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EXCELSIOR MINE WILL CLOSE

Iowa Coal Operators Waiting Actual Calling of Strike.

MINERS TO QUIT THURSDAY

Prof. Edward W. Bemis Testifies that 90-Cent Gas Will Allow Profit of 5 Per Cent to Des Moines Company.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 20.—(Special Telegram)—No action will be taken by the governing board of the Iowa Coal Operators' association in regard to the strike of miners throughout the thirty-two district until the unionists take direct action looking toward the calling of such a strike, or until an official notice of further action of the executive board of the miners has been received, according to E. C. Smith, president of the operators' association. Mr. Smith received a telegram from W. H. Rogers, president of the miners, notifying him that the miners in the Excelsior shaft at Bescon would not report for work Thursday morning. Notification of the rejection of the operators' refusal to arbitrate also was contained in the message. The Excelsior mine will be abandoned for the present in order to avoid further trouble.

Profit in 90-Cent Gas.

Ninety-cent gas in Des Moines would net the Des Moines Gas company 2 per cent profit on its investment in the city, according to Prof. Edward W. Bemis, municipal gas expert for the city of Chicago, who went on the witness stand in the Des Moines gas hearing today. Prof. Bemis placed a valuation of \$1,044,000 on the plant of the Des Moines Gas company. This is a much lower estimate than placed on the plant by gas experts employed by the Des Moines Gas company. They valued the plant at \$2,500,000 and upwards. Prof. Bemis valuation was even lower than the estimate of Prof. William D. Marks, one of the city's experts, which was \$1,700,000.

TAYLOR SYSTEM IS DISLIKED

Arsenal and Navy Yard Employees Up In Arms Against It.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Sept. 20.—(Special Telegram)—Practically every delegate attending the national conference of arsenal and naval yard employees here today introduced a resolution condemning the Taylor system. There were twenty men in all and they were referred to a committee on resolutions to harmonize and report. They will also condemn piece work in arsenal and navy yards. The International Association of Machinists today resolved to submit to a referendum vote a proposition to increase the grand lodge per capita tax from 15 to 25 cents and the local lodge assessment to 12.5 cents per year. This will add \$300,000 annually to the funds of the order.

Big Boost in Taxes.

ESTHERVILLE, Ia., Sept. 20.—(Special)—Estherville's taxes will be the highest for the year 1911 than for any other time during the history of the city. The Board of Supervisors has just completed its work and announces a levy of 100 mills, or 10 cents higher than the previous year. The raise is general throughout the county.

Editor Wins First Round.

ELDORA, Ia., Sept. 20.—(Special)—Ira A. Nichols, editor of the Hardin County Citizen, won the first round in a defense of the suit for \$50,000 for libel brought by Gilman H. and Loretta J. Wisner, heirs of the millions of the Wisner estate. Judge Wright, struck from the petition, on the motion of Nichols' attorneys, those parts alleging slander to the property and other parts which sought to show that the article complained of referred to the Wisner heirs. The rulings take most of the pith and substance out of the plaintiffs' allegations, so attorneys allege.

Sick Fifteen Minutes.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Sept. 20.—Tetanus killed Henry Mayer after a sickness of only fifteen minutes. Mayer had suffered with tuberculosis of the knee for many years and a year ago an operation was performed to drain an abscess which had formed. The wound never healed and when it became infected last night death resulted with startling rapidity.

NEW ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF COMMERCIAL CLUB.



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DETROIT CAR STRIKE IS ON

When the Roll is Called Every Man Votes to Quit Work.

QUESTION OF WAGES THE ISSUE

State Fair in Full Blast and the Managers Are Worried Over How They Are to Handle the Crows.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 20.—Fifteen hundred employees of the Detroit United Railway company went on strike at 5:30 this morning and no street cars are running in the city. The men get 25, 35 and 50 cents an hour. They ask 25 and 30 cents an hour.

Last night the leaders of the local Street Car Men's association took up headquarters in the Knights of Equity hall, and as soon as crews finished their respective runs they marched to the hall. At dawn today hundreds of men, still wearing their uniforms, came marching in every direction toward the hall.

"Practically all of the men were at the meeting this morning," said one of the men. "Only about fifty were absent. There was not a dissenting vote on the strike proposition."

State fair officials were out early, anxious and worried about conditions at the fair grounds. With the big fair under way only two days and with thousands of people expected today and all the rest of the week, it means great losses. The men are asking for a raise of 2 cents an hour. When the company, in conference with the men yesterday, asked whether the men would consider a thirteen-hour day at the new schedule eight men offered to try the hours for thirteen days. The company insisted that if the question of wages was to be considered the men must accept a thirteen-hour schedule without trial.

The wages at present are 25 cents an hour for men who have worked less than six months, 35 cents for those who have worked under eighteen months, and 50 cents for those who have worked over eighteen months. The increase which the men ask would make the maximum wages 20 cents and the minimum 25 cents.

Out of the 2,400 men employed by the company, 1,700 are members of the association. The remaining 700 men who have been employed by the company for less than ninety days and who are not entitled to membership until they have worked that length of time. The men assert, however, the 700 men will go out.

For Cross-State Road in Missouri

SEDALIA, Mo., Sept. 20.—Five hundred men and 200 teams met today at Lambs Crossing, six miles east of this city and joined in the ceremonies incident to the formal opening of Pettis county's part in the work on a cross-state highway to connect St. Louis and Kansas City by way of Jefferson City.

Kansas Democrats Nominate Taggart

PAOLA, Kan., Sept. 20.—Joseph Taggart of Kansas City, Kan., was nominated for congress by acclamation this afternoon by the democrats of the Second district convention.

DEATH RECORD

Miles Zentmyer. SCHUYLER, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special)—Miles Zentmyer, a well known and respected citizen of Schuyler, died Monday evening after seven weeks' illness caused by blood poisoning starting from a splinter in his hand. He will be buried on Wednesday afternoon. He was 59 years old at the time of his death. His wife survives him, also three children, one daughter living at Schuyler, another, Herman T. with the Peters Trust company in Omaha, and one son, George A., chief dispatcher for the Union Pacific at North Platte. Mr. Zentmyer served in the 125th and Seventy-seventh Pennsylvania volunteer infantry, being promoted to lieutenant during the war and taking part in a number of engagements, among them being the battle of Antietam.

How to 'Shed' A Bad Complexion

It's foolish to attempt to cover up or hide a sallow complexion, when you can so easily remove the sallowness, or the complexion itself. Rouge and the like on a brownish skin only emphasize the defect. The better way is to apply pure macerated wax—the same as you would cold cream—putting it on at night, removing it in the morning with warm water and soap, following with a dash of cold water. The effect of a few applications is simply marvelous. The half-dead cuticle is absorbed by the wax—painlessly, gradually, in tiny imperceptible particles—revealing the beautiful velvety white new skin beneath. No woman need have a sallow blotchy, pimply or freckled complexion if she'll just go to the druggist's, get some good macerated wax and use as suggested—Woman's Realm—Adv.

SELECT LATTAS SUCCESSOR

Republican State Committee Makes New Rules for Nominations.

RESOLUTIONS ARE ADOPTED

District Committee is Given Power to Act—Candidates Attend Meeting of Executive Committee in Omaha.

A meeting of the executive committee of the republican state central committee was held Tuesday evening at the Millard hotel. A rule was adopted by the committee which provides for the selection of a successor to the late Congressman Latta. The following rule was passed: "Republican party committees for congressional, judicial, senatorial and representative districts, respectively, within the state of Nebraska, are hereby constituted and chosen as follows:—

"In the several districts which include more than five counties the chairman of the regularly chosen republican county committees of the respective counties are hereby chosen and shall constitute the district committee.

"When any district comprises not to exceed five counties the regularly chosen chairman of the regular county committees and the members of said committee for the several counties are hereby chosen and shall constitute the district committee. The following rule was adopted:—

Chairmen Meet Monday.

The chairmen of the district committees will meet Monday night at Norfolk to decide in what manner Latta's successor will be nominated. He can either be nominated by this committee or by a district convention, which will probably be the method chosen.

Those who attended the meeting last night were: Edgar Feneau, Auburn; B. E. Henriks, Wahoo; A. W. Jeffers, Omaha; M. L. Learned, Omaha; F. A. Nettwell, Omaha; E. F. Bralley, E. R. Gurney, Weston; Winton, Lyons; E. J. McNish, Winton; George Copland, Elgin, represented by J. H. Kemp; George Wertz, Schuyler; Carl Kramer, Columbus; S. W. Burnham, Lincoln; F. E. Edgerston, Lincoln; A. D. Spencer, Barnett; Dr. F. Wilcox, Healy; C. B. Heasinger, Grand Island; H. Thomas, Harvard; C. W. McConaughy, Holdrege; N. D. McDonald, Kearney.

John L. Kennedy presided at the meeting. Judges Letton, Hamer and Rose, candidates for the supreme bench, addressed the gathering. Other candidates in attendance were F. L. Haller of Omaha for regent, and F. L. Hall of Lincoln for railway commissioner. Two names were mentioned as candidates to succeed Latta—J. C. Elliott of West Point and A. R. Davis of Wayne.

Six Persons Killed in Their Own Homes

COLORADO SPRINGS, Sept. 20.—Murdered in their own homes by some unidentified person who used an axe, the bodies of six persons, three in each of two neighboring houses, were found here this afternoon. The heads of all the victims had been smashed in, and the appearance of the bodies indicated that they had been dead several days and that death came while they slept. A report says that the murderer has been caught and that he has confessed, but this is denied by the police officials, who intimated fear that lynching might follow such announcement. An axe, which had been loaned to Mrs. Henry F. Wayne, one of the victims, by J. R. Evans, a neighbor, last week, was found, bloodstained, by Mrs. Evans on Monday near the back door of the Wayne home.

The Engagement Ring

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Indictment Against Harriet De Witt

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 20.—Miss Harriet De Witt, the principal figure in what has become known as the "poisoned pen" case, was indicted by a United States grand jury here today on a charge of sending anonymous letters of a defamatory character through the mails to residents of Easton, Pa. Miss De Witt is the daughter of a well-to-do resident of Easton. Rev. Elmer E. Snyder of Easton, who was the principal victim of the letter writing, was the main witness against Miss De Witt. Miss De Witt's trial will be held in December.

Carried on Engine Pilot.

NEWTON, Ia., Sept. 20.—Mrs. George Haroldson and daughter, Louisa, were crossing the track of the Rock Island railroad, when an engine struck the buggy, carrying it until the weight of the horse, dragging by the side, pulled the vehicle from its resting place. The occupants were thrown out when the buggy was dislodged, but fell clear of the locomotive wheels. Both were badly bruised.

Kraft Was Murdered.

MITCHELL, S. D., Sept. 20.—The verdict of the coroner's jury in the case of Gust Kraft, who was found in a mud grave seven miles east of Woonsocket yesterday, was that Kraft came to his death as a result of being shot with a gun by Charles Gentry, who was traveling with Kraft.

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JOHN BOWMAN PRESIDENT

New Man in Charge of the University of Iowa This Year.

DELIVERS ADDRESS TO STUDENTS

Tells the Young Men and Women of Some of the Things that They Lack in Adding to Welfare.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Sept. 20.—The Iowa university students heard their merits and shortcomings discussed today by their new president, John G. Bowman, who made his first address to the faculty and students. He said that owing to the development of the high schools in Iowa the undergraduates of the university were better prepared than the average, though less cosmopolitan, due to the fact that Iowa is an agricultural state of small cities and towns. He continued: "You lack a sense of humor which might save you at times from the idea that you are created with special favor in a difficult world. You lack, further, ease of conversation, versatility and, in some degree, the constant gentility which is the pride of a Columbia boy. And if you are as you were fifteen years ago you are deficient in aggressive college spirit, which makes for your own welfare."

Dependent, Drinks Acid.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Sept. 19.—(Special Telegram)—The body of a man, supposed from papers in his pockets to be Elmer Fuller, was found this afternoon on the bank of the Big Sioux river. There were evidences to show he had committed suicide by drinking carbonic acid. The man was a stranger in Sioux Falls and papers in his pockets indicated he had relatives at Minneapolis and Winifred, S. D. He was about 28 or 27 years of age. A note also was found in which it was stated that since his father and mother both had died there was nothing for him to live for.

Gentry Accused of Murder.

MITCHELL, S. D., Sept. 20.—(Special Telegram)—The coroner's inquest over the body of Gust Kraft resulted in a verdict to the effect that Kraft came to his death by being shot by Charles Gentry, Kraft and Gentry left Crocker, S. D., several weeks ago to make a trip through the country, traveling in a light wagon.

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Evening gowns, while important in themselves, form but a small proportion of the showing of styles for all manner of costumes and occasions.

Newsdealers will deliver The Sunday Bee for September 24, if the order is placed early. Don't fail to get the best fashion paper for this or any other Sunday.

PUZZLERS FOR THE COURTS

Trying to Untangle Questions Relating to Cotton Bills of Lading.

MANY LARGE SUMS INVOLVED

Much of Trouble Grows Out of Failure of Steele, Miller Company, Three Members of Which Are in Jail.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—While cotton men of two continents are discussing plans for guaranteeing bills of lading, it is not generally known that the courts of this country have yet to untangle the snarl of litigation created by the failure of Steele, Miller & Co. of Corinth, Miss., whose crash precipitated all the trouble three members of the firm already have been sent to jail, but various civil actions growing out of the case have to be adjusted.

These actions involve thousands of dollars and will be settled in the supreme court at Brooklyn, where the cases are on the calendar. All are actions in equity and the plaintiffs are Mississippi banks and the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad. All seek to recover from the New York Dock company cotton shipped to New York by Steele, Miller & Co. for which Stephen Weld, New York cotton broker, held bills of lading which the plaintiffs charge were forged.

Cotton valued at \$28,000 is the basis of two actions brought by the Lackawanna, Weld & Co. here held one bill of lading, but before delivery the Steele-Miller company disclosures came and the Bank of Holly Springs, Miss. and the First National bank of Jackson pressed claims for the cotton with what purported to be the original bills of lading. The Lackawanna, as carrier, established to its satisfaction that the Mississippi banks were entitled to the cotton, but the New York Dock company, into whose hands it had passed, declined to give it up in the face of a claim from Weld & Co. The Lackawanna thereupon replevined the cotton and on motion of the dock company was made codefendant, in order that all interested parties might be represented in the suit.

Similar suits were then quickly filed by the Bank of Macon, Miss.; the Granada bank and the Bank of Tupelo. The Granada bank's case has already been submitted to the court and a decision is expected soon.

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