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The Great Steel Strike Is Not  
Yet Settled.

### CONFERENCE AT PITTSBURG

Manufacturers Prepared to Go a Long  
Way to Gain a Peaceful Solution of the Trouble—Another  
Meeting Today.

PITTSBURG, July 11.—The labor conference at the Hotel Lincoln today failed to come to an agreement. Another conference will be held tomorrow. The object of the conference was the settlement of the strike ordered by the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers in the mills of the American Sheet Steel Company and in those of the American Steel Hoop Company. The conference also had another purpose in view, the prevention of a general strike in all the mills controlled by the United States Steel Corporation, the two companies in whose mills the strike had been ordered being constituent companies of the great steel combine. Two sessions of the conference were held today. The morning session was unimportant.

At the afternoon session President Shaffer, in behalf of the Amalgamated Association, formally presented the case for the organized workers and the strikers. It was a matter of life and death for the Amalgamated Association that non-union mills be done away with, Mr. Shaffer said. The alleged methods adopted by the American Sheet Steel Company in practically starving the employees of the old Meadow mills in Scottsdale into a non-union agreement were elaborated on and the demand made by that company that the mill be left out of the scale entirely in the future was taken as an indication of what the general plan of the company is in dealing with the Amalgamated Association. It meant, he said, slow starvation or else complete surrender to the company and the giving up of all rights to organized union in the plants.

In reply to the statements of President Shaffer, the officers of the various companies present gave an outline of their position. They denied any intention of working an injustice toward union workers in their mills. The feeling for the Amalgamated men had always been friendly, they said, and they had no desire to force any trouble among them. The tone on each side was amicable and it was apparent that the manufacturers' representatives were prepared to go a long way to gain a peaceful solution of the strike difficulties. The members of the two conference committees began by presenting arguments in favor of their different positions in the trouble. This continued until 5 o'clock in the afternoon when, by agreement, the meeting was adjourned until tomorrow at 10 o'clock. Both sides said that they had more to say to present in support of their propositions before the issue is taken up for arbitration.

### GUILTY OF CONTEMPT.

Striking Molders, of York, Pa., Are  
Sent to Jail.

YORK, Pa., July 11.—In the County Court today, Judge Stewart rendered his opinion in the contempt case growing out of the molders' strike here, in which George W. Test, corresponding representative of the Iron Molders' Union of North America, John P. Frey, of Worcester, Mass., foundry vice, and Wilmer, of the local union, were adjudged guilty of contempt of court, in violating the court's injunction restraining them from picketing and otherwise interfering with the York Manufacturing Company. Test and Frey, the leaders of the strike, were sentenced to a fine of \$250 and costs, and underwent imprisonment for 20 days, and Wilmer was fined \$25, which he paid, and was released. Test and Frey being unable to pay, were sent to jail. Judge Stewart, in concluding his opinion, said:

"The York Manufacturing Company is entitled to employ whom it chooses, upon such terms as it may see fit to agree upon. Workmen have the right to contract with and work for whom they please, upon such terms and conditions and for such pay as they may be willing to accept. These are rights which cannot be questioned in the slightest language in the very nature of things, and are written in the constitution of the state, and any person who undertakes by force, menaces or threats, direct or indirect, to prevent or hinder any person from exercising those rights, or to violate or interrupt them is guilty of a wrong, and such conduct will be and must be restrained by the courts."

### Machinists Strike Breaking Up.

NEW YORK, July 11.—It was decided by R. M. Eastey, secretary of the National Civic Federation, who has been here for several days trying to arbitrate the strike of the machinists, that all attempts at settling the strike through the federation are useless. He has just left New York, and before he went away expressed regret that his efforts to bring about a settlement had to be abandoned. At the headquarters of the National Metal Trades Association it was said that it was now too late for arbitration, and that employers all over the country were getting all the men they wanted. Secretary Devens has received advice from business centers throughout the country, saying that the strike is breaking up. At the Dickinson Locomotive Works in Scranton, the men were returning to work without concessions. Between 800 and 400 strikers had just returned to work at Seneca Falls, N. Y. At the works of the Newburg Ice Machine & Engine Company, Newburg, strikers were applying for work.

### Savannah Hands Are Out.

MALONE, N. Y., July 11.—About 600 men employed in saw and planing mills at the Upper Lakes are out on strike, demanding a nine-hour day instead of 11. The trouble was occasioned by a factory inspector insisting that a dozen boys under 18 years old should not be compelled to work over 10 hours. No attempt has been made to start the mills.

### Strike May Be General.

CHICAGO, July 11.—The executive board of the Iron Molders' Union has refused to accept the offer of the manufacturers. This was the final proposition and it is believed a strike will result, which may assume national proportions, as the agreement between the International Iron Molders of America and the National Foundrymen's Association depends upon the outcome of the Chicago difficulty.

### Newport News Strike Failed.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., July 11.—The strike of the Newport News Shipbuilding

Company machinists came suddenly to an end tonight as a meeting when by unanimous consent the men decided to return to work Monday at the old scale. The facts that the machinists could not obtain funds with which to support the idle men, and that the shipyard management had demonstrated its ability to fill the vacant places, are responsible for the defeat of the strikers.

### MEETING THE DEFICIENCY.

Rates Raised in the Pythian Endowment Rank.

CHICAGO, July 11.—The supreme lodge Knights of Pythias, which has been in session here considering charges of mismanagement by the board of control of the endowment rank, today decided that the most expedient way of meeting the deficiency in the treasury was to raise the insurance rate to the maximum prescribed by the National Fraternal Congress. If in this way money is not quickly enough forthcoming, it is likely that a special assessment of 50 cents will be put on every member of the order for the benefit of the endowment rank. This latter move would speedily raise \$250,000. The board of control will continue to investigate the affairs of the endowment rank, pursuant to resolutions adopted yesterday. The only immediate action which will be taken will be the institution of some foreclosure suits in an endeavor to rescue as much as possible of the money said to have been carelessly invested by J. A. Hinsey, ex-president of the board of control.

Before the new rates were adopted there was a violent many-sided fight as to whether the policy was poor or not. The old rates were much more favorable to old men than to young men, and consequently the younger element lined up in favor of the change against the older element. There was an even harder struggle made by men who thought it was not fair to place all the financial burden of making up the deficit caused by bad administration on the policy holders. The men who took this view pointed out that the endowment rank was incorporated in the name of the supreme lodge of the Knights of Pythias and was controlled by it. They said that Mr. Hinsey was an officer appointed by the Pythian order and not by the policy holders, and that, consequently, the whole order should bear the losses caused by him and that a reform assessment on all Pythians should be levied to make it good.

Final action of the supreme lodge was practically unanimous for the higher rates which place the whole burden on men. The members of the endowment rank, only four delegates voting in the negative. By a compromise agreement, however, it was ordered that when the old rates were paid off and a surplus began to accumulate, the board of control should have authority to pass a regular monthly assessment as often as possible. To place itself on record as responsible for all debts of the endowment rank, the supreme lodge passed the following resolution: "Resolved, by the supreme lodge of the Knights of Pythias, that said supreme lodge recognizes not only its legal but also its moral and fraternal responsibilities to stand behind and protect every member of the endowment rank, and to see that the holders of such certificates and produce full and prompt payment of all claims due thereon."

### THE OPENING A SUCCESS.

Work-up of the Oklahoma Registration Plan.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Secretary Hitchcock today received a telegram from Assistant Commissioner Richards, of the General Land Office, in charge of the Oklahoma lands, saying the registration plan is working successfully. Secretary Hitchcock estimates that 100,000 people could be registered by July 20, the last registration day. There are lands for only about 12,000 people.

Commissioners of Indian Affairs Jones today telegraphed to Colonel Randall, the agent in charge of the Kiowa and Wichita reservations, to confer with the cattlemen as to the advisability of their closing the reservation to the Kiowa and Wichita cattle which cannot be shipped to market by the date of opening. There are 175,000 acres of unoccupied pasture lands in the Osage country, in Northern Oklahoma, which are better than the Kiowa pastures, where it has been proposed to take the cattle and where it is said there is not sufficient room to allow the pasturage demands.

### At the El Reno Land Office.

EL RENO, O. T., July 11.—When registration was resumed at the Government Land Office booths here this morning, the crowd was estimated at 100,000 people. The line was in line as at the same time yesterday. Most of the crowd had left town last night to return again within a few days after the rush is over. This proved a blessing for those who remained in line, as the thermometer registered 102 degrees at noon in the shade. There is much complaint over alleged inadequate facilities offered by the government in furnishing application blanks and notaries and in registration. No disorder has occurred.

### RUN ON CLEVELAND BANK.

Started by a Woman Who Could Not Draw Money After Hours.

CLEVELAND, July 11.—The run on the United Banking & Savings Company, which began yesterday, was continued today. The bank kept its doors open nearly all night to permit any nervous depositors to withdraw their money. Today fully 300 men and women were lined up in front of the bank. All demands were promptly met, and the officials declared they were prepared for any emergency. The run was started by a woman who could not draw her money after hours. She was told to wait. Failing to understand, however, she immediately went out and spread the report that the bank had no funds. The capital stock of the bank is \$100,000. Its deposits amount to nearly \$2,000,000. When the depositors finally realized today that the bank had ample funds to meet all demands, the run came to an end. Many persons who had withdrawn their money returned it for deposit.

### Francis B. Thurber a Bankrupt.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Francis B. Thurber, of this city, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with total liabilities of \$305,061, of which there is secured on nominal securities \$126,814; unsecured, \$178,247. The nominal assets are \$75,614. Francis B. Thurber was a member of the grocery firm of H. K. & F. B. Thurber & Co., and of Thurber, Wyland & Co.

### Omaha Real Estate Dealer Fails.

OMAHA, Neb., July 11.—Richard Berlin, a well-known real estate dealer, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities, \$61,800; assets, \$370.

## RACE WAS CLOSE

Independence Not So Slow  
After All.

### MADE A GOOD RUN YESTERDAY

The Columbia Won Contest, Beating  
Constitution Four Minutes and  
the Boston Yacht Six—The  
Race Was Exciting.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 11.—The Columbia won today's race in fine shape with the Constitution second and the Independence a remarkable third. The Boston

the Independence tonight. The remarkably improved speed qualities of the boat have given all hands hope. Captain Hoff, who has never lost confidence, said today that after the Independence has been properly tuned up she can beat either of the two boats in any kind of breeze. The present series of races has so far only afforded opportunity to find out what was the matter. All the sails, especially the head sails, are bagging badly, and the sailmaker has had no time to tighten them. An entire new set of head sails is now being made. The Independence sailed today with a ton less ballast than in the other two races, and in the absence of the jib topsail she carried much less lee helm.

### STEEL RAIL POOL.

Agrees Upon \$25 as the Price for the  
Coming Year.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The Herald says: "Steel rail manufacturers, forming what is known to the trade as the steel rail pool, have formally agreed upon \$25 as the price which will be asked for the coming year. This price is \$2 a ton higher than that agreed upon at the steel rail pool meeting last Fall, when the pool price was announced. Since May 1, however, a new schedule went into effect, and prices were advanced from \$23 a ton

### NEW SENATOR FROM SOUTH DAKOTA.



ALFRED B. KITTRIDGE.

PIERRE, S. D., July 11.—Governor Herrell today appointed Alfred B. Kittredge of Sioux Falls, as Senator, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Kyle. Mr. Kittredge is a native of New Hampshire, having been born in Cheshire County, March 20, 1861. His early education was obtained in the public schools, and when 19 years of age he entered Yale University. He was graduated from that institution in 1882, and at once commenced the study of law at Rutland, Vt. In 1884 he entered Yale Law School, and was graduated in 1885, being admitted to the Connecticut bar in June of the same year. He removed to Sioux Falls, S. D., in 1885, and began the practice of law. Mr. Kittredge early manifested an interest in state politics, and was for a long time ex-Senator Peterson's trusted lieutenant. In 1896 the two parted upon the money question. Mr. Kittredge was the Republican Committeeman from South Dakota in 1892 and 1896. He is a bachelor.

### HARRY MANN DEAD.

Well-Known New York Theatrical  
Manager.

SARATOGA, N. Y., July 11.—Harry Mann, the theatrical manager, died here today of Bright's disease. The body will be sent to New York City tomorrow, and the funeral will take place Sunday at Woodlawn. (The name Harry Mann was assumed by Emanuel Hayman when he went into the theatrical business. He was a brother of Al and Alf Hayman, both of whom are theatrical managers. He was born in Wheeling, W. Va., November 7, 1853, and was educated at Norristown (Pa.) College. He had managed a number of leading playhouses, among them the Madison Square, Fifth Avenue, Fourteenth Street and Knickerbocker of New York, and the Columbia, of Brooklyn, and the California and Baldwin, of San Francisco.)

### Justice Brown's Wife Dead.

DETROIT, July 11.—General H. M. Duffield received a cablegram today from Justice H. B. Brown, of the Federal Supreme Court, announcing the death of Mrs. Brown in Italy. The cablegram was dated Riva, in that country. Mrs. Brown had been an invalid for several years, and the Justice sailed for Europe very soon after the death of his wife in the insular cases, which he handed down.

### Boxers Defeat Chinese Regulars.

NEW YORK, July 11.—A dispatch from Pekin says: The imperial troops, under General Lu Pen Yuen have been defeated by the Allied Villagers' Society, at Atchichow, 40 miles southeast of Pao Ting Fu. The magnitude of the victory was arrived in Pekin, and has asked Li Hung Chang to dispatch 1000 reinforcements under Colonel Chiang, from Lechen Fu, where there are 200 Shan Tung troops waiting the permission of the allies to come to Pekin. The French, who stopped these troops at Lechen Fu some weeks ago, have now agreed that they can enter any of the districts in the Province of Chi Li.

### Reactor of Georgetown University.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Rev. James Dougherty, S. J., today succeeded Rev. John D. Whitney, S. J., as rector of Georgetown University. The change was ordered directly from Rome.

## UNION WON BATTLE

Sixteen Japanese Taken Prisoners on Fraser.

### FIGHT BETWEEN FISH BOATS

Japanese Have Been Placed in Island Prison, Prepared in Advance, of Which the Authorities Have No Knowledge.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 11.—The developments in the Fraser River strike situation during the past 24 hours show the union fishermen have the upper hand, having accomplished a coup d'etat which is without a parallel in the history of the many labor disturbances in British Columbia. As a result of a battle of small boats in the gulf, a battle in which shots were exchanged but in which no combatant was killed, 16 Japanese were taken prisoners by the strikers. The Japanese boats were overturned, the rifles and fishing gear of the Orientals thrown into the water, and the Japanese themselves taken to one of the small islands away out in the gulf. Exactly where this island is located is a secret of the white fishermen, for they choose it several weeks ago for occasions such as this. They say they will continue to place non-union Japanese there for the remainder of the season, or until the place is discovered by the authorities. All that is known is that the island is between here and Nanaimo, 20 miles away, and that it is hard to find. The Japanese will be given food every few days and maintained comfortably, although closely guarded until a settlement is reached, or until their island prison is located by the authorities.

Two provincial Constables were out in Japanese boats today, and effected the arrest of six white fishermen. These are charged with molesting Japanese and their cases will be heard tomorrow. A shot was fired from another boat at the time of the arrest, and the arrested men themselves tried to bluff the Constables at the time of the arrest by firing into the air. No one was hurt by the shooting.

The Japanese held a big meeting at Stevenson and raised by voluntary subscriptions \$4000 for a Japanese hospital, which they think may be needed, and then discussed the salmon-catchers' situation. Some were in favor of joining the union men in the strike, especially as the run of salmon had been small this season up to date. The meeting broke up without definite action.

This evening a big run of salmon is reported as coming in from the south. The canners think the union men will not stand firm, in view of the desperate situation. Some of the Japanese are reported to have renewed talk this evening of turning out the militia.

Such a severe storm raged at the mouth of the Fraser last night that the union boats, which were to have attacked the Japanese fishermen, were afraid to leave Stevenson. The Japanese kept coming in during the night without being molested. Five Japanese are reported to have been drowned.

### Range Leasing Bill.

DENVER, July 11.—President Lusk, of the American Cattle Growers' Association, has appointed the following committee to look into the proposed leasing of the public range: John P. Irish, of California; M. K. Parsons, of Utah; Bartlett Richards, of Nebraska; Henry M. Porter, of Colorado, and A. B. Robertson, of Texas. The committee will meet in Denver next September.

### SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT NEWS.

**Philippines.**  
Lieutenant Brown, Second Infantry, is on trial at Manila for murder. Page 2.  
Lieutenant Aldrich, of the Philippine scouts, is ordered to Manila. Page 2.  
Commander Schroeder modifies his criticism of Guam Marine. Page 2.

### Foreign.

Catholic missionaries and pupils fought in Corsica. Page 2.  
A hot wave is sweeping over Europe. Page 3.  
Boers are said to have killed wounded British at Vlakfontein. Page 3.

### Domestic.

Governor Herrell, of South Dakota, appointed A. B. Kittredge United States Senator. Page 1.  
The steelworkers' strike has not yet been settled. Page 1.  
The National Educational Association again declared for a National university. Page 2.  
Nineteen persons are dead as a result of the Alton wreck. Page 2.

### Sport.

Columbia won yesterday's race, Constitution second. Independence third. Page 1.  
Portland defeated Seattle 3 to 2. Page 3.  
Spokane won from Tacoma 4 to 3. Page 3.  
The Canadian championship tennis tournament opened at Niagara. Page 3.

### Pacific Coast.

Union fishermen won battle with Japanese on Fraser River. Page 1.  
Oregon Text-Book Commission completes selection of text-books. Page 4.  
Chaplain Bateman, at Gladstone Park, tells facts about the Philippines. Page 10.  
Outlook for wheat crop in a number of Oregon sections. Page 5.

### Commercial.

Wheat gains strength in New York. Page 11.  
French wheat crop reported in fair condition. Page 11.  
Chicago market is firmer in wheat, oats and corn. Page 11.  
New York stocks experience renewed liquidation and decline. Page 11.  
Total of June failures swelled by few unusual disasters. Page 11.

### Marine.

Another big steamship chartered for lumber loading at Portland. Page 10.  
Further particulars of the accident to the Durney. Page 10.  
Project for a steamer on the Tualatin River. Page 10.  
Standard Oil ships to race to the Orient. Page 10.  
Strike on the Potlatch. Page 10.

### Portland and Vicinity.

Change in text-books renders revision of state course of study necessary. Page 8.  
Judge Calkins holds that children who are able should support poor parents under any circumstances. Page 7.  
Third Regiment and Battery A return from Bold duty. Page 8.  
Commercial bodies will invite President McKinley to break ground for 1905 fair. Page 12.