

Everything Quiet At Butte Since Tuesday's Battle

Butte, Mont., June 25.—All is quiet today after the riot Tuesday night in which one man was killed, one was mortally wounded, another was seriously hurt, in a fusillade by Deputy Sheriffs, who were keeping the crowds back from the Miners' Union Hall. Three charges of dynamite were exploded in and under the hall, the front of which was blown out.

The crowds had pressed on the Miners' Union hall in consequence of a scheduled meeting there, at which President Moyer, of the Western Federation of Miners, was to outline a peace plan.

Most of the shots were fired into the air by the officers. The shooting of the three men apparently took most of the nerve out of the crowd and they quickly backed a distance of two blocks from each side of the hall.

A hundred deputies with sawed-off shotguns were holding the hall.

Sheriff Driscoll, shortly after the firing began and after the crowd was forced down the street, appeared at the entrance of the hall and shouted that he wanted 500 deputies. No response was made to the sheriff's appeal.

Ernest Noy, traveling inspector for the Montana demurrage bureau, a bystander, was the man killed. The bullet passed through his neck.

The mortally wounded man is J. H. Brune, aged 52. He was shot through the head and cannot live. Brune was proceeding upstairs to the miners' hall to attend the meeting when a bullet

struck him. The deputies apparently fired on any one in sight who approached the hall.

The third wounded man is Charles Kramer, of Los Angeles, a spectator. The bullet grazed his stomach. He is not seriously hurt.

The battle then raged around Miners' Union Hall, insurgent miners firing from the tops of all nearby buildings into the hall. The deputies reserved their fire, but occasionally a deputy rushed to a window, fired and retired to inner rooms.

Miners rushed for their weapons and such arms as they could get. There was much shouting for dynamite among the crowd.

The deputies, it is said, feared dynamite had been planted under the hall, consequently they would allow no one to approach within range of their guns.

The deputies held the hall fearing that the mob would wreak vengeance on President Moyer and Bert Riley, head of the federation local, who are in the Miners' Union hall.

The shooting was first precipitated by fear of the deputies that the crowd of miners assembled in the streets would rush the meeting the union. The shooting came as a surprise to the crowd, as no warning had come from the deputies.

President Moyer had asked Sheriff Driscoll for protection and had been assured by the Sheriff that deputies would be on hand to prevent any attempt to break up the meeting.

At the first sign of firing, Moyer, Riley and all the other officials took to flight from a rear

door from the Miners' Union hall, according to officers, and none but the deputies are in the hall. The union officials have left the city, according to an unconfirmed report, which says that an automobile was in readiness at a rear door, in which the officials were whisked away.

The first dynamite charge failed to do great damage. The explosion could be heard for blocks. Armed men proceeded to the Stewart mine and boldly carried down boxes of dynamite in the attempt to blow up the hall, but the guns of the deputies prevented effective placing of the charge.

Two more heavy explosions followed and crowds again attempted to dynamite the hall.

The insurgent miners hurriedly had printed thousands of handbills for distribution among the miners, urging them to disperse and go home in the name of the union. The appeal was addressed by President Michael McDonald of the new union.

The second and third charges of dynamite blew the front out of the building.

Parent's Mass Meeting

The School Board have called a mass meeting of the parents of the school district for July 15, for the purpose of discussing the advisability of continuing arts of Domestic Science and Manual Training. Every parent should attend this meeting and hear and be heard in this matter.

Returned From Fishing Trip

George Hegler, Mr. and Mrs. Allen and Vernon Brentner returned Tuesday afternoon from a fishing trip in the Siletz country. They were on the Big Luckiamute and say that they caught plenty of fish. The rain drove them home sooner than they expected. Mr. Hegler says that they are working on the Valley & Siletz railroad

HURT IN A RUNAWAY

Mr. Neat Suffers Bruises and is Rendered Unconscious.

What might have proved a fatal accident occurred late Saturday night near Guthrie, on the Dallas-Falls City road, Wm. Neat being severely injured, and his companion, Ray Gebott, is coping with minor scratches and bruises. The gentlemen were on the way home from Falls City in a livery rig when a large auto struck the carriage and tore it into pieces. The machine carried but two small lights in front and was not seen until within a few feet of the team. The auto faded away into the distance while the occupants of the rig were making a search for each other. Mr. Neat, who has been for some years deprived of both his lower extremities in a railway accident, is nursing a badly bruised scalp, a severe sprain of the wrist and a badly scratched face. He gained consciousness after being brought to Dallas, aid being tendered by a passing automobile party from Falls City. The team was uninjured.—Dallas Observer.

EASY MONEY

Red Bluff Boys Get Mount Lassen Samples From Right of Way.

RED BLUFFS, Cal., June 22.—Young boys of Red Bluff have commercialized the keen interest in the volcanic disturbance at Mount Lassen on the part of travelers passing through here by train. Today they sold small rocks from the Southern Pacific roadbed marked "lava" as samples from the crater for 10 cents each.

A woman bought one boy's whole stock and asked for more. The lad scampered down the track, filled his pockets, told the woman they had just been obtained and received \$1.50.

News From Various Parts Of The Country

Doings of the Week Gathered from Our Exchanges and Other Reliable Sources

VICTIM OF REPTILE LIVES

Recovery Depends on Overcoming of Fear, Say Medford Doctors.

MEDFORD, Or., June 21.—James King, snake charmer at the street carnival bitten by a Gila monster Saturday while showing the reptile to a crowd, is resting easy tonight, with an even chance of recovery.

The man's temperature is normal and he is rational. The worst phase of the case is his certainty that he cannot live. According to Mr. King the poison does not take effect at once, and death is inevitable.

The doctors have made a study of the poison, and declare that if the man's fear of death can be overcome he has a good chance of recovering.

353 AT NORMAL SCHOOL

Attendance for Summer Work Breaks Records for Three Years.

Monmouth, Or., June 22.—When 353 students had registered up to 6 o'clock tonight for work in the Summer school here, records for three years were broken. It is probable that the number will total 400 or more before the close of the week.

The girl's dormitory is packed to capacity and it is likely that every house available for boarding students will be used. Every member of the faculty will be employed during the session.

BIG ERUPTION POSSIBLE

Scientists Say Lassen Should Be Watched for Danger Signs.

REDDING, Cal., June 25.—Lassen is not a geyser. Its action since first it broke into eruption on May 30 has been decidedly volcanic. This was the declaration today of J. S. Diller, a Government expert, and considered the foremost authority on the Lassen quadrangle.

"I don't predict more serious eruptions," said Mr. Diller, "but the mountain ought to be watched for increased activity, and for tremors that might indicate more serious disturbances. The action to date involves only a small area of the mountain top, but if, new apertures should be blown open, they would be the forerunner of more dangerous disturbances."

Declines the Position

County Superintendent of Schools H. C. Seymour, who was elected principal of the Kennedy school in Portland for the school year 1914-15, has declined the position, and will remain in charge of the Polk county schools, news that will be received with no small degree of satisfaction by the educational interests here. T. J. Gary of Oregon City gets the place.—Dallas Observer.

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