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## In Labor's Realm.

Strikes on the Crow's Nest

Glass Blowers To Be Crowded Out by Machinery-Saginaw's Street Railway Tied Up.

Winnipeg, March 14.—Special strikes resulting in the men quitting work occurred on the line of construction of the Crow's Nest Railway this week. The complaint is not against the rate of wages, but the men say they are not being paid by the contractors, and they will not go to work again until their money is forthcoming for back wages.

Saginaw, Mich. March 14.—The electric lines were tied up Saturday, and pay people walked in a pouring rain to all parts of the city. Ninety conductors and motormen went on a strike. The for overtime, but were refused. They have worked from the worked from the properties of the union.

Muncie, Ind., March 14.—President D. A. Hayes, of the Montreal Organi-zation of Glass Workers, has been here several days, attempting to induce Ball Bros., fruit jar manufacturers, to give the discharged men, let go on ac-count of the introduction of blowing machines. In his address to his men in Union Labor Hall, Mr. Hayes frankly

told the glass blowers that the incoming; that the present blowing machines would soon let them all out, and they might as well prepare accordingly. Five hundred men in Muncie alone are affected. They make from \$5 to \$10 per day.

Washington, D. C. March 14.—The Committee on Immigration has report-Washington, D. C., March 14.—The Committee on Immigration has reported to the Senate adversely u.on the nomination of Hon. T. V. Powderly to be commissioner of immigration. It is believed that the eport will be made the basis of an a simated controversy in the Senate.

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#### Yukon Gold. Principal Grant Indorses the Government Route as the Best.

To Get To

The Territory Should Pay for the Opening of the Routs-Stupid Criticism Fitly Exposed by the Doctor.

Ottawa, March 14.-Rev. Principal Grant's opinion on the government's Yukon policy, will form a very important contribution to the discussion. He was asked, while here, if he looked upon the Yukon question as something altogether beyond party lines and as partaking of a national character, to state his views on the subject, and replied as follows: "In the first place, now that you have asked me, I may say that I quite

agree with the government and with the leader of the opposition as to the route by the Stikine River and Lake Teslin being the best route for the present emergency. That is not in-consistent with making full inquiries about overland routes, such as the Edmonton and Ashcroft routes, either of which, I suppose, would take five years to construct, and involve a large expenditure of money. I say that, having some knowledge of the country in the west. That point being settled, the question arises: Should the government have inquired at Washington whether the United States authorities would raise difficulties in respect to transhipment at the mouth of the Stikine River? In my opinion it would have been most improper for the government to have taken any such action, because the putting of such a question would imply that the Government of the United States had the right to interpose such difficul-The Canadian Government had to go on the assumption that the Government of the United States would not do anything unfriendly to its sister people, or anything that would interfere either with our rights or with the necessity incumbent upon us of establishing steam communication with Dawson City as soon as possible. That necessity is undoubted, were it only for the sake of taking in provisions next autumn to the tens of thousands going in, and of bring-ing back the majority of those who undoubtedly will return, in many cases broken and disappointed men. I think it should not assume that the Government of the United States will take such unfriendly action, although a majority of senators have passed a feet deep. Clay Bros., grocers in the bill calculated to have that effect. The Imperial block, claim a loss of stock of over \$1600 largely the influences of the small largely the influences of the small Traffic on the Galt branch of the G. Western States. Better things may T. R., which runs parallel with the be expected from the House of Rep- river, is at a standstill now. No trains In any case, we should not cry out day, and it is reported that the track before we are hurt. In the event, is so badly washed out that it will rehowever, of the Government of the quire two weeks' work to put it into United States seeking to interpose proper shape again. The flood subsided even to make such a supposition), terday afternoon, compared with what then it is quite clear that all parties

nearest, best ocean port in Canadian territory." "It is alleged against the government that they have been dilatory in taking steps to meet the emergency. Do you agree with that view?" There are two accusations made which seem to destroy each other. One that the government has been dilatory, and the other that they should have waited until parliament met and in-

in Canada must sustain the government in extending the line of com-

munication as provided in the con-tract now before parliament, to the

vited tenders.' "What about the suggestion that tenders should have been invited?" such a railway in such a short time and the G. T. R. crossing the water got as is necessary in this case. It was over the track and soon had a patch known that the government required to deal with the emergency, and it is not to be supposed that contractors soon at work, and with sand bags got able to undertake such a work would the gap filled and the water stopped. hesitate to approach the government and offer for it. Asking for tenders would, I am afraid, have resulted in getting a less satisfactory bargin than we have got, as well as in delay, which was especially to be deprecated when every day was of consequence."
"Do you think a cash subsidy would have been preferable to a land grant?" "There cannot be two opinions on that point. It was defensible even to give a land subsidy of agricultural lands to build the Canadian Pacific Railway; much more so is to give it of land which is valueless except for the gold which is to be found in some sections of it. The question is? Should we pay for the railway, or should the Yukon pay for it? Whom does the Yukon represent? The thousands of adventurers who will flock there to come away with its gold. Shall they have all the land for that selfish purpose, or shall part of the land be to abandon their work, as the water taken for the purpose of enabling began to come over the top. They were thern to enter and to enable us to in danger of being caught. Warning send in provisions and supplies? Only one answer can be given by an intellingent man to such a question."

GLADSTONE'S PICTURES

Growing Years Have Made Peculiar Changes of Expression.

One of the curious things about Mr. Gladstone is the difference which years have produced both in his appearance and expression. At all times he must have been a handsome man. But strangely enough, when he entered the House of Commons, in his 22nd year, it was the beauty that seemed to point to premature death. "His face," says Mr. McCarthy, "was pallid, almost oodless,' and the pallor was brought into greater life by the abundant and intensely black hair and the large, fiery black eyes that blazed upon the

Different portraits of Mr. Gladstone form an interesting study. The face that looks out from the portrait of 1832 is thin; the features look sharp; the 'cheeks have the smoothness and moderate fullness of youth; of the mouth, beautifuly shaped, full, and yet not large, the dominant expression is sweetness and tranquillity, says Justin McCarthy. In a later picture one sees the cheeks expanding, the chin getting squarer, the brow heaver and the mouth stronger, larger and grimmer. The expression is altogether one of seriousnes, strenuousness and of frowning earnestness. And then, when one comes to the portraits of old age, there is another and quiet as great a transformation. The heavy black locks have, of course, disappeared, and this brings out the enormous size of the head, large in brow and in back; the mouth appears, again, to be fuller than even in middle age, and the whole face has broadened; but the expression has lost all the stern and strenuous gravity of middle age, as well as the sweet softness of youth, and there genial smile, as of the warrior who has done all his fighting and can now look with some hus which knows the battlefield more.

## Disastrous Spring Floods.

The Grand River Climbs Out of Its Banks.

Great Destruction of Property at Galt and Brantford.

Galt, Ont., March 14.—One of the most disastrous floods in the history of this place is passing down the Grand River through Galt. The river was considerably swollen on Saturday, and the reresidents of Galt thought they were going to have a very mild experience in the matter of floods this spring. Yesterday morning, however, about o'clock, the monster ice jam at Blair gave way, and came rushing down through Galt at a frightful speed, carrying everying movable along with it. Blocks of ice 18 inches thick and as large as the side of a house; whole trees roots and branches attached; hewn timber, loose boads, fence rails and outhouses by the score were carried along in the rushing and roaring torrents. A great amount of damage to property has been caused.

The first bridge togo down was the smaller one near Blair station, on the public road leading to Preston. The next bridge to suffer was the upper bridge in the town of Galt. The middle span was carried entirely away, and the other two spans are badly damaged, as well as the stone piers. Loss estimated at \$5,000. The flooring and stone piers of the Main stret bridge and the lower bridge in Galt have been damaged to the extent of probably \$100 each. The wooden bridge, known as the "foot bridge," about two miles down the river from Galt, was washed away. Factories and private residences located on the river banks have suffer-

ed considerable damage. The water overflowed the whole of the low-lying portions of North and South Water streets to the depth of two feet. The inmates of several private houses had to be carried out to places of safety. The basement of Cherry Bros.' flouring mill was full of water, causing damage to stock, and the stonework of the mill race is badly washed out. Basements of all the manufacturing establishments situated on the river are full of water, and huge ice boulders, but the damage cannot be definitely stated. It is known that the Galt Knitting Company will be heavy losers, as their dyeing works, a brick addition built out in the river at the mill proper, was completely wrecked, and the first floor, occupied by the operators, was covered with water two

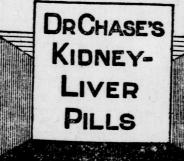
the president. could get through the water on Satur-The flood subsided about 6 feet yes-

> it was in the morning, but it has risen again. Glen Morris, Paris and Brantford, which usually suffer more or less from Grand River floods, were notified by telegraph to be on the lookout. AT BRANTFORD.

Brantford, Ont., March 14.-Saturday night's heavy rain caused the Grand River to go on its annual rampage. Early in the morninQ .. N .. N .. N .. N .. Early yesterday morning the flats were almost covered with water. Most of those living on the flats, anticipating the flood, moved to safe quarters. At 11 o'clock the firemen went with the lifeboat to the flats and took off the only ocupant in the badly-flooded sec-"Very few companies could build tion. At the junction of Oxford street northwest part of the show At the grounds the water had risen so high that it was running over the top of the dyke. Here also men and teams were at work making matters more secure. Fortunately the water has fallen about twelve or fifteen inches. This, with the repairs workmen are making at both places, has saved West Brantford from a very serious flood. It is reported that the Cockshutt bridge, about two and half miles south of the city, went down, and the farm

lands in that vicinity are covered with AFTER DARK. After dark the water in the Grand River began to rise, and by 9:30 it had reached the top of the dyke. The men at work at the northern extremity of wer given immediately to the citizens of West Brantford to move out. At 10

o'clock the fire bell rang, calling for assistance. The firemen, with lifeboats and wagons, and citizens with wagons, proceeded toaid in the rescue. Quite a number moved out. At 10:30 it was reported that the dyke had gone. The water is now running through West Brantford, three to five feet deep. Sidewalks are floating. The G. T. R. have an engine and some flat-cars and about twenty men at work filling in wth earth the part of their track that has been washed out. West Brantford looks like a large lake.



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DYNAMITERS IN ELORA.

two doors of the Grand Trunk station, two doors of the Grand Trunk station, court house. Telephone 979. Money to and blew open the safe, evidently by J. M. McEvoy, LL.B., H. C. Pope, LL.B. the use of dynamite, leaving it a total wreck. Fortunately it did not contain much cash, and the burglars realized only a few dollars. The store of R. M. Boswell, general merchant, was also entered the same morning, probably by the same parties and quantity of goods stolen.

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