

"MOTHER" JONES TELLS OF MINERS' MISERIES

"The Poor Slave That the Rich May Idle"—Labor Leader to Lecture Tonight.

"Mother" Jones, the famous labor leader, will lecture tonight at Masonic Temple before the Bellamy Club on socialism and the general conditions existing in mining districts in West Virginia.

For ten hours he is there, shut out from the light of day. When he comes out at night he has to walk two or three miles to his home in the cold.

SNOW COVERS ALMOST THE ENTIRE COUNTRY

Blizzard Sweeps Over Unusually Wide Area.

TRAINS LATE, WIRES DOWN

Texas Cattle Starving, Kentucky and Tennessee Cities Snowbound—Intense Cold in Wisconsin.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—A heavy snow-storm, of blizzard-like proportions, is sweeping over the Eastern States today, cutting off telegraphic communication and crippling railroad service.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT OPENED BY THE KING

Government Weakened by Venezuelan Affair.

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE

His Majesty Reviews Events of the Year—Balkan Situation Cause for Anxiety—Pending Bills.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—King Edward opened parliament at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The reopening finds neither side in a jubilant mood.

LARGE MAJORITY FOR WEAVER PREDICTED

Philadelphia Republicans Sure of Mayoralty.

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STATEHOOD FIGHT IS APPROACHING A CRISIS

Strength of Opposing Factions Must Soon Be Determined.

HILL JURY SELECTED; TESTIMONY STARTED

The jury for the trial of Benjamin G. Hill for the murder of Theoda Hill at 315 Missouri Avenue, was secured this morning at 11:30.

SARGENT DECORATIONS TO BE UNVEILED TODAY

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—The second part of John S. Sargent's scheme of mural decorations in the so-called Sargent corridor of the public library is to be unveiled today.

YALE ATHLETE SERIOUSLY INJURED IN GYMNASIUM

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 17.—Irving H. Warner, Yale '02, of Fairport, N. Y., was seriously injured while at work in the Yale gymnasium yesterday afternoon.

ARCHBISHOPS' INCOMES

George Russell has contributed a very interesting article, entitled "The Ideal Archbishop," to one of the daily papers.

HAIR-CUTTING BY ELECTRICITY

One of the latest Parisian novelties is an electric hair cut. The customer sits himself in the ordinary chair while the barber proceeds to lessen his growth by means of an electric cutting comb.

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BRAVED BLIZZARD TO SAVE TRAIN FROM WRECK

Plucky Farmer Averts Disaster and Is Found Badly Frozen.

HARRISBURG, Ill., Feb. 17.—The heroism of Ewing S. Glasscock, a farmer, probably saved 100 lives and prevented a disastrous wreck on the Big Four near here.

Glasscock discovered a rail was missing and he took a blizzard for an hour to flag the train. When he was reached by the trainmen, after the train had come to a stop, he was found to be so badly frozen he had to be carried to the cars.

I Will Cure You of Rheumatism

Else No Money Is Wanted.

Any honest person who suffers from Rheumatism is welcome to this offer. I am a specialist in Rheumatism, and have treated more cases than any other physician.

CORTEYOU CONFIRMED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

Action Taken Within Few Hours After Receipt of Nomination.

In less than five hours from the time the President had sent to the Senate the nomination of the Hon. George B. Cortelyou, to be the first Secretary of Commerce and Labor, that choice had been unanimously approved by the executive branch of Congress.

DAILY GRIST FROM THE POLICE COURT MILLS

In the Police Court this morning the following cases were disposed of: Harry Wardfield and William Snowden, colored, charged with assaulting Charles Chin, also colored, were each given six months in the workhouse.

LANGUAGE OF THE TIERRA DEL FUEGANS

The Tierra del Fuegians have an excellent language in one way. Thomas Bridges, a missionary, has written a grammar of the Yagan tongue, and compiled a vocabulary of 30,000 words.

ANOTHER ROAD TO COME INTO THE DISTRICT LINES

Commissioners' Report on Anacostia Railway Extension.

With a few suggested amendments the District Commissioners have forwarded to Congress a favorable report on House bill 17307, to authorize the Anacostia, Surrattville, and Brandywine Electrical Railway Company to extend its street railway in the District of Columbia.

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The Bread he held, Said Tiny Jim, Is just the kind That suited him; 'It's pure and light, And can't be beat; The kind that Everyone should eat.'

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RUBBER FOOTWEAR Temporarily Reduced.

Mild Winter-weather heretofore has left us with an accumulation of Rubber Boots and wool-lined Rubber Footwear. These goods are all of the best-known qualities—but as we need the room for incoming Spring Shoes—we shall cut prices as follows

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY!

- RUBBER BOOTS. Children's Warm-lined 95c. Ladies' Boots, all sizes, \$1.35. Boys' Heavy Boots, sizes 1 to 6, \$1.75. Men's Wool or Cotton-lined Boots, \$2.25. RUBBERS AND ARCTICS. Women's Wool-lined 1.00. Buckle Arctics, 69c. Men's best 1.25. Buckle Arctics, 87c. Extra High Cut 3-Buckle Arctics, \$1.85. Women's \$2.00 kinds, \$1.40. Children's \$1.50 kinds, 95c. Men's 45c grade Storm or Low-cut Rubbers, 48c. Boys' 50c Self-acting Rubbers, sizes 3 to 5 1/2, 35c. Broken sizes of Women's and Children's good 40c and 50c Rubbers at, 19.

That big lot of Women's Fine Kid Boots we closed out from the CHAMBERSBURG SHOE MANUFACTURING CO. at a way-off price is going at a rapid rate. You had better come in at once and secure a pair.

Shoes made to sell for \$2.50, at \$1.65. Shoes made to sell for \$2.00, at \$1.35.

WM. HAHN & CO.'S Cor. Seventh and K Sts. 1914 and 1916 Pa. Ave. Three Reliable Shoe Houses, 233 Pa. Avenue S. E.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days. E. W. Snow on every box, 25c