Fear of Sympathetic Strike in

Gotham Leads to Effort.

Crews Say Tracks Are Greased on

Hill to Prevent Brakes From

Holding-One Line Makes Of-

fer to Striking Carmen.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.-Representa-

tive business and professional men late oday offered to co-operate with city

officials in an endeavor to settle the transit strike, which for the last seven

days has hampered transportation in Manhattan, the Bronx and portions of

While James P. Holland, president of the State Federation of Labor, was tell-ing 8900 striking carmen and their

sympathizers at a meeting in Union

West Chester County

### CORNERSTONE OF **AUDITORIUM LAID**

Ovation Paid Third Oregon Regiment as It Swings Into Position.

CHAPLAIN GILBERT SPEAKS

Impassioned Address Laudatory of Guardsmen Arouses Enthusiasm and Mighty Wave of Applause Sweeps Audience.

The Third Oregon Regiment, in al its military splendor, helped lay the cornerstone of the Public Auditorium yesterday after the military home-com ing parade. With the returned soldlers massed in Third street, between Clay and Market streets, and officers of the regiment, city officials and representatives of civic and industrial organiza

tions in a flag-draped stand on the foundation of the building, the cornerstone was lowered into position.

A short programme of speeches was carried out before the stone was placed. The programme was a combination of welcome home to the soldiers and a The programme was a combination of a welcome home to the soldiers and a dedication of the structure which is to be one of the finest auditoriums in the United States. Speakers praised the soldiers and praised the building and both of these two important features of the celebration were loudly cheered by the assemblage. The cornerstone programme was started as soon as the troops arrived. As they marched toward the auditorium site bombe were exploded and flags were unfurled. A large crowd assembled and volleys of cheers went up as the soldiers were massed in front of the speakers' stand.

Mr. Baker Presides. Mr. Baker Presides

City Commissioner Baker presided at the dedication and introduced the speakers, Chaplain W. S. Gilbert proved the orator of the day, although he was slated medely as one of a number of speakers. He roused a display of enthusiasm that swept the crowd and the soldiers and ended in three deafening cheers for Oregon by the entire regiment. He gave a rousing talk on the service and sacrifices of the regiment and the prospects for the future.

"There have been men who have seen us today who have said there is no need for the Third Oregon Regiment," thundered Chaplain Gilbert. "These men will live to see the folly of their statements. I take exception to the

statements. I take exception to the statement that we did not see service. We did see service, and serious service, too. We were there for a serious purpose and were willing to give our lives for our flag. We did all our country asked us to do.

"And remember for a serious purpose and were willing to give our lives for our flag. We did all our country asked us to do.

"And remember for a serious purpose and weekly meeting of the Portland Central Labor Council last wight

asked us to do.

"And remember, friends, our going to the Mexican border is just the beginning of what the Third Oregon Regiment will do. To the soldier there is no time more sacred than when he

actual service is not your fault. You were ready and willing to lay down your lives, and you come back to us just as much heroes as if the affair with our neighbor on the south had been a more serious event."

Rev. Frank L Loveland spoke for the Chamber of Commence of Commence of the measures and nine turrets. Neither of these has been able and service is not your fault. You hill street referencium measures and nine turrets. Neither of these has been able actual service is not your fault. You hill street referencium measures and nine turrets. Neither of these has been able nitiative peitions to be voted upon at though both made unusually good attions that the council vote yes were brought in for seven of the measures the south and no recommendations were made for the others.

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Chamber of Commerce. "We honor you," said Dr. Loveland, "because we know that with such men as you with us our homes are safe, our laws will be obeyed and our flag will be protected."

It was urged that the single-item veto bill should receive the support of labor. It was contended that it was easier to hold the Governor responsible than the State Legislature or any of its members.

tected."

Eugene Smith spoke for the Central Labor Council. "The significant fact today," said-he, "is not that you have come back, but that you were so loyal to your country as to go voluntarily, as you did." Mr. Smith also said as the labor leader of the city he was glad to take part in the laying of the cornerstone of a building "honestly voted for by the people, being honestly built and being for an honest purpose."

Owing to the contention that it would encourage the registration of ships in Oregon, the ship tax appendment bill received favorable recommendation was given on the so-called negro and mulatto suffrage amendment.

The initiative petitions that were reported on favorably and will receive votes of yes among the laborers if the letter of the recommendations are lived up to were the land and loan measure,

being for an honest purpose."

Father O'Hara spoke for the Welfare Commission and Frederick V. Holman in behalf of the Oregon Historical Society. David M. Dunne spoke for the Manufacturers' Association. "Let me say," said Mr. Dunne, "that if any of your employers refuse to give you back your jobs because of your having zone. your jobs because of your having gone, just tell us and we will go for them." Colonel McLaughlin Cheered.

After the rousing address of Chaplain Gilbert Commissioner Baker introduced Colonel McLaughlin, of the regiment, and the troops and the rest of the assemblage gave him a rousing round of the cheers. The Third Regiment band played "America" while the cornerstone was being lowered. The stone hears the inscription: "Freeted by the bears the inscription: "Freeted by the learn the inscription is the regiment, and the rest of the assemblage gave him a rousing round of the Pendleton normal school bill, as the committee felt that "It was not the fight of labor."

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A tub of mortar was furnished, and those who used the trowel were Commissioners Baker and Bigelow, Bishop Sumner, Father O'Hara, Mayor Albee, Colonel McLaughlin, Chaplain Gilbert, Eugene Smith, O. M. Clark, F. V. Holman and David Dunne.

In the cornerstone in a copper box is a coin, a Bible, a copy of each of the daily newspapers, the bylaws and records of the Daughters of the American Revolution, records of the Monday Musical Club, which was instrumental in starting the Auditorium movement; and a complete typewritten history of the Auditorium up to the cornerstone laying.

SECRET MAIL IS CHARGED

Two Indicted for Smuggling Jewelry From Germany.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Federal investigation of an alleged plot to operate a secret mail system between this country and Germany was followed by indictments here today against Hans Edward Thompson and Frederick Uffelman on a charge of smuggling jewelry worth \$25,000 into the United States on July 11. The men were arrested August 20. Uffelman, it was said, had been employed on a steamship between here and Scandinavia.

J. Frank Hanly, ex-Governor of Indiana, and Rev. Ira D. Landrith, of Tennessee, nominees of the Prohibition party for President and Vice-President and Vice-President plans to leave here for the United States, will address a mass meeting of Portland men and women tonight at the Ice Palace, Twentieth and Marshall streets.

Governor Hanly and Dr. Landrith are making a campaign tour of the West. They spoke before a big audience at the principal will go to California, making brief stops and speeches at the principal to arrive at the Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Depot at 6 o'clock tonight. The mass meeting of Portland Union Of Mrs. Annie E. Howe, his soundant of the United States on the further efforts to hair further efforts to hair further ef

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CITY COMMISSIONER BAKER SPREADING THE MORTAR JUST BEFORE BIG STONE IS LOWERED.

Build a Home.

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up to were the land and loan measure, anti-compulsory vaccination bill, rural credits bill, repealing and abolition of the Sunday closing law and the manu-

tion.

The report of Otto Hartwig, in charge of the Labor day celebration, showed that a deficit of \$62.75 was incurred.

PROHIBITION NOMINEE TO REACH UNION STATION AT 6 P. M.

Reception Committee Will Go to Van

Union will accompany the Prohibition

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 14.-Less partisanship and more fighting spirit is needed by foes of the saloon to make Labor Council Revives Plan to the United States dry, prohibition campaigners abound the coast-to-coast special today and tonight told Washington audiences.

"There is too much Charlie and not enough red blood in this campaign." Mr. Hanly declared. "The only reason we won't vote the Nation dry this year," Dr. Landrith told members of the Methodist conference at Everett, "is that a lot of pious old church frauds are too good Demo-crats or Republicans to vote the Pro-hibition ticket."

FIVE OF TWELVE 14-INCH SHELLS FIRED AT ONCE, HIT TARGET.

sylvania Hit Invisible Object 11 Miles Distant.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14. - A new world's record in naval gunnery has Horne, the building committee, which been made by the new superdreadhas been inactive for months, was invested with action and a meeting of that body will be called for early next to the beginning of that body will be called for early next to the beginning to the feat is given to the big battless week by President Eugene E. Smith. It was reported that most of the money with which to erect the building could be procured through subscipling and that the question of the council having a new home did not appear so remote.

According to the plan the Labor Temple Association formulated when the is no time more sacred than when he comes home. If the coming home of our boys has awakened a nobier patriotism in the hearts of our citizens our going and coming shall not have been in vain. And it is time we should feel such a throb of new patriotism when, after we rake and scrape over this whole hig state of Oregon, we can only find 150 recruits to send to the border to fill up our ranks."

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Bishop Summer Takes Part.

The opening prayer was offered by Bishop Summer. Mayor Albee, the first speaker, paid a tribute to "the loyal, tried and true boys of our commonwealth."

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PRESIDENT CONFERS WITH AIDES IN ADMINISTRATION.

Democratic National Committeemen to Visit Long Branch Monday to Complete Plans.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Sept. 14 .- The part President Wilson is to take in the campaign for his re-election was discredits bill, repealing and abolition of the Sunday closing law and the manu-facture and sale of 4 per cent beer within the state.

cussed here today by the President, Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, Postmaster-General Burleson and Sec-retary Tumulty. The plans will be put A decided stand was taken on the Sunday closing law. The legislative committee reported that the law should be repealed, as it was "discriminatory of the legislative into final shape at a meeting here Monday between President Wilson, Vance of the Democratic be repealed, as it was "discriminatory of the Democratic National Committee, and Homer S.

in character and unsuited to modern conditions."

No recommendation was made on the Pendleton normal school bill, as the committee felt that "it was not the fight of labor."

The president will begin his "porch campaign" at Shadow Lawn next week. Although he has decided to make no speeches away from here except before non-partisan organizations his rollitical. on-partisan organizations, his political

non-partisan organizations, his political advisers said today the President expected to be able to get his views before the country effectively.

The campaign for the re-election of the President will follow the lines of his speech of acceptance. Through speeches to delegations here and through letters, he will amplify points made in that address, and will accept the challenge of Charles E. Hughes, the Republican nominee, on the issue creat-Republican nominee, on the issue created in the settlement of the recently threatened railroad strike.

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Mr. Wilson also has decided to devote himself strictly to telling of the achievements of his Administration and to attacks on the Republican party.

The President will dwell particularly on the prosperity of the country and his plans for the "industrial preparedness." In this connection it became known today that as soon as Congress convenes in December he will make

20. Uffelman, it was said, had been employed on a steamship between here and Scandinavia.

Affidavits in support of the existence of the alleged secret mail system are in the possession of the authorities, but thus far no formal charges have been made in this connection.

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O'clock.

A reception committee composed of J. P. Newell, state chairman of the Prohibition party in Oregon; J. Sanger Fox, state secretary, and B. Lee Paget, state treasurer of the party, is to meet Governor Hanly and his party at Vancouver, Wash.

Dr. Landrith, the Vice-Presidential nominee, is extension secretary of the World's Christian Endeavor, and it is tend the meeting. There will be a likely that a delegation from the Multnomah County Christian Endeavor speaking.

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accidents today. Subway and elevated service continued about normal. Five trolley cars came together in series of rear-end collisions on West Chester avenue in the Bronx today and 10 passengers were injured, one seriously. The accidents occurred at the foot of a steep incline and the car crews, who said they were strike-beakers, declared the rails had been greased so that the brakes could not hold.

Frederick W. Whiteridge, president of the Third Avenue Railroad Company tonight invited the strikers to return to work, promising better working conditions and an increase in wages amounting to \$50,000 a year. Mr. Major-General Tasker H. Bliss, assistant this course "because the Third Avenue Railroad officials were convinced that many of the strikers had been builted when discussion of horizon tomorrow when discussion of horizon resolutions. into going on strike."

AUSTRIAN ARSENAL RAIDED Italian Airmen Drop Five Tons of

BORDER COMMISSION OBJECTS TO HEARING OTHERS.

International Constabulary of Ex-Soldiers of United States and Mexico Is Favored.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 14.— Major-General Tasker H. Bliss, assistant chief of staff of the United States when discussion of border problems is renewed. He will be the first and possibly the only witness to be inter-rogated by the commission in joint ses-sion, as it is the desire of the Ameri-can commissioners to expedite delibera-tions by keeping the deep classes.

eral Bliss again today. It was indicated that the proposal which has appealed most strongly to them was that a border constabulary be created to operate der constabulary be created to operate as a police force along both sides of the line. It was suggested that the force be composed of ex-soldiers of both countries, under joint control, and that the expense be shared by both governments. It was argued that the Mexican people would not feel toward the constabulary the same hostility that they displayed toward the American troops. It also was suggested that the police force would be far more effective in clearing the mountains of Northern learing the mountains of Northern

Mexico of bandits.

The joint commission probably will adjourn temorrow over the week-end to permit the Mexican members to celebrate the Mexican independence day. September 16.

MURDERER GETS REPRIEVE

Sanity of Denver Hotel Man's Slayer

