

WORST IS OVER

Workmen Won by Russian Government

BLOODSHED IN WARSAW

Strikers Shot Down by Troops in Polish Capital.

COTTON CENTER ON A STRIKE

Liberal Leader Admits Skill of Government in Quieting Workmen, but Predicts Bomb-Throwing and Revolt of Peasants.

Every indication seems to point to the deterioration of the strike movement in Russia. Several large factories in St. Petersburg reopened yesterday, and a general resumption of work on Monday is probable.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 27.—The authorities are receiving the news from the front with great satisfaction, being convinced that it will serve at least partly to distract attention from the strike and internal affairs generally.

At the same time the strike situation generally is improving. In St. Petersburg there is no longer any doubt that the strike is broken. Fourteen establishments including the Franco-Russian, Abnook, British, Russo-American Rubber Company, and the Ropes American Refinery already have resumed and an entire starting up of factories seems to be assured for next Monday.

Conciliating the Workmen. One of the best posted and most famous of Russian Liberals said to the Associated Press last night: "While the events of last Sunday have given enormous impetus throughout Russia to all movements against the existing order of things, it is truly marvelous with what skill and adroitness the government seems to be turning the situation to its own account with the very men who have suffered and who less than a week ago would have been in open revolt had they been able to secure arms."

FATHER GOPON TO BE HANGED. LONDON, Jan. 28.—The meteoric career of Father Gopon is to be brought to an end by the hangman's rope, according to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Daily Mail. The correspondent confirms the report that the serious arrest is at the Altscher Hospital, recovering from the wounds he received during the clash near the Putiloff works. After his recovery he will be court-martialed, charged with high treason, and, if found guilty, hanged.

Peasants Will Revolt Next. Speaking generally of the situation, this man said: "Strike will sweep over Russia like a wave, but there will be no revolution; the conditions are not yet ripe. It is only a spasmodic, convulsion of greater or less duration in different places, accompanied by disorders and perhaps by bloodshed. It will subside, temporarily at least, and reappear again in some other form, now in the cities and next in the broad agricultural country."

When the peasants attacked the landlords, burned their property and robbed and often killed them, and possibly it may create a similar reign of terror in country regions.

"The government's embarrassment will go on and the autocracy will fight back by inch, but it will be forced to give way, as it has done here whenever too hard pressed, until finally the contest will end in the granting of a constitution or a revolution will overtake it."

"What of the immediate future?" was asked. "Bombs," was the reply. "The terrorists will begin to take vengeance."

Most Russian newspapers which will appear today have decided, inasmuch as they will not be permitted to publish full and unmeasured accounts of the events of the last few days, to print only the official statement. It is said that the authorities say the censorship will be removed as soon as the situation again becomes normal.

Gopon Will Throw Off Mask. A Russian Journalist says that Father Gopon told him Saturday night that the time had come when he could take off the mask and declare himself a Socialist. He said he knew the Emperor would not be at the Winter Palace on Sunday to meet the workmen, and that he knew the troops would fire, although he had preached the contrary at the workmen's meetings. The object, Father Gopon is reported to have said, was to open the eyes of the workmen and turn them into revolutionists.

Father Gopon's whereabouts are not definitely established, although he is said to be in the Shafoufsky Hospital, wounded.

CONFLICT IN BALTIC CITIES. Strikers Fight Police and Soldiers in New Strike Centers.

KIEFF, Jan. 28.—Under the outward calm which has settled upon the strike situation in Kieff, a political agitation of most determined character is progressing. The belief is general that the danger of a general strike, coupled with political demonstrations of a desperate character, is by no means over. Several factories have been enabled to resume work after one day's suspension and similar instances are reported from other cities.

Among these are Vilna, Kovno, Riga, Reval, Libau and Saratoff, where official reports state that workmen have begun to realize that they have been victimized by political agitators. The workmen in these cities, reports state, do not regret having manifested their sympathy with the St. Petersburg strikers, but are now getting ready to take up their daily tasks. A general strike still prevails at Libau and Riga, but according to official advice, both are weakening.

At Libau occurred a conflict in the course of which a Sergeant and several gendarmes were shot and seriously wounded. A small squad of guards came across a body of strikers engaged in destroying telegraph wires. In the fight that followed the workmen used revolvers, but were driven back.

A large number of arrests have been made at Riga. There the agitators were inciting the strikers to use firearms. Several shots were fired at the police and thereupon it was decided as the safest way to arrest the known leaders of the revolutionary element.

PLANS FOR CONCILIATION. While Czar Discusses Them, Strike Grows Worse at Warsaw.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 28.—(G. A. M.)—A special council was held at Tsarskoie-Selo, at which, it is reported, various conciliatory measures were decided on, but no details have yet transpired.

Emperor Nicholas gave a luncheon yesterday at Tsarskoie-Selo in honor of the birthday of Emperor William of Germany. The strike continues at Saratoff, Khar-koff and Lodz. No papers have appeared in any of these cities. At Warsaw the situation appears to be growing worse. The strike is rapidly spreading, shops have been closed, there are no newspapers and telephone service has been stopped.

BAD SITUATION IN WARSAW. Rich Monopolize Bread Supply, Leaving Poor to Starve.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The situation in Warsaw is grave, according to the correspondent there of the Daily Mail. When the bakers struck, rich people besieged the shops and bought the stocks, and the supply of bread is now exhausted. The Socialist party was instrumental in organizing the strike.

The correspondent adds that the general condition in Poland is pitiable, owing to the poor harvest. There are fully 300,000 unemployed persons, not reckoning the strikers. Warsaw itself is full of troops.

CANNOT STAMP OUT FIRE. Gorky's Reply to Message of Sympathy From French Authors.

PARIS, Jan. 28.—The Society of French Authors has received a telegram from Maxim Gorky, the Russian author, in response to its dispatch expressing sympathy over his arrest. After thanking the authors for their kind words, Gorky says: "The fire now it will never again be stamped out."

Duplicates of the society's telegram to Gorky have been sent to the Czar and Governor-General Troeff.

TREPOFF A PEACEMAKER. Official Announcement Explains Purpose of His Appointment.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 27.—A semi-official announcement issued today says: "The expressions in the foreign newspapers of lack of confidence regarding the appointment of Governor-General Troeff as a measure calculated to improve the situation, has created astonishment in official circles in St. Petersburg and on the Bourse. The impression in St. Petersburg regarding the measure is quite different, and it is manifested in a marked increase of confidence. Recent events have shown that the people are unable to avert or direct a strike movement."

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50c Socks at 39c \$1 Underwear 79c

Men's imported fancy lisle Half-Hose in the very newest designs and colorings, striped, figured and two-toned effects; the best 50c quality on sale at, per pair 39c

Men's natural gray merino Shirts and Drawers of Spring Weight—shirts have ribbed skirt and cuffs and silk front; drawers have reinforced gussets, suspender tapes, etc.; best \$1.00 grades at 79c

We Are Displaying Valentines

Our display of valentines last year was magnificent—for last year. This season's display is much finer and more varied and we think even more price-worthy. You can spend as little as a penny or as much as six dollars. These are the extremes of our Valentine collection—all in-between price groups in lavish variety.

All Infants' Wear Reduced in Price

You can make substantial savings by buying baby's needs in this store. Every needful article for baby's outfit and comfort on sale at great price reductions.

Table listing various infant clothing items and their reduced prices, such as long and short skirts, flannel shirts, pinning blankets, etc.

Many Splendid Corset Specials

All these Corsets which you know from experience to be the "best" for your particular need on sale now at reduced prices.

- List of corset specials including 'La Vida' Corsets, 'W. B.' Corsets, 'Smart Set' Corsets, etc., with prices.

Handkerchiefs Apron Specials

Busy days at the Handkerchief Counter these days—people realizing that the best bargains of the town are here.

- List of handkerchief and apron specials with prices, such as 12c sorts at 7c, 15c sorts at 9c, etc.

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At St. Petersburg Sunday last have taken place in Rome and the other principal cities of Italy. They were easily handled by the police.

HOCH FLEEING THE COUNTRY

Has Bought Ticket for Hamburg, and Police Watch for Him.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Police Inspector Shippy, who left Chicago Wednesday night on a secret mission connected with the Hoch case, is believed to be watching for Hoch either in New York, Boston or Philadelphia.

Inspector Shippy, it is declared, received information on Wednesday afternoon that a man answering the description of Hoch had engaged passage from a Chicago agent of a German steamship line which runs to Hamburg. He at once left for the place from which he believed Hoch would embark.

A picture of Hoch was identified by the steamship agent as that of a man who had engaged passage to Hamburg, but under another name. It is believed that Inspector Shippy is watching for Hoch in Boston.

OFF ON A FALSE SCENT.

Burkett Suspect Not Hoch—Police Search for the Woman.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—The man whom people of half a dozen small towns near Argos, Ind., suspected of being Johan Hoch, was arrested today at Burkett, Ind., and taken to Argos. He said he was Adolph Steinhilber and had never heard of Hoch. The prisoner, it is said, does not resemble Hoch.

NOT HOLMES' PARTNER.

Detective Who Arrested Him Discredits Story About Hoch.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.—Detective Frank Geyer, who arrested H. M. Maguire, alias H. H. Holmes, was hanged about ten years ago, does not believe that Hoch, for whom the Chicago police are searching, was in any way connected with the murders of which Holmes was accused.

Mascots Win Basket-Ball Game. The Third Portland Boy's Brigade de-

feated the Y. M. C. A. Mascots in basketball last night by the score of 24 to 8. The game was played in the Brigade hall, the Mascots' quarters, and in the presence of the overwhelming defeat of the Mascots. A return game will be played on the association floor next week.

BOTH SIDES TO BLAME. Labor Commissioner Wright's Opinion of Colorado Troubles.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—President Roosevelt sent to the Senate today the report of Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner of Labor, on the strike trouble in Colorado. The report is voluminous and gives an entire history of labor troubles in that state, together with all the correspondence that has passed among the President with the Department of Justice, the Department of Commerce and Labor, and Governor Peabody, of Colorado; also partial reports made by Commissioner Wright and pamphlets by various parties engaged with the strike.

Commissioner Wright says there can be no doubt that the cause of the strike was the effort to establish the Western Federation of Miners in the smelters, including reduction and refining mills, as it already had been established in the mines. In summing up the situation, the Commissioner says:

Lawlessness has accompanied the strike as a labor weapon, and it has accompanied the actions of the alleged law and order element as a weapon against the strikers.

The fault in the organization of the union by allowing strikes to be determined by a committee instead of a referendum, and the fault in the organization of the Citizens' Alliance by allowing irresponsible mobs to represent it, have disturbed the peace of the counties in Colorado in which the conflict has been waged to such an extent that people outside Colorado wonder if there is any law or any law-abiding citizens in that state. It is a fact, however, that order is being restored.

The Commissioner says the injunction granted recently by the United States Court to prevent interference with the return of the deported miners may bring up the whole question of the right to deport or whether deportation is a crime under state or Federal laws.

Sold to Its Striking Workmen. CINCINNATI, Jan. 27.—The Newport

MUNYON'S PAW-PAW

Get a Bottle to-day. If it fails I will refund your money. Cures Catarrh. SICK HEADACHE. Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coastal Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Runaway Boy Locked Up.

Joe Malahan, whose parents live at 21 East Duane Way, Seattle, was picked up last night by Acting Sergeant Slover at Fourth and Pine streets and locked up. Today the police will communicate with Seattle officials and endeavor to arrange for the return home of the lad.

Satoll's Condition Improves.

ROME, Jan. 27.—Cardinal Satoll, who is suffering from an illness which may develop into pneumonia, is better today. The Pope inquires twice daily about Satoll's condition.

Scrofula

Makes its presence known by many signs,—glandular tumors, bunches in the neck, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, catarrh and wasting diseases. Hood's Sarsaparilla Effects permanent cures.

Advertisement for Carter's Little Liver Pills, showing a bottle and text: 'CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. SICK HEADACHE. Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coastal Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.'