

TALK OF BRIBERY

Attempt to End Strike With Cash.

EARLY TELLS OF AN OFFER

A Golden Inducement to Win Vo es.

COMMISSION HAS A SURPRISE

Anthracite Companies Alleged to Have Sold More Coal Than They Paid Miners For—Big Companies Repudiate Markle.

The coal strike commission was yesterday given a surprise in the shape of testimony by John Early that an attempt was made to bribe him to break the strike.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 10.—The most interesting if not the most important testimony brought out at today's sessions of the coal strike commission was to the effect that an alleged attempt was made by a former mine foreman to bribe two presidents of local unions of the miners to have 10 men in each local union in attendance to have a resolution passed sending the men back to work, thus making a serious break in the solid ranks of the strikers.

McVeigh, a Delaware & Hudson miner, who told the same story that dozens of others have told, to the effect that he was not given back his old place in the mine, but was placed at work in a more undesirable part of the colliery. On cross-examination he denied that he had ever examined certain breasts and chambers by marking a half-moon near them.

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THE TERRORS OF DECEMBER WEATHER DISAPPEAR BEFORE PE-RU-NA.

The Most Severe Weather of Winter Usually Occurs in December.

Biting Winds, Freezing Gales, Damp, Slushy Streets, Are a Constant Menace to Even the Most Robust Health—There Seems to Be No Way Entirely Protecting One's Self From Colds.

The most careful person is oftentimes the one who suffers oftentimes with colds and coughs.

Remedies guaranteed to cure a cold in a day, to stop a cough immediately, are plenty, but there is one remedy that not only cures coughs and colds promptly, but fortifies the system against future attacks.

Peruna not only cures a cold quickly and permanently, but it heals and strengthens the inflamed mucous membranes that one is much less liable to catch cold than before taking it.

It is an ideal safeguard for all Winter diseases. One-half the ill of Winter are caused directly by an inflamed condition of the mucous membrane of some part of the body.

A remedy that acts beneficially on these inflamed membranes would be a logical cure for these diseases. With healthy mucous membranes no one need fear the most severe weather.

"Peruna is not only a remedy for catarrhal troubles, but equally as effective for colds and influenza from the same. It is a most excellent tonic for debilitated systems. Many of my friends have used it successfully, and I have no hesitation in giving it my recommendation."

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The Countess de Tunon.

"While visiting the Pan-American, I contracted a severe cold, which defied all efforts of my physicians. A friend advised me to try Peruna and I decided to do so, only to please the one advising it. Not only did my cough disappear, but my general health has wonderfully improved, enabling me to enjoy to the fullest my American trip, and I shall not forget Peruna in my far-away home."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The most important action of the National Anti-Saloon League, now holding its annual session here, was the unanimous adoption of a resolution to the effect that the Army canteen question, in which the charge is made that high Army officials have persistently pursued a course extremely unfavorable to the anti-canteen law of Congress.

Another meeting was arranged, and as Mr. Grimes had spoken of having approached P. F. O'Hara, the latter went along. The same proposition was made to O'Hara. The same night there was to be a joint meeting of all the locals in the vicinity of Dunmore, and Grimes wanted them to pass the resolution that night, but the two presidents could not see their way clear to do it.

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"Is your nose stopped up?" "Do you sleep with mouth wide open?" "Is there pain in front of head?" "Is your throat dry or sore?"

STEER CLEAR

Steer clear of patent cure-alls! To try to attack a hidden disease by means of a secret cure-all nostrum is the same piece of insanity as for an invalid to go blindfolded into a drug store and eat medicine from the shelves without guidance.

PATENT CURE-ALLS

Their Use Invariably Dangerous and Against Common Sense.

When any person uses a patent cure-all as a means of self-doctoring, for any particular disease—catarrh, lung trouble, for instance—he assumes the risk of firing at random through his whole body to take the chances of hitting the diseased spot.

DR. COPELAND'S BOOK FREE TO ALL

the people that a saloon is a temperance society when conducted in the Army.

BUILD UP JAPAN'S NAVY.

TOKYO, Japan, Nov. 28, via Victoria, B. C., Dec. 10.—The question of Japan extending her navy is still unsettled, though it is said to be obliged, as part of the secret conditions attached to the conclusion of the Anglo-Japan alliance.

Scrofula

It is commonly inherited. Few are entirely free from it. Pale, weak, puny children are afflicted with it in nine cases out of ten, and many adults suffer from it.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Eradicate it, positively and absolutely. This statement is based on the thousands of permanent cures these medicines have wrought.

tax, which is strenuously opposed. His present expedient, according to rumor, is the profound reform of the army and navy administration, by means of which he hopes to effect his purpose.

WARSHIPS IN THE ORIENT.

YOKOHAMA, Japan, Nov. 28, via Victoria, B. C., December 10.—The Pacific Mail steamship Korea, which left here on the 27th inst., reached Kobe on the 28th inst., thereby beating all previous records for the distance.

WARRIORS OF THE FLEETS OF THE GREAT POWERS.

The French flagship Redoubtable, which has been staying in Nagasaki, left that port November 25 for Saigon, where the ship will pass the Winter with some vessels of the French far Eastern fleet.

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

was a special service at Union Church, the town was bright with American flags, and a football game in the afternoon attracted many spectators.

Killed by Breathing Gas.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Mrs. William Eddes, of 28 West Twenty-fourth street, the wife of a wealthy contractor, who is now in Europe, was found dead in her bedroom. The disconnected tubing of a gas stove betrayed the accident that had caused her death.

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