NINE WHITES ARE SLAIN IN TULSA RACE BATTLE

Sixty-eight Negroes Dead—100 Whites and 300 Blocks Wounded—Martial Law Declared in Whole County—Thousands of Black Prisoners Are Held.

TEN BLOCKS OF CITY IS AFLAME

Casualty List Growing Hourly—Whites Have Control.

Little Afton Set Ablaze by Governor.

ASSAULT CASE WAS CAUSE

Negro Received Armed Shot and Blacks Galligated.

Whites Stormed Stores for Arms and Ammunition.

NATIONAL GUARD IS CALLED

Three Companies of Troops Rushed to the Scene.

Thousands of Negroes Are Fleeing From City.

China, June 1—Nine white men are known to have been killed in the race riot that broke out here last night and raged until dawn today. With the fighting in progress, the National guard was called to the scene.

In addition scores of whites and Negroes are reported to have been wounded. Estimates differ as to the number of Negroes shot.

The condition of the riot was such that it was impossible at this time to learn the number of persons injured on either side. The National Guard was ordered to the scene, and it is expected to reach thousands of Negroes who then were fleeing from the city.

The riot started on the street where the Chinese school is located, and it spread to the neighboring streets and to the main thoroughfare. The state and federal governments were notified of the condition of affairs, and measures were taken to control the situation.

Several thousand people were on hand to witness the scene, and it was feared that the situation would develop into a more serious one.

N. Y. PLANS FOR HARD WINTER

Big Crop Year Will Benefit Eastern Cities.

Employer and Employee Will Talk Things Over.

Judge Exhibits Concern.

A. S. BRANDON, General Agent for Workmen's Compensation Board, has issued a statement regarding the present situation of the negotiations between the Workmen's Compensation Board and the employers of labor. The statement is as follows:

"There is a growing concern among the employers of labor regarding the present situation. The negotiations are at a standstill, and it is feared that the situation may develop into a more serious one. The Workmen's Compensation Board has made several attempts to settle the matter, but the employers of labor have been unwilling to make any concessions. The situation is critical, and it is feared that the negotiations may break down."

FOR DE MOLAY DAY

Five Hundred Persons Will Visit Topeka Saturday.

Officially from Many Masonic Orders Will Attend.

100 BOYS WILL TAKE PART

Special Train Will Arrive at 10:45 O'Clock.

DROWNS IN POND

Raymond Swear, 10, of Eureka, W. Va., Drowned Beyond Relief.

Topka's Youngest Aged in Emergency.

Recommended to Be Taken to Hospital.

Drowned in Pond

Raymond Swear, 10, of Eureka, W. Va., drowned beyond relief here last night. The body was found in the pond, about 150 yards from the house. The coroner's jury was called to the scene, and an inquest was held.

MAY CHANGE RULE

Santa Fe Shop Crafts to Cooperate in Change Rule

Conference Will Be Held Here Next Monday.

V. A. Green, assistant to the superintendent of the Santa Fe Lines, announced today that the company's board of directors would meet here next Monday to consider the change of rule in force on the Santa Fe Lines.

The change of rule was ordered last week by the company, and it is expected that the board will make a decision on the matter.

WHEAT GOES UP HIGHER

Wheat, June 1—George W. Cross, the well-known wheat broker, has announced that the price of wheat will be higher next week than it is now.

It is expected that the price of wheat will increase, and it is feared that the situation will develop into a serious one.

NO SANTA FE TRAINS TO TULSA

Orders Brought to Hold Them at Cheif.