

END OF STRIKE IS NEAR

So Says One of Pennsylvania's Heavy Operators—Predicts That the Big Mining Companies Will Soon Make Terms With the Men.

Pittsburg, Sept. 17.—The most important development in the great coal strike that has occurred for several days is contained in a statement made by Henry Weaver, president of the Weaver Coal Co.

Andy Camed

Upon the return of Detective Welch a few days ago Andy McKennie was greatly surprised by being presented with a cane which was brought in to him by Mr. Welch.

Leg Broken

Alex. McLeod a teamster was taken to St. Mary's hospital this afternoon suffering from a broken leg.

Born

The home of Fred Kammueler was gladdened on Monday last by the arrival of a bouncing 12 pound son.

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...EVENT OF THE SEASON... Grand Ball Under the auspices of the ARCTIC BROTHERHOOD AT A. B. HALL FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 19th, 1902.

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Strike to End

Buffalo, Sept. 18.—The Buffalo Evening News declares that a settlement of the anthracite strike will be reached in a few days by direct negotiations between the miners and J. Pierpont Morgan.

Wrecked Steamer

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—The steamer Mariposa brings to San Francisco news of the wreck of the missionary steamer Southern Cross on the island of Tahiti.

Excursions Forbidden

Vancouver, Sept. 18.—Sunday steamer excursions in British Columbia have been suppressed by action of the customs ordering no further clearances to be given.

Killed His Father

Thos. McNulty, a rancher, was killed yesterday by his son twelve years old, who with his mother has been arrested.

New Editor

Halifax, Sept. 18.—Rev. J. McLean, Methodist missionary, has been elected editor of the Halifax Wesleyan.

MINISTER FIELDING'S

Continued Preence in London

Due to Plans Connected With the Ship Subsidy—Consent is Not Required.

London, Sept. 18.—The Westminster Gazette declares that the continued presence in England of Finance Minister Fielding is due to the forwardness of negotiations for the establishment of a Canadian-British steamship line, which he and his colleagues can subsidize to the extent of three-quarters of a million yearly without further appeal to the Dominion parliament.

Sad News

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—Chief Justice Marius, of Tahiti, learned on his arrival at San Francisco this morning that his wife and entire family were killed during the eruptions at Martinique, where they were visiting.

Prejudice Denounced

London, Sept. 18.—The "senseless prejudice" against motorists is denounced by London papers, which state that it is absurd to allow a big industry to be hampered by fanaticism.

Insurgents Gain

Cape Haytien, Sept. 18.—Insurgents are advancing on Cape Haytien, Gen. Nord has been defeated by Lima. Another battle near town is imminent.

Barton in Vancouver

Vancouver, Sept. 18.—Barton, Australian premier, arrived here today and was enthusiastically received. He will be banqueted tonight.

Harvest Home

Regina, Sept. 18.—Wheat cutting is through in this district. The yield is much greater than was expected.

Horrible Death

Rochester, Sept. 18.—William Jetties fell into a gas oven at Rochester and was baked to death.

Windward Arrives

Sydney, N.S., Sept. 18.—Peary's Arctic steamer Windward has arrived at this port.

Taxation of Natives

London, Sept. 1.—Lord Milner, British High Commissioner in South Africa, has just issued at Pretoria a new order in regard to the taxation of natives, under which every male adult and every married native woman must pay after Sept. 1, an annual capitation tax of 11s. This is, roughly speaking, double the amount of capitation tax collected under the Boer regime, and it will doubtless lead to much murmuring.

FUNDS ARE RAISED

For Relief of Forest Fire Sufferers

Cities of Two States Contribute Generously to Worthy Cause.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 18.—Owing to the great damage done by forest fires in this state and the lower counties of Washington, a systematic effort is being made to raise a fund for the relief of the sufferers.

In Portland and Vancouver, Wash., the sum of six thousand dollars has already been raised and large amounts as yet unreported will be received from other sources.

FRISCO IS SHAKEN UP

Slight Earth Quake This Morning

Coast Metropolis Has a Fright But Little Damage Was Done.

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—A slight earthquake shock was experienced in San Francisco this morning, the rumble being distinctly heard in several parts of the city.

TEXAN CONVICTS' HARD LOT

Austin, Texas, Sept. 1.—Convicts treated like beasts of the field and shot down like dogs by guards and contractors upon the slightest pretext is the charge made against the management of the State penitentiary by an investigating committee appointed by the last legislature.

At Aspen, Colorado, Edward Wilson, proprietor of the Abbey club, and Jacob Geis and John Holm, taxi dealers at the club, have been arrested charged with aiding and abetting Leonard Dingle, teller of the Aspen bank, who is charged with defalcation, in getting away with \$44,500 of the bank's money.

It is said that the return to Pekin of Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister at Washington, has been indefinitely postponed, and that he may remain at the national capital for three more years.

Wm. B. Smith, a brother of Mrs. Charles L. Fair, who was to have left Plainfield, N.Y., for California last week, but delayed his departure, is quoted as having said that any settlement of the case that may have been reached at San Francisco has been without his authority as an interested party.

Captain Samuel Bass, a Pacific coast pioneer of 1850, and one of the best known men in the state, died at Whalcom on Thursday night of typhoid fever, after an illness that lasted about a week.

The concentrator of the Montana Ore Purchasing Company at Butte was totally destroyed by fire recently. The loss is \$100,000, covered by an insurance of \$60,000.

Henry E. Dorsch, Oregon's representative to Japan in the interests of the Lewis & Clark fair, will leave Portland for Tokyo shortly. He will go by way of Vancouver, B.C.

The steamship Tadda, belonging to the Empire Steamship Line, has been chartered by the Portland & Alaska Steamship Company for a trip from Portland to Nome. The Tadda will leave Portland September 20.

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BANKRUPT ROYALTY

Indian Prince Confers With Creditors

Says That His Allowance of \$35,000 Annually Was Very Small.

London, Sept. 18.—The bankrupt Prince Victor Dhuleep Singh, son of the late Maharajah Lahore, met his creditors today. His debts aggregate \$371,600, of which \$300,000 are secured. Among his assets is a claim against the government in connection with his father's estate for three million dollars.

His bankruptcy is "the ridiculous insufficiency of his allowance from the Indian government." His debts arose through exchange speculation and gambling. His allowance was \$55,000 annually in addition to \$10,000 for his wife.

BOXERS ARE IN EVIDENCE

Serious Uprisings Are Likely to Occur

Minister Conger Informs United States Regarding the Situation.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.—United States minister to China Conger has reported to the government that another Boxer uprising may occur at almost any time. Demonstrations against foreigners have already been reported from several districts, and the Chinese authorities seem to be unable to cope with them.

MASS MEETING TO BE HELD IN CHICAGO FOR THE PURPOSE OF RAISING FUNDS.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—The case of Mrs. Maybrick, now serving a life sentence in an English prison, is again attracting attention. Sympathizers are endeavoring to raise a fund to be used in accomplishing her release, or a new trial.

Wholesale Shooting

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Trades' Union

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No Change

The Hague, Sept. 18.—In the Dutch parliament this morning foreign minister Von Lynden denied the alleged alliance between Holland and Germany. There has been no change in relationships whatever.

Protest Approved

London, Sept. 18.—The United States protest against mistreatment of Jews in Roumania is approved and endorsed in London, although the Globe fears it is prompted chiefly by self interest.

Crown Prince Goes

London, Sept. 18.—The Crown Prince of Germany will probably accompany the Duke and Duchess of Connaught to India for the Simla coronation festival.

Colorado Fires

Denver, Sept. 18.—Colorado forest fires are spreading with alarming rapidity. It is estimated that \$10,000,000 worth of timber has already been burned.

Plans Advanced

Liverpool, Sept. 18.—Plans for building Shamrock Hill are well advanced. It will be less costly than either of its predecessors.

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CONVENTION IS IN SESSION

Met This Afternoon Nearly All Delegates Being Present—Committees Appointed and Adjournment Taken Until 8:30 This Evening.

The Liberal party met in convention this afternoon for the purpose of adopting a platform and selecting a nominee who will carry the banner of the party during the coming election for a representative of the Yukon territory in the Dominion parliament.

The convention was supposed to be called to order at 2 o'clock this afternoon but as is generally the case in such meetings some delegates were late in arriving and so the meeting was not called to order until fully 30 minutes past the appointed time.

The districts apportioned were all represented and in nearly every case by the delegates chosen. A very few proxies were sent in from the outlying districts where it was an impossibility for the delegates chosen to attend in person.

The convention was called to order by Thos. O'Brien at 2:45 and the delegates took their seats on the main floor. The balcony was well filled with interested spectators. The first order of business called was the election of a chairman. Mr. Fred McLennan was nominated as was also Mr. F. T. Congdon. Mr. Congdon withdrew his name in favor of Mr. McLennan. Congdon moved the closing of the nominations which was carried, and Mr. McLennan took the chair amidst a burst of applause.

Mr. Donaghy acted as secretary. Mr. McLennan made a speech in which he thanked the convention for his election. "We are met here for the purpose of nominating a man to be elected to parliament on the 2nd of December," was his concluding remark. (Applause.)

Mr. Donaghy was chosen as permanent secretary. Chairman—"You require to adopt an order of business."

Secretary—"I took the trouble to draft an order of business to expedite matters, providing for the following committees—credentialed, resolutions, permanent officers and campaign committee. After the committees are appointed the convention adjourns for the committees to report and after receiving reports of committees the nomination of a candidate. After that a general ratification meeting."

The order of business was adopted unanimously. A credential committee of five was then appointed with the following members: Thos. O'Brien, Walter Woodbury of Grand Forks, Geo. Edwards, Chas. Reed and Otter Brenner.

A committee on resolutions on motion of Mr. Congdon to consist of seven members. Carried. F. T. Congdon, Mr. Johansson, Mr. J. R. Grey, D. H. McKinnon, Mr. Croysden McLennan and R. P. McLennan were appointed.

It was requested by Hector Stewart that the names of the delegates be read just as a matter of information for the convention. The secretary read the report as far as the names had been turned in. The full list of which was printed last evening in the Nugget.

The committee on permanent officers and campaign committee were called for and a motion was made and carried that it consist of five—R. P. McLennan, Mr. Robert Lowe of Whitehorse, Geo. Johansson of Hanker, Brooks of King Solomon Hill and Holmes of Grand Forks. On motion the committee was increased to ten members and Matheson of Sulphur, Smith and Bennett of

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