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## PITTSBURG GOES OUT

### Coal Miners' Strike Declared in That District.

#### EXTENT NOT DEFINITELY KNOWN

Six Thousand River Diggers Known to Be Idle—Ohio Strikers Secure an Advance.

PITTSBURG, July 6.—A strike of coal miners is on in Pittsburg district, but reports as to its extent are so conflicting and meager, it is difficult to tell how many responded to the strike order. Most encouraging reports for the strikers came from the river mines, and it can be stated that fully 6000 river diggers are idle.

A dispatch from Wheeling, W. Va., says men at Schickanes, on the B. & O., in Ohio, are at work at an advance. The 3000 on the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling railroad voted two to one against the strike, and are working as usual.

#### ALL CLASSES WILL SUFFER.

Miners' Strike Likely to Be Serious in Its Effects.

New York, July 6.—A World Washington dispatch says:

In speaking of the miners' strike, Secretary Sherman said that such disturbances were always serious, and threatened to become injurious to business interests. The withholding of so important a product as coal, if continued for a considerable period, he said, necessarily involves a liberal increase in price, and consequently affects all classes. He does not believe that politics enter into strikes—that any of the parties, or that either the preceding or the present administration could be held responsible for the existing disagreements between the operators and miners.

Secretary Sherman says that the solution of these problems must be found by the employers and those in their service. They must adjust their differences in their own way and to their own satisfaction. Outside suggestions and interference would be resented. For this reason he does not believe that any general plan of arbitration for the adjudication of labor troubles, as proposed by pending congressional legislation, would be acceptable to either of the parties, or could be made effective in practical application. The theory is good, he said, but the execution would be difficult, if not impossible.

Arbitration provided by law would be on the principle of leading a horse to water. The water can be provided and the animal taken to it, but he cannot be compelled to drink.

#### SENATOR HANNA'S VIEWS.

Strikers Choose an Unfortunate Time to Make Their Demand.

New York, July 6.—A Herald dispatch from Washington says:

Senator Hanna, in speaking of the coal miners' strike, said:

"Owing to the existing conditions of business, no one can be expected to raise wages for the present, anywhere in any line of business, and therefore the strikers have chosen a very unfortunate time to make their demands, whether the latter be reasonable or not. With better times, greater confidence and an increased demand for the product of the mines, it ought to be possible to give laborers of all kinds a better return for their labor. That is what we mean by prosperity—an improved condition of business. When money is freer, operations are carried on upon a safe, sound and profitable basis, and the humblest laborer reaps the benefit of the good times in proportion to the value of his labor.

"The hoped-for good times are coming, I believe, before long, but they will not come suddenly, but gradually, and when business does improve, employers of labor can listen to the grievances of the employed. I do not see that they can be expected to do so before. It is to be hoped that the men will agree to submit the matter to arbitration and let their troubles rest for the present in a reasonable manner. Acts of violence prompted by thoughtless passion can never accomplish anything good.

"Of the effect of the strike on Ohio politics, I am not prepared to say anything. Business disturbances always affect the current issues one way or another, and misunderstandings frequently arise on account of them. I have no apprehension personally on account of the strike, however."

#### Lightning Fired a Church.

Quincy, July 5.—A terrific thunder storm which passed over the Lake St.

John district caused loss of life and considerable damage to property. Owing to the storm the wires are in a demoralized condition, but it is learned that at John Querie's lightning struck the parish church while high mass was being celebrated. A portion of the roof was ripped off, two altars upset and the officiating priest stunned.

Then it was discovered that the building was on fire, and the whole congregation at once became panic-stricken. A mad rush was made for the doors, during which one man was trampled under foot and killed and many persons were injured.

The church was burned to the ground, making the third church fired by lightning and destroyed in the Lake St. John district within two weeks.

#### NO BOUNTY AT PRESENT.

The Beet Sugar Tariff Amendment Will Be Tabled.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—The Republican senatorial caucus today decided not to again present a beet-sugar bounty amendment to the tariff bill, and Allison was authorized to move to have the amendment offered by Allen tabled. There was also a general agreement to take up the Thurston beet-sugar bounty bill as independent the first thing after congress meets next December.

The object of the caucus bore entirely upon the bounty matter. Aldrich was the first to make a general outline of the course which was ultimately agreed upon, including the postponement of the entire question until December. A motion to this effect was, however, made by Morrill, after a motion made by Davis to stand by the finance committee withdrawing the amendment, had been carried.

Foraker suggested that the entire question should be left open, leaving each Republican senator to cast his vote in such manner as he should choose, independent of party affiliations. He said the effort to lay the amendment on the table might lead to filibustering tactics, and cause more delay than would the opposite course of permitting the amendment to go to a vote on its merits.

This view was antagonized by the other senators, who said the Democrats would hold the bill up indefinitely, as long as there was a possibility of the amendment passing, and that the only way of insuring a speedy vote was for the party as a whole to support the motion to table. This opinion was so general that Foraker did not press his motion and no vote was taken.

When Allen was informed of the result of the Republican caucus, he said he would press his amendment to a vote, but that he would not filibuster to prevent its being laid upon the table. He said it was not his purpose to prevent an early vote on the bill.

#### ASTOR IS INDIGNANT.

His Paper Was Slighted at the Queen's Dinner Party.

New York, July 6.—A dispatch to the World from London says:

W. W. Astor is indignant because his paper, the Pall Mall Gazette, was omitted from the invitation list for the queen's party at Windsor castle Saturday, to the members of the house of commons and their wives. The Gazette therefore boycotts the entertainment, explaining:

"We have to apologize to our readers for the absence of any account of what must have been a most interesting function; but as we did not see it, we cannot describe it."

No London evening paper was invited, and are all exercised at the slight, but the Pall Mall Gazette is the only one that makes its chagrin public.

#### Endeavor Trains Are Still Rolling Into San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6.—The first of a procession of forty trains bearing delegates to the great convention of Christian Endeavorers arrived this morning and at intervals of about an hour others poured their loads of human freight into the city all day long. As fast as delegates arrived upon this side of the bay they were registered by a force of nearly 200 clerks, and each individual was given a card upon which his or her name, address, denomination, church and San Francisco quarters were filled in.

The day's arrivals consist of delegations from Kansas, Maine, Connecticut, Vermont, Ohio and Nebraska.

#### Iowa Gold Democrats.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 7.—About 200 national Democrats met in state convention today to nominate a state ticket. Judge Nathaniel French, of Davenport, was temporary chairman. When, in his address, Grover Cleveland was referred to in connection with the Pullman strike, there was the wildest enthusiasm.

#### Tariff Bill Goes Through.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—The tariff bill passed the senate by a vote of 39 to 28.

## BRYAN ON THE COAST

### He Draws a Big Crowd in California.

#### AND NOW TRILBY IS IN MOURNING

Mrs. Bradbury Was Hypnotized, But She Has Recovered and Knows All About It.

ALAMEDA, Cal., July 7.—William J. Bryan reached this city this morning. He was met at Oakland by a large committee of citizens and with his party was driven to this city. The visitors disembarked at the Mastic station and carriages were taken. A drive was given through the principal residence thoroughfares, terminating at the Park hotel, where an informal reception took place, when a number of ladies were presented to the distinguished guest.

Breakfast was served, and in response to the toast, "W. J. Bryan the next president," Bryan said:

"I am not so much interested in who shall be the next president of the United States as I am that the next president will be a man who will not veto a silver bill when it comes before him."

At the conclusion of the breakfast there was a procession in which all the Alameda Bimetallic League, comprising about 600 men, took part. The line of march led up to a stand at the corner of Santa Clara avenue and Walnut street, where Bryan delivered an address on "Equality Before the Law," to about 3000 people.

#### A LATTER-DAY TRILBY.

She Declares That Hypnotism Caused Her Downfall.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—There are said to be prospects now that the runaway wife of Millionaire John Bradbury, of Los Angeles, will shortly appear in a new and rather sensational role. It is asserted that the alleged hypnotic spell under which her friends claim that her eloping companion, H. Russell Ward, has held her, is now dispelled to that extent that she is ready and willing to go upon the witness stand next Thursday and testify against her lover.

The story which it is said Mrs. Bradbury may tell under oath, will be something decidedly startling. It is to partake of hypnotism. When she arrived in this city last Friday with Ward, she boasted she would never think of leaving him and returning to her home. She now refuses to hold any communication with Ward. She avows that she cannot for the life of her understand her former conduct, except that she has been the victim of some awful control that she could neither fathom nor resist.

Mrs. Bradbury has promised her mother to whom she is entirely reconciled, that she will never again countenance Ward's attentions, nor even tolerate his friendship. She says she will never speak to him or permit him to speak to her.

#### MURDERER IS IN CUSTODY.

New York Police Solve the Goldensuppe Mystery.

New York, July 7.—Positive identification of the man arrested last night as Martin Thorn, the alleged confederate in the murder and dismemberment of William Goldensuppe, was made today.

Inspector O'Brien said today he had a full confession from Thorn admitting he had murdered Goldensuppe and giving all the details of the crime.

According to Thorn's confession, Mrs. Nack drove to Woodside house with Goldensuppe and sent her victim inside to "see how he liked the house." Thorn was concealed behind an inner door, and shot him through the head. The body was placed in a bathtub, carved up in sections, and then encased in plaster of paris. Mrs. Nack returned to the house in the afternoon, and with Thorn drove to the river and threw the package overboard.

#### FOR REFORM IN FINANCE.

Currency Question to Come Up at the Present Session.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—President McKinley called a special meeting of the cabinet for today. After a discussion lasting over an hour the cabinet decided that the president should send to congress a message recommending legislation providing for a committee to adjust the currency question of the country.

It is the expectation of the president that the subject will receive the attention of congress during the present extra session. The message itself is written and is short. Its principal feature is a quotation from the president's inaugural address on the financial subject.

The tariff bill was not considered at the meeting today except in its bearing on the currency commission proposition.

The president will ask authority to name nine commissioners and for an appropriation for the expenses of the commission, but will not make suggestions as to the political or other composition of the commission, nor will he make any suggestion as to the lines of investigation. He will himself call attention to the necessity of reform in our currency and national banking laws, and state that in his opinion that reform is equally important with the enactment of a protective tariff law.

#### HOT WAVE IN NEW YORK.

Eleven Prostrations, and One Death in the Metropolis.

NEW YORK, July 6.—A hot wave struck this city today, and at noon the thermometer on the street registered 102 deg., while the humidity recorded was 91 per cent. As a result of this intense heat there was one death and eleven prostrations. Toward evening, however, the sky became overcast and there was a fall of 2 deg. between 5 and 5:10 p. m. Five prostrations were reported from Brooklyn today.

#### Fatal Cases in Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., July 6.—The list of persons who died in this city yesterday from sunstroke and heat prostrations was swelled today by 13. One boy was killed in a runaway caused by fireworks, and a little girl was fatally burned. Fifteen others were injured by fireworks.

The adults who died from sunstroke are Conrad Stelime, Mrs. A. O. Walski, Miss Catherine Orr, Mrs. Webber, G. B. Birthwhistle, Patrick Cummings. The others were young children.

#### St. Louis Scorched.

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—St. Louis was scorched again today. At 10 o'clock the thermometer registered 86, and by afternoon was at the 96 mark. At midnight the thermometer registered 90 deg. A number prostrations have been reported but none resulted fatally.

#### Five Deaths in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, July 6.—There were five deaths from heat today, making a total of 36 deaths in the last four days. Prostrations of a more or less serious nature usually are four or five times as great as the number of deaths. Today was no exception to the rule.

#### EMPEROR WILL BE COERCED.

American Warships Are En Route to Tangier.

NEW YORK, July 7.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

The emperor of Morocco is to be coerced by American men-of-war in order that punishment may be inflicted upon one of his subjects who assaulted an American citizen. The vessels are the San Francisco, flagship, and the Raleigh. The San Francisco is expected to reach Tangier in a few hours. The Raleigh will arrive at her destination the latter part of the week.

The orders to the San Francisco and Raleigh were the result of a request received by the state department, from Consul-General David N. Burke, stationed at Tangier. Mr. Burke announced that an American citizen had been brutally assaulted; that he had asked the Moorish government to arrest and punish the American's assailant and that up to the present time there were no indications that the request would be granted.

#### Deed of a Despondent Man.

LOS ANGELES, July 6.—W. B. Peterson, formerly employed in the freight department of the Santa Fe railroad, attempted to murder his 8-year-old daughter this morning and then committed suicide. Before he died he told the child of his plan, and persuaded her she would be able to see her mother, who is dead, if she took poison with him. He made her drink carbolic acid, and drank prussic acid himself.

#### An Unconfirmed Rumor.

HAVANA, July 8.—The report is current that Weyler has been recalled by the central government on account of the failure of his campaign in Santiago de Cuba province. The report of Weyler's recall is semi-officially denied, but he has probably been asked to tender his resignation.

#### Wiped Out An Old Feud.

EMPIRE CITY, Kan., July 6.—Sam Mitchell, husband of the postmistress of this city, wiped out an old feud here by shooting and killing Link Cole, ex-city marshal. The men met on the street and Mitchell shot without warning. Cole killed Mitchell's brother a year ago.

## NOTABLE GATHERING

### First Formal Gathering of Endeavor Convention.

#### MECHANICS' PAVILION IS CROWDED

Delegates Welcomed on Behalf of City, State and Committee—Meeting at Woodward's Pavilion.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 8.—At daylight this morning began the prayer meeting of the Christian Endeavorers. The services were held in all the principal churches of the city, the subject being the same in each, "Prayer for the Convention." Among the leaders of these meetings B. W. Wilcox, of Spokane; H. J. Fries, of Tacoma, Wash.; and H. S. Gile, of Salem, Oregon.

Long before the hour appointed for the opening of the convention every seat in the vast pavilion, which accommodates over 10,000 people, was occupied, women predominating, and from the stage the eight was one never to be forgotten. Seldom has an audience equal in numbers and appearance been assembled within the walls of a building in California.

At 9:30 the great gathering was called to order by Rev. E. R. Dille, of this city, and after a musical welcome by the choir, brief devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Philip F. King, of Bolton, Tex. Then the welcome of the committee of '97 was delivered by Rolla V. Watt, who said:

"This morning our dreams are realized, our hopes are fulfilled, our prayers are answered, for we witness the assembling of an international Christian Endeavor convention for the first time on the shores of the mighty Pacific. God bless you! We are glad you are here; welcome, thrice welcome!

"We welcome you first and above all for the sake of our Master, whose banner of love is over all, and whose servants you are. He has said if we lift him up he will draw all men unto himself; and just as we represent him in our thoughts, our words, our deeds, in our daily lives, so will men see him. He holds in his hands the solution of all our problems, social, political and spiritual. It is the part of Christian endeavor to take these proffered gifts and offer them to mankind.

"We welcome you, therefore, knowing you are seeking to present the Savior of mankind to the world, that the world may be made better. We cannot offer you the historic sittings of Boston common, nor the beauties of the national capital; we are too young for such things; but we are proud of our city, set on more hills than Rome boasted, and of our state, with its varied and unequal attractions.

"While you are in the city I trust you will seek out the bright spots, rather than the dark ones; ascertain for yourselves what we are doing on the west coast along the lines, you have chosen for your activities. Note the evidence of material, moral and religious progress, and in so doing, remember that not 50 years ago, on this little peninsula, Yerba Buena was christened San Francisco; it was then scarcely a hamlet, and was not incorporated into a town until three years afterwards.

"And let me remind you that at New York, Montreal, Boston and Washington we invited you to California; our invitation was broader than a city; and this morning, on our souvenir badges, on our flags, on our arch, on our banners, in flowers and shrubs, in our parks, you will find inscribed the magic words which have induced you to leave your homes and to travel thousands of miles through the burning heat of the July sun—'California, '97.'"

After the applause which followed the remarks of Watt had subsided, the welcome of the Golden Gate pastors was given by Rev. John Hemphill, who said:

"Several centuries ago a monk of Picardy, named Peter the Hermit, went up and down Europe preaching the fiery crusade against those who held the sceptre wherein the Savior of the world was laid, and he inspired the people wherever he went with his own wild, weird enthusiasm. All Europe flew to arms. The watchword, 'Deus vult,' burst from ten thousand times ten thousand lips, and the armies of Christendom precipitated themselves upon the holy land with the awful war cry 'God wills it,' echoing from rank to rank.

"Francis E. Clark—the Peter the Hermit of the 19th century—has for several years been going up and down our own land and other lands, preaching a far holier crusade, kindling the fires of



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Christian zeal and love on the altar of young hearts; and now, with a few battalions of his mighty army, he has invaded California, and we have surrendered unconditionally. In the name of the pastors of the Golden West, we bid you thrice welcome, and we invoke such showers of blessings upon you that in the coming year the San Francisco convention will be referred to as the Penticostal convention."

#### A SUCCESSFUL EXPEDITION

Cubans Landed a Cargo of Supplies in Havana Province.

NEW YORK, July 8.—A special to the Journal and Advertiser from Havana says:

An expedition of Cuban filibusters from Florida is reported to have landed on Sunday in Havana province at the mouth of Jaruco bay. The Spanish gunboat Reina Maria Christina, which was cruising about the coast, endeavored to intercept the expedition, but without success.

When the cruiser arrived at the spot and disembarked her marines, they were fired upon and driven to their boats by a strong rebel force in ambush. After a brief bombardment of the insurgents' position the warship hurried to Havana for reinforcements. When she returned the filibusters had already left with their munitions and supplies for Castillo's headquarters in the Tapaste hills, closely pursued by Fonsdevieja's Spanish column, which had marched overland from Minas to intercept their movements.

Dr. Augustine Clemente Betancourt, an American citizen, after years of incarceration as a military prisoner in Pinar del Rio and in Cabanas castle as a political suspect, has been liberated and ordered to leave the island, no proofs to substantiate the charges against him having been found.

Manuel Fernandez Cabuquiel, an American citizen captured with the insurgents near Jaruco 12 months ago, and since then confined in Cabanas fortress, has been notified to prepare for an early trial.

#### BY ORDER OF WEYLER.

Spanish Forces are Preparing to Evacuate Bayamo.

NEW YORK, July 8.—A Herald dispatch from Havana says:

Captain-General Weyler has at last decided it wise to evacuate Bayamo. He has already ordered the inhabitants to betake themselves to Manzanillo, and has asked the war department in Spain to authorize the withdrawal of troops and the burning of the town. The expenses of maintaining the garrison there have always been very heavy and one which the end gained did not justify.

Much sickness prevails. The insurgents are looking out for the landing of artillery along the coast of Matanzas. The Spanish army has never been so weakened by sickness before. An official estimate of the number of Spanish soldiers in hospitals throughout the island is 2500. Not long ago the Luchano battalion marched to the front 1100 strong; today the battalion numbers 150 men.

#### Some May Die.

MEDFORD, Or., July 6.—News has just reached here that at the Fourth of July horseracing at Brownsboro, this county, Monday, there was a serious accident to several persons, some of whom may die. In the excitement of the race several persons rushed on the track, and did not get off until the horse that Marsh Garrett was riding ran over them. Garrett's horse ran over Frank Nichols, a Mr. Tucker and two girls of the name of Thunberg, the older of whom was seriously hurt, as was Mr. Tucker. The horse fell, throwing Garrett and bruising him about the head very badly. His brother came to Medford with him today, and his wounds were dressed. How seriously the others are hurt is not yet ascertained.