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STEVENS' CLOSE CALL

MILLWRIGHT AT CLARK & JACKSON'S MEETS WITH ACCIDENT. Injuries, While Extensive, Will Not Necessarily Prove Fatal.

A horrible accident occurred at the Clark & Jackson mill, Twenty-eighth avenue West, about 10 o'clock yesterday morning in which Henry Stevens, Twenty-seventh avenue West and Railroad street, all but lost his life. The man, with a fellow workman, was putting in place some new machinery close to machinery which was in motion. Superintendent E. B. Thomas had warned the men of the danger and had instructed each to use every pre-

caution. They had been at work but a short time when Stevens' trousers leg was caught in a shaft which was revolving rapidly within six inches of the floor. The man was hurled against the wheels with great force and was shockingly mangled in the vital portions of his body. Doctors Davis and Pheasant were summoned as soon as he was removed to his home. Although the injuries were very severe the physicians state that he will recover. Stevens is a member of the Modern Woodmen lodge and that order acted quickly in engaging medical assistance and a nurse. He was employed as a millwright and has been working at the mill about six months.

No Amalgamation. Wood Carvers rejected a proposition to amalgamate with the Amalgamated Wood Workers' Union.

The New Store

Every Day, Every Week, The New Store grows busier and busier. Because prices for Best Goods are always lowest here. Next week you'll have some additional chances to discover this for yourself. The items below point the way for "money saving." It is your opportunity.

Men's Goods.

- There will be lively UNDERWEAR selling next week, for we are going to offer great values. Such as these—
- Men's heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers, real 50c goods, **37½c**
- Men's heavy ribbed wool Underwear, Shirts and Drawers, can't be approached at \$1.00 elsewhere, **75c**
- Men's natural Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, you'll pay \$1.25 for no better elsewhere, **98c**
- Men's double breasted and double backed Shirt, Drawers, real \$1.75 value, our price, **\$1.25**
- Or two suits for \$4.50.
- Fancy Silk and Worsted Underwear Shirts and Drawers, retailed hereabouts at \$2 and \$4 a garment, our price, **\$2.75**
- Or two suits for \$10.00.

Men's Laundered Percal Shirts

Our "Summit" Brand in new styles, equal to the highest priced and most "exclusive," but at our own low price, **98c**

Sweaters.

New patterns, new goods, for boys and men, prices are— **75c, 98c, \$1.19 and up to \$3.00**

You should see our new line of Sweaters. It will be a mistake if you buy your Gloves, Hosiery or Neckwear before looking over our new goods. We will offer some big values, worth coming after next week.

FOR ARBITRATION

READING ROAD MAKES AN ADDITIONAL PROPOSAL.

Gave Notice to Employers That It Was Ready to Enter into Arbitration in Regard to Any Grievances They May Have—None of the Strikers, However, Indicated Intention to Return to Work.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—There was no important development today in regard to the miners' strike. An interesting feature was the Reading company's notice to its employees that in addition to its offer of a 10 per cent increase that it was ready to enter into arbitration with them in regard to any grievances they may have. None of the strikers, however, have yet indicated their intention to return to work.

Affairs were extremely quiet today throughout the anthracite region. General Gobin, in command of the state troops, recently sent to Schuylkill county upon request of the sheriff, today directed another of the regiments to return home tomorrow. Another regiment left on Monday.

There now remain one regiment, a battery of artillery and a company of mounted troops.

DENIES ANY SETTLEMENT.

President Mitchell Advises Miners Not to Accept Offer.

HAZLETON, Pa., Oct. 3.—Another day has come and gone without developing anything new in the strike of the anthracite coal miners of Pennsylvania. Although most of the big companies have offered mine workers 10 per cent net increase in wages, not a move has yet been made by any of the strikers towards a resumption of work. The way the men have thus far stood together without showing any weakness in any part of the ranks, is considered remarkable by many persons in this region. That a break will come sooner or later, however, is believed by many to be certain. It is pointed out that as the strikers funds grow smaller their hope will become fainter and they will then accept the 10 per cent offered by the companies. But against this argument is that of the labor leaders who stoutly maintain as they did before the increase was offered that the men will remain steady.

Though President Mitchell and his colleagues say they are sanguine of their ability to keep the almost general tie up in force until the operators further recede from their position, they are not losing an opportunity to keep the men from being influenced into resuming work by rumors of settlements, agreements, etc.

Today Mitchell Was Informed of the wide circulation of a story to the effect that he had reached an agreement with the officers of the coal mining and coal carrying railroads and after verbally denying the report he issued the following:

"To the miners and mine workers of the anthracite region: We have just been informed that the report has been circulated at Ashland to the effect that in a conference in New York this morning between the coal presidents and myself an agreement was reached which will end the strike.

"I desire to notify all mine workers that the report is incorrect and that I have not been in conference with the presidents of the coal companies and have made no agreement with them. I wish to reiterate what I said several days ago that there would be no settlement of the strike until a convention of the anthracite miners is held. You are further requested to pay no attention to statements of this kind and to continue the strike until such concessions are made by the operators as will justify us in calling a general convention when you will be regularly notified of the date and place at which the convention will be held.

(Signed) JOHN MITCHELL, President United Mine Workers of America."

The Injunction in the Above address to the miners to continue the strike until such concessions are made by the operators as will justify in calling a general convention, is regarded as rather significant and as an indication that the struggle will not be a short one. There are, however, those who believe that some sort of a settlement is near at hand, but there is nothing on the surface upon which such a belief can be based. President Mitchell and the members of the national executive board are credited with knowing a great deal more about the intention of the operators than they care to reveal and that they are simply waiting for them to again make a move.

The Strike Situation in the Lehigh Valley as far as the number of men on strike is concerned

remains the same. One hundred strikers marched from Milnesville to Lattimer and about 25 trapped to Cranberry from Crystal Ridge for the purpose of inducing mine workers at those places to quit, but they met with little success. The question of relief is now receiving serious consideration by the United Mine Workers officials.

BOTH SIDES POST NOTICES.

As One Notice Was Put up Another Was Circulated.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Oct. 3.—The only important development in the strike situation in this district today was the posting of notices by the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron company at all of its collieries and on the conspicuous places in the lawns and mining "Patches," announcing a net increase of 10 per cent in wages and a willingness to hear the grievances of its employees.

The local and district organizers were on the alert and in less than five minutes after the company proposal had been placed a warning to the mine workers was circulated. In this town and vicinity, organizer C. S. Pottier, distributed circulars, printed in the English, Polish and Lithuanian languages, calling on the strikers to pay no attention to the company's offer, but to wait for the decision of the mine workers convention. The impression here tonight is that none of the strikers will attempt to return to work until so ordered by President Mitchell.

There are no indications of trouble in the Panther Creek Valley.

General Gobin has been informed that a big meeting of mine workers will be held at Lansford tomorrow night. A large number of Hazleton strikers are expected to attend.

General Gobin says he will be ready if troops are needed. The Eighth regiment is tonight making preparations to break camp. General Gobin late today ordered the regiment to start for home tomorrow. Company I of the Twelfth left today.

Major Farquhar, provost marshal, has ordered the guard to diligently patrol the eastern sections of the borough, near Indian Ridge colliery. He says the strikers there are showing an ugly disposition.

NO CHANGE IS EXPECTED.

Until the Proposed Convention Takes Action on Offer.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 3.—Neither the operators nor striking miners expect any change in the situation in the Wyoming Valley until the convention of miners takes action on the proposed increase in wages made by the big companies. The talk of individual operators objecting to the advance offered to the men by the companies is not taken seriously here.

The representatives of the Delaware & Hudson, Lackawanna, Lehigh Valley, Lehigh & Wilkesbarre company say if the strikers consent to go back to work at the terms offered the individual operators will not stand in the way. In fact, they would have to pay the miners the same wages as the big companies or allow their mines to remain in idleness. They are not willing to do as was judged by actions of certain operators the past week.

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WHY HER FOOTMAN QUIT.

William, His Tall Silk and the Cart that had no Springs to It.

"Mrs. Highfill has lost her gentleman looking footman," "What was the trouble?" "It was the fault of that high cart of hers. It hasn't any springs, and jolts frightfully whenever the wheels go over an obstruction. William was sitting up behind when the cart struck a bad piece of road where the pavement is torn up. William was wearing the coachman's silk hat and it was a little large. At the first jolt it slipped down over William's ears, the brim resting down on his shoulders. William tried to raise it, but another jolt caused him to hold on to the seat with both hands for dear life. Of course, riding along in the dark that way, he couldn't tell in which direction he was facing, and soon he was turned completely around, with his back to Mrs. Highfill. Before they had got over the rough part of the roadway, the laughter of the passers by, convinced her that something was wrong, and turning round she caught sight of the headless William. The shock so unnerved her that she left her horse, slewed the cart around and dumped them both on to the Binglewood's lawn. William fell on the sod head first, and it took two men and a messenger boy to pick that tight-wedged hat from his head. Yes, and he was black in the face as far up as his forehead. That was yellow from the lining of the hat. He resigned his job on the spot, although Mrs. Highfill increased his salary and implored him to stay. He said that any society woman who drove a cart without springs imposed too much upon the tenderest sensibilities of any footman of ordinary intelligence."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Labor is All-Important. What would happen if all who work should suddenly cease to work? It might occur to some that labor is as important as the class which absorbs its products.

Dr. Le Doe's From Paris. Positively warranted to cure the Female Regulator. Monthly pathological Stoppages. Irregularities. Obstructions. Inflammations. Irritations and Ulcerations of the mucous membranes. An internal remedy with infection combined, warranted to cure worst cases in one week. \$3 per package or three for \$5.00. Refund substituted. Sent anywhere on receipt of price, and guaranteed by THE KIDD DRUG CO. Retail and Wholesale by Max Wirth, and S. F. Boyce, druggists, Duluth, and Nyren's Drug Store, W. Duluth, Minn.

MINERS ON PARADE

PROCESSION TOOK OVER ONE HOUR TO PASS.

One of Many Unique Features of Parade was Number of Women Who Marched on Foot—They Were in Troops and Uniformed—Ida McKinley Club Attracted Most Attention—Meeting was Enormous.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—No break has yet occurred in the ranks of the striking mine workers, though additional notices of the offer of an increase of 10 per cent in wages were posted throughout the region. In fact there were many indications today of an intent on the part of the strikers to insist on other concessions and to also remain out until the operators give recognition to their national organization.

The feature of the day was the parade and mass meeting of mine workers at Wilkesbarre arranged with the object of demonstrating the strength of the United Mine Workers. A conservative estimate places the number of strikers in the procession at 15,000 and the day was generally given up as a holiday by the people of Wilkesbarre and other Luzerne county towns.

The Mass Meeting Was Addressed by President Mitchell and other officers of the miners' organization. President Mitchell in a speech congratulated the strikers on having already received an offer of 10 per cent in wages.

He advised them to stand firmly together. He said the strike shall not be ended by him, and could only be closed when a convention of miners representing every union and every colliery shall so decide. He hoped that not one man will desert the ranks until victory is complete.

Mr. Mitchell Was Expected to indicate in his speech his views on the 10 per cent increase conceded by the operators but beyond noting it as a victory he had nothing to say on that point, neither did he intimate anything as to the probability of an early convention of miners, and after the meeting when questioned on that subject he said that not a local union had requested the calling of a convention.

A significant move in this direction, however, developed tonight at Shenandoah, where all the local branches of the United Mine Workers held meetings and selected delegates to a convention to be called later by President Mitchell. This is the first announcement of the selection of convention delegates.

The entire region was quiet today and very few mines were in operation.

COAL MINERS ON PARADE.

Greatest Labor Demonstration Ever Held in State.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 2.—The parade and mass meeting of the striking miners in this city was the greatest labor demonstration ever held in northeastern Pennsylvania. The weather was ideal for the occasion. The sun shone brightly all day and the temperature was more like a day in June than October. It is estimated that there were fully 15,000 men and breaker boys in line. As a rule they were well dressed and some few of them from their appearance might be taken for a body of officers. They did not march with precision but were a dense mass of humanity. They marched six, five and four abreast. The music was furnished by about fifty brass bands and drum corps. Many banners and transparencies were carried by the men. Among the most noticeable was these:

"We want our dinner pails filled with substantial food, not coal barons' taffy." "We are fighting a cause that is just and right." "Stand by, President Mitchell, at the union." "Our union must be reorganized." "We will no longer be slaves." "2240 pounds for a ton." "We want two weeks' pay."

The breaker boys carried banners which read: "We need schooling, but must work." "Save us from the whims of the sheriff and deputies." "Down with oppression; we will stand by Mitchell." The parade passed over the principal streets of the city and thousands of people lined the sidewalks. The men from Pittston had a float with four men representing "Coal barons." They were drinking what purported to be champagne. Directly following was a float with miners dining on bread and water. A stretcher was carried containing a dummy representing a miner who had just lost his life in a mine.

President Mitchell Reviewed the great army of marchers on the river common. He was generously applauded by the marchers. Business was practically at a standstill all the afternoon. The superintendent of the coal companies and district clerks viewed the parade from their office buildings. One coal man said it was a very creditable demonstration.

It was 6 o'clock when the last of the marchers went past President Mitchell. Then he and his colleagues were driven to West Side park where the big mass meeting was held. For several hours a crowd had been gathering there and it was estimated that nearly 20,000 people were massed in front of the stand when the labor president began to speak. The reception he got from the vast crowd was most enthusiastic.

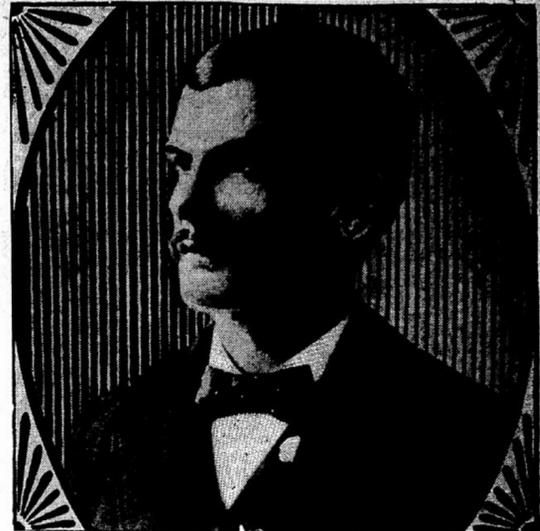
President Mitchell's Address as far as outlining any future move on the part of the labor leaders is concerned was a disappointment. He intimated strongly last night that he would define the position of the union today on the 10 per cent concession. He failed to do so because the impression to go out that he is still undecided what should be done, and that he is probably waiting for leaders of unions to take some kind of action first.

On the other hand there are some people who are in touch with the situation who believe that Mr. Mitchell knows what he is doing. They argue that his telling the men that they can settle the ten per cent increase question by holding a convention was a bold hint to the local leaders to carry out the suggestion. Mr. Mitchell had no news touching upon

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COAL STRIKE ORGANIZER BENJAMIN JAMES.



One of the most active leaders of the mammoth coal strike is Benjamin James, who is organizing the miners throughout the Lackawanna and Wyoming Valleys.

DULUTH Labor Notes.

Mrs. Schoening wife of Fred Schoening of the Butchers' union, who underwent an operation last week, is reported to be improving very rapidly and it is expected will soon be out again.

Peter McLaughlin, of the Plumbers' union and secretary of the Builders' Trades Council, has branched into business for himself at 101 West Fourth street. The Labor World wishes him success in his new departure.

The Boss Butchers had a jollification meeting last Wednesday to which they invited their employees. A good time was had and all join pronouncing it one of the right kind of things to bring good fellowship between the employer and employee.

Governor Lind has appointed Jos. Krieger, president of the Plumbers' union as a member of the State Board of Plumbing Examiners. The appointment was quite a surprise to Mr. Krieger, as he in no manner sought the position. It is however, very pleasing to his friends among the plumbers.

last week he gave out the following committee for Duluth and vicinity: Wm. McEwen, organizer, and A. W. Jones, Wm. Tunell, Geo. Davis, Gordon O'Neill, Sam Killely.

The committee will get together soon and lay plans for immediate organization work.

The Trades Assembly held a rather lively meeting last Friday evening. There was an unusually good attendance, and considerable interest was taken. The cause for considerable of the life of the meeting may be attributed to the action of the Structural Workers union in presenting their credentials, and the opposition of the Carpenters' union to their acceptance. The credentials were referred to the executive committee for immediate action. The executive committee consists of President Jones, Vice President J. W. Richardson and Financial Secretary A. A. Fider. Two members of the board are members of the Carpenters' union. Later the committee reported it stood evenly divided for and against the acceptance of the credentials. After a spirited debate, the matter was referred to the next meeting.

COURT UNTIES BAD KNOT

DIVORCE IS GRANTED ANNA BAY FROM CHAS. F. FOR CRUELTY.

Mrs. Emma Bowman Seeks Release From Chas. Bowman on Account of Desertion.

Findings have been filed in district court in the case of Anna Bay vs. Charles F. Bay in which the plaintiff is granted a divorce on the ground of cruelty and is given the custody of two children of the marriage and \$290 alimony.

Emma Bowman has commenced suit in district court against Charles Bowman for divorce on the grounds of desertion. The plaintiff, who is 44 years of age, married the defendant who is 45, at West Superior in August, 1898, and the alleged desertion took place in July, 1899.

A. H. Eddy has brought suit against Alexander D. Cummings to quiet title to lot 3, East Third street, Duluth proper, first division.

Satisfaction of judgment for \$206.23 secured by the Mesaba Lumber company against the Pennsylvania Iron & Steel company has been filed in district court.

Commercial Light and Power Co.

Successors to Hartman General Electric Co. Furnish Electric Currents For Light and Power.

PEOPLE'S PARTY COUNTY CONVENTION. REFERENDUM NOMINATIONS. OFFICIAL CALL.

A call is hereby issued by the chairman of the county committee of the People's Party of St. Louis County for a referendum primary ballot to be held on the 12th day of October, 1900, between 6 and 8 o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates for the offices of auditor, sheriff, treasurer, judge of probate, clerk of court, county attorney, county commissioners, register of deeds, county surveyor, to be voted for at the general election to be held in the State of Minnesota on the 6th day of November, 1900; also for one delegate from each voting precinct in said county to a county convention to be held in the City Hall in the City of Duluth, on the 13th day of October, 1900, at 6:30 o'clock in the evening of that day, to place in nomination as provided by law, the candidates who receive the highest number of votes for each of the above named offices at the said primary ballot.

E. G. WALLINDER, County Chairman People's Party.

PEOPLE'S PARTY LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION. REFERENDUM NOMINATIONS.

A call is hereby issued by the chairman of the legislative committee of the People's Party of the Forty-ninth and Fiftieth Legislative districts, for referendum primary ballot to be held on the 12th day of October, 1900, in each district, to be voted for at the general election to be held in the State of Minnesota on the 6th day of November, 1900, and one delegate from each voting precinct in said county to a legislative convention to be held in the City Hall in the City of Duluth on the 13th day of October, 1900, at 6:30 o'clock in the evening of that day, to place in nomination, as provided by law, the candidates who receive the highest number of votes at said primary ballot.

E. G. WALLINDER, Chairman Legislative Committee People's Party, Forty-ninth District.

J. H. BAKER, Chairman Legislative Committee, People's Party, Fiftieth District, Labor World—Sept. 22-29—Oct. 5.

STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS—District Court, 11th Judicial District.

Henry Gazett, doing business under the name and style of H. Gazett & Co., Plaintiff.

William Craig, John F. Moffat, Thomas C. Coffin and Charles H. Appleby and James Johnson, co-partners under the name and style of Appleby & Johnson, Defendants.

State of Minnesota to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action which is on file in the office of the clerk of the above named court in and file said answer with the clerk of said court in the City of Duluth, said county and state, and to file your answer in the office of said clerk, within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service and if you fail to answer the said complaint as aforesaid, the plaintiff herein will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

You are further notified that the above entitled action is brought for the foreclosure of a mechanic's lien, and that no personal claim is made against you or any of you except the defendants William Craig and John F. Moffat and that the property affected by said action is Lot 14, Block 2, Industrial Division of Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

LUM, NEFF & HARTLEY, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 305 First National Bank Building, Duluth, Minn. Labor World, Oct. 6-13-20.

Charter Election Amendment.

Notice is hereby given, that the Charter Commission of the City of Duluth has proposed the following amendment to the Charter of said city: By adding to section numbered sixty-four (64) thereof, the following: "Eighty-sixth: To provide by contract or otherwise for the operation of a free or toll ferry across the ship canal in the city of Duluth from Minnesota Point to the main land adjacent thereto."

Said amendment will be voted on by the electors of the city of Duluth at the general state election to be held on November 6, 1900.

H. W. CHEADLE, City Clerk. Duluth, Minn., Oct. 6, 1900.

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