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FATAL RIOT IN GENERAL STRIKE OF GOLD MINERS

Johannesburg, South Africa, July 5.—Rioting connected with the general strike of the gold miners on the Rand, which yesterday caused the death of four civilians and the wounding of 50 others in a fight between the strikers and the troops, continued throughout the night. At midnight, a mob looted a gunsmith's store and firing became general. Squads of cavalry with drawn swords patrolled all the streets, frequently charging and scattering groups of rioters who as frequently collected again, bent on looting the stores and destroying the electric lamps, the light from which helped the troops to discover the disturbers' whereabouts. Firing was incessant for hours after midnight in the riot area and many casualties occurred, but it was impossible to obtain accurate details. The police and troops showed great restraint throughout the affair.

REVOLTING CHIEF NOW FIGHTING FEDERAL FORCES

El Paso, Tex., July 5.—Maximo Castillo, revolting chief of General Inez Salazar's auxiliary federal command in the Casas Grandes district, is at Barral, 35 miles southwest of Juarez at the head of 250 men. He sent word by his wife early today, to General Castro that he wishes to offer the services of his group in the defense of the border port against the threatened attack by the constitutionalists. Mrs. Castillo came to Juarez on a hand car propelled by a crew of her husband's troopers.

OBITUARY

The funeral of Thelma M. Johnson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Johnson of 884 Hancock avenue who died yesterday afternoon following a short illness, was held this afternoon at 8:30 o'clock from the Walker and Banks undertaking parlors on Fairfield avenue. Interment was in Mountain Grove cemetery.

Following a short illness, Mrs. James W. Beckwith died last evening at her home, No. 990 Grand street. She is survived by her husband.

Frank F., son of Nicholas and Julia Neuert, passed away Friday evening at the home of his parents No. 222 Maplewood avenue. Deceased was for many years foreman at the Bullard Machine Tool company, and was an active member of Lessing Lodge, No. 94, I. O. O. F., Bullard Sick Benefit society, and Harmony Rebecca Lodge, No. 26 I. O. O. F.

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Services In The Churches Sunday

International Bible Students' Association, 670 State street, corner Park avenue, room No. 14, Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock, A. G. Wakefield of Brooklyn, N. Y., will speak on "Thankfulness." All are cordially invited to come regardless of sect, denomination or creed. Come now, and let us reason together. Isa. 1, 18. King's Highway Congregational, Spring street, near Noble avenue, Rev. P. E. Mathias, pastor, services: Holy Communion and reception of new members 10:45; S. S. 12:05; Junior C. E. 4:00; Senior C. E. 6:30; open air stereopticon lecture on "Children in Far Away Lands," 8:00. Seventy-four colored slides to be shown. Morning subject, "The Gospel of the Cross." During this service there will be an address to boys and girls.

The People's Church, Laurel and Park avenues, Rev. H. A. Davenport, minister. Divine worship 10:30 a. m. Hence, True Liberty. S. S. 12-1. Senior Endeavor 6:30. "Christian Courage" — Consecration. Mid-week prayer, Wednesday evenings, "Honey out of the Rock." Welcome for All. First Church of Christ Scientist, 871 Lafayette street. Service at 11 a. m. Subject, God. Sunday school at 12:15. Wednesday evening Testimonial Meeting at 8. The reading room is open every day except Sunday from 10 to 1 and from 3 to 5 and also on Thursday evenings. All are welcome.

Open-Air Stereopticon Lecture at King's Highway church. During the month of July a unique plan for open Sunday evening services is to be tried out at King's Highway church. The plan is to hold open-air stereopticon lectures. Seats will be provided for the congregation on the church lawn. The screen will be placed on the side of the church facing Noble avenue. Owing to the fact that it does not get dark until 8 o'clock, the time for the service has been set at this hour. In case of bad weather the pictures will be shown indoors. The set for Sunday, July 6, consists of seventy-four slides on "Children in Far-A-Way Lands."

First Congregational church, Rev. Herbert D. Gallaudet, pastor, corner Broad and Bank streets. Service with sermon and Communion, 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Worship and the Law." Mid-week meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Subject: "Ten Favorite Psalms."

South Congregational church, corner Gilbert and Broad streets, Rev. Richard L. Swain, minister, morning service with communion at 10:30. Subject, "Character by Inspiration." Sunday school at 12 m. Mid-week service at 7:45 p. m., Wednesday.

Washington Park Methodist Episcopal church, Barnum and Noble avenues, Everett A. Burnes, minister. 10:30 a. m., public worship and Sacrament of Lord's Supper. 7:30, popular evening worship with special music by quartet and short practical sermon, by minister. Service one hour. Seats reserved for strangers. 9:30 a. m., class meeting, E. B. Smith, leader. 12:10, Sunday school, H. A. Chaffee, superintendent. Men's Adult Bible class, E. H. Williams, teacher.

First Methodist church, Fairfield avenue and Broad street, George M. Brown, pastor. At 10:30 there will be Holy Communion and reception of new members. The Sunday school will meet for a short session at 12 o'clock. The Men's Assembly will meet at the same hour. The Epworth League meeting will be held in the auditorium and begin at 7 o'clock, conducted by Mr. E. H. Serle. Praise Service at 7:30 and sermon by the pastor on "A Great General." Special song by the quartette.

Trinity Church, corner Fairfield avenue and Broad street. Sunday services, July 6th, 8 a. m., Holy Communion. 10:10 a. m., Matins. 10:30 a. m., choral eucharist and sermon. 7:30 p. m., choral evensong. The Rev. C. W. Areson will preach at the 10:30 service.

St. John's Church, Fairfield and Park avenues, Rev. W. H. Lewis, D. D., rector, Rev. H. Bigelow, assistant. Litany, Holy Communion and sermon 11 a. m. SERIES OF SERMONS.

At the First Methodist church the pastor, George M. Brown, will begin tomorrow evening a series of sermons entitled "Pictures of Important People." July 6, "A Great General," July 13, "A Hebrew Hero," July 20, "A Picturesque Prophet," July 27, "A Trusted Traveler." At each evening service there will be excellent music. The seats are all free at these services.

TRAPPED IN P. O. BY EXPLOSION OF SAFE

Atlanta, Ga., July 5.—Barricaded in the post office at Clarkwood, a suburb, where he had blown open the safe, J. W. Johnson fought a post of constables and citizens, early today, until he fell, probably mortally wounded by a bullet. Johnson said he came from Philadelphia. The noise of the explosion aroused the constables and a posse surrounded the postoffice before Johnson could complete his work and escape.

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MOST BEAUTIFUL QUEEN IN EUROPE "MY MOTHER" SAYS PRINCESS YOLANDA

Interesting News Review of the Old World Gathered For Readers of The Farmer.

Rome, July 5.—Whatever the future may hold of sorrow or joy for the royal children of Italy, the son and three small daughters of King Victor Emanuel and Queen Helena will be able to look back upon an exceptionally happy childhood. The Quirinal Palace in Rome, where the children live, has its own shaded gardens, but lest these should not suffice, the King has bought a villa close to the city to serve as an open playground for the youngsters. This villa is on the ancient Via Salaria. The children are often taken out to it in motor cars, and spend long afternoons at play with their ponies and other pets, exactly as though they were in the real country.

When spring comes the little prince, Umberto, aged nine, and his sisters, Yolanda, Mariada and Giovanna, respectively twelve, eleven and six years old, go down to their father's hunting lodge of Castel Porziano, about fifteen miles from Rome, where the king and queen, accompanied by the Emperor and Empress, and where, dressed in simple and practical clothes, they live in the open air, bathing and climbing trees till they become as hardy as the children of the peasants around them. Later on in the summer they go to the seashore at San Rossore, near Pisa, and later still to the fine country castle of Racconigi in Piedmont, which has always been the summer residence of the Carignano branch of the House of Savoy.

It used to be the fashion for Italian children of the better class to dress elaborately, like miniature editions of their parents, but Queen Helena, realizing how much happier is the life of boys and girls who have not to care for fancy clothes, has set the fashion for simplicity by always dressing her children in loose and comfortable "sailor suits." Thus arrayed the royal youngsters enjoy without restraint all the pleasures of digging, gardening and paddling in the sea.

The eldest of the family, Princess Yolanda, is a handsome girl and her ways look well in her white serge suits with broad collars, but she is rather precocious, as are many Italian girls, and already shows a truly feminine interest in matters of her own. It is a great joy to her to be allowed to assist in selecting her mother's millinery, and she chooses hats for the Queen on a most lavish scale, never allowing herself to be trammelled by considerations of expense. Yolanda admires her beautiful mother intensely, and was present on a public occasion recently when some one remarked to her that the Queen was looking particularly well. The little girl answered: "My mother is the very handsomest Queen in Europe." After a short pause she added: "And I am going to be exactly like her." The resemblance between mother and daughter is most striking.

Paris, July 5.—"Art for the Child" is the title of an interesting little exhibition now open in Paris. The object is to brighten the surroundings and to train the sense of beauty of the child, and numbers of delightful toys designed with this end in view are displayed. M. Leo Claret, one of the principal organizers of the exhibition, says: "If art is to be instilled into the masses it must be done in infancy, and a surviving tendency must be created before daily labor begins to diminish leisure."

Many attractive and interesting things are on view, but it is noticeable that no dolls' houses are displayed. Instead, modern boys and girls are to have their own little bungalows in the garden. These tiny summer houses

shut out all intruding adults by their low roofs, the eaves of which are only three feet from the ground, and they have their privacy still further preserved by white fences twenty inches high running all around them.

Berlin, July 6.—The dedication of a "Fairland Fountain" in a public park of Berlin was one of the municipality's contributions toward celebrating the quarto-centennial of the Emperor's reign.

The original design for this fountain was finished and shown at an exhibition twelve years ago. After having been approved by the police authorities, the design came back to the City Hall with the information that the Emperor had declined to pass it. His criticism was that the figures representing the famous characters in fairy stories were made more details in the general architectural scheme so that the children, for whom the fountain was intended, could scarcely recognize their story book favorites. His Majesty recommended that the "grown-up" allegorical designs be rejected, the Heroic and Heroines be brought together in groups, and above all be advised the municipal officials to secure the services of some sculptor who had shown his ability to do work in a way that appealed to children.

The Emperor's interference caused much unfriendly criticism in the newspapers, and the city fathers argued that he had exceeded his authority. Nevertheless, they appointed a committee to consider his suggestions. The services of a Munich sculptor were secured, and after several years a new design was approved by both the Emperor and the city.

The fountain has been erected, and now Berlin children are reveling in the wonderful playground where they can see the heroes of their story books. The figures are placed in groups around two basins, the larger of which covers nearly half an acre. Red Riding Hood is there, and so is the Wolf. Here also is Jack-in-Loose and his Pig, Puss-in-Boots, Cinderella and her slipper, Sleeping Beauty, and all the rest of the old time favorites. The whole conception is a happy one, the poetry of the child life is fittingly embodied in lasting stone amid beautiful surroundings, and it is agreed on all sides that much credit for the final success of the idea is due Emperor William for his rejection of the first design.

Six Incipient Fires Do Little Damage

No Serious Fire Losses As Result of the Annual Celebration

Bridgeport's observance of the Fourth was marred by no serious fires, only six small blazes being reported at the fire department headquarters yesterday. The first fire was at 619 South avenue. It was on the roof of John Giblin's residence and did \$150 damages. The second fire was at 12:28 p. m. in the York Furniture company's storehouse on Howe street. A stray fire cracker started the fire. Damage amounted to \$300. At 1:40 o'clock an alarm from big 172 brought the apparatus to No. 109 Park Terrace, E. B. Jellicotte's place, where a fence was on fire. A leak in a gas stove at the home of Mrs. M. A. Hayes, 347 Golden Hill street started a little fire which was extinguished before the firemen arrived. Two small fires occurred in the evening both due to careless use of fireworks. One was at Nicholas Gatto's home at 85 Hancock street where damage of \$150 was done and the other was at the Logan brothers' store on Congress street where a skyrocket sailed through an upper window and set fire to some paper bags. Very little damage was done at the Logan fire.