

WANT TWELVE HOURS.

Omnibus Drivers of Paris Strike.

PREVENT VEHICLES RUNNING.

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PARIS, May 25.—The omnibus drivers of this city have struck for a work day of 12 hours. They also demand that dismissed omnibus drivers shall be reinstated as soon as the strike is declared off. The men at once surrounded the stables and offices of the omnibus companies with the avowed purpose of preventing passage to or from any blacklegs who might attempt to take their places.

So threatening was the attitude of strikers that the companies deemed it advisable to abandon the attempt to run vehicles. Later, however, the officials succeeded in running omnibuses out of the stables and past groups of angry men who swarmed about the building. An attempt was then made to send stages over their routes, whereupon the strikers at once rushed forward to the attack, cutting the traces and compelling the drivers to dismount, leaving the abandoned conveyances in the middle of the street. Police reserves were called out and succeeded in clearing the streets, after having arrested several rioters, and the president of the union.

Twenty Portuguese Wounded and Seven Killed in an Engagement.

LONDON, May 25.—Dispatches received this morning from Tournon Marquis, a Portuguese town of Africa on the north side of Delagoa bay, confirm the report of an engagement having taken place between the Portuguese and the British. At the time of the engagement the Portuguese were marching on Fort Salisbury and had arrived within 20 yards of the fort when the British opened fire, killing seven and wounding 20 Portuguese.

Great Pomp in the Celebration of the Event at Bucharest, Roumania.

LONDON, May 25.—Advice from Bucharest state that the 25th anniversary of the crowning of King Charles of Roumania was celebrated with great pomp in that city. The German Emperor was represented by Herr Von Bulow, minister at the Roumanian capital, and the hereditary prince of Hohenzollern was there to represent the family of which King Charles is a member.

The German Emperor himself has been hanging during the week in the east of Prussia on the estates of Count Polna, some surprise is felt that he did not go to Roumania and lend honor to the occasion by his presence, King Charles being the only sovereign prince of the Hohenzollern family besides the Kaiser.

The festivities lasted through a day and night and Bucharest was gay with decorations. The best troops of the Roumanian army took part in the parade and the spectators today cheered the Russian legion.

The German Emperor Wants to Have Imperial Control of them.

BERLIN, May 25.—The Kaiser is said to be bent upon the complete nationalization of the German railways, and that this was his chief reason for retiring Herr Maybach, who had failed in attempting to carry out that change. The Kaiser is thoroughly imbued with Bismarck's idea of a grand network of railways controlled by the Reichstag and as completely at the imperial command as is the artillery and cavalry of the army. This plan he means to carry out, it is said, in time for use in a general European war.

A Musician Killed Near Bucoda This Morning.

BUCODA, Wash., May 25.—A man, supposed to be named Hance, who has been playing the violin and cornet at the Club theater in Centria, was struck by the freight train at 8 o'clock this morning, three miles south of Bucoda. His right leg was broken near the ankle and his skull injured. He was tended by a doctor who had been called. The body was turned over to County Commissioner Smith. Nothing was found on his person. The engineer says the man tried to cross the track several times ahead of the engine and acted in a crazy manner.

Opposition to the Graduated Tax on Incomes in Prussia.

BERLIN, May 25.—The graduated tax on incomes adopted by the Prussian parliament, much against the will of the Herrshaur, which yielded only under the personal influence of the Kaiser, is already causing much discontent, the weather class claiming, at the prevailing rates of interest on the best securities, the tax will take a large part of their income especially as the officials show a disposition to enforce the law with severity. On the other hand the Socialists are delighted, and aver that the measure is a distinct step in the direction of the accomplishment of their ideas.

He is Expected to Give Himself Up to Justice in a Few Days.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—Gideon W. Marsh, the fugitive president of the Keystone bank, has not yet been arrested, but it is expected that in a very short time he will be again in custody by voluntarily delivering on his part. Mrs. Marsh, who is staying at the Highland house, at Thorlow, says that her husband is near at hand, and that realizing the difficulty of getting out of the country he will probably surrender within a few days.

He Had Been a Leader in Church, Grand Army and Odd Fellows' Circles.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—Treasurer Peter Greenwood, of Wood River township, near Upper Alton, Ill., has disappeared.

SCANDINAVIAN NEWS.

Notes and Information Regarding the Far North.

SWEDEN.

A Frenchman, A. Robin, has bequeathed 10,000 francs to daughters whose fathers have perished in the service of the Hiebock coast guard.

Swedishborgians in America and England have subscribed \$3000 toward a Swedishborgian memorial in Ackholm. The money will probably be used to aid the recently established Swedishborgian church and provide a library of the numerous writings of the great poet.

One hundred and fifty emigrants from Stockholm left April 19 for the Brazils. A great concourse of people had assembled on the quay to bid them a goodspeed to their distant homes.

The Democratic leaders are agitating for a general strike of agricultural laborers during harvest time, as being the most efficacious means of bringing the landowners to terms.

Eleven bakery firms of Stockholm have suspended business during the last twelve months in consequence of the bakers' strike.

The export of cereals has considerably increased of late, while imports have materially decreased.

A wife killer named August Johanson, who dragged and held Jane Ware, colored, across the track of the Strevport & Arkansas railroad, so that she was run over and killed by a freight train, has been lynched. The pursuing party, made up largely of colored men, surprised the murderers near the Arkansas state line and disarmed them before they could offer effective resistance.

After being given time to pray, ropes were placed around their necks, and their bodies were left dangling from the limb of a tree. The murderers were silent and defiant to the last, offering no word of regret for their crime. The summary removal of these desperate characters relieves the community of the danger apprehended constantly from their presence.

He is Believed to Be Ready to Head the People's Ticket in 1892.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—The leader of the third party movement here professes to have direct assurances that Senator Stanford of California, is ready to put himself at the head of their movement with all that therein implied.

Some of the Alliance leaders claim to be authorized to make public the alleged fact that Senator Stanford considers he holds his great fortune simply as a "steward for these people."

An Army Officer's Strange Prediction.

NEW YORK, May 18.—First Lieutenant C. A. L. Totten, of the Fourth Artillery, United States army, who is at present detailed as military instructor in the Sheffield Scientific school at Yale, believes that the end of the world is at hand, and that Christ will reappear on earth before 1892. His version of "A Prophet's Prophecy" is as follows:

"The 25th of March I was engaged in revising the matter having reference to the Jewish feast of Purim, its absolute date and its actual bearing upon certain ominous chronological events in our own near future. That same day a stranger wrote me from Chicago calling my attention to the old chronological riddle contained in the book of Esdras, which has been taught to consider our own times rather than through increasing sales in the world's markets."

I knew we are always met with a very vigorous denial when we assert that our high tariff is the nursing mother of trusts and that we were told in the last presidential campaign that free-trade England was plastered over with trusts, but there is no fact better established in modern economic history than that trusts arise everywhere under the shelter of a protective tariff. Of course, where there is a free trade, there is no tariff, and there is no shelter for trusts, and there is no tariff law of 1873, and they have sprung up in this country as a direct result, in most cases, of that opportunity for the control of the home market by great combinations protected through our tariff laws from the interference of foreign competition.

WILLIAM L. WILSON.

Explosion on Board a Schooner Which Disables Her Entire Crew.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 23.—A dreadful disaster occurred on the sealing schooner Junitta three days ago, while the vessel was sealing off Vancouver island shore. One of the crews was engaged in loading cartridge shells in the cabin when one of them went off and ignited a cask of powder.

In the explosion that followed the captain was terribly injured and will probably die. The cabin was wrecked. Seven of the crew, all but one aboard, were badly hurt, and all were blinded by the explosion. The schooner entered port today in charge of two men from another schooner, with her injured crew lying in the hold.

The cabin was completely destroyed. The great wonder is that any were left to tell the tale. The quantity of powder exploded was over 25 pounds. Medical men say that some of the injured men may recover.

A Member of the City Council and a Tax Collector Among the Missing.

BEVLYDRE, N. J., May 23.—Edward Beckley, one of the most prominent citizens of Pen Argyle, Pa., and a member of the borough council, has absconded, taking with him, it is alleged, some \$3000 or \$10,000, the proceeds of sales of land, hotel property, etc. He was an extensive dealer in slate and stood high

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in the community. His wife is in destitute circumstances. The citizens are at a loss to account for his strange conduct.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—John J. Dougherty, collector of taxes for the Northern City District, is short in his accounts about \$16,000. He was elected by the Democratic city committee two years ago. He is charged with issuing fraudulent receipts to the Republicans, but the assertion is disproved by the fact that if he had done so, he would be amply reimbursed to meet the shortage. He has fled from the city and is supposed to be in New York.

WOMEN IN A NEW ROLE.

(New York Commercial advertiser.)

It has been whispered to us that, in our recent tribute to Sorosis, while we gave due prominence to the higher plane that this club occupies, when compared with assemblies of males, in entertaining one another with their original poems, their recitations, their elevating discussions on art, literature and the like, we failed to emphasize the fact that Sorosis may be jolly, too, when she chooses. It is alleged that the high intellectual tension was, at one period of their performance, relieved by a fetching "song and dance." We can only say that the omission was entirely unintentional and due solely to defective information. And should it turn out that the whisper in question was itself based on false information, it yet conveys a useful hint. Shakespeare was not above reliving the sombre hues of tragedy by a little "innocent merriment." Through a mere man, not Sorosis in future profit by his example.

But it is not of woman as a weaver of original poems or as an intermingler of the witcheries of the voice with the swiftings of the toe that we care to speak. Today she is far more striking in her new phase as a owner of burlesque. The news column of the day gristles with her as an avenger of invaded privacy. We have not a mind that woman who, on hearing strange noises in the house at dead of night, awoke her husband and induced him to investigate. That kind of thing used to happen in the old days before woman shook off the shackles of dependence. Rather more to our purpose is the case of a woman of this city, who on being aroused by the striking of a match in her room sprang out of bed, seized the fleeing intruder, screaming as she clutched and clutched as she screamed—a course of proceeding half masculine and half feminine. But it lacked little of being heroic when she sent her son William for an officer, she detoured the burglar, meanwhile, by sitting on him.

The case of a brave woman of Paterson, N. J., is a kind of milestone marking the gradual evolution of woman and her protector of the home. A crash of glass was heard. A burly man walked into her bedroom. Our heroine did not think of getting frightened. On the contrary she coolly demanded what his business was. Of course, as she very well knew, he could have no business at that time of the night. The ruffian found himself utterly unable to explain his presence. The astute question flooded him with her habit of holding to one side whisks or singing lasso. The question is, what will she do next? Is she to sue for admission to West Point and Annapolis? Is she to sue to claim the privilege of protecting us from foreign foes, as she has already shown herself so formidable to the midnight disturbers of domestic tranquility? It were best to keep an eye on her, at any rate. She has long had her's on us; and some of our ways are far from pleasing in her sight. Already she has formed in Blairtown an "Indignation Club," the object of which is to put down, for once and all, "the gambling and unbecomable habits of husbands." Indignation is catching thing. Let husbands everywhere take a note of this Blairtown movement. It looks very much as though they have had their day. Woman's innings is at hand.

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ATHENS, Ohio, May 23.—Dave Seville, aged 21, of Columbus, who killed Arthur Majesty, the champion light weight of Ohio, in a 25-round fight at Nelsonville on the night of February 24, was convicted in court here today under an indictment for prize fighting. This was his second trial, the jury having disagreed on the first.

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It will be tried for manslaughter for killing Majesty. Frank McHugh, who refereed the fight, together with Tom Mackeye and Ben Henderson, Seville's seconds, are to be tried under indictments for participating in a prize fight, the penalty for which is in this State from one to 10 years in the penitentiary.

The Steering Gear of an Ocean Steamer Breaks Down at Sea.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The pilot boat No. 4, that brought the steamship Werra into port this morning, reported at the office of the Netherlands Steamship Company that on Thursday last the Werra sighted a steamer of the Hill line supposed to be the Lugatehill, bound for New York.

The Lugatehill signalled the Werra that she had sighted the Veendam, which is overdue at this port. On the Monday before the steering apparatus of the Veendam got out of order and the Hill steamer towed her while the latter was making repairs for several hours. The Veendam had been laying for four hours when sighted by the Hill steamer. The arrival of the Veendam in port is expected in the course of the day.

"Mistake of Medicine."

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—It is learned through a private telegram received here that Congressman Leonidas C. Hook died today at his home in Tennessee. The cause of death is given as a "mistake in medicine."

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