

TO BREAK DOWN LABOR UNIONS

The Employers of England Are Said to Have Started in to Accomplish This End.

The First Step Is a Declaration by the House of Lords That Unions May Be Sued.

Needless Litigation to Weaken Them Will Be the Next Procedure.

New York Sun Special Service
Boston, Oct. 13.—John A. Hobson, the London sociologist, prophesies a serious conflict soon in England between organized labor and organized capital. He says: "The trade unions object to the employment of non-union men in order to protect their organizations. The employers of England are about to try to break down the labor unions and to bestir the principle. They have turned to the two weapons of law and politics. The house of lords has decided that unions can be sued. This will have the way for needless litigation, in which, because of weaker resources, the unions may be ruined. In the meantime, as trade declines, we will see a series of big strikes and lock-outs."

THE POOR HELP THEMSELVES.

Newton, Mass., loses a large part of its coal supply.

New York Sun Special Service
Newton, Mass., Oct. 13.—The entire police force was called out last night to suppress a coal riot. Mayor Weeks had purchased fifteen carloads of soft coal in Virginia for use by the city. When the shipment arrived it was found on a side track near Newtonville. Shortly after dark a crowd began to gather and the people began to carry away pallets of coal. Inside of half an hour men, women and children were securing a supply of fuel.

Three officers were sent to the scene, but they could not stop the coal thefts, and at 7:30 o'clock a general call was sent out and forty-two policemen responded. They had no easy task in dispersing the crowd, which had grown to 2,000 persons, all seemingly determined to protect the poor people who were carrying off the coal. It was necessary to leave a guard of police about the cars all night.

"UNIVERSAL FELLOWSHIP"

What Mayor Maybury Believes Citizenship Should Mean.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 13.—Already a potent figure in the politics of Michigan, the recent convention has brought Mayor William C. Maybury of Detroit yet more prominently into the public eye. Mayor Maybury is a radical. He admits this, but he contends that his ideas are in no wise those of extreme socialism. He is a democrat, and he holds firmly to the basic principle of his party. He believes in an income tax and in a tariff for revenue only, holding that the former will bring about the way to reduce the latter to the lowest point compatible with the financial needs of the government.

Mayor Maybury has no use for citizens of the Baer pattern, with their arrogant disregard of public welfare and of public sentiment. He believes that citizenship should aim at universal fellowship and not center in schemes for selfish personal advancement and gain.

The mayor believes that Governor Stone of Pennsylvania should take drastic measures, even to the seizing of the mines. "It was a great mistake when the government departed from the rule of ownership coming down through all the ages when the sovereign government intervened to itself the ownership, at least the control, of those natural products which contribute to human need. With the increase of population and the consequent increase in competition for livelihood we are beginning to see that the giving away of these public possessions was a great mistake.

"LAWLESSNESS IN SOCIETY"

A Pastor Who Thinks There Are Two Codes of Laws.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—"Lawlessness in Society" was discussed by the Rev. W. A. Bartlett in the First Congregational church last evening.

"There are those who seem to think that there may be one code of laws for the poor and another for the rich," said the minister.

"If poor men break laws or resort to violence, some one is quick to call them anarchists. But what if the other class break laws, too? There is an unwritten tradition in our nation—that many places a written law—that games and sports are out of place on Sunday. I have known police to stop the games of the poor, while on the other hand, no one was being played nor far away from it."

"The rich man will run his automobile faster than the law allows and becomes indignant if interfered with. He is not often interfered with. But if a dog or man steals a loaf of bread, he suffers durably."

NOT MR. BAER'S COAL

Jenkin Lloyd Jones Takes Up a Contribution for the Strikers.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Neither the Almighty nor nature, if you prefer the term, ever issued a quit-claim deed to President Baer for the coal fields of the universe. He declared Jenkin Lloyd Jones to an audience that filled All Souls' church yesterday and then helped to fill the fund box to be sent the striking miners to-day.

Hundreds of bills into the contribution box and many others put in slips that were in the nature of promissory notes. It is estimated that nearly \$2,000 was collected for the sufferers in the anthracite country.

All Miners Engaged.

Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 13.—Miners from the anthracite district of Pennsylvania are flocking to the bituminous mines of central Illinois for employment. All that apply are being engaged owing to the unprecedented demand for soft coal. The newcomers say that wages here are higher and the cost of living less and that they will send for their families.

WHOLE BOATLOAD OF COAL

Duluth Dockmen Would Not Unload It Until Assured They Could Have Part.

Special to The Journal.
Duluth, Minn., Oct. 13.—The steamer City of Paris, coal, yesterday with a cargo of hard coal. The dock laborers refused to unload the cargo unless they received the privilege of buying one ton of the coal at the regular market price and one ton to each customer. Coal men here think there will be considerable receipts before navigation closes.

ARRESTS IN A FEW HOURS

Lincoln Police Officers Hint at Important Developments in Late Train Robbery.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 13.—Lincoln police officers promise developments of some importance in the Burlington train robbery in the next twenty-four hours. What these are they will not disclose, but it is thought arrests are contemplated in connection with the theft of three horses near the town of Raymond, by men who were seen walking on a country road near that town Saturday night.

The arrests, if there be any, will be in Lincoln. Not much importance attaches to the suspects detained at Hubbell, as they fall in all essentials to fit the descriptions given by the robbers. In local circles, vigilance has been doubled with the growing suspicion that the robbers or their friends are in this city.

Nothing further is known as to the amount secured from the express safe. The Adams Express company officials will give no information as to the statement of the railway that the sum was probably not to exceed \$2,000 is generally accepted as correct.

FIRST SNOW FALLS

Rain Changes to the Fleecy at Northwestern Points.

The first snow of the season came this morning, the coldest weather as yet. The flakes began floating earthward shortly before 7 o'clock and the solidified shower ceased an hour later. About 10:45 more flakes revived conversation upon the street cars. It was the earliest snowfall in the last seven years. But in 1895 snow was recorded Oct. 8.

The temperature at 7 a. m. descended to 24 or two degrees above the freezing point, the minimum since last spring. Tomorrow, however, says Section Director Outram, the air will be warmer and the sky comparatively clear.

READY FOR BATTLE

Dr. Hall and Dairymen Are Likely to Clash.

According to St. Paul newspaper reports Health Commissioner P. M. Hall of this city is to have opposition in his campaign against dairymen in the dairy herd which supply milk to Minneapolis. Last Saturday a conference was held in the rooms of the state board of health. Present were the state health officers and the local boards of health of Minneapolis and Bloomington, Golden Valley, Edina and other towns in Hennepin county, and of Rose and Mounds View townships in Ramsey county.

The attitude of the Minneapolis health department was severely condemned. It was intimated that the Minneapolis inspection was so carelessly made that health cattle were frequently condemned. The local boards of health were advised to notify the dairymen within their districts that the Minneapolis health department had no authority to force inspection outside of the limits of Minneapolis and that these could be made only by the local or state boards. This all agreed to do.

Dr. Hall is as serene as ever. He remarked indignantly that citizens should care whether the dairymen outside of the city have their cattle inspected or not. They can't sell milk in Minneapolis unless I say so. With two supreme court decisions squarely in my favor, I have nothing to worry over. If the dairymen don't want to sell milk here, well and good."

CITY FATHER CAPTURED

Delegate Julius Lehman Found Today at Home.

St. Louis, Oct. 13.—Delegate Julius Lehman, convicted of perjury and resting under an indictment for bribery, who has been a fugitive from justice for several weeks, was captured by a deputy sheriff to-day at his home. The capture was made just as Lehman was entering his house.

It was stated Saturday that Lehman intended to surrender to-morrow as his case comes up on appeal then. He was seeking to secure a reversal of the verdict of the jury that convicted him of perjury May 17 last in connection with the lighting bribery deal and the birthday party at Mud Lake. The gun was in the bottom of the boat and both barrels were accidentally discharged. Mr. Sherwood was removed to a hospital in Faribault, where his hand was amputated.

HIS HAND BLOWN OFF

A Minneapolis Hunter Is Seriously Injured at Faribault.

Special to The Journal.
Faribault, Minn., Oct. 13.—C. N. Sherwood, an employe of the Wyman-Partridge company of Minneapolis, had his right hand shot off last night while hunting at Mud Lake. The gun was in the bottom of the boat and both barrels were accidentally discharged. Mr. Sherwood was removed to a hospital in Faribault, where his hand was amputated.

HE LOVES ANOTHER

Mrs. Stephens, Formerly Mrs. Hedberg, Sues for a Divorce.

Special to The Journal.
Chicago, Oct. 13.—Raymond Stephens, formerly an actor and now a professor of voice culture in Duluth, has been sued for divorce by his wife, Mrs. Jennie A. Stephens, 3610 Ellis Park, Chicago.

Mrs. Stephens was at one time a society belle in Fort Sheridan, where her first husband, Captain Hedberg, was shot and killed by Lieutenant Hanes as the result of a scandal that affected all the officers of the Fifteenth Infantry. She alleges her present husband has at various times kicked her and that he has likewise estranged himself by bestowing his affections upon the wife of a lumber dealer in Duluth.

FOUR BODIES FOUND IN STREET

Tied Up in Sacks and Carried From the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons.

A Development in the Indianapolis Grave Robbing Horror This Morning.

The Grand Jury Is Instructed to Punish All Parties Concerned, No Matter How Prominent.

Indianapolis, Oct. 13.—Four dead bodies were found hid in sacks in Georgia street and in the rear of the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons this morning. The bodies were identified as those of Mrs. Johanna Stitz, stolen from the Ebenezer cemetery; Miss Glendora Gates, stolen from Anderson cemetery; Wallace Johnson, stolen from Ebenezer cemetery;



SETTLEMENTS TO BURN

If We Could Burn the Strike Settlements, Arranged on Paper, We Might Keep Warm.

and Mrs. Catherine Doehring, stolen from the German Catholic cemetery; and the bodies were sent to Meridian and Georgia streets on a telephone message that there were bodies there. When the police arrived they were directed to a dry goods box on the sidewalk in Georgia street, opposite a wholesale dry goods store. On the top of the box, in a sitting posture, was a body tied in a sack. The form could plainly be seen. It was identified as that of Mrs. Stitz. A patrolman looked in the box and found another body also tied in a sack. The city dispensary ambulance was called to the place and the bodies were sent to the morgue.

A young man who telephoned for the police was still there and he told the police that he was on his way to work. While passing the rear end of the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons, in South Pennsylvania street, he said he noticed two sacks filled with something lying near the rear door of the college. When he walked into Georgia street and saw the body sitting on the dry goods box, he realized that the sacks in the rear of the college probably contained bodies.

Officers hurried to the Central college building and took charge of the bodies lying in the alley.

Each one was tied securely in a sack. When the sacks were cut open it was found that they contained the bodies of Miss Gates and Wallace Johnson.

The finding of the bodies is thought to be due to the efforts of detectives who for several days have been talking with physicians not connected with any of the colleges to use their influence in having the stolen bodies returned to the relatives.

Seventeen persons are now under arrest for grave-robbing. This list includes nine negroes, three white doctors, one colored undertaker, a proprietor of a cemetery and a night watchman.

It is supposed at least 100 graves have been despoiled within the last three months. Rufus Cantrell, colored, is the confessed leader of the gang.

Judge Alford, in his instructions to the grand jury to-day, told them to go to the bottom of the outrage and punish every man for his part in it, regardless of his prominence.

SOMETHING IS GOING TO DROP

The President Shows Signs of Charging Up the San Juan Hill of the Trusts.

He Is to Appoint a Commission at Once to Make a Radical Investigation.

The Significance of the Visit to the White House of Prof. Jenks of Cornell.

From The Journal Bureau, Room 45, Post Building, Washington.
Washington, Oct. 13.—This week will see important developments in President Roosevelt's dealing with the coal strike situation. Mr. Roosevelt is determined to deal with the conditions that have made possible a famine in coal. He is convinced that something is radically wrong if such

BIG MITT MEN ARE SENTENCED

"Billy" Edwards and Charlie Howard Each Get Ten Days in County Jail.

Their Services to the State in Police Corruption Case Save Them Worse Fate.

Honest Employment Has Been Promised the Men and They Say They Will Reform.

"Billy" Edwards, "Cheerful Charlie" Howard and "Chris" Norbeck were brought before Judge Harrison for sentence this morning. Edwards and Howard were given ten days in the county jail. Sentence in the Norbeck case was deferred.

The passing of sentence upon the former "big mitters" closes a most inter-

A SLIGHT RIFT IN THE CLOUDS

Mr. Truesdale Admits That To-day's Conference May Be Productive of Immediate Results.

The Coal Railroad Presidents Get Together in Mr. Thomas' Offices in New York.

Mr. Morgan Is Back in His Office Again After Two Days of Conferencing on His Yacht.

[Details of Mr. Morgan's conference with Secretary Root on Saturday and with President Baer on Sunday will be found on page 2 of this paper.]

New York, Oct. 13.—A conference of the representatives of the coal carrying railroads was held in New York to-day, the result of which, according to the statement of one of those present may be a definite step towards the settlement of the coal strike. The conference was held in the office of E. B. Thomas, chairman of the board of directors of the Erie railroad and was participated in by President Oliphant and Vice President Wilcox of the Delaware & Hudson, President Fowler of the Ontario & Western and President Truesdale of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western. As Mr. Truesdale entered Mr. Thomas' office he said in reply to a question:

"Yes, a conference is to be held and it will be an important one. It may be productive of immediate results on the situation."

The conference lasted a little more than one hour. When the participants dispersed they declined to make any statement as to what had transpired.

Added significance was attached to Mr. Truesdale's words by the fact that until to-day he has steadfastly adhered to the statement that no steps in the direction of settlement had been taken. During the conference of last evening he reiterated this statement with emphasis and as late as Saturday afternoon had refused to admit that any progress had been made.

J. P. Morgan left his yacht Corsair, on which he has been since Saturday last, early to-day and went directly to his office.

The conference lasted about an hour. Each of the participants was approached as he came from it but one and all refused to say anything. It was announced however, that the conference was informal.

In addition to those already mentioned, was President Walter of the Lehigh Valley, and the independent operator John Markle. The independent operator, remaining about five minutes.

It was intimated that later in the day a statement might be issued but no intimation of the nature was obtainable.

Morgan Is Silent.

Mr. Morgan declined to talk about his meeting with Secretary Root last Saturday. He would not discuss the coal strike in any way except to say that he had heard of no change in general conditions.

John Markle, the independent operator, was one of Mr. Morgan's callers, but beyond the bare statement that to-day's news from the strike region was slightly more encouraging, Mr. Markle would say nothing.

DE BRADSKY FALLS

The Aeronaut and a Companion Are Killed Near Paris This Morning.

The Dirigible Balloon Went All Right for a Time, but There Was an Accident.

Paris, Oct. 13.—De Bradsky, aeronaut, and a companion, were killed by falling from a dirigible balloon to-day.

The balloon started from the Aerostatic station at Vaugirard, a suburb of this city, at 7:30 a. m., on a trial trip after preliminary maneuvering with a rope attached. De Bradsky, releasing the balloon, proceeded southward at a height of 300 or 400 feet. The propellers of the machine appeared to work well. The rudder, however, was not quite successful. At about 9:20 the balloon had returned to above the point of departure and then it gradually gained higher and higher until it disappeared in the clouds.

The prefect of police later received a dispatch announcing the fall of the balloon near St. Denis, five and a half miles from the center of Paris, and adding that its two occupants were killed.

The accident occurred about 9:30. When the balloon was above Stains, near St. Denis, the ropes attaching it to the balloon broke from some unknown cause and the car, with its occupants, De Bradsky and Moritz, was dashed to the ground and the aeronauts met a speedy death. The balloon itself disappeared in the clouds.

When the balloon arrived over Stains, the aeronauts called to some workmen in the field, asking the direction of Stains. De Bradsky and Moritz were seen moving about the car. Suddenly one of the wire ropes broke and then another gave way and the car, with its occupants, was taken to St. Denis. De Bradsky's balloon was an improvement on his original design, its size being increased, as it was found inadequate to carry the weight and the long time required for the rearranging the suspension wires and the general form of the balloon. The airship was propelled by a screw and had a rudder with a surface of five square yards. Its wings were made of light canvas, 36 feet long and five feet wide, fixed to the right and left of the envelope, giving it the appearance of an enormous aeroplane and which were intended to keep the car from ascending or descending slowly in case the motor stopped.

E. P. HELLER'S SICKNESS

He Wandered Away on the G. A. R. Trip, but Is Recovering.

Washington, Oct. 13.—E. P. Heller, quartermaster sergeant of the Minnesota next train from Cumberland. His condition here quite ill. On the way to Washington last week he was taken ill and at Cumberland during a period of mental aberration left the train, which pulled out without him.

Without testimony, Irwin A. Gardner must have gone free and the investigation failed on the ground. Aided by them, the state came into possession of knowledge that resulted in the conviction of Gardner and "Norm" King, and indirectly, in further disclosures which brought about the conviction of Chief of Police Frederick W. Ames and "Coffee John" Fitchette.

Al J. Smith asks leniency.

The prisoners were brought before Judge Harrison at 10 o'clock this morning. County Attorney Boardman at once moved for sentence. Edwards and Howard were sentenced to ten days in the county jail. He recommended that they be released on their own recognizance. He recommended that they be released on their own recognizance. He recommended that they be released on their own recognizance.

HOMESTAKE GOLD

Heavily Guarded in View of Friday Night's Holdup.

Special to The Journal.
Omaha, Neb., Oct. 13.—Heavily guarded by five men, whose fighting qualities are well known, half a million dollars in gold bars were sent through last night, destined for New York.

The gold shipment came from the famous Homestake gold mine in the Black Hills and went by express over the Burlington road. The desperate robbery of Friday night on the same line where the company lost \$50,000 worked on the nerves of the officials to such an extent that extra guards were placed on this train. The interior of the express car resembled an arsenal. The guards were provided with rifles, shotguns and pistols and were prepared to give outlaws a warm reception.

OFF FOR HOME

G. A. R. People Are Rapidly Leaving Washington.

Special to The Journal.
Washington, Oct. 13.—Judge Torrance started home last night accompanied by Douglas Fluke, his son-in-law. Mrs. Torrance and daughter left to-day. The judge's mother in Pennsylvania.

A. D. Reade, commander of Rawlins post, and his wife and son, leave to-morrow morning for Buffalo to visit his mother.

Major R. R. Henderson started home last night.

S. H. Fowler, wife and daughter leave to-day for New York.

Towler and Reade are the only members of Rawlins post now in Washington.

—W. W. Jermaine.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

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