

CAD COMPANY'S COAL BELIEVED THAT DANGER POINT HAS BEEN PASSED. GAS WORKS AND FIREMEN Superintendent Knowles, Who is Expecting Every Endeavor, Takes a Hopeful View—Fire Commissioner Frischohn Says His Department is Well Stocked.

The coal situation with the Passenger and Power Company has for the time been looked over, and before the present supply gives out it is thought that an agreement between the railroad and the company will have been effected and the difficulty of the coal situation will disappear.

Superintendent Riddle, of the Atlantic Coast Line, was out of the city yesterday and no information has been gotten from him as to whether the balance of the coal had been released.

AT THE GAS WORKS. Superintendent W. P. Knowles, of the gas works, said yesterday afternoon that there was no immediate danger of having to close down the gas works on account of lack of coal.

Mr. Knowles is leaving nothing undone to secure coal, and is putting himself to no end of personal inconvenience to get the fuel. He says: "It's coal how I want, and not the quality nor how I get it."

FOR FIREMEN'S USE. "We have more coal on hand for steaming purposes now than ever before in the history of the fire department," was the statement of President John H. Frischohn of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

SOFT COAL SQUEEZE. Even This Grade of Fuel May Come at Top-Notch Figures.

There is a possibility of a squeeze in the local soft-coal market. Yesterday, it was estimated that the coal situation was practically no coal in sight east of Clifton Forge.

While lump coal is still being retailed at \$7 a ton, the wholesale dealers were asking yesterday \$6 for run of mine in Richmond.

It is now probable that retail dealers will be able to secure a steady supply of coal, and the retail price for this reason is expected, before the week is out, to advance \$1, and, perhaps, \$2.

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NEGROES ARE ACTIVE. Raising Funds to Test the New Constitution of the State.

A circular sent out from the office of James H. Hayes, a negro of this city, contains the following notice of a meeting to be held in Washington on Wednesday, October 8.

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Queen Quality THE FAMOUS SHOE FOR WOMEN \$5,000 IN PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN AWAY TO WEARERS OF THIS FAMOUS SHOE. Ask for Particulars.

Queen Quality sets the fashion the same as it sets the standard of quality. It is the most fashionable shoe as well as the best shoe made for women.

There is But One. Any so-called "just as good," are just imitations which is the sincerest form of flattery.

Ladies' Maid to Polish Your Shoes FREE of Charge.

ECONOMY STORE, 311 E. Broad Street.

ALL TROOPS OUT. (CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

STATIONERS TO STRIKERS. The conference between Mr. Mitchell and his district president Friday, in which the strikers continued until five minutes past 12 o'clock.

CALL FOR MEETINGS. "In order to demonstrate to the people of our county the statements of the operators, we are holding a meeting at the residence of Mr. Mitchell."

PEOPLE FOR ORDER. "Great care should be exercised that those on strike do not permit themselves to be provoked by the coal and iron police into the commission of overt acts."

TROOPS WILL NOT END STRIKE. The news of the calling out of the entire State Guard caused a mild sensation among the strikers.

A WEIRD RESOLUTION. New Haven Aldermen Ask Roosevelt to Seize Mines.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., October 6.—(Special.)—By a vote of ten to eight, the Board of Aldermen voted to send to President Roosevelt a radical resolution calling upon him to acquire the coal mines.

THE WEDNESDAY CLUB. The Wednesday Club will hold its first meeting of the season at the Young Men's Christian Association Hall to-night at 8:15.

FATAL TRAIN WRECK. Engineer and Fireman Killed—Five Men Injured.

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LIU KUN YI DEAD. He Did Everything He Could to Prevent Boxer Outbreak. SHANGHAI, October 6.—Liu Kun Yi, the First Viceroy of Nanking, died today.

Distinct Recovery Last Year from Evil Conditions of Year Before. WASHINGTON, D. C., October 6.—United States Minister Buck, at Tokio, has transmitted to the State Department a long report upon trade conditions in Japan.

Must Close on Sunday. Cliff West and A. Marchetti, a cigar dealer and a confectioner on Broad street, are summoned to appear in the Police Court this morning to answer the charge of keeping open on Sunday.

Damage Suit Instituted. In the Circuit Court of Henrico county yesterday, Geo. G. Gentry, through his attorney, William H. Beveridge, instituted a suit against the American Locomotive Works and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad.

Revival at Clay Street. Revival services began at the Clay Street Methodist church on Sunday night, and will continue through the week.

CHIEFLY PERSONAL. Morris Oden Brooks, general manager of the Chesapeake and Ohio Coal and Coke Company, left last night for the West Virginia coal-fields.

KILLED WOMAN AND HIMSELF. Murder and Suicide at Alleghany Hotel, Goshen. CLIFTON FORGE, Va., Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Lewis Lee (colored), employed at Alleghany Hotel, Goshen, murdered a colored woman named Sallie Hughes.

CAPT. MILLER MAY RESIGN. Ranking Commander of First Battalion, Seventeenth Regiment, to Retire. It is rumored in military circles that the resignation of Captain A. W. Miller, as captain of Company B, Seventeenth Regiment, is shortly to be placed in the hands of Colonel George Wayne Anderson.

COUPLE WEDDED FOUR TIMES. And All the Ceremonies Were in One Week. LUDLOW, Mass., October 6.—(Special.)—A comedy of errors resulted in the marriage of Miss Minnie Raybold, of Ludlow, to William Margoulis, of Southbridge, four times within a week.

RAILS UNDER WATER. THROUGH TRAINS OVER THE R. F. & P. DISCONTINUED. MATTAPONI ON A BENDER. Sent Around by Way of Doswell and Orange via Gordonsville—State of the James.

The Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad has been forced to discontinue, for the present, its through trains to Washington, owing to the swollen condition of the Mattaponi river.

RIVER STILL RISING. According to Reports Received Last Night—Trains Sent Around by Way of Doswell and Orange via Gordonsville—State of the James.

RIOT CALLS AT KANSAS CITY. Incipient Riots Started by Medical Students Bent on Committing Pranks. KANSAS CITY, MO., October 6.—Two riot calls were sent in to police headquarters today, to suppress incipient riots started by 200 medical students.

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DEATHS. The many friends of Mr. WILLIAM READY will regret to learn of his death Sunday morning at 3:30 o'clock at the residence of his son, W. J. Ready, 1801 Park Avenue.

New Rugs and Druggets. Rugs are now very extensively used. A Tapestry Brussels Art Square for \$15 or a Moquette or Body Brussels Square for \$29 will make you a handsome floor covering this fall.

These "Squares" are 9x12 feet, in good designs and colors, and the best values for these prices that we could secure. A Handsome Moquette Rug, 30x60 inches, is \$2.50, and 36x72 inches, \$3.48.

Good Smyrna Rugs, 30x60 inches, for \$1.75, and 36x72 inches, \$2.50. Miller & Rhoads

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