

S STRIKES.—Continued.

- Railway men, New York Central RR., Buffalo, freight traffic much interrupted.—Aug. 18.
- Railway men, New York Central RR., Gen. Master Workman Powderley issues an appeal calling on all Knights of Labor on the Vanderbilt roads to join the strike.—Aug. 20.
- Railway men, New York Central RR., sympathy with the strikers expressed from meetings in Cincinnati, O., Chicago, Ill., Boston, Mass., and London, England.—Aug. 24.
- Railway men, New York Central RR., the Executive Board of the Knights of Labor decide to call out every man on the N. Y. Central RR. who owes allegiance to the Order.—Aug. 28.
- Railway men, Wales, strike practically ended; terms for settlement arranged.—Aug. 8.
- Railway men, Wales, strikers and employers meet and arrive at a settlement; strike ended.—Aug. 15.
- Seamen, Australia, owing to the strike, the Tasmanian Shipping Co. lays up its boats, and many steamers stop running.—Aug. 21.
- Seamen, Australia, coal trimmers and cranemen at Sydney and Newcastle join the strike.—Aug. 25.
- Seamen, Australia, Seamen's Union calls out the crews of the Union SS. Company, whose vessels ply between Sydney and New Zealand.—Aug. 26.
- Seamen, etc., Australia, leading engine foundry in Ballarat closed, owing to the want of coal arising from the strike of miners.—Aug. 28.
- Switchmen, Buffalo, New York Central RR. men strike.—Aug. 16.
- Switchmen, Chicago, men employed by the Chicago & Alton Ry. strike.—Aug. 26.
- Wharf laborers, Melbourne, Australia.—Aug. 20.
- Sugar, duty on, in Russia, increased by an Imperial Ukase.—Aug. 20.
- SUICIDES.—Hamilton, Ont., Mrs. Adam Ballantyne jumps from the upper story of her residence, while in a state of unsound mind.—Aug. 15.
- Leesburg, O., S. H. Beard, an attorney, throws himself in front of a train and is instantly killed.—Aug. 12.
- New York, Joseph A. Jameson, banker, hangs himself; temporary insanity the cause.—Aug. 17.
- St. Eustache, Man., Henry Baudin, aged 19, shoots himself.—Aug. 16.
- Switzerland, fight between a number of Socialists at Zurich; several killed and a number wounded.—Aug. 8.
- Switzerland, cyclone sweeps the canton of Vaud, doing immense damage, villages of Lavallée and Toux devastated, and whole forests destroyed; many persons injured.—Aug. 19.
- SYNDICATES.—Lewerries, Toronto, O., Davies' Brewery and the Ontario Brewing and Malting Co. bought by an English syndicate.—Aug. 4.
- Chemicals, Paris, France, a chemical union formed to monopolize the trade in chemicals; capital \$40,000,000.—Aug. 15.
- Chemicals, France, project practically collapses, owing to the withdrawal of the large merchants.—Aug. 27.
- Findlay Oil Exchange, Findlay, O., organized.—Aug. 4.
- Glass, English syndicate buys thirty-three glass factories in Ohio and Pennsylvania.—Aug. 1.
- Joggins mines, N. B., sold to an English syndicate for \$230,000.—Aug. 21.
- Telephone, French syndicate building a telephone line from St. Petersburg to Berlin.—Aug. 2.
- Talmage Rev. DeWitt, opens the new temple, the Casino, at Asbury Park, N. J.—Aug. 10.
- Telegraphy, French Chamber approves the credit for a new cable to England.—Aug. 1.
- Telegraphy, Gulf of St. Lawrence, new cable between the north shore and the north side of Anticosti, near English Bay, successfully laid.—Aug. 20.
- Telephonic, French syndicate building a telephone line from St. Petersburg to Berlin.—Aug. 2.
- TEMPERANCE.—Connecticut Prohibition Convention at Hartford.—Aug. 13.
- "Original packages," Iowa, E. P. Allen, of Carroll county, arrested and fined for a violation of the State Prohibitory Law.—Aug. 5.
- "Original Package" Bill adopted in the U. S. Representatives by 120 to 93.—Aug. 6.
- "Original package" stores close in Topeka, Kan.—Aug. 8.
- "Original package" Bill approved by President Harrison.—Aug. 8.
- "Original packages" stores, Des Moines, Ia., raided by police.—Aug. 9.
- "Original packages," Iowa, dealers close up their stores and will not attempt a legal contest.—Aug. 12.
- "Original packages," Sioux Falls, N. D., shops closed with one exception.—Aug. 15.

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- "Original packages," Jamestown, N. D., Judge Rose hands down an opinion that the State law prohibiting the importation and sale of liquors was unconstitutional, Congress having the sole power to regulate commerce.—Aug. 21.
- Paris, France, the Temperance Society of offers an international premium of 1,000 francs for the best original work on alcoholism and its cure; competition to close last day of this year.—Aug. 1.
- Pierre, S. D., Chief Justice D. Corson, of the Supreme Court, hands down a decision which totally does away with the sale of intoxicants in the State.—Aug. 12.
- Templars of Temperance meet at Montreal, Que.—Aug. 14.
- Texas, millions of caterpillars invade the fields along the Brazos River.—Aug. 1.
- Texas, twenty-five Mexicans attack the town of Shafter, Presidio county; State Ranger Graves killed, and deputy sheriff Lee wounded.—Aug. 4.
- TURKEY.—The Armenian patriarch resigns his position as spiritual head of the Orthodox Armenians.—Aug. 1.
- Commercial treaty signed with Germany.—Aug. 27.
- Disastrous forest fire at Mount Athos, loss estimated at 5,000,000 francs; twenty monks burnt.—Aug. 5.
- Government reported to be arming the Kurds in Armenia with Martini rifles.—Aug. 21.
- The Greek Patriarch resigns as a protest against the Porte's disregard of the Greek church in granting berats to Bulgarian bishops in Macedonia.—Aug. 6.
- Mount Athos monastery partially destroyed by fire.—Aug. 19.
- Moussa Bey, late Governor of Armenia, who was sentenced to exile to Mecca, escapes.—Aug. 28.
- The Porte finally declines to give satisfaction to Serbia for the recent murder of the Servian consul at Pristina.—Aug. 30.
- Reserves summoned to reinforce the garrison in Armenia.—Aug. 4.
- The Sultan requests prominent Armenians in the Turkish service to submit proposals for reforms in the Turkish administration in Armenia.—Aug. 18.
- The Sultan dismisses 150 Armenians employed in the Imperial household.—Aug. 13.
- UNITED STATES.—Agricultural College Bill, House amendments to agreed to in the U. S. Senate.—Aug. 20.
- Anti Lottery Bill, Senate committee on, refer the measure to a subcommittee to inquire as to the constitutional right of Congress to interfere with the matter intrusted to the mails.—Aug. 4.
- Anti Lottery Mail Bill, Senate committee on Post Offices and Post roads order the, to be reported to the Senate with a recommendation that it pass.—Aug. 11.
- Anti Lottery Bill passes the U. S. Representatives.—Aug. 16.
- Appointments, N. P. Bornhaudt to be consul at Riga; confirmed by Senate.—Aug. 22.
- Appointments, O. Bedell, of New York, to be consul at Fort Erie, Ont.—Aug. 22.
- Appointment, W. E. Sims to be consul at Colon; confirmed by Senate.—Aug. 22.
- Appointment, W. G. Riley, of Virginia, to be consul at Puerto Cabello, Venezuela.—Aug. 21.
- Appointments, S. B. Horne, Conn., to be consul at St. Thomas, W. I.—Aug. 13.
- Census law, House bill to extend, so as to require information to be obtained from unincorporated express companies, passed by the U. S. Senate.—Aug. 12.
- Chickamanga National Park, conference report on bill to establish, agreed to by the U. S. Senate and Representative.—Aug. 16.
- Cœur d'Alène Indians, Id. T., House Committee on Indian Affairs agrees to report favorably the Senate bill confirming and ratifying agreements with.—Aug. 19.
- Collisions at sea, conference ordered on the U. S. Senate bill in regard to.—Aug. 13.
- Contested election case, Goodrich vs. Bullock, from the Second Florida District; House Committee decides in favor of Goodrich.—Aug. 4.
- Deficiency Bill passed with amendment in the U. S. Senate.—Aug. 18.
- Eight-hour law: bill declaring eight hours a day's work for all laborers and mechanics employed in behalf of or by the Government, passes the U. S. Representatives.—Aug. 28.
- Federal Election Bill reported and placed on the calendar in the U. S. Senate.—Aug. 7.
- "Force Bill," Mississippi State Alliance adopt a strong protest against the.—Aug. 8.
- Fortification and Sundry Civil Bills, conference reports on, agreed to in the U. S. Senate.—Aug. 8.
- Fortification Appropriation Bill, conference report on, agreed to in the U. S. Representatives.—Aug. 13.