

STRIKERS WINNING AT SAN FRANCISCO

Most of the Big Establishments Are Giving Way to the Demand for an Eight Hour Day

Stockton, May 1.—The Stockton Iron Works, the Globe Foundry and the East Street Foundry today adopted the eight-hour day throughout their establishments.

AT OAKLAND.

Oakland, May 1.—Twenty-one out of thirty-four shops in this city have granted the demands of the machinists for an eight-hour day and forty-four cents an hour wages.

WORK STOPPED.

Stanford University, May 1.—Building operations are at a standstill as a result of the demands of the stone masons, who want \$6 a day instead of \$5.

HOTEL MAY BE CLOSED

Report That Extensive Changes Will Be Made At the Central House

WHEN LEASE EXPIRES

Lower Floor to Be Used as Store Rooms and Changes Made.

It is reported that the Central hotel will be closed soon. The hotel people do not make any statement regarding the matter, but the report is that the lease expires June 1 and that extensive changes will be made in the building.

The report is that the present office at the corner of Front and A streets will be converted into a saloon. The dining room is to be divided into two rooms, the south half of which will be occupied by J. Tower's Gunnersy and the other half will be occupied by Curry's barber shop. What is now the parlor and grill room will be used by the Johnson Employment Bureau.

The upstairs, it is understood, will be connected with the Blanco hotel, which place will have charge of the rooms.

CARMEN TROUBLE STILL UNSETTLED

Committee Holds Conference With President of United Railroads Without Results.

San Francisco, May 1.—A meeting between the executive committee of the Carmen's Union and President Calhoun of the United Railroads this afternoon failed to reach a compromise over the demand for an eight-hour day and \$3 wages. The conference was productive of no results. A difference of one cent an hour is the rock upon which the conference split. Whether a strike will follow has not been determined.

WEATHER FORECAST. The weather forecast for today follows: Oregon, Washington and Idaho, fair. LOCAL WEATHER. The local weather for yesterday, as reported by Dr. Mingus, the Marshfield observer, follows: Highest... 58 degrees, Lowest... 38 degrees, 6 p. m. ... 51 degrees, Wind in northwest. Clear.

ILLNESS WAS PROLONGED

Mrs. M. P. Gulovsen Died After Being Invalid for Number of Years

BORN IN NORWAY

And Came to Marshfield With Her Husband Over Thirty Years Ago.

Mrs. M. P. Gulovsen, who has been ill at her home in South Marshfield for a number of years, passed away yesterday. Mrs. Gulovsen had been bedfast for the past two years on account of paralysis, and had been an invalid for the past six years. She leaves beside her husband the following five children: Mamie, George, Oscar, Madoc and Helen, all of Marshfield.

Ida Helene Gulovsen, nee Hansen, was born in Mandal, Norway, August 17, 1860. She was married August 19, 1882, and together with her husband removed to this city the following year.

The funeral will take place from the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the burial will be in the Odd Fellows' cemetery. Rev. D. W. Thurston will officiate at the funeral.

NEW SCHOOL FINISHED.

Building at Ten Mile Has Been Completed.

The new school house which was recently built in the Ten Mile district is now ready for the opening, which will be on the sixth of this month. The school house was built from a fund raised by popular subscription. There are about forty children who will attend the school during the coming term.

Will Buy Wool.

A. J. Booth, representing A. Helming & Co., has left for Gardiner, from which place he will go to Corvallis on a business trip after hides and wool. Mr. Booth will be gone about three weeks.

Delivers Potatoes.

H. Wilkins, of Ten Mile, delivered 23 sacks of potatoes to the Lake creamery the first of the week.

To Drain and Gardiner.

J. W. Nier, the Southern Pacific right of way man, will leave in a day or two for Gardiner and Drain where he has some business to look after. He will return to Marshfield on finishing his business.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. Red Cross Pharmacy.

NEW MILL AT TENMILE

M. Mitchell Opens Plant and is Cutting Nine Thousand Feet a Day

NOT YET COMPLETED

When Finished the Plant Will Have a Still Larger Capacity.

(Times Special Service.)

Ten Mile, Ore., May 1.—H. Mitchell has his new saw mill on Ten Mile in operation. The mill is now cutting 9,000 feet a day, but as soon as it begins to operate at capacity the mill will turn out 15,000 feet of lumber a day. The mill is not complete as yet. A planer will arrive on the next Alliance and will be installed at once. The mill is turning out from 25,000 to 30,000 shingles per day, but as soon as this part of the plant runs to capacity the mill will be able to make 60,000 a day.

Mr. Mitchell is having a steam launch built for use in connection with his business. It will be thirty feet long, 9 1/2 feet beam, and will be propelled by an eight-horse power engine, which will be furnished with steam from a ten-horse power boiler.

FAST PASSENGER TRAIN IS WRECKED

Twenty Persons Are Injured in an Accident on the Baltimore and Ohio.

Parkersburg, W. Va., May 1.—A passenger train on the Ohio division of the Baltimore and Ohio was wrecked at Pleasant View this afternoon while running at sixty miles an hour. Twenty were injured, two fatally.

BASEBALL SCORES. Pacific Coast League. San Francisco, May 1.—San Francisco, 8; Portland, 0. Northwest League. Seattle, May 1.—Seattle, 2; Spokane, 9.

TAKEN TO SALEM.

Sheriff Leaves With Two Prisoners For the Penitentiary.

Sheriff Gage and R. R. Pounder passed through the city yesterday on their way to Salem. They had in charge two prisoners who were sentenced to the penitentiary. One was Ballard, the young man who broke jail here and also at Coquille and the other was the man who passed a forged check at North Bend. Each is to serve a two years' term.

COMES TO MARSHFIELD.

N. Osmundson Will Be Located in This City.

N. Osmundson, who has had charge of the Coquille office of the Title Guarantee and Abstract Company, has come to Marshfield. The office plant has been moved here and the main part of the work will be done in this city, with Mr. Osmundson in charge of the office.

LUMBER FOR RAILROAD.

Esther Buhne is Loading Cedar for Southern Pacific.

The schooner Esther Buhne, loading lumber at the railroad wharf, will carry a cargo of 350,000 feet of clear cedar to San Francisco for the Southern Pacific railroad. This cargo of lumber is being carefully selected by a man sent here by the Southern Pacific.

Home From Portland.

Anson Rogers, who has been in Portland for some time looking after business matters, arrived home yesterday.

All Will Recover.

Johnstown, May 1.—The physicians announce that the seven miners rescued last night will all recover.

DAMAGE CASE ON TRIAL

Suit of James Frears Against Beaver Hill Coal Company in Progress

THE JURY DISAGREES

In the Case of Oldland Against Oregon Coal and Navigation Company.

(Times Special Service.)

Coquille, Ore., May 1.—The case of James Frears against the Beaver Hill Coal company, and Daniel Maher, the superintendent of the mine, has been on trial all day in the circuit court. The plaintiff is fourteen years old and the suit is brought by his guardian. The boy was employed at the mine as a rope rider. An accident happened to him while at work. It is alleged that he was permanently injured, and that the accident was due to negligence on the part of the company. Damages in the sum of \$10,000 are asked for.

The jury in the case of Stanley Oldland against the Oregon Coal and Navigation company could not agree. The jurors stood six to six, and were discharged by the court. It will be necessary to try the case again.

PROMINENT EDITOR DIES SUDDENLY

Arthur McEwen of the New York American Passes Away in Bermuda.

New York, May 1.—Arthur McEwen, chief editorial writer of the New York American, died suddenly today at Hamilton, Bermuda. Heart failure was the cause of death. McEwen went to Bermuda ten days ago on account of his health, and finding himself much improved this week wrote to friends expressing his hope of returning to New York in a few days. McEwen was 56 years old and was born in Scotland.

JAPS HAVE LANDED.

Kuroki and Party on Way to Jamestown Exposition.

Victoria, B. C., May 1.—General Baron Kuroki, wearing a khaki uniform, accompanied by a representative party of Japanese military men, arrived here today on the steamer Aki Maru on their way to the Jamestown exposition. They will leave for Seattle in the morning and arrive there about 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

MANY IN DANGER.

A Hundred People Penned in Burning Building in Chicago.

Chicago, May 1.—More than a hundred persons were penned in a burning building today at 255 Wabash avenue, and narrowly escaped with their lives. Fully half of them were injured, but none fatally.

At the Hotels

Central Hotel.—M. R. Mathew, San Francisco; M. D. Reeder, Baine, Mich.; George Finley, Portland; E. M. Furman, Los Gatos; Nick Collis, Bandon; William Gage, Coquille; W. G. Rhude, Portland; L. C. Thompson, Portland; W. F. S. Wright, Elkton; J. Tupper, Coquille City; Y. T. Edwards, Colorado; Ben Lewis, Seapoose; Alb Hintz, Seapoose; J. S. Lawrence, South Slough; J. M. Grosvenor, Coos River. Central Hotel.—J. W. Levy, A. Levy, A. E. Eaton, G. W. Hallday, W. W. Wood, Jim Rodgers, San Francisco; Joseph Thorn, Myrtle Point; E. F. LeMieux, Grants Pass; R. E. Bohm, Coquille; J. C. Doyl, Galton, Pa.

FRESH EGGS COME.

W. M. Waters, of North slough, was in the city yesterday with quite a lot of eggs for one marketing. He brought in 24 dozen. S. J. Nosman of the same place brought in 14 dozen at the same time.

PRISONERS MAKE FORMAL STATEMENT

Pettibone, Moyer and Haywood Through Their Attorney Have Much to Say of the Coming Trial of Their Case

Boise, Idaho, May 1.—Clarence Darrow, of the counsel for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, tonight issued a formal statement in behalf of the accused. The statement, which is in the first person, begins with a description of the crime charged, and then asserts that during three years of incarceration, all the press of the country, and particularly that of the section of Idaho where they are to be tried, has bitterly denounced them and the Western Federation of Miners. They declare they were not in Idaho for years before the crime was committed. "Under the law we should not be extradited from Colorado. But in spite of this we were arrested on a perjured affidavit, and on this perjured affidavit, known to be false, the governors of the two states of Colorado and Idaho, kidnaped us in the night time, refusing us an interview with family, friends or counsel, or a chance to appeal to the courts, and brought us on a special train into the state and the community was systematically poisoned against us by the newspapers and officials.

greater weight will be given to his words that to those of other private citizens. In that we are about to be tried in court every law abiding citizen should do everything in his power to cool the passions of men rather than add fuel to the flames." The three prisoners do not show their confinement except by pallor. Pettibone, whom they used to call "Happy Hooligan" back in Denver, is the fun maker of the crowd, and talked in so humorous a vein to the Associated Press representative that even quips about his own hanging brought laughter. Striking a more serious note, Pettibone told of the history of the Western Federation of Miners, which he said had been organized in that same room they occupied back in 1892, after the trouble up in the Coeur d'Alenes, when they arrested "a lot of our men" and held them until 1893, when the supreme court decided they were illegally in custody. Pettibone then described to the Associated Press man the conditions the miners in the Coeur d'Alenes were obliged to endure.

Pettibone said they were miserably housed and fed, and that the company paid in script and compelled the miners to buy from the company stores at extortionate prices. They were compelled to enforce an assessment to pay for the company doctor, and on one occasion he had seen this doctor refuse to come to the bedside of a dying miner whom he was supposed to look after. Pettibone later stated that he is a descendant of John Pettibone, who came to this country in 1652, and he has a revolutionary ancestor buried at White Plains. Haywood is also of revolutionary stock, according to Pettibone, who declared one of Haywood's forefathers signed the declaration of independence.

Moyer, he added, is of Pennsylvania Dutch stock, who have been in America for some time. Governor Gooding stated to the Associated Press today, when shown the statement, that it was not his intention to place Ada county under martial law at the commencement of the trial, and that martial law would not be declared unless disturbances should occur to make such a step necessary, and he did not expect any such breach of the peace on the part of the people of his state.

While the president of the United States and the governor of Colorado are sending out statements to compass our death, the judge in this county has brought a citizen before him for contempt on the charge that he tried to influence one of the prospective jurors by saying, 'the state administration was trying to railroad us.' On the appearance of this man in court the judge promptly told the state's attorney he should have this obscure farmer indicted for felony because he tried to influence the mind of a prospective juror. "The president knows how much

CREAMERY HAS OPENED

At Tenmile Plant Turns Out Four Hundred Pounds of Butter Daily

WILL BE DOUBLED

In Capacity as Soon as the Farmers Furnish Sufficient Amount of Cream.

(Times Special Service.)

Ten Mile, Ore., May 1.—The Lake creamery, which has just recently opened for this season's business, is making 400 pounds of butter per day.

As soon as the season advances sufficiently to allow the creamery to be supplied with plenty of cream, the plant will turn out 800 pounds of butter daily.

The Lake creamery store is now in charge of F. E. Granger. He reports that the ranchers are bringing in a good grade of wool, and quite a lot of it for this season.

William Gamble, of North Bend, is in the Ten Mile country looking for cattle.

BIG BALOON COMES DOWN

Aeronaut McCoy Fails in Attempt to Break the Long Distance Record

LANDS IN ILLINOIS

Changeable Air Currents Demonstrated That the Task Would Be Impossible.

(Times Special Service.)

Golconda, Ill., May 1.—Captain Chandler and Aeronaut McCoy failed to break the long distance balloon record and win the Lahm cup. The balloon which left St. Louis on Tuesday evening landed five miles north of Golconda this afternoon. The changeable air currents demonstrated to the aeronauts that they could not win the cup, so they descended. The balloon made an easy landing and was brought to Golconda in wagons. McCoy will go to New York and Chandler to Washington.

Club Meets. The members of the Chaminate club met last evening at the home of Mrs. R. A. Annin.