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SITUATION IS DANGEROUS

Fifty Thousand On Strike. Number of Serious Outbreaks Already ready.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 7. Disorder in many parts of the city marked the first day of Philadelphia's great sympathetic walk-out of organized labor to back up the fight of the trolley men against the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company. Nearly every section of the city had its tale to tell of cars attacked, of men assaulted by strikers, or sympathizers, or of clashes with police when the latter tried to disperse the crowds.

Disturbance began in centre of city. The scene of the most general disturbance were in the very center of the city. The greatest trouble was experienced by the police at Independence Square, where despite the announcement by Mayor Reuburn that no demonstration could be held on that historic ground, a crowd, estimated at 25,000 persons, gathered to participate in or watch the demonstration of organized labor. Policemen, mounted and afoot, were there by the score, with strict orders to keep the crowd moving. This was accomplished and it is due to the patience, carefulness and steadiness of the police that no serious outbreak occurred. A great crowd of strikers paraded through the square and were not molested by the police.

There was a wide difference of opinion today as to the extent of the strike. The Committee of Ten of the Central Labor Union, which is conducting the strike, in a statement made tonight announced that representatives show that 50,000 union men are out and that the walk-out has affected 30,000 other workers.

The statement declared that bakers, milk wagon drivers, and grocery clerks were not called out and would not be. It was not the desire of organized labor he said, to inconvenience the public to the extent of handicapping the delivery of the necessities of life. Some labor leaders said they figured that 55,000 men responded to the strike order and that the number would be greatly increased by Monday.

SHORT PASSING EVENTS

Several days ago Mr. Stephen Fulford an aged white man left the city with the intention of going to High Point to be married. The old gentleman is about 85 years of age and his mind is in a very feeble condition. He returned to the city Saturday night but no wife was with him he giving as an excuse that she would arrive in a few days. Sunday night he was found on the streets at a very late hour in a very serious mental condition. He was taken to the county jail and will be held until an examination as to his sanity can be made.

But for the prompt forethought and action of Mr. T. F. McCarthy yesterday morning there would have probably been a serious accident on Pollock street near Wethington & Creech's store. A lady who had with her a small child in a carriage stopped the vehicle in front of one of the stores and entered leaving the child in the carriage. In some way the carriage began to roll and had almost reached the curb when Mr. McCarthy saw the predicament the child was in and ran towards it reaching the vehicle just in the nick of time. But for this the little one would have undoubtedly been instantly killed.

MANIPULATED COTTON

Trade Reports Unfavorable On Cotton Industry. New Crop Outlook Satisfactory.

Greensboro, N. C., March 5th.—Cotton has been rather firm this week in the face of constant reports of poor business and price reductions in dry goods, and actual curtailment of importance among the mills throughout the world.

A large part of this improvement seems to have come from Main Strength and Manipulation by the bulls who have frightened the shorts and hedge sellers of May contracts into believing a "May Corner" to be probable.

Trade reports of the cotton industry are daily growing worse, except from England where some improvement is noted. Only two months ago cotton was selling in Liverpool at prices that enabled the shipping of cotton from there to New York at a profit. Surely this was an unusual and unnatural situation. A reaction therefore is natural. But another reason is that England is the greatest exporting nation and the high prices of everything, especially food stuffs, enables England's customers to dispose of their products to such advantage, that they are buying some cotton goods. These customers, of course, are not buyers of food and therefore, "the high cost of living" does not concern them except in the reverse way that it concerns millions of wage earners and poor people in the U. S. and Europe who find it a struggle to get bread and meat and the purchase of dry goods is thereby deferred.

Holders of cotton are pretty firm on the 15c notch, but and increase of the offerings would find a dull market. Spinners are long of both cotton and cotton goods and they prefer to see the market maintained, hoping thereby to sell some goods and yarns. The reports from the new crop are satisfactory and indicate a largely increased use of fertilizers and some acreage increase. The news from Texas is conflicting, but that State in several important districts seems to be without ample moisture. There is plenty of time for this and however, that we can make a short crop and give Texas a full yield, but we cannot make a big help from Texas.

From the present out-look of a supply and demand, there will not be a cotton famine this year and with next crop selling under 12c, if there is any bull argument, it ought to apply to the new crop.

Draastic curtailment seems likely to take place as soon as mills spin their reserves, which will average probably two or three months run here in the South and somewhat more in the North. Curtailment is already taking place to a larger extent than is generally known, because many mills refuse to give out information of this nature.

The goods and yarn markets are almost demoralized and price cutting and long datings fail to attract buyers.

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You can do this by buying the **WHITE LEATHER STOCKING** for yourself and children. Ladies **WHITE LEATHER HOSE**, 6 pairs Guaranteed to last 4 months

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

DIED.

At Dr. Taylor's hospital at Washington, N. C., on March 6th after a long illness, Mrs. Julia Francis Armes, in the 57th year of her age. Her remains were brought to New Bern yesterday morning and then taken to her home at Hancock's Creek, where they were interred in the family burying ground. Members of the family and friends accompanied the remains from here.

Make your furniture look fine with B. P. S. products. Basnight Hdw., Co.

Who Is He?

Among the attractions at the depot in Greensboro, Saturday, according to the Record, was a gentleman from New Bern who sought a policeman, and asked earnestly to be shown to the train for High Point. Waiting its arrival the officer quizzed the old gentleman. He said he was 85 years old and was on his way to marry a woman of 25 years at High Point, and he wanted to be sure to be on hand. He wore a high hat of the vintage of '47, but he was "a step pin" high, all right. Here's hoping that the marriage came off according to the program.

Fort Barnwell Petitions For School Tax Election.

At a meeting of the Board of Education yesterday, a large petition from the citizens of Fort Barnwell was presented asking for a local tax to extend the term of the Fort Barnwell school. The Board approved the petition and the election will be held next month.

Keep your lawns neat with the Philadelphia Lawn Mower. Basnight Hdw. Co., 67 S. Front St.

Bragaw Items

March 7—We are having it wet and rainy now.

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Dudley spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith.

Some of our young people went to Chapman church Sunday and report a fine time.

Mr. Willie Buck, of Winterville visited here Saturday.

Mr. Claud Buck, of Vanceboro, was in our midst Saturday visiting friends.

Mr. John Mathews and wife and Mr. Everett Hart and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Sallie Nelson.

Mrs. W. A. Wilson, of this place, is spending this week with her people in Pine Neck.

Miss Laura Dudley and Mr. Claud Coward were out driving Sunday; we hope they had a fine time.

LITTLE GIRL.

It Saves You Money.

The specific half price sale of Dr. Howard's for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia by Davis Pharmacy means the saving of a few dollars on every family's yearly bill for medicines.

Each 50c bottle (Mr. Davis sells it for 25 cents) contains sixty doses of a medicine that is pleasant to take and which can be depended upon to cure the worst case of constipation, dyspepsia or liver trouble. Mr. Davis has so much faith in the superior merit of this medicine that he says: "If Dr. Howard's specific does not cure you, come back to my store and I will return your money."

This remedy is not an ordinary medicine. It is the favorite formula of a well known physician, and has the endorsement of hundreds of physicians of eminence in their profession, who prescribed it in all cases of constipation, dyspepsia or liver trouble, knowing from experience that it will make a complete and lasting cure.

Mass Meeting

The Democrats of No. One township were called together in mass meeting for the purpose of choosing a man from said township as County Commissioner. Mr. D. P. Whitford, Chairman, made a few brief remarks and stated that the first object was to elect a chairman, whereupon Mr. J. A. Aldridge was elected chairman and H. M. Lancaster was made secretary.

N. M. Lancaster, J. B. Harvey and Geo. C. Gaslin were put in nomination for the office of County Commissioner. N. B. Ispock, D. W. Coppage and D. P. Warren were appointed as poll holders.

A vote was taken on the different candidates and N. M. Lancaster was declared nominated.

A vote was taken to get the sentiment of the voters of No. One township in the line of holding the primary for the election of county officers. It was unanimously agreed that the sentiment of this township was that the primary be held on the last Saturday in April. Meeting adjourned.

N. M. LANCASTER.

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Merchant Miller New Bern, N. C.

SPECIAL TERM OF SUPERIOR COURT

HIS EXCELLENCY, the Governor of North Carolina having ordered that a Special Term of the Superior Court for Craven County be held on Monday March 21st 1910 for the trial of Criminal Cases only. Notice is hereby given that all persons and witnesses who are bound to attend the next regular Term in June next of said Court are required by Law to attend this Special Term under the same rules, forfeiture and penalties as if the Term were a Regular Term.

W. M. WATSON,
Clerk Superior Court.

See Basnight Hdw. Co., for "Pittsburgh Perfect" Poultry and Garden Fencing—None better.

Have Not Seen Comet

So far as known no one in these parts has yet seen Halley's comet, which is now held to be visible with field and opera glasses, the reason no doubt, that it has not been seen here being the difficulty a layman in astronomy has in locating it, the descriptions of its situation being necessarily very technical.

The weather bureau experts who keep pretty well posted on such matters, have not as yet seen the celestial visitor, and they say that while the comet is getting brighter and brighter, it is also getting nearer and nearer to the sun, the brightness of the latter lessening the chances of seeing it at this time. If it is seen at all now it must be seen shortly before sunset, they say. It will after a while, get with the sun, after which it must be seen at its rising in the early morning. About the first of April it can be seen a little before sunrise.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS

Have you neglected your Kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you at Druggist, Price 50c. Williams' M'f'g. Co., Proprs., Cleveland, O.

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