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## NEWS OF THE STATES

### Gathered From Hills, Valleys and Plains of the Union.

Bolled Down As It Comes From the Wires for Information of Busy Readers.

Wednesday, July 31.

There are no changes in the big San Francisco strike of dock men and teamsters. Both employers and strikers are standing firm, and each express confidence in winning.

Hot weather again returned to Kansas, but nothing like that before the breaking of the drought. The temperature reached as high as 100, and some prostrations are reported on account of the humidity. In Leavenworth there was one death from the heat. Rains fell last night in numerous districts.

Five masked men held up a train 51 miles from Chicago. They got no booty, having dynamited three mail cars instead of the express, which they hauled away from the remainder of the train one at a time. The express was the fourth car in the train and out of its usual place. No passengers were molested, but most of the trainmen were shot at.

"The progressive democratic party" was organized in the hotel room of the promoter, Geo. A. Groot, at Columbus, Ohio, with reporters as the principal audience. A full ticket, back by Dr. Rudolph Reamlin for governor, was nominated. The organization is a protest against the recent action of the Ohio state convention in ignoring Bryan and the Chicago and Kansas City platforms. Though the call was widely published, less than a dozen were present.

Thursday, August 1.

For the brutal murder of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Talifero, Betsy McCray, her son Belford and daughter Ida, all colored, were hanged by a mob at Carrollton, Miss.

Clarksville, Mo., lost ten business blocks by fire.

The actual consolidation of the coke properties of the constituent concerns of the United States Steel corporation occurred, when the H. C. Frick company of the Carnegie company became a part of the corporation in the coke operations of the Connellsville district.

The acting secretary of war has named the big freight transport Samon the Dix, in honor of General John A. Dix, who issued the famous order: "If any man attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot."

The only new phase to the San Francisco labor troubles is a strong undercurrent that is making for peace. The municipal league, which held secret meetings with labor leaders and employers, reports that the outlook for a settlement is encouraging and that a basis of adjustment may be reached within 24 hours.

The California Cured Fruit Association reports large sales of prunes at 3 cents a pound.

The coinage of the mints of the United States for July was \$5,621,830—gold, \$4,225,000; silver, \$1,312,000; minor coins, \$84,830.

Friday, August 2.

The entire business community of Tampa, Florida, is more aroused than ever before on account of the manifesto signed by the manufacturers declaring they would move their factories to another city if the citizens of Tampa did not support the anarchist leaders of the Resistencia strikers and protect them in their own business. The manufacturers represent over \$40,000,000.

Three highwaymen held up 11 harvest hands in the railway yards at Arkansas City, Kan., and secured \$105, seven watches and some other jewelry. The harvesters have been in Oklahoma and were on their way to work in the Kansas fields. The robbers escaped to the territory.

Stowship Victorian came down from Alaska with \$300,000 in treasure aboard.

Fire did \$55,000 worth of damage to the Grand Trunk railroad's grain elevators at Chicago.

Waves from a passing steamer upset a row boat full of excursionists in the river near Central City, Va., and drowned four of the occupants.

At Denver the hodcarriers' strike has been declared off. Eight hundred men were out and the strike has seriously interfered with building. The other labor unions refused to sanction and support the strike.

Hugh Keller, minister of Agriculture, estimates the wheat yield in Manitoba and the Northwest Territory this year at from 55,000,000 to 60,000,000 bushels.

Saturday, August 3.

Poundmaster Joe Lennon of Crystal Falls, Mich., placed a row belonging to Captain Bennett, superintendent of the Oliver Mining company in the pound. Bennett became angry and on meeting Lennon this evening hot words followed, and the result was that the captain pulled his revolver and shot Lennon through the heart.

At San Francisco the scene on the water front strike was a peaceful one. Not a vessel left port. The steamer George W. Elder arrived from Portland and as soon as she was made fast to her dock the crew joined the strikers. Her passengers, baggage, the mails, some livestock and a large shipment of oysters were allowed to be landed by order of the federation, but all the remainder of her cargo must either be unshipped by non-union labor or kept in her hold. The steamer Polona arrived from Eureka, notwithstanding the report that she was tied up there because of the inability of her agents to get her cargo moved. The officers stated that the citizens of Eureka turned in and did the work which the union longshoremen refused to do.

Sunday, August 4.

United States Senator B. R. Tillman

At Graham, Texas, Orland Watkin and Roger Davenport, well known young men, were shot and killed by William Rothwell, who had been suffering from mental derangement for several weeks.

At Colorado Springs during the athletic contests attendant upon the quatercentennial celebration, Candiras De Foya, a Ute Indian, broke the world's running record for 100 yards, making the distance in 9 seconds flat. The professional record was 9 3/5, and the amateur record 9 4/5. Another Ute Indian made it in 9 1/5, but there is some dispute as to measurement.

Of South Carolina addressed a large audience at Milwaukee, Wis., on the race question from a southern standpoint. One of the features of his remarks was a plea in justification of lynching. "In Wisconsin you have 5000 black men," said he. "Why don't you try the bleaching process and exterminate them by intermarriage? The idea is repugnant to you. In South Carolina we have 750,000 blacks and 550,000 whites.

The biggest ship in the world, the Celtic, reached dock at New York on her leisurely maiden voyage from Liverpool. The ship is so high that her sternage deck is above the entrance to the pier.

According to telegrams the United States will not interfere in the trouble between Venezuela and Colombia, outside of protecting American interests. A dispatch from Caracas says that 6000 revolutionists were defeated after 30 hours' fighting July 29 and 30, with a loss of 800 men, the government loss being 300.

Monday, August 5.

A terrific explosion in a block of six buildings on Locust street near Tenth, Philadelphia, wrecked five of the structures and caused the death of from 10 to 20 or more persons. Over two score of others were more or less seriously injured.

Teddy Roosevelt is in Colorado after coyotes.

John M. Wilson, a patient at the Utah asylum for insane, threw himself head first into the open door of a furnace. He was badly burned before being pulled out. While bandages were being prepared Wilson broke away and again threw himself into the furnace, this time being so badly burned that he died within a short time.

At Tampa, Florida, 100 business men, in order to end the strike of La Resistencia union, searched the streets of Tampa and seized a number of strike leaders, and it is rumored that they were sent out to a vessel outside the harbor and taken to the gulf. Excitement prevailed but no rioting occurred.

Tuesday, August 6.

Maryland republicans nominated a state ticket and adopted a platform denouncing Gorman as a fluctuator, but always in control of the democratic machine, and laughing at the "nigger bogey."

The only development of importance in the labor situation at San Francisco, so far as the extension of strikes is concerned, was the walkout of more than 400 union boxmakers who had been employed at the various box factories of the city. The men claim that they were so often urged to sign an agreement which meant their resignation from the union that they decided to no longer brook the attitude of their employers and to join the forces of the idle.

Chicago wheat: August 69%; September, 70%; December, 72%. Portland, cash, 56 to 56 1/2; Tacoma, 56 for club, bluestem 57 1/2; Colfax, 41.

### STEEL MAGNATES REFUSE.

They Will Not Compromise With the Strikers.

Pittsburg, August 1.—The Amalgamated executive board last evening received by telegraph a flat refusal from J. Pierpont Morgan to re-open the wage conference where it was broken off at the Hotel Lincoln nearly three weeks ago. The powers of the steel combine insist in this communication that the only basis of settlement will be on terms which the financial taker of the combine, President Schwab, and Chairman Elbert H. Gary laid down at the meeting of the Amalgamated executive board in New York last Saturday.

"A member of the executive board last night said: "These terms are denominated by those who have the best interests of the organization of the steel workers at heart as the most unfair, the most arbitrary ever submitted to workmen by a set of employers or a corporation. The terms are such that the members of the board of the Amalgamated association can not accept and has already gone on record to that effect. Tomorrow morning the answer of Mr. Morgan is expected by mail. There is scarcely a fragment of hope that the Amalgamated association will back down from its well known position. The leaders of the workers will in reply outline their plans to the steel corporation for a continuance of the great struggle. They will include the stopping of every wheel possible in the works of the combine and extension of the strike in all possible directions by the Amalgamated association.

Their Secret Is Out.

All Sadeville, Ky., was curious to learn the cause of the vast improvement in the health of Mrs. S. P. Whittaker, who had for a long time, endured untold suffering from a chronic bronchial trouble. "It's all due to Dr. King's New Discovery," writes her husband. "It completely cured her and also cured our little grand-daughter of a severe attack of Whooping Cough." It positively cures Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis, all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at The Elk Drug Store, F. J. Stone, Prop.

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## GREAT STEEL STRIKE

### General Order Issued by the Amalgamated Association.

With 400,000 Men Employed the Walking Delegates Order Union Men Out.

Pittsburg, Aug. 6.—After weeks of preliminary skirmishing, at last the great battle between the gigantic steel trust and the thousands of men marshalled under the banners of the Amalgamated association of iron, steel and tin workers is fairly on. The long talked of general strike order was issued by President Shaffer this evening to take effect after the last turn of the mills on August 10. What the result will be no man can foretell, but judging by the expressed determination of both parties to the controversy the battle will be waged to the very last ditch. Much money will be lost, thousands upon thousands of men will be idle, great suffering is looked for, and even bloodshed and death are possible and feared.

The strike call includes practically all Amalgamated men in the United States Steel corporation's employ not now on strike. It was issued from the Amalgamated association headquarters and mailed to all Amalgamated lodge officials who are expected to call their men to strike.

Text of the Call.  
Brethren—The officials of the United States steel trust have refused to recognize as union men those who are now striving for the right to organize. The executive board has authorized me to issue a call on all Amalgamated men in name and heart to join in the movement to fight for labor's rights.

"We must fight or give up forever our personal liberties.

"You will be told that you have signed contracts, but you never agreed to surrender those contracts to the United States Steel corporation. Its officers think you were sold to them just as the mills were, contracts and all.

"Remember, before you agreed to any contract you took an obligation to the Amalgamated association. It now calls you to help in the hour of need.

"Unless the trouble is settled on or before Saturday, August 10, 1901, the mills will close when the last turn is made on that day.

"Brethren, this is the call to preserve our organization. We trust you and need you.

"Come and help us and may right come to a just cause."

Hundred Thousand Out.

The order of President Shaffer is expected to swell the number of idle men to over 100,000 at the end of the week. President Shaffer was asked if the order was intended to go to the union men in the Carnegie Steel company. He said he answered no questions on that score.

President Shaffer added this statement: "The call goes to the vice presidents of the districts in which there are mills owned and operated by the National Steel, National Tube and Federal Steel companies, as well as to the officials of the lodges in the mills.

"No notice has been or is being sent to the managers of mills. We think their notice has come from the other side and they have been warned of this ever since the inauguration of the strike. That ought to be sufficient."

Shaffer does not anticipate any settlement before the strike goes into effect.

The men are ordered out after the last turn on August 10. The turn will throw out about 12,000 association men and about 60,000 men in the mills who are connected with the Federation of Labor and who are not organized but will have no work by reason of the strike of the skilled men. Altogether 100,000 men will likely be idle. The order, it is said, will also call out the men at the furnaces owned by the United States Steel corporation, who are not members of the Amalgamated association, but who are connected with the American Federation of Labor.

The call to the three men of the three companies in the mills of which the Amalgamated association is strongest is expected to be generally and promptly responded to. The movement will, it is expected, practically suspend operations of the Federal Steel company and cut off half of the production of the National Steel and Tube companies and throw more than 40,000 men idle. The attitude of the men of the United States Steel corporation, so far not affected by the strike, has been carefully canvassed.

In a general way the tone of general reports indicate the men will support the corporation, who are not members of the Amalgamated association, but who are connected with the Carnegie mills is intended.

President Shaffer said tonight: "We want no one to come out unwillingly. If our people are not in full sympathy with our fight we would rather they remain at work. They will not be asked to decide hastily. They will have until Saturday night of this week to think it over. When they finally do decide they will come out prepared for the battle. There will be no faltering, no indecision, no ignorance in action, but a unity of purpose and a determination to stand for their rights."

After issuing the official call for next Saturday night President Shaffer said: "At noon today I called out all the men employed in the New Castle mills of the National Steel company. They will stop work at 12 o'clock tonight. My purpose in doing this was that I learned that the trust has been piling up union made bars in the old housings of the dismantled Jennings sheet mill for the purpose of supplying the nonunion mills when the plants shall be shut down. It was a clever trick, but it did not work. We have to be on the watch for just such moves as this by the trust. We know what is going on just as well as they do, and are fully prepared to meet every move they make."

Shaffer Talks Disaster.

Discussing the feature of the strike that would bear directly upon the prosperity of the country, President Shaffer said: "The closing of all these mills will be felt by all classes. It will stop production and this will stop commerce.

The effect will be bad, and no one realizes more than I do. I realized it at the time, and tried to avoid by every means in my power carrying out this program, but it was of no use. Right will triumph, however, in spite of the trust saying that the union men can not exist in their mills.

"In this call for the men to come out we tried to avoid all meaningless words, all bombastic utterances and sensational sentences. It is too serious a matter for stageplay. The Amalgamated men fully realize the task that is before them, and have been prepared for it. They are, I believe, ready to suffer long for what they firmly believe to be their rights. They will suffer hunger, poverty and privation of all kinds before giving in. The trust can never crush such men as our people. They may start some of our mills, but they can not start many of them."

It is said that upward of 90 per cent of the men employed in the Carnegie mills are union men at heart. The officers of the Amalgamated association are working now with the utmost secrecy on their plans, but promise an interesting move in unexpected quarters by next Monday.

### NO HOPE FOR SETTLEMENT.

Big Steel Strike is On and for a Bitter Fight.

New York, Aug. 3.—Another effort to perfect a permanent truce between the great army of steel workers and the giant corporation which employs them has failed, and tonight the conflicting sides are as widely divided as ever. The leaders on either side met here again this morning, and after a day of fruitless conference and discussion parted in a spirit that shows no tinge of conciliation. Neither side would surrender its position or concede a point in the dispute in which it is involved, and present indications point to a renewal, with vigor, of the struggle.

### Will Affect Thousands.

Pittsburg, Aug. 3.—There is scarcely one of the 400,000 employees of the United States Steel corporation who do not feel the strike. It may be that the American Federation of Labor will call out its thousands who handle products of the United States Steel corporation. The structural steel workers may refuse to handle steel from mills of the trust, the miners may refuse to dig coal for trust mills, the railway organizations may be drawn into the contest, although that is not probable. Unless it be speedily broken by the United States Steel corporation the strike and its results will be felt over the whole of the United States.

### Fight to a Finish.

Pittsburg, Aug. 3.—"It will be a fight to a finish. No quarter will be given. We are prepared to spend all the money and time necessary to wipe out the Amalgamated association in all of our mills."

This was the message that came over the wires from New York to local officials of the United States Steel corporation this afternoon. Officials were waiting long after the usual Saturday afternoon closing time to get word from the conference in New York between the executive board of the Amalgamated association and the general officers of the big trust. Two messages came. The first stated that the conference between the workers and Mr. Morgan had adjourned after receiving Mr. Morgan's ultimate decision in the matter in dispute. An hour before this time a second message came to Pittsburg announcing to the steel officials here that the executive board had decided that they would not accept Mr. Morgan's terms. The second message contained the statement also, that appears above. Some of the officials heard the message with misgivings; others with unconcealed satisfaction. One of the officials left the office declaring that he was glad of it. The fight will surely be carried to a finish, and the corporation would once and for all be freed from the influence of the union men.

### Russians in Distress.

London, Aug. 2.—As evidence of the ruinous stagnation of trade in southern Russia, says a dispatch to the Standard from Odessa, a government factory inspector asserts that 70 per cent of all the industrial works of the manufacturing government of Ekaterinosky have suspended, and in order to relieve distress and to prevent disturbance 40,000 artisans have been deported to the homes in the interior at the expense of the government. Conditions in the industrial centers of Russia are similar.

### Must Furnish Pure Milk.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Adulterated milk and cream are to be confiscated in future at the receiving depots of all railroads. The discovery of formalin at the receiving depots will result in the seizure of the cans and the dumping of its contents into the nearest gutter. In order to stop the entrance of drugged milk and cream into Chicago Commissioner of Health Reilly has adopted the plan of testing the milk as it is unloaded from trains and before it is distributed to dealers.

### Hundred Year Clubs

Are becoming numerous. The idea is to promote longevity. It is interesting to note that the means through which long life is to be obtained, is food and the stomach. Long life and good health are not possible unless the stomach does its work properly. There is a way to make it, if it does not. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is an ideal strength restorer. If you would be cured of dyspepsia, indigestion, belching, constipation, insomnia, nervousness, biliousness, try the Bitters. Everybody should try it to help nature rid the blood of all impurities. It possesses valuable curative properties, and as a specific for malaria, fever and ague, it is unequalled. Don't fail to give it a trial, but be sure you get the genuine.

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