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VOIUME LXII

Charging The Crowd

FORTY-THIRD YEAR

Cavalrymen Use Their Sabres on the Rioters in Albany

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as the other, and men plunged in around the golloping horses. Another rider cut out from the crowd brought his sabre down on the face of one of his antagonists, and a line of blood marked where it struck. Two blocks up State street and a clever military ruse blocked the down-town mob. Two companies of the 10th Battalion were concealed in Chapel street, and when the cavalry rushed past they ran across State street and faced the pursuing crowd with fixed bayonets.

Streets.

Crowd Attacks Non-Union Men in Spite of the Guard of Soldiers.

Albany, May 15.—So serious is the situation here tonight over the Traction Company strike, that Governor Odell postponed the continuance of his trip to the state institutions and at 5.30 tonight was at the legislative mansion. Two thousand armed soldiers are now within the city limits, more are coming and 200 are in readiness to move to Troy when Governor Odell so orders. Streets are thronged with men, women and children, and the otherwise quiet day terminated in bloodshed.

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past they ran across State street and faced the pursuing crowd with fixed bayonets.

The new line wavered and broke at one flank, but in the main the movement was successful. But the strike-breakers were not yet free. Smaller crowds had gathered at points along the route to the barn, and there pelted them with stones when they rushed past. There was a wild scene at the barns, where thousands more had assembled. The infantry charged into the crowd. A passage was opened for the scurrying cavalcade, and it was safe juside the enclosure. The horses were done and the men were limp. Sixteen of the strike-breakers were injured, weak and scared, had to be helped from the wagons. Of the sixteen injured, to dil the arm and the wagons say he the arm and the surgeons say he that less than 50 were landed in the barn.

WIRES REPAIRED.

A hollow square of infantry protected compassed RL. The the Quall street barn this afternoon at 4 o'clock and two hours spent in repairing trolly wires.

The heavy force of guardsmen and the gutter of a street not two blocks and bloody faces, women and children trampled under foot, soldiers mained with flying missiles and ringleaders in a crowd beaten with the butts of muskets, were some of the results of the day.

Anticipating an attempt to move the cars in Troy, Mai.-Gen. Roe has ordered the 13th, 14th and 45th regiments of Brooklyn, Troop C of Brooklyn, the Second Signal corps, the 17th Separate company and the Third battery, which carrier Gattling guns, to hold them selves in readiness to move immediately.

A FIGHT.

The mob and militia closed in combat late this afternoon, but by the accident of fortune there were no serious casualties. It was the introduction of more non-union men to take the places of striking traction employees that produced the violence, and it was only by the skill and forbearance of the guardsmen that the clash was not a serious one,

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Seventy-five non-union men reached the Union depot shortly before six and their delivery at Quail street barn, one and a half miles away, was a dash under cavalry escort with mob resistance in almost every block.

Frenzied men in countless numbers swarmed through the police lines, surged around the cavalry men and fought to get at the cowed non-union men inside the circle of galloping horses. The rays of the setting sun gave glint to busy sabres, but the long biades wielded by forbearing hands seldom descended in serious blows. Sev rhl man recent down put by the skieds. Then the outer skirmish line was extended until an area half a mile long and a quarter wide was cleared. The men were ordered to hold their ground and defend themselves, and when all was ready the tower wagon was brought out. Two full companies forced a hollow square around the wagon and moved down Quail street to the main break. The first man to climb the tower offered a splendid mark to anyone within a mile, but he went to his task without interruption.

The whole scene was strongly dramatic. It was lighted by a brilliant sun, that was reflected in the steel of the bayonets and heightened the blue of the circle of galloping horses. The rays of the setting sun gave glint to busy sabres, but the long biades wielded by forbearing hands seldom descended in serious blows. Sev rhl man recent down Quail street to the main break. The first man to climb the tower offered a splendid mark to anyone within a mile, but he went to his task without interruption.

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Stopped The Cars

Attempt to Run Electric Trams in Albany Foiled By Strikers.

POLICE POWERLESS.

The police prevented any personal conflicts, but were powerless to stop the storm of stones and briefs showered upon the non-union men. Two of the non-union men were injured. Three arrests were made. The men arrested are Thomas Dwyer, A. Morton Cornelius Van Deusen and Patrick O'Hare. Van Deusen is charged with assault, and the other two men with throwing bricks.

TROOPS FROM NEW YORK.

Generous Praise

Impoverished.

The skirmish caused great excitement, and additional police reserves were hurried to the scene, but did not arrive until after the non-union men had been housed in the barns and the crowd had quieted.

Company is Determined and Troops are Called to the Spot.

Albany, N. Y., May 14.—When night closed over Albany it sent thousands of weary men to their homes, but those thousands were replaced by as many more who took up the vigil to prevent the United Traction men from running their electric cars with non-union men. The darkness brought show confidence that there would be an attempt before morning to move cars, for the two at tempts made in broad day light had brought bloodshed and riot on such a scale that the local police, aided by soores of deputies and hired Pinkerton men, had been unable to successfully compete with.

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At 3:25 o'clock in the afternoon the police practically admitted that they were powerless to take care of the crowds on the street if the cars were run, and General Manager McNamara immediately called up General Oliver, in command of the third brigade, for protection. He said: "We intend to run out cars if it takes the entire National Guard of New York state to protect us."

After a conference, General Oliver issued an order assembling at their armory to-night the Tenth battalion of Albany, comprising four companies of the National Guard of Infantry, and the Tard, conversely the state of the National Guard of Infantry, and the Tard, conversely the state of the National Guard of Infantry, and the Tard, conversely the state of the National Guard of Infantry, and the Tard, conversely the state of the National Guard of Infantry, and the

Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated that a protest had been received from the United Empire Loyalists Association against the erection of a monument to Montgomery in Quebec. If the municipality of Quebec allowed the erection of the monument on its own grounds he doubted if the government could interfere. monument on its own grounds he doubted if the government could interfere.

Mr. Clarke was informed by Hon. Dr. Mr. Clarke was informed by Hon. Dr. Borden that there had been no undue delay in connection with the long service decoration and medal granted to Canadian militia.

The Premier said the government still had no advices of the movements of the Duke of Cornwall and York in Canada.

The Senate dropped the Cook inquiry foday. New York, N. Y., May 14.—At 11 o'clock tonight Lieut. Dudley, of the 11th regiment, announced that he would start from the Grand Central depot this city, with 300 men of the command at midnight, and the remainder of the regiment would follow on other trains as quickly as they could be mobilized.

today.

Sir Charles Tupper arrived here today looking the picture of health. Mr. Borden and thirty members of parliament met him at the station. Sir Charles will not go West for some days. The house was engaged all the afternoon and evening discussing the steel rail contract. The ministers were severely heckled for their unbusinesslike methods. From Gaselee

British Commander At Pekin
Says Nice Things About
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Hon. Mr. Mills intimated to the Senate that he prepared a bill to increase the salaries of superior court judges, but his colleagues hardly felt disposed to press it this year. His scheme necessitates an increase in the annual expenditure of about ninety thousand dollars.

BILL DEFEATED.

Why Irish Legal Procedure Amendment Was Defeated.

London, May 14.—A despatch from General Gaselee, the British commander at Pekin, reviewing the operations in China from August 14 to January 17, has been gazetted. "I wish to take this opportunity," he said toward conclusion of the despatch, "of paying tribute to some of the foreign officers with whom the British have been associated by force of circumstances. This contingent has been more with the American and Japanese than with those of the other powers, and in consequence of their cieses co-operation with Inited States. London, May 15.—The house of commons today by 226 to 102 votes rejected the second reading of the bill amending legal procedure in Ireland.

Timothy Healy and other Nationalists denounced the system of packing juries by which Catholics were placed outside the pale of the law. They advocated abolition of grand juries and the Coercion act declaring they would prefer open honest tyranny, and abolition of the right of trial by jury to the present procedure. defiance of the law, and approved of maining and murdering jurors, it was necessary to use the power of jury selections. Contempt of court was growing in Ireland daily, and the law required strengthening rather than weakening.

Three Hundred Firms Have Signed Ma-chinists' Agreement. Washington, May 15.—Pres. O'Connel, of the National Association of Machinists, stated today that 300 firms throughout the country so far have signed the nine-hour day agreement. Telegraphic reports from Boston showed that a large number signed there today, and what is claimed to be the largest steam fire angine plant outside of gest steam fire engine plant outside of the trust, had agreed to the terms. The executive board of the machinists' as-sociation will meet here Friday and re-main until after the 20th instant, the date on which the strike ordered is to be effective.

Royal Assent Will be Given Before the lwenty Fourth of May.

Nanaimo, May 14.—(Special.)—Judge dismissed the case against the Indian, Jimmy Jim, accused of attempting to murder the postmaster at Quatsino a month ago. The Indian had a speedy trial here this afternoon, and the evidence showed the Indian was not to blame. Judge Harrison lectured the complainant on putting the country to such expense over the matter.

U. S. Company Selling Now in Switzer-

London, May 14.—The Daily Mail publishes the following despatch from Geneva: "Owing to the fact that the German coal merchants are raising prices, the Swiss railways and manufacturers have accepted an offer of the Rockefeller Coal Company to supply coal at the price at which the Germans formerly supplied it."

TO RETIRE.

Mr. Beatty to Give Up Seat in Ontario Legislature.

Successful Dance.—Last evening an enjoyable dance was held in Semple's hall under the auspices of Court Victoria West, I. O. F. Fifty couples "tripped the light fantastic," and partook of refreshments served under the competent management of Mrs. Kroeger. Music was rendered by the Bantly Bros. orchestra in a manner appreciated by all concerned. In view of the successful issue of the affair, the above recently organized court purpose giving a series of social dances next season.

STRIKE IMPENDING. Metal Workers Decide to Enforce De-mands by May 20.

Washington, May 14.—The representatives of the machinery and allied metal trades national and international unions late this afternoon decided that there should be a strike on May 20 in shops refusing to grant the desired concessions.

HALIFAX DISAPPOINTED. Because the Duke of Cornwall Will Land at Quebec.

Halifax, May 14.—(Special.)—Governor Jones has received word that the Duke of Cornwall and party will land at Quebec, September 15, instead of Halifax, and will make Halifax his point of departure for New York or Europe, as may be determined later. The change is disappointing to Halifax, as it had been planned to have the Duke open the fall fair.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

Toronto, May 14 (Special) A large deputation of clergymen and laymen from many points in Ontario waited on Premier Ross and members of the government this afternoon and pressed for action restraining Sunday excursions contemplated in the province during the coming summer. The Premier replied that he did not quite know how far the government had powers in this direction, but if it were ascertained that they possessed authority, the government would at once put it into operation.

DECLARATION OF FRENCH PREMIER

It Sounds Very Nicely But Mr. Castelin Says It Is Vague.

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Paris, May 14.—M. Delcasse's declaration of policy in the Chamber of Deputies was not expected to-day, but to effective.

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Montreal, May 15.—At a meeting of commanding officers of Montreal corps held to-day, it was decided to have a big military review when the Duke and Duchess of York visit the city. A dozen regiments, including those from Ottawa, Toronto, Belleville, Kingston and Sherbrooke are asked to assist, also some United States regiments.

GRAIN CARRYING FLEET.

More Steamers to be Put on St. Lawrence Route.

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Chamber accepted them, and proceeded with other business.

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Indian Accused of Attempted Murder Railway Subsidies

British Columbia Does Not Get Single Cent From Ottawa.

Commons Approve Increased Grant to the Franco-Canadlan Line.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, May 14.—The house madesplendid progress in supply on the railway subsidies down tonight. The total to be voted is \$3,462,472, of which Ontario gets \$1,320,600, Quebec \$765,-472, New Brunswick \$307,600, Nova. Scotia \$956,800, Manitoba \$112,000. British Columbia does not get one cent. The house this morning rejected by a vote of 66 to 37 an amendment of Mr.

izing a police magistrate to hear cases. under the act. Both sides approved an increased sub-

Clarke's to the alien labor law, author-

sidy to the Franco-Canadian steamship-Sir Richard Cartwright said that after the session negotiations would be held with the French authorities looking to greater concessions for Canadian progreater concessions for Canadian products in the markets of France.

There was a lengthy discussion on the million-dollar loan to Montreal harbor, both parties agreeing that every effort should be made to divert United Statestrade to Canadian channels.

It is reported that Sir Charles Tuppercleared a hundred thousand dollars yesterday, selling his shares in Northern Pacific, which he purchased four monthsago.

ago. Messrs. Borden and Monk address a great mass meeting at Toronto on Mon

day week.
S. A. D. Bertrand, a prominent Manitoban, has been appointed superintendent of works in the Yukon, with a salary of \$5,000. INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION.

Hotel Employees and Bar Tenders Meet. at St. Louis. St. Louis, Mo., May 14.—Delegates to the number of 150 from points in the United States and Canada, were present to-day at the convention of the National association of restaurant and hotel employees, and the International Bartenders league, which met in this city for a four days' session. Routine business occupied the time of today's session.

MATCHES LIT

And Burned the Whole Plant-A Serious Loss.

Walkerville, Ont., May 14.—(Special.)
The premises and plant of the Walker-

EAGLES IN SESSION.

San Francisco, May 14.—(Special.)—The Grand Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, met in Pioneer hall this forenoon for the regular annual session. About 100 delegates, representing various branches of the order, were in attendance. Dr. H. R. Littlefield, grand worthy president called the body to order. New representatives were admitted and degrees conferred. Among the prominent members of the aerie are John E. Sheehan, of New York, Dr. Schwatka of Baltimore, Md. and Lynn N. Huggins of Kammerer, Wyoming. The Eagles will remain in session for several days.

C. B. & Q.

New Terminals to Be Built at St., Louis, Missouri.

UP IN A BALLOON.

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