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Revolutionists to Break the Government's Back

Government Confident That Strike Ties Up Cannot Be Complete and That Strike Must Be of Short Duration-Reds, on the Other Hand. Save the Government Is Wide of the Mark and Know Not True Situation.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 21.—The procla mation of a general strike for to-day at noon has created the most intense excitement. If it can be successfully interpreted and productions of the successfully excitement. If it can be successfully inaugurated and maintained the revolutionists are confident that it will break the Government's back. In Government circles, however, confidence is expressed that the proletariat organizations cannot effect a complete tie-up, and that the strike must be of short duration.

This hope seems to be based on the theory that the extreme program of the Reds has allenated the sympathy of a large proportion of the real work-ingmen, and also upon what they claim to be absolute knowledge, that the organizations are without funds. The Government's calculations, however, have proved to be deplorably at variance with the true situation in the past, and the strike leaders declare the Government is again hopelessly ignorant of the magnitude of the strug-gle confronting it. Their plans are exceedingly ambitious. From the na-ture of the appeals of the leaders to troops, it is evident that they ex

pect to precipitate a crisis in the army.

Twenty-Two Roads Ready.

The central committee of the railroad men of Moscow determined the
issue Tuesday night by voting in favor
of a strike, and it was telegraphed over
the railroad lines that the employee. he railroad lines that the employe of 22 roads are ready to stop all traffic. The decision is to close everything in the Empire—railroads, manufactures, wholesale and retail stores and all Government works, except the waterweeter. erworks. The bakeries in the cities however, will not be closed so long as they do not raise their prices. If they do rulse the price of bread even the bakeries will be closed. It was propos-ed in Moscow to exempt the electric

light plants, but this was defeated.
In Poor Shape. The Government enters on the new struggle greatly crippled. The situation in the Battic provinces is growing steadily worse, and in the Caucasus the renewal of the outbreak of the Tartars and Armenians has produced another reign of terror. The inhabi-tants of Tiffis and other cities are beg-ging the authorities to furnish them with arms for the purpose of organizing a militia for self-protection. Sebastopol new mutinies have occurred and 1,600 soldiers have been disarmed and are under guard. The troops at Kharkoff have revolted, and the in-habitants are still administering the

The weather has become very cold.

Will Take Time.

Although the blow is timed for to-day noon, the strike leaders do not hope to bring the life of the Empire to a standstill by a single stroke, but the will labor for a gradual extension o he strike mover ent. The nature the manifesto of the Workmen's Coun-cil of Moscow to the army is so in-flammatory that even the radical pa-pers are afraid to print it. During the

strike it is proposed to stop all papers and to print and distribute only the organ of the Workmen's Council.

The police are hunting down and arresting the strike leaders as rapidly as they can be found, but comparatively few captures have been made, as the leaders keep in hiding, avoiding thei

residences and meeting in secret each time at a different locality.

The inhabitants are hurriedly laying in supplies of food as if to stand a

siege. Is On at Moscow. Moscow, Dec. 21.—The strike was in-augurated here promptly at noon yes-ierday. All the men walked out of the actories and mills, and the trains o the six railroads were left standing i the stations. Shortly afterward an incoming train on the Kursk road was fired into by armed strikers. The en-gineer and several passengers were

The strikers generally seem provided with arms. There is great excitement in this city.

citement in this city.

Fire Department Strikes,

Warsaw, Dec. 21.—Employes of the

Fire Department struck last night. The

Polish National party has ordered the shopkeepers to remove their Russian signs in order to Polonize the city. Advices from St. Petersburg say that the railroad men of the capital will strike at midnight. It is believed that the men on the Warsaw roads will join

the strike Friday.

It is reported from Nicolaieff, in the Reported from Nicotates, in the Government of Kherson, that two infantry regiments revolted yesterday, and that a sanguinary fight ensued. Details are lacking.

Will Run Troop Trains.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 21.—It is stated that the insurgents have seized the States Treasury at Tukum, Province of Courland.

The Railway Union of Moscow has been been been been to be a superstance.

resolved to run troop trains from Manchuria and to convey grain to the

Manchuria and to convey grain to the famine stricken districts.

Reports received here from Moscow late yesterday afternoon indicate that the strike was successfully inaugurated and is spreading rapidly.

Governor-General Doubassoff has de-Governor-General Doubasson has de-clared the city to be in a partial state of siege, which gives the civil authori-ties exceptional powers of arrest, etc. The next move will be to declare a state of siege, in which the military supercedes civil power,

HUNTED LIKE DEER.

Massacre of Mussulmans by Armenians Still In Progress. Ct astantinople, Dec. 21.—The massacre of Mussulmans by Agnenians was still in progress at Tiffis and throughout Caucasia, Dec. 18, according to a despatch from Tiflis on that date.

The Mohammedans were being hunted down like deer, no distinction being made between Persian, Tartars or Ottomans, About 2,000 Mussulman family

lies of Tifits had sought refuge neighboring villages.
The Cossacks and other troops tinued to plunder the houses of sulmans at Batoum.

Porte Resists Demand.
The Berline leaveston bedden

The Belgian legation has demande that Edward Joris be handed over t the Belgian Consular authorities 1838. The Porte objects to this ar trouble is anticipated. Joris is a Be gian subject, who with three others charged with participation in the tempt to assassinate the Sultan la July, and who were sentenced to dea

SUPPLY MEN IN COURT.

Edward Gurney Only One Who Goes Beyond Magistrate.

Toronto, Dec. 21.—Magistrate Denison at noon yesterday finished with Mr. Curry's list of plumbers, and then tackled the central supply men, and Secretary Morris of the association re placed Secretary Meredith in the wit

The first names mentioned were Edward and W. C. Gurney of the Gurney Foundry Co. The name of W. C. Gurney was withdrawn.

The names of L. L. Anthes, J. M. Taylor and A. Saunders were also withdrawn.

Taylor and A. Saunders were also withdrawn.

When court commenced Mr. Curry continued with the names of those on the plumbers' list. A number of those mentioned appeared in person, and made their excuses.

J. H. Parke complained he had been forced in and that his business had been ruined. He was moving to Muskoka to try and build up another business. He had been in one or two small ness. He had been in one or two small ness. He had been in one or two small "divvy's" and the magistrate could not see his way clear to withdraw his name, though his worship had no members of the association had

worked together to the disadvantage H. Tweedie said he had been forced to join. He had lost. The only thing he got out of it was a cigar. He was struck off by the magistrate. J. if. Thorne, J. J. McKittrick, James Wilson, Jacob Raine, Robert Ross and James Westwood were also fortunate

MAY SPREAD INLAND.

But the Shanghai Trouble Seems Have Been Ended.

London, Dec. 21.—According to offi-cial advices received yesterday from Shanghai, it is believed the situation e controlled by the warships al there. The only danger is tha disaffection may spread to the interior disancetion may spread to the interior. It is thought that it will not be necessary to send troops as the Chinese Government is taking every precaution to prevent an uprising.

The Foreign Office has disapproved

The Foreign Office has disapproved the action of the British assessor in confining Chinese women prisoners in a foreign jail. He has also been instructed by the Minister at Pekin, Sir. E. M. Satow, who has ordered the transfer of the prisoners to a native ail. It is said that this action of the

To Investigate. Pekin, Dec. 21.—The Dowager Em-press yesterday issued an edict comnanding the Vicerov of Chili. Proving of Yuan Shi Kai, commander of the Chinese army, to proceed to Shanghai, investigate the disturbances, secure the punishment of those implicated and impeach the civil and military officials responsible for the maintenance of or-

The Chino-Japanese treaty will be signed on Dec. 22.

Killed by a Trolley Car. Toronto, Dec. 21.—Miss Susan Car-lque, 81 years of age, was killed by a Belf Line car on Bloor street opposite the Orthopoedic Hospital at 9.30 yes terday morning. The woman, who was deaf, was returning to her apartments at 122 West Bloor street. An Avenue road car had just passed and as she road car had just passed and as sne was crossing the street diagonally she did not notice the Belt Line car, which was following the other. The body was not run over, but lay across the track under the fender, with the head against a front wheel. She died in a few minutes. Deceased came from Palayme is Hellowine. Palermo, in Halton County, and has relatives in Burlington and George

Murder and Suicide.

Buffalo, Dec. 20 .- Driven to despera tion by the refusal of his wife to live with him ever since the day they were married, William McCoy, a seaman on the lakes, went to his wife's home at 384 Swan street last night, talked wit her for about 15 minutes and then fired four shots at her. Two of the shots went wild, but one bullet hit the woman near the heart and another entered one of her limbs. Death followed in a few minutes. Without waiting to learn whether his wife's wounds were fatal, McCoy put a bullet into his own heart and fell dead. McCoy was 23 years old. His wife was three years younger.

Schomberg Car Barns Burn,

Schomberg, Dec. 21.—At an early our yesterday fire broke out in the hour yesterday are proke out in the York Radial Railway Co.'s car barns, and before it was placed under control the steam engine used for running the passenger trains between Bond's Lake and this point was utterly rulned. The passenger coaches stored in the barns were somewhat damaged, while the shed was burned to the ground.

Strathcona Improving. London, Dec. 21.—(C.A.P.)—On enquiry at Lord Strathcona's house the Canadian Associated Press was informed his lordship was making excellent progress, but is still unable to leave the house. Lady Strathcona is also much better. They will very likely leave for Canada per the Campania.

Paroled After 34 Years.
Trenton, N. J., Dec. 21.—Libbie Garrabrandt, the Paterson, N.J., murderess, was yesterday granted a parole by the board of pardons, She had been in jail for thirty-four years.

Registrar of Copyrights.
Ottawa, Dec. 21.—P. E. Ritchie has been appointed registrar of copyrights in place of the late Mr. Jackson. Mr. Ritchie has been acting registrar for some months past.

OPERATION AVOIDED

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There are cases where an operation There are cases where an operation is the only resource, but when one considers the great number of cases of ovarian and womb trouble cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after physicians have advised operations, no woman should submit to one without first trying the Vegetable Compound and writing Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, which is free. Mrs. Robert Glenn, of 434 Marie St., Ottawa, Ont, writes:

Ottawa, Ont, writes:

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Ovarian and womb troubles are stead ovarian and womb troubles are stead-ily on the increase among women. If the monthly periods are very painful, or too frequent and excessive—if you have pain or swelling low down in the left side, bearing down pains, leucor-rhosa don't neglect yourself: try Lydia b. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Wheat Possibilities of Canada. The British are evidently looking forward to the time when Canada shall meet all the wheat requirements of the Mother Country, says The Philadelphia Ledger. A Canadian authority predicts that if only one-fourth of the land suitable for cultivation in Mani-toba and other Canadian territories were planted with wheat and the average production was equal to that Manitoba for the last ten years the total crop would be sufficient to mee the Canadian demand and the present the Canadian demand and the present requirements of Great Britain three times over. An American wheat expert hazards the prediction that Western Canada within ten years will be the incipal source of the European whea

Parole System Is a Success. W. P. Archibald, the Dominion parole ommissioner, recently addressed several meetings pleading "the cause or men who have fallen, but not beyond

hope or kindly efforts to uplift them,"
as Mr. Archibeld tersely puts it.
"The parole system is doing great good. I say this not in sentiment bu judging from the practical results of its operation during the past six years, since its inception," said Mr. Archibald. "Out of nearly eleven hundred men released conditionally from our penal institutions in Canada, we have only had to return twenty-four men for the recommitment of criminal offences during the six years of the operation of the parole law, while 700 have earned their full liberty. We have about 300 now reporting

Value of Good Breeding. Scrub lambs 155 days old grown at he Louisiana station weighed only with forty-three pounds for well bred lambs only 129 days old. Why grow scrubs?

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THE MARKETS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower-Live Stock Marke:s

-The Latest Quotations, Wednesday Evening, Dec. 20.
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day uhanged to 3/4d lower than yesterday, atom futures 3/4d higher.
At Chicago May wheat closed 3/4c lower at lay outs 3/4c lower at lay outs 3/4c lower.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS. Following were the closing quotations sterday at this market; Dec., 75%c, Jan., 5%c; May, 79%c.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

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 LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Liverpool. Grain and Produce.

Liverpool, Dec. 20.—Wheat—Spot, steady;
No. 2 red western winter, 6s. 7d; fotures,
dull; Dec., 6s. 10\(\frac{1}{2}\)d; March, 6s. 7d; fotures,
dull; Dec., 6s. 10\(\frac{1}{2}\)d; March, 6s. 11\(\frac{1}{2}\)d; May,
6s. 10\(\frac{1}{2}\)d, Corn, spot quiet; American mixed,
new, 4s. 8d; American mixed, old, 4s.
9\(\frac{1}{2}\)d, Futures, quiet; Jan., 4s. 3\(\frac{1}{2}\)d, March,
4s. 3\(\frac{1}{2}\)d, Bacon, Cumberland cut quiet, 42s;
short ribs, easy, 47s; long clear middles, leavy,
dull, 46s; short clear backs, dull, 46s; shoalders, square, quiet, 3is. 6d. Turpentia,
spirits, firm, 48s. 6d. Butter, finest U.S.,
steady, 102s; good U.S., steady, 50s. Liused off firm, 20s. 6d. Petroleum, refined,
quiet, 3\(\frac{1}{2}\)d.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET. New York, Dec. 20.—Butter—Firm; un-harged; receipts, 4985. Cheese—Steady; unchanged; receipts,

Eggs-Firm; unchanged; receipts, 4790.

CATTLE MARKETS. Cables Easier\_U.S. Markets Ar Steady to Firmer. on, Dec. 20.—Cattle are quoted 12 % o per lb.; refrigerator, 8% c to Sheep, 10 % c to 12c.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK. Montreal Dec. 20.—(Special.)—Receipts were 990 cattle, 25 milch cows, 100 sheep and lambs, 50 calves, 1200 hogs. Trade was very dult, as the butchers had supplied themselves with about all the beef required on Monday. Prices were slightly lower than on Monday, but there were no extra beeves on the market, and only two head sold up to 5c per lb., while 4½c was the ruling price for prime beeves; pretty good cattle sold at 3½c to 4½c, and the common stock at 2½c to 3½c per lb.

The calves were all young veals, and lambs at 5½c to 6c per lb. Owing to increased supplies of hogs, the tone of the market was weaker, and prices declined cannot from block at the reduction the demand from block at the reduction the destraight lots at \$6.25 per 100 lbs., weighed off cars.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET. AS1 BUFFACO CALLER MARKET SEASON AND ASSESSED AS A STATE OF A STAT \$3. Veals—Receipts, 200; active and steady, 50 to \$9,25. Hogs—Receipts, 4300; active, steady to

\$5.50 to \$9,25. Hogs-Receipts, 4300; active, steady to 5c ligher; heavy mixed and yorkers, \$5.55; pigs, \$5,35 to \$5.40; roughs, \$4.50 to \$4.75; stags, \$3,25 to \$5.76. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 6800; sheep, active and steady; lambs, dull; lambs, \$6.25 to \$7.85; yearlings, \$6,50 to \$6.85; wethers, \$5.50 to \$6; ewes, \$5.25 to \$5.50; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$5.75; Canada lambs, \$7.25 te \$7.50; western lambs, \$7.50 to \$7.60.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK. NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Beeves—Receipta, 1544; steers slow, but good to choice a shade higher; light, common, 5c to 10c higher; bulls, steady to 15c lower on light bulls; fat bulls, firmer; cows, very uneven; some sales, 5c to 15c lower. Native steers, \$3.80 to \$5.35; choice, \$5.40; tail end, \$3.25; oxen and stages, \$2.75 to \$4; bulls, \$2.40 to \$3.30; cows, \$1.65 to \$3.65. Exports, 905 cattle, 137 sheep and 6700 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1332; veals, 25c to 50e lover; grassers and westerns, 25c off; veals, \$4.50 to \$9; little calves, \$4 to \$4.25; few grassers, \$3 to \$3.50; westerns, \$2.75; Indiana calves, \$4 to \$6. grassers, \$3 to \$3.59; westerns, \$2.75; In-liana calves, \$4 to \$6. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, \$337; mar-set quite demoralized and 25c lower all rot.nd, Almost no demand. Sheep, \$3.25 to \$5.25; culls, \$2 to \$3; lambs, \$6.25 to \$7.75; choice state do., \$8; culls, \$5; Cana-lian lambs, \$7.50, 10gs—Receipts, 10.140; market, higher; state hogs, \$5.55 to \$5.70.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. Chicago, Dec. 20.—Cat's—Becelpts, 23, 500; steady to strong; of the prime steers, \$3 to \$6.75; stock at the prime steers, \$4.25; cat's, \$2.15 to \$4.25; cat's, \$2.45 at \$8. Hogs—Recelpts, 37,000; strong; choice to prime neavy, \$5.05 to \$5.15; medium to good, heavy, \$4.95 to \$5.05; butchers weights, \$5.05 to \$5.15; good to choice weights, \$5.05 to \$5.15; good to choice heavy, mixed, \$5 to \$5.05; packing, \$4.90 to \$5.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 22.000; steady; sheep, \$4 to \$5.75; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6.50; lambs, \$7 to \$7.60.

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BOILING MEATS.

Simple Process That All House-wives Do Not Understand. Boiling is one of the simplest processs of cooking, but yet it is very frequently not properly carried out. It is too easy to boll anything hard, to boil t tough or to boil it to rags. Therefore it may be of interest to readers to

eef, salt beef and mutton. For the first example let us consider boiling a piece of fresh beef weighing. say, fourteen pounds. First, what can be added to improve the flavor of the meat during the boiling? Fill the pot. preferably an iron one, half full of wa ter. Add two onions, two carrots and a few pieces of celery. Let the water come to a lively boil and plunge in the beef. This of course will stop the water boiling, but leave it over the fire until it starts to boil again.

read a few hints on how to boil fresh

Then when it has boiled a couple ninutes move the pot back on the stove and let it stand without boiling for half an hour. After that bring is closer to the fire and let it get only ust hot enough so that occasional bull les rise to the surface.

It is the general rule to allow ten o twelve minutes to each pound of bee! but it is hard to make any hard and fast law. It is hardly worth while to boil a piece of fresh beef under four pounds or a piece of salt beef unde eight. Again, if the piece of beef is very

small, it would be better not to plunge into boiling water at all, but put i into lukewarm water and gradually bring it to the simmering and boiling points. Perhaps the best guide is common

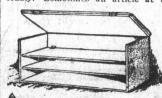
sense and a knowledge of the scientific principles upon which the directions given above depend. When meat is boiled it gets hard. When it is exposed to a heat considerably less than that of boiling it does not get hard. Again, one most important point to

be considered, if we want the joint to taste nice, is to keep in as much as possible all the juice and gravy. When, herefore, we plunge the large joint of meat into boiling water and keep it is till the water boils up again and let it even then remain in a few minute with a layer of hardened meat perhaps half an Traveler.

A HANDY CHEST.

One That Permits Easy Access to All

The careful housewife at certain sea ns of the year packs away for safe reeping certain of the household cloth ing and bedding in a cedar chest preferably. Sometimes an article at the



HOW THE CHEST IS MADE. bottom is desired in a hurry, when the whole contents of the chest must be isturbed and tumbled. To avoid this and also to avoid pressing articles that ust be placed below the top layers the chest shown herewith was design

It is made of cedar boards to repel oths, or pine wood can be used if the oth balls sold by all druggists are at and. This chest has a top hinged at he back in the usual way. The front hinged to the front edge of the top nd folds back upon it, as shown in the cut. There are two shelves within, and these are both hinged at the back, perlitting each one to be raised while the acking is being done below it.

When the top and front are both raised every part of the contents of the thest is instantly accessible without disturbing the rest of the packing. The two small hooks at either end or by a little catch at the middle of the lower e ige.-American Agriculturist.

Evils of Small Shoes.

There is no excuse for aching feet and ill fitting shoes in these enlightened dars. Shoes were never more smoothly finished, better made or sold more reasonably than now, and if feet suffer then the fault lies with the individual. A rightly chosen shoe means to women comfort, happiness and the absence of those telltale lines about the forchead which bespeak corns or tight fitting shoes. Shoes too small or too large will both do mischief. So will a high heel, which causes the bones of the instep to soften and give way, bringing much pain.

The Pioneers.
The freedom loving girl of today who can enjoy a walk by herself without losing her reputation, who can ride down the street on her "bike" without being hooted at, who can play a mixed

double at tennis without being com-pelled by public opinion to marry her partner, who can, in short, lead a hu-man creature's life and not that of a andog led about at the end of a string. ight pause to think what she owes to "unsexed creatures" who fought her battle for her fifty years ago .- J. K. crome in Free Press, Singapore.

Shaking the Furnace Fire. Many persons make the mistake of losing the registers before shaking the urnace fire. Instead leave them oper place wet cloths over them, and the dust that arises from the ashes will cling to the cloths. If the registers are closed the dust will settle underspread over the contents of the re-

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DAWN MILLS

the 6th inst. The wedding was private, only a few near relatives and friends being present.

Quite a number from here attended Joseph Elgie's sale of thoroughbred eattle, which was quite a success, good prices being realized.

W. B. Chambers, of New York City, spending Christmas with relatives

isiting his mother. Mr. Bishop, evangelist, will hold neetings another week. He appears to be meeting with success. Municipal nominations on Friday, 2nd. So far we have not heard of

Howard, are visiting Mrs. Peters' father, John D. Traxler.
Mr. Chapple and Miss Hazel Compion, & Chatham Township, visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. Gifford, on Sunday.
W. T. Prangley and W. Reid were Chatham visitors on Saturday. Chatham visitors on Saturday, Miss Gifford is quite ill.

The Dawn Mills Sunday school intend having a concert and Christ-mas tree on Friday, 22nd. James Elgie and Willard Oliver visited Wm. Elgie, of Dover Centre, on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Burness has returned

from visiting friends and relatives in Richmond. Mich.

James Elgie still continues to ship large quantities of poultry. He pur-chased an extra fine lot of turkeys from W. R. Lloyd, up the River. Excelsior Paint will give you what

you deside—a nice, glossy finish. Try, it. Drew & McCallum.

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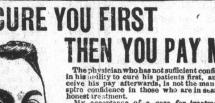
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District Doings

Mr. George Summersett and Miss Rosa Stevenson were married at the residence of the bride's mother on the 6th inst. The wedding was pri-

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