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STATUS LABOR WAR

Strike of Carmen May Become National in Scope.

TAFT MAY BE APPEALED TO

If No Settlement is Reached By March 25, It is Predicted That a Struggle May Come, the Like of Which Has Never Before Been Seen.

Newcastle, Pa.—The State Federation of Labor officials have ordered the Philadelphia unions to make another effort to secure arbitration with the Rapid Transit Company. Falling in this, all state labor will be called out in fifteen days, March 25.

The governor will be asked to take a hand. If this fails, the committee recommends that the executive board take up the matter with Senators Penrose and Oliver, and ask their aid in bringing about a settlement.

If the senators are unable to bring about a settlement the committee will appeal to President Taft. If settlement is not reached through these channels the committee will then notify every local union in the state to be ready to lay down their tools within the next fifteen days.

General Strike Spreading.
Philadelphia.—The general strike is spreading. Several thousand workers went out as the result of the State Federation of Labor action in calling for a state-wide strike. Labor officials declared that between 145,000 and 150,000 men and women had left their shops and offices. General en-

couragement was manifest as a result of the action taken at Newcastle that may ultimately bring on a struggle of national scope. Both sides are preparing for the greatest struggle between labor and capital that an American state has ever seen. The unions are devoting their energies to forming the workers, whether organized now or not, into a compact body. At the same time the employers are making preparations for the contest.

NICARAGUAN REBELS.

Leader Says Army of Redemption is As Strong as Ever.

New Orleans.—In denying the reports of the demoralization of General Estrada's forces in Nicaragua, letters received here by Consul General Richard Sussman, of the revolutionary faction, state that men, ammunition and supplies are being rushed into the interior to Generals Mena, Charmoro and Natuty, and that there is no lack of enthusiasm among the followers of Estrada in the belief that "the cause of the army of redemption is as strong today as it was months ago, when the glorious victory at Rama was attained."

Among the Central American colony, however, decided skepticism of this optimism is expressed and the complete victory of Madriz, in accordance with press dispatches, is believed in, with the exception of certain irreconcilable partisans of the insurgent movement.

Not So Tactless as That.

She—Mrs. Boretton called today, and I thought she would never go.

He—But you are so amiable I suppose you never gave her the slightest hint that you wanted her to go.

She—Indeed I did not. If I had she'd be here now.—Brooklyn Life.

BIG AUTO COMPANY.

J. P. Morgan May be at Head of Great Automobile Trust.

Detroit.—J. Pierpont Morgan has purchased for \$6,000,000 the automobile business of the E-M-F Company, one of the largest concerns of the kind in the world, it has just been learned. It is believed that the real object of the Morgan control is the formation of an automobile trust, with a capital of between \$30,000,000 and \$50,000,000.

Vice-President J. H. Book, of the automobile company, admitted that the Morgan interests had secured the plant and stock issues of the company.

CREMATED IN FIRE.

Prominent Woman of the Pedee Section Loses Her Life.

Bennettsville, S. C.—Mrs. Harriet Caby, one of the most prominent women of the Pedee section, was cremated in a fire, which destroyed the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Kinney, nine miles south of this city.

The flames had been extinguished and the inmates presumably all rescued, but when Mrs. Kinney returned to the ruined home to search for some valuables, she found the body of Mrs. Caby where she had fallen in her efforts to escape from the burning home.

Physicians presume she had an attack of heart failure.

President Commutes Sentence.

Washington.—President Taft has commuted the sentence of George W. England, of Huntsville, Ala., sentenced in June, 1909, to one year and a day in the Atlanta penitentiary for

retailing liquor which bore no government stamp. At the time sentence was pronounced he was given the option of serving his term at the Atlanta penitentiary or serving six months in the Huntsville jail. He chose Atlanta.

Vienna to Welcome Roosevelt.

Vienna.—It is understood that Theodore Roosevelt will arrive here on April 17. An invitation will be extended to him to visit the grounds of the international sporting exhibition, which will open May 1, and which will be one of the most important exhibitions of the kind ever held.

WEDS A CHORUS GIRL.

Son of Former Congressman Now Seeking Parental Forgiveness.

Cincinnati.—John Wesley Gaines, Jr., aged 24, son of former Congressman John Wesley Gaines, of Tennessee, and Miss Alexandria A. Oetzel, one of the chorus girls with Hanlon's "Superba," were married at Hamilton, Ohio, following a courtship of three weeks, which began when the show appeared in Nashville, young Gaines' home city.

Gaines announced he would leave at once for Nashville to acquaint his father with his marriage and seek forgiveness. Miss Gaines will conclude the season with "Superba." Then the young man will claim his bride and go West to take up the practice of law, it is said.

All Quiet in Bogota.

Washington.—Minister Northcott has cabled the state department that the anti-American demonstration at Bogota, Columbia, is practically ended and that the political situation is rapidly improving.

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Statement of Receipts and Disbursements to February 28, 1910

RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS
Membership Fees.....\$ 101.75	Loans.....\$3,778.00
Installments.....4,051.00	Expense.....134.25
Interest.....92.27	Cash on hand.....334.87
Fines.....2.10	
Total.....\$4,247.12	Total.....\$4,247.12

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