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More Bloodshed in Portuguese Capital

Troops Opened Fire on Rioting Election Mob Which Fled in Terror—Number Killed in Agitation Started by Republicans.

Lisbon, April 6.—The city is in a state of intense excitement over the riots of last night brought about by the indignant protest of the Republican element that it was being defrauded at the polls. Great crowds filled Pedro square and were massed in front of St. Domingue church, these points being the chief centres of the Republican disorder. Cavalry and infantry were called from their barracks and charged the multitude. As the troops advanced they were met by showers of stones. The rioters charged repeatedly, finally opening fire on the mob. Intense disorder ensued. One observer says the streets were literally red with blood. No official statement of the number of killed and wounded has yet been issued and pending authority from government sources no unofficial or press statement is permitted to be telegraphed.

Following the bloody street affray three newspapers, the organizations of the Franciscans, the Regenerators and the Nationalists were mobbed. The crowd finally fled in terror to their homes, the cavalry pursuing, the group through the streets, and dispersing them as they sought to reform at the street corners.

The counting of ballots of yesterday's election is being held up by order of the government. The ballot boxes are being guarded by the police, backed by a large force of troops. Thus far not a single Republican candidate has been declared elected, although the results in 107 districts are understood to be complete.

Preconcerted Plan. Lisbon, April 6.—The elections here yesterday were conducted peacefully with the exception of minor disorders in some of the disaffected districts. They were followed last night by riotous mobbing which was put down by most vigorous action on the part of the police and the troops.

The rioting broke out in different parts of the city as though by a preconcerted plan. Troops which had been patrolling and others had been held in reserve, were immediately ordered into action, and they repeatedly charged the mobs that in places filled the streets, but without effect. The rioters used clubs, stones, and, and finally weapons there were at hand, and they repeatedly charged the mob, killing and wounding a number of them. This determined action on the part of the authorities seemed to have the desired effect, and shortly afterwards the mobs were all dispersed.

Cause of Bloodshed. Paris, April 6.—The gravity of the rioting at Lisbon last night is not yet known in this city. In accordance with old time practice the censorship of dispatches was inaugurated so soon as bloodshed occurred. It is evident, however, that the Republicans were the winners in the election.

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Grand Forks Delegates. Men Selected to Attend Liberal Convention at Vernon.

Grand Forks, B. C., April 3.—At a meeting of the Grand Forks Liberal Association held here last evening, eight delegates were appointed to attend the Liberal convention to be held at Vernon on the 14th inst. The following are the delegates: President of the Association, P. T. McCallum, H. W. Gregory, Geo. Rutherford, Nell McCallum, H. C. Henniger, E. LeQuimmo, George Murphy, and D. D. Manroe.

Jewelry Haul. Hagersville, Ont., April 6.—Griffith's jewelry store was robbed of \$1,500 worth of watches, rings, pins, etc., on Friday.

Clark's Meats in Tins. Save all the waste of ordinary butchers' meats. Just prime Canadian meat—and the best of it, ready-to-serve. Try them.

Wreckers Secure Huge Haul of Stamps. Unusual Shipment Washed Ashore From Lost Steamer Sylvia.

New Bedford, Mass., April 2.—Postage stamps valued at upwards of \$100,000, forming a consignment in process of shipment from New York to Newfoundland, have been washed ashore at the island of Cuttyhunk from the wreck of the steamer Sylvia. The stamps are of the current Newfoundland issue, and were being shipped by the American Bank Note Company, of New York, to Newfoundland.

They came ashore several days ago in a single box, which was cast astide by the male wreckers, but was ultimately seized by the women. Many sheets of stamps have been given away, and some are said to have been retained in 2 and 5 cent issues. One woman is said to have possession of all the 5 cent stamps, valued at \$80,000. The stamps were not listed on the ship's manifest, the insurance adjuster stated, but were shipped as cash in charge of the purser of the steamer.

Gigantic Lockout. Dispute Over Nine-Hour Day Involves Fifteen Thousand Men.

Paris, April 6.—A gigantic lockout affecting 15,000 masons, bricklayers and allied workmen on the building trades, went into effect on Saturday. The trouble has been brooding for months. The men have been insisting on a maximum day of nine hours. Last fall the masters offered a higher wage scale with a reduction of hours which was refused. The government intervened in the controversy, with the result that the masters have agreed to submit new propositions to the men.

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