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COAL OPERATORS ARE CONSIDERING WAGE SCALE.

Members of Southwestern Association Are in Executive Session at Kansas City, Mo.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Kansas City, Aug. 1.—Members of the Southwestern State Coal Operators' Association, to the number of nearly 100, met in the clubroom of the Coates House this morning to decide finally, if possible, what they are to do in the matter of wages to be paid to miners.

There are operators present in the meeting from Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Arkansas and the Indian Territory. They employ 38,000 men, and represent the source of coal supply for a very large part of the Middle West.

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Rochester Herald.	Washington Post.
Minneapolis Tribune.	Providence Journal.
Syracuse Post-Standard.	St. Paul Pioneer Press
	Cleveland Plain Dealer

DEATHS.

BERNINGHAUS—After a lingering illness, Edmund O. Berninghaus entered into rest Sunday evening, July 31, 1904, at 11 o'clock. Funeral from residence of his son, Oscar E. Berninghaus, No. 2147 South Jefferson avenue, Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private. Cincinnati, O., papers, please copy.

FECHTER—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 8:30 p. m., Elmer H. Fechter, beloved son of August J. and Margarette Fechter (nee Handing), brother of Eleonora and Raymond Fechter, aged 1 year 1 month 10 days. Funeral will take place from residence, No. 1813 North Market street, Tuesday, August 2, at 1 p. m., to St. Liborius Church, and thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

GARRETT—At 5 a. m. August 1, 1904, at No. 4634 Delmar boulevard, Virginia, aged 7 months and 22 days, daughter of Thomas H. and Estella P. Garrett. Funeral private. Richmond, Va., papers please copy.

GLEASON—Entered into rest on Monday, August 1, 1904, at 7 p. m., after a short illness, Michael Gleason, beloved husband of Mary Gleason (nee Cooley) and dear father of Mrs. Mary Gerity (nee Gleason), and Bridget Gleason, aged 82 years. Interment at Alton, Ill., on Wednesday, August 3, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Alton, Ill., papers please copy.

KELLY—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at 9:20 a. m., John Kelly, beloved husband of Mary Kelly, and father of Bessie, Frank and Helen Kelly. Remains will be sent to Atchison, Kas., on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, from Union Station.

KULLMANN—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at his home in Maplewood, Mo., August Kullmann, beloved husband of Emilly Kullmann (nee Hausemann), aged 55 years. Funeral from residence Wednesday, August 3, at 2 p. m., to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

NASH—Suddenly, at Seattle, Wash., July 28, 1904, Henry T. Nash. Funeral Tuesday, August 2, from Second Presbyterian Church, Taylor and Westminster, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

SPARKS—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 12 o'clock p. m., Margaret, beloved wife of Thomas Sparks, and mother of George W., Mrs. David O'Brien (nee Sparks), Mrs. Frank P. German (nee Sparks), and Madame Sparks, religious of the Sacred Heart Convent, and our dear grandmother. Funeral private, Wednesday, August 2, at 9 o'clock a. m., from family residence, No. 3213 North Eleventh street, to the Lady of Good Council Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

WURMB—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at 3 a. m., Maria Theresa Wurmb, aged 69 years. Funeral Wednesday, August 3, at 2 p. m., from residence, No. 1101 Salisbury street, thence to Bethlehem Church. Friends are invited to attend.

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WOMAN CRANK AT WHITE HOUSE

Seeks to Warn the President That He Is in Danger of Being "Blown Up."

CLAIMS TO HAVE HAD VISION.

Mrs. Burgadine of Mariposa, Ill., Says Angel Appeared to Her in Angry Mood and Ordered Her to Go to Washington.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 1.—The second "crank" caller since the President's return last Thursday evening was at the White House to-day. Saturday a harmless man called to give the chief executive the benefit of his experience and warn him of the dangers that awaited him. To-day's caller was a German woman more than 50 years of age, who gave her name as Mrs. Burgadine.

She said her home is in Mariposa, Ill., but she had been visiting a sister in Baltimore. She was laboring under the delusion that an attempt was to be made upon the President's life and that she was to warn him of it.

"I came to warn the President," she said, "that he is in danger of his life. I have had a vision in which an angel appeared to me and directed me to warn the President. I did not find out from the angel just what is going to be done to the President, but I know he is not going to be shot. The angel intimated that he is to be blown up. I telegraphed the President a year ago that if he went to Chicago he would be killed, but he went anyhow. The spirit has appeared to me again more angry than ever before, and has warned me that I must let the President know the danger."

Mrs. Burgadine was taken in hand by a secret-service agent who is on duty at the White House and escorted to the office of Chief Wilkie in the Treasury building. The local police will make an investigation as to her sanity.

Mrs. Burgadine also seemed interested in the ideas of the President about race suicide, saying she was the mother of a family of fourteen and had a picture of them.

It's in the make, says H. A. Hosse, Tailor, 617 Pine.

BOY FOUND ON DOORSTEP CLAIMED BY HIS FATHER.

Samuel Hinkle Meets Policeman as He Starts With Child to Foundling Asylum.

Garford Hinkle, the 4-year-old boy who was found on a doorstep at No. 220 North Fourth street, Sunday, by Patrolman McCormack, was yesterday afternoon claimed by Samuel Hinkle, a horse dealer at the National Stock Yards, who told the police that he was the father of the child.

When Mr. Hinkle reached the Four Courts, where the boy had been kept by the Police Matron during the night, Policeman James Dixon was leading the child to St. Ann's Foundling Asylum. Mr. Hinkle met the officer and child.

About noon the police learned that the boy was the son of Samuel Hinkle, for at that hour S. A. Hollingsworth, who has a barber shop at No. 723 Collinsville avenue, East St. Louis, went to the Four Courts and told who the child's father was.

When asked why the child came to be found on a doorstep, the father said that he brought the boy to the Missouri side of the Rads bridge, intending to take him to a friend at No. 313 Pine street. He met, however, he claims, one Phillips, who offered to take the child to his destination, and with Phillips, the father says, he left the boy.

Hinkle also said that about a year ago he was divorced from his first wife, the mother of the boy, and a month ago married Ella May Belle of West Virginia. The boy, he says, has been living with a family near the National Stock Yards.

Matron offers to adopt the child were received at police headquarters yesterday, one coming from Doctor John B. W. Dwyer of No. 523 Collinsville avenue.

$500,000 ON NETCHER'S LIFE.

Paid by the Mutual Life—Chicago Merchant Had Paid but One Premium.

After taking out a life insurance policy for $500,000 last November in The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, Charles Netcher, a Chicago merchant, died suddenly on June 29, after an operation for appendicitis. Yesterday the company paid his widow the amount of the policy. Netcher had paid only one premium on the policy, which was said to be the largest carried by a citizen of Chicago. The Mutual always reinsures with other companies all but $250,000 of these large risks.

COMPLAINT AGAINST COWBOYS

Mulhall's Men Charged With Cruelty to Animals.

James Smith and "John Doe," the latter a fictitious name, members of the Mulhall Wild West Show, were arrested at the Delmar race track Sunday afternoon by Justice J. Will Barron on charges of cruelty to animals.

The men had been engaged in roping and throwing steers, and, according to an official of the St. Louis Humane Society, broke the horns of the animals and otherwise maltreated them.

One of the officials claims to have climbed over a back fence and laid in the weeds while the roping was going on. He could not get a view sufficiently close from the grand stand and chose this method to complete his evidence. Justice Barron was present, prepared to issue the warrants as soon as called for.

Both men gave bond and were released.

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FINED $100. FOR GAMBLING.

Anthony Cassella Conducted a Unique Game at a Picnic.

Anthony Cassella of No. 800 Wash street was fined $100 in the Dayton Street Police Court yesterday for conducting a game of chance at Bloemecke's Grove, No. 6212 North Broadway, last Sunday afternoon. He was arrested by Policeman Edward Burke of the Sixth District.

The game, according to the testimony, was conducted by means of tin pans and blocks, the latter being placed in a bag. The pans and blocks contained corresponding numbers. The players put nickels on the numbers on the pans and a block would be drawn from the bag. The person whose nickel covered the number corresponding with the number on the block which was drawn was entitled to a pair of socks, six handkerchiefs or 10 cents.

Cassella said he had been in St. Louis two months, having come from Chicago.

Judge Pollard, in imposing the fine, said he intended to do all in his power to aid Chief of Police Kiely in his efforts to suppress all kinds of gambling devices.

Chaplain of Elks Here.

Grand Exalted Ruler W. J. O'Brien of the Elks has notified the Reverend Walter Davenport Butler, now at the Jefferson Hotel, of his reappointment as grand chaplain of the order. The appointment marks the beginning of the Reverend Mr. Butler's fifth term.

D. S. Bell, a fellow-townsman of Chaplain Butler at Pine Bluff, Ark., is with him, the two having stopped off to see the Fair en route to their homes from French Lick, Ind.

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MORBID KANSAS CITY CROWD.

Thousands Swarm to See Persons Accused of Murder.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 1.—A surging crowd, estimated at 3,000 persons, gathered in and around the Criminal Court today to see Mrs. Agnes Myers and Frank Holtman, who are accused of murdering Clarence Myers, husband of Mrs. Myers, with a razor. They were arraigned in the Criminal Courtroom and pleaded not guilty. Their trials were set for November 21.

The majority of the people in the great crowd to-day were women. Many carried babies. In the crowd were very old men and women, and there was a sprinkling of young girls. They began coming to the Courthouse at 7 o'clock.

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DIED WITH PIPE IN HIS HAND.

John Britt Found Father's Lifeless Body in Chair.

Sitting in a rocking chair, the fire still smoldering in his favorite pipe, which he held in one hand, while his sack of smoking tobacco had dropped onto his knee from the other hand, Thomas Britt, a gardener, 68 years old, was found dead at his home, No. 6204 Michigan avenue, at 6:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Britt was apparently in good health when his son, John, left him sitting in the rocking chair at their home at 1 o'clock. When the son returned at 6:30 his father was still sitting in the chair. He called, and, receiving no answer, tried to arouse him, and found him dead. Death resulted from natural causes.

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Steve and John Rody of Centralia, Mo., 14 and 11 years old, respectively, some time next week will start on their 120-mile journey to St. Louis in an ox wagon.

The two lads have arranged to bring ten or twelve of their companions with them. All arrangements have been made by the young tourists for their journey. Each of the party will furnish from his home a part of the supplies and cooking utensils that will be used by them on their trip, as they expect to do their own cooking. They will sleep in the wagon.

The wagon in which the trip will be made is a big, roomy vehicle, covered with a tarpaulin and a trough attached at the rear from which the oxen will eat at night. The boys say the oxen will eat from the trough only at night and morning, as they will not unyoke them at noon.

For a long time the Rody brothers, with their yoke of oxen, which they reared from calves, have been a familiar sight about the streets of Centralia. Everybody in the town knows the two lads and their oxen, "Prince" and "Jim," and when the two boys driving along the streets of Centralia are met by acquaintances they are always hailed with "Hello, Steve," "Hello, Jack," "Hello, Prince and Jim."

When the boys first suggested the trip to their father, Robert Rody, several weeks ago, they were met with a refusal.

"Why, how can you boys go to St. Louis in an ox wagon?" he inquired.

"Try us and see," the lads answered, and so persistent were their appeals that they be allowed to make the journey that Mr. Rody finally consented, with the stipulation that they take along some grown person to look after them. This grown person proviso did not appeal to the youngsters, and they have persuaded their parents to let them undertake the trip accompanied only by boys of their own age. They count on making the trip in less than a week, and will live in their wagon somewhere near the World's Fair grounds.

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BATTLE ON MOVING TRAIN.

One Man Fatally Wounded and Many Were Hurt.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paducah, Ky., Aug. 1.—George Tilley of this city was stabbed in the left side by Terrell Wingo, of Graves County, on an Illinois Central passenger train last night between this city and Mayfield, during a general fight, in which about fifteen persons were participants. The knife blade was broken off in Tilley's body. He is dying.

Kinsey Tilley, a brother of George, had his throat partially cut. Wright Young's skull was fractured, and several others were more or less injured. The train crew stopped the fight and locked up Wingo until Mayfield was reached, where he was arrested. Other arrests will follow.

RAY BROM AGAIN CAPTURED.

Man Wanted at Decatur for Killing Arrested in Seattle.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 1.—Ray Brom, who is said to have killed Richard Roberts, brakeman, in Decatur, April 21, and who escaped and was caught at St. Joseph, Mo., and broke jail there, has been captured again at Seattle, Wash. He will be returned for trial.

Increase in License Collections.

License Collector Patrick J. Clifford submitted a report for the month of July, 1904, yesterday which shows that the business of the office is increasing. Collections for the last month aggregated $2,899,391.77, against $747,043.32 for the month of June, 1903, a gain of $51,416.25. The total collections for four years, from 1897 to 1901, under the regime of Theodore D. Kalbfeld, amounted to $2,893,391.12, while the collections of Mr. Clifford for three years and three months aggregate $4,028,860.42. The total gain for the last three years and three months is $1,129,469.31.

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TONG RETURNED FROM CHINA UNDER MERCHANT PAPERS.

Says He Was Formerly in Business, but Now Admits Being a Laundryman—Is Held.

Leo Won Tong, one of the Chinamen apprehended by the United States Inspector of Immigration, under the Chinese exclusion act, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Babbitt yesterday on the charge of being a Chinese laborer without proper papers admitting him to the United States.

Won Tong's defense was that he came to the United States under merchant's papers ten years ago. He was then located in Wyoming Territory, and afterwards returned to China for awhile and re-entered this country under the same papers. Failure in business caused him to go into the laundry business in St. Louis.

Under cross-examination by Horace L. Dyer, Assistant District Attorney, Tong admitted that he was worth several thousand dollars, which he had invested in Chinese real estate.

The fact that he was now a laborer was not denied. Five days to file a brief in the case was given to him.

Bates and Player Depart To-Day.

Comptroller James Y. Player and City Counselor Bates will start for New York to-day to confer with Dillon & Hubbard, attorneys, upon the bond issue which is required for the erection and remodeling of city buildings. The bond issue is to be about $3,000,000.

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