L. Jaffe; Grand Union, Mrs. F. E. Thompson; Victoria, K. G. Barnes.

### TROUBLE IN ROYAL HOUSE Queen Draga Seeks Revenge on King for Stopping "Pin Money."

Belgrade, Servia, of the Nues Weiner Tagebiatt, says that to revenge herself upon King Alexander for stopping ner "pin money," Queen Draga created scandalous scenes before the courtiers. The King reproached the Queen with being the curse of his life. Queen Draga retorted with coarse abuse, according the King of a liaison with her sister Helen, and even boxed the King's ears.

Declare Against Educational Bill. BIRMINGHAM, England, Oct. 8.-The British Baptist Union, which is now in seesion here, passed resolutions declaring that the government's educational bill violates the fundamental principles of the constitution, and pledging the members of the assembly to a determined endeavor

to make the measure if enacted ineffec-tive, and to suffer distraint of property

rather than to pay the school rate.

Still Under Semi-Martial Law. GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Oct. 8.-This city is still under semi-martial law, be-cause of the strike of the motormen of the Hudson Valley Electric Railway, the tendent of Public Schools said that they had enough on hand to run the schools for two months. The Fire Department has coal enough to last until January 1, property of the Park Copper & Gold Min-arrested today charged with rioting.

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