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HUGE LABOR DEMONSTRATION

Fifteen Thousand Strikers in Procession at Wilkesbarre.

SPEECH BY PRES. MITCHELL

More Mines Closed-Strikers Remais Firm and fasist on Other Concessions-Delegates for Possible Con-

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2-No break has yet occurred in the ranks of the striking mine workers, though addi-tional notices of the offer of an increase of ten per cent in wages were posted throughout the region.

In fact there were many indications today of intent on the part of the strikers to insist on other concessions and also remain out until the operators give recognition to their national organiza-

The features of the day were the parade and mass meeting of mine workers at Wilkesbarre, arranged with the object of demonstrating the strength of the United Mine Workers. A conservative estimate places the number of strikers in the procession at 15. of strikers in the procession at 15,-660 and the day was generally given up as a holiday by the people of Wilkes-barre and other Luzerne county towns. A mass meeting was addressed by President Mitchell and other officers of the miners' organization. President Mitchell in his speech congratulated the strikers on having already received a proffer of ten per sent increase in wages. He advised them to stand firmly together. He said the strike should not be ended by him and could only be closed when a convention of minbe closed when a convention of miners representing every union and every
colliery should so decide. He hoped
that not one man would desert the
ranks until the victory is complete.
He did not intimate anything as to
the probability of an early convention
of miners and, after the meeting, when
questioned on that subject, he said
that not a local union had requested
the calling of a convention.

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A significant move in this direction however developed at Shenandoah tonight, where all the local branches of the United Mine Workers held meetings and selected later by President Two were metropolitan boroughs, several were in Lancashire, two reflected the opinion, of the Plymouth dock yards and others were scattered about the workers had meeting and selected later by President to be called later by President to be opinion, of the Plymouth dock yards and others were scattered about the were one week ago.

NO CHANGE IN SITUATION.

None of the railway managers were willing to talk about the proposed visit of a delegation of 'ndependent mine operators to demand cheaper freight rates in case they should be obliged to grant a ten per cent advance in wages.

The Liberals were disconsolate until the Chelevapher Furness' remarkable.

MINERS CONTINUE FIRM.

striking miners back to work. The miner-waters as a rule lectare they will not make a move towards resumption of work until ordered to do so by a mineworkers' convention.

President Mitchell, accompanied by members of the national executive board of the United Mineworkers, and other officials of the union, left here shortly after II o'clock for Wilkesharre, where a big labor demonstration

WASHINGTON POPULISTS.

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Middle-of-the-Roaders Decide to Put No Ticket in the Field. is to take place this afternoon,

GREATEST STRIKE OF THE AGE. POTTSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 2.-A week ago the collisties were working almost full handed throughout this territory. The United Mine Workers then appeared to have an insecure hold. Louis-ing over the field it looks as if nearly all the collieries are tied up and the prospects are that not more than 225 cars of anthracite coal will be sent to market as the result of today's operations. With the exception of two sections of the country everything is closed down tight.

closed down tight.
Notwith tanding an increase of 19 per cent in wages, the Reading miners resolved to star at home until the best strike is over. They say they will not niv stay on strike but will quit work until the trouble ends. It is a sympathetic move on a large scale to enable their brother miners to win their battle.

ROSTON Oct. 2—The Democrats to. their brother miners to win their battle and the recognition of their union. The day nominate advance in wages would be 10 per cent for governor.

on their earnings and the remaining six per cent increase would be coming to them as the result of the high price that the company is now getting for its ceal; but the 27,000 employes of the company who are out are unmoved by nese arguments. Strike leaders from Hazleton and Mo

Strike leaders from Haxleton and McAdoc falled to get the men out in the
Panther Creek Valley. It is believed,
however, that they will eventually leave
work unless the strike is speedily settied. The strike leaders say that all
the men in the Panther Creek Valley
will be out before the end of the week.
The Williamson colliery of the Pennsylvania railroad is running full handed. They gladly accepted the 16 per
cent advance in wages. The collieries
at Lykens are tied up tightly. The
officials of the Reading Company are
astounded at the stand taken by their
employes. It was believed that the employes. It was believed that the posting of the notice on an advance of

16 per cent in the wages of the men would result in keeping them at work The men, however, have decided to take a different view of the matter. The tie up, so far as the Reading Company is concerned, is now practi-cally complete. The collieries now in full operation on full time are not able to produce more than 225 cars of an-

"The lockout," said a mine official today, "could not be more complete. It is the greatest strike of the age and what is so remarkable is that the men are orderly and minding their own bus-

ENGLISH ELECTIONS.

Liberals Won Seven Seats and the Conservatives Six.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Yesterday's polling in the parliamentary general election leave the state of the parties at pres-'Ministerialists, 171; Liberals, 25;

Nationalists, 19."
Of the 222 seats thus disposed of the Ministerialists, or rather the Conservatives, have gained six and the Liberals

The increased Conservative majori-ties are especially noticeable in London and Lancashire.

RESULTS INDECISIVE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.-A dispatch to he Tribune from London says: About one-sixth of the new house of commons was elected before the result of a single poil was received. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Lord George Hamilton, Sir Edward Grey and Mr. Lecky were returned without resistance, and the Unionists' majority rose over eighty on the Unionist seats, with no change in relative strength of the

MORE MINES CLOSED,

PHILAPELPHIA, Oct. 2—Reports of England and one in Ireland hardly offered an adequate test of the state of public opinion, and the results did not justify the positive conclusion that ren Company, from General Superingent there would either be a shrinkage or endent Lee are to the affect that there would either be a shrinkage or tendent Lee, are to the effect that two expansion of Unionists in the house, mines, the Richardson and the Otto The first borough from which returns mines. The Richardson and the Otto collieries, in the lower Schuylkill resision, were compelled to close because a sufficient number of workmen to operate them did not report for duty. The Brockside colliery is also shut down.

The first borough from which returns were received was Durham. It has been considered one of the most doubtful seats. The Hon, Mr. Elliott, who is Lord Minto's son, lost the seat in 1835 by a single vote, regalned it by 5 majority in a by-election and now has a majority of 269. This was a decisive success which delighted the NO CHANGE IN SITUATION.

NEW YORK, Oct, 2.—At the offices of the various coal-carrying rallroads here it was said today that all the reports received indicated that the strike situation remained unchanged.

None of the railway managers were None of the rallway managers were votes, while Wigan remained Unionist willing to talk about the proposed visit by almost the identical majority of

Sir Christopher Furness' remarkable victory in Hartlepool was bulletined. This was the first gain on either side, and it was emphasized by a great ma-HAZLETON, Pa., Oct. 2.—Reports received here this morning indicate that the ten per cent increase in wages offered by some of the coal companies Lord Charles Beresford's opponent at York. He is a Liberal-Imperialist of pronounced views and a shipbuilder who is on excellent terms with the who is on excellent terms with the trades unions. Other results were less decisive and the trend of opinion in the country is only imperfectly disclosed.

WASHINGTON POPULISTS.

SPOKANE, Oct. 2.-The Middle-ofthe-Road Populist state convention this afternoon voted not to place a ticket in the field. Resolutions were passed urging all Populists to oppose the fusion ticket and support the Social Democracy.

MORE VESSELS LOST.

Four More of the Newfoundland Fish-ing Fleet Have Been Given Up as Lost.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Four more fishing vessels with crews aggregating thirty-five men were posted today as having

BOSTON, Oct. 2.-The Democrats to-day nominated Robert Treat Paine, jr.,

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CHINESE EMPEROR CABLES TO KAISER

Will Pour Out Libations and Offer Sacrifices for Ketteler.

BERLIN, Oct. 2 .- The Chinese em-BERLIA, Oct. 2.—The Chinese emperor has sent a message to Emperor
William deploring the murder of the
days rations fo
German minister and stating that he
has ordered that a sacrifice be made
on the altar for the deceased and chief
Secretary Kun Ying has been instructed to pour libations on the altar. The
emperor of China says he hopes that
peace may be arranged as soon as possible.

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As German emperor and a Christian cannot regard that abominable crime as atoned for by a libation, but the ad-visers of your majesty's throne and the officials on whose heads rests the blood guilt of the crime which fills all Christian nations with horror must ex-plate their abominable deed. When your majesty brings them to the pun-ishment they have deserved, that I will regard as an expiation which will satis-fy the nations of Christendom.

AGREEMENT IN SIGHT. WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.-Favorable news has reached Washington from the European chancellories, indicating that

on that subject.

The accord of Russia with the United States is more complete thas was anticipated at first, and reports show that all European nations probably are placing themselves in a position to take advantage of the opening made by the United States and soon will be ready.

PUNISHMENT FOR OFFICIALS. WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.-The Chinese ninister has delivered to the state de

dispatch:
"A cablegram received from Directoron her arrival here. "A cablegram received from Director-General Sheng, at Shanghai, states that by imperial edict, issued on September 26, Prince Chwang, Prince Yih, Secondary Princes Tsal Lien and Tsal Ying, are deprived of all their respective ranks and offices: that Prince Tuan is deprived of office and is handed over to the imperial clan court, which shall consult and decide upon a severe penalty, and his salary is to be stopped; that Duke Tsal Lan and the president of the censorate, Ying Nien, are handed over to the said board, who shall consult and decide upon a severe punishment; and that Kang Yi, assistant grand secretary and president of the blood of the foreigners.

"Of the whole eight weeks of terrible rank with said Miss Payne, "three nights stand out with special prominence. They are spoken of by the besieged as the three terrible nights.' The first was just before the siege-about June 17 or 18. That was while we were in the American legation. We went into the British legation compound on June 20. The night I speak of the twenty-four counties of Montana were represented in the independent State Convention Puts a Ticket in the Field but Endorses Regular Electors.

BUTTE, Mont, Oct. 2.—Nineteen of the twenty-four counties of Montana were represented in the independent of the translation out with special prominence. They are spoken of by the besieged as the three terrible nights.' The first was just before the siege-about June 17 or 18. That was just before the siege-about June 18 or 18 or 19 or 1 nanded over to the board of censors, who shall consult and decide upon a

TIEN TSIN, Sept. 29, via Taku, Sept. 29, via Shanghai, Oct. 2.—Li Hung Chang has abandoned his decision to proceed to Pekin and will, it is announced, begin negotiations with the Russian minister to China, M. De Glera upon the latter's arrival at Tien Tsii.

General Chaffee has lesignated the
Ninth infantry, the Third squadron
of the Sixth cavairy and Battery F
to remain at Pekin. He estimates that
it will take a month to get the American treens out of Chira can troops out of China.

FIRST MESSAGE AT PEKIN. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.-Rev. C. to H. Fenn, a returned missionary from Pekin, tells of the first receipt during the siege of direct news by Minister Conger from Secretary Hay. He says:
"On July 17 we received a message of the state of the state of the says." from the outside world that said: 'Com-municate tidings bearer.' There was no date and no signature. Mr. Conger sent it to the Tsung II Yamun with the rerequest that it be made plain. He redispatch which stated that the United States government demanded word from Minister Conver in cipher. That message made our hearts jump with joy. Conger sent his reply at once. "The night before relief arrived we heard the rattle of the machine guns at a distance and it was sweet music. Everybody got up-it was about one.

Everybody got up-it was about one o'clock-the women made coffee and there was no more sleeping that night. The next day as the Americans came in I went down and shook hands with each man as he staggered in through the water gate."

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.—Some interesting details of the relief of the foreigners in Pekin are told by Rev. Frederick Erown, presiding elder of the Methodist mission in Tien Tsin, who guided the allied forces into the Chinese capital.

Mr. Frown, who arrived here on the Coptic, was in Pekin at the time of the Boxer outbreak and was one of the last possesses. OFFICIALS INCRIMINATED.

Coptic, was in Pekin at the time of the Boxer outbreak and was one of the last persons to leave that city before communication with the outside world had been cut off. He left Pekin June 4 and with great difficulty reached Tien attached to lead the discussion on the Chinese situation. He is scheduled for three lectures under the communication with the outside world auspicss of the board of examination on had been cut off. He left Pekin June or fine problems. The political situation and the influence of mantheism on the discussion of the discussion of the problems are considered. The control of the problems are considered to lead the discussion of the political situation. He is scheduled for three lectures under the communication with the outside world.

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4 and with great dimensity realization are to be discussed by him in detail.

Bishop W. X. Ninde, of Detroit, will a party of 76 foreignors, mostly women and children, were besieged by the Chinese, About 36 Americans were in the party, Dr. Brown's family among Bishop Ninde officiating.

them. He sent his family to Japan for safety but considered that his duty lay in China and made an effort to return to Tien Tsin, but as he was a civilian he was refused passage by the military authorities. He succeeded in getting through on an American tugbout.

As Dr. Brown was familiar with the city of Pekin his advice was asked resarding thy best means of entry, and it was on his suggestion that the sewer under the city's wall was chosen by the Americans and British. The rethe Americans and British. The re-sult of this was their arrival several hours before the Russians and Japan-

KAISER IS NOT SATISFIED

The capture of Tien Tsin, on July 15, by the allied forces was so unexpected that the various treasuries, yamens and mints did not have time to hide their treasures or destroy their documents. I was requested by the allies to search the dockets and files of the various Chinese departments and in doing so came across many entries and accounts which clearly incriminate the highest officials."

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"In the day book of the viceroy an entry occurs showing that on July 12 the day he ded, 19,000 taels had been given to the chief Boxer, Chang-Ching, for food for his men. Another entry shows that 1445 taels had been given snows that 1445 tacks had been given Yang Shen Chen for white flour for two days' rations for his men. Another entry is for 40 tacks given to a wounded Boxer. In all these entries there is no mention made of this being a debt but all are cash entries showing that the money was duly paid out of the vice-roy's treasure.

news has reached by the European chancellories, indicating that a complete agreement as to China is within sight. The agreement will be on the basis of the propositions laid down by Secretary Hay in his note of July 3 and subsequent notes treating on that subject.

In the disposition of the forces the Japanese were in advance, and during the anese were in advance, and during the subject.

partment official confirmation of the degredation of Prince Tuan and many other Chinese leaders. The following statement is made as to Minister Wu's SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.-Miss Cocile E. Payne, the young miniature painter who went to Pekin last spring

was one the foreigners will never forget. All night long went up terrible cries—howls and shouts of thousands upon thousands of Chinese crying for the blood of the foreigners.

"The second terrible night was about the middle of the seege when, after the middle of the seege when, after the middle of the seege when, after the middle of the seege when the middle of

grand secretary and president of the "The second terrible night was about civil board, and Cho Shu Chino, president of the board of punishment, are three or four days of muggy and sultry ent of the board of punishment, are anded over to the board of censors, the shall consult and decide upon a enalty."

LI REMAINS AT TIEN TSIN.

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TIEN TSIN, Sept. 29, via Taku, Sept. via Shanghai, Oct. 2—Li Hung Tsin.

"The third and last night of horrors was that of August 13, the day before the relief came. On that night the Chinese were fairly frantic and moved heaven and earth to break in and kill." us. Firing that had seemed furious before was tame compared with the hail of shot and shell that poured in upon us that night. It came from all quarters and seemed to be from every imagina-ble kind of fire arm. We had received reports of the approach of the relief column and knew that it must be near from the frantic attempts of the Chine from the frantic attempts of the Chinese to slay. We expected that any moment might be our last, as many brenches were made by the shells and a determined assault at any one place would have opened the way for the hordes ourside."

BELMONT NOMINATED.

Declined to Run for Congress After Being Nominated by the New

MINISTERS DISAGREE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.-The Record today says:
Warm discussion of the proper policy for the government to pursue in China is promised at the session of the Rock River conference, which begins at the Garfield Park Methodist church tomor-

Members of the conference are diwided on the Chinese question. Many of the ministers have declared from their pulpits recently that the United States should keep a large force in China to protect missionaries and hasten the progress of civilization. Others

The official policy of the church as regards China will not be decided upon

ation and the influence of pantheism on civilization are to be discussed by

NEGRO BURNED AT THE STAKE

Had Attempted Assault on Woman in Alabama.

VOTE TAKEN ON PUNISHMENT

fusband of His Victim Set Fire to Fuel-In One Haur Negro Was Reduced to Ashes-Ind Confessed

Pownsend, alias Floyd, a negro, was burned at the stake in the little town of Electric, fifteen miles from this of Electric, fifteen miles from this place, half an hour after midnight, this morning. The negro's crime was an attempted assault on Mrs. Lonnie Harrington, whose husband set fire to the fuel which reduced Townsend's body

"One entry shows where thirty taels cach had been given to the bearer for two heads cut from the dead bodies of foreigners. Many headless bodies of foreigners. Many headless bodies of two heads cut from the dead bodies of foreigners. Many headless bodies of American mariness were found on the field after the battle of June 25 and this entry shows at once the reason for the mutilation. A complete register of all the Boxers in the villages around Tien Tsin was also found, giving the names and descriptions so perfectly that when the suppression of this pestillential society is undertaken the list will be of great assistance.

"There was an incident of the march of the relief column on Pekin which I think the world should know as showing the disposition of the Russians to play tricks on the allies. When we were within eighteen miles of Pekin the Russian commanders that his men were too tired and footsore to proceed much further and said that he would not attempt to enter Pekin the next day but would march only eight miles. In the disposition of the forces the Japanese were in advance, and during the night the Russians quietly started on

In the disposition of the forces the Japanese were in advance, and during the night the Russians quietly started on a march, with the intention of slipping away from the rest of the forces and get into Pekin first in order to secure whatever advantage might accrue therefrom. The Japanese were watching them, however, and aroused the other forces.

"Rev. Frank D. Gamewell, one of the Methodist missionaries at Pekin designed the barricades behind which the besinged legationers so ably defended themselves during the lorg siege. For this he has been thanked in a letter from Sir Claude McDonald."

THREE TERRIBLE NIGHTS

was controlted by his victim, who identified him.

The negro was taken to the edge of the village and preparations for his death were quickly made. A rope was fung over the limb of a big oak and a hundred men stood ready to swing him up. Then a halt was called and the manner of his death was called and the balloting showed a majority of the crowd to favor death at the stake. A stake was prepared and the negro was bound to it with chains. Pine knots were started by the husband of his victim. As they leaned to the negro's destine the properties of the properties of the village and preparations for his death were quickly made. A rope was fung over the limb of a big oak and a hundred men stood ready to swing him up. Then a halt was called and the balloting showed a majority of the crowd to favor death at the stake. A stake was prepared and the halloting showed a majority of the will be made to the manner of his death was called and the balloting showed a majority of the crowd to favor death at the stake. A stake was prepared and the halloting showed a majority of the will be moth. A vote was taken and the balloting showed a majority of the crowd to favor death at the stake. A stake was prepared and the negro was bound to it with chains. Pine knots were started by the husband of his victim. As they leaded to the negro's death were quickly made. A rope was fung over the limb of a big oak and a hundred men s was reduced to ashes.
Townsend, before being bound, con-

ssed to the crime. MONTANA DEMOCRATS.

the presidential electors named by the Democratic convention were endorsed. Thos. S. Hogan, Populist and secre-tary of state, was unanimously named for governor. Hogan was the candi-date for the fusion Democratic-Populist-Labor nomination at the Helena

Con. F. Kelley was named for con-cress. The ticket as completed is as Lieutenant-governor-Jos, E. Merrian, Secretary of state-George M. Hayes,

Associate justice-Robert Lee Word. of Helena Treasurer—Alex Livingston, of Park. Auditor—E. G. McLain, of Carbon, Attorney-general—W. R. C. Stewart, Gallatin Superintendent of public instruction -P. A. Leamy, of Butte.

York Democratic Con-

NEW YORK, Oct. 2 .- Perry Belmont today was nominated for congress by the Democratic convention, first dis-

Tonight a committee called on Bel-mout to notify him of his nomination. He positively declined to run. Belmont told the committee that he would do

have as strongly declared against such a policy, insisting that the gospel is one of peace and needs no pathway cut out by the sword.

Lake Forest Men Forbidden to Play Because of the Death of One of Their Number. Their Number.

LAKE FOREST, Ill., Oct. 2.—The death of Lawrence Pierson, of the Lake Forest University football eleven, from injuries received in a stame a week ago, has resulted in action by the parents of other players.

Six players, Parsten, Captain Howell, Roosevelt and three others have been forbildes to play the college more.

BEAU GALLANT WON,

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Besu Gallant won the matron stakes at Morris Park today, worth \$20,000.