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Belief That the Conference, When it Meets, Will Advise Peace.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK A TRAIN.

Made a Bad Beginning And The Pickets Still Skulking in The Darkness. Minor Topics.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 24.—The striking strikers, under cover of darkness continue acts of lawlessness, but it is the belief that if a conference is held, which Sweeney is working so hard to bring about, the result will be an abandonment of the strike. The plan, it is now said, is to let the strike down easy. The conference will advise peace. Grand Master Sweeney will yield gracefully; and the striking switchmen will go back to their places if they can, or will seek work elsewhere. This is admittedly a critical point of the trouble. Sargent is made of different stuff from that of Sweeney. He says that no matter if the vote was unanimous to strike, he would not approve it if in his judgement he did not consider it prudent; and furthermore, however much he may be in favor of going out with the switchmen, the firemen will not do so unless all other railroad organizations go out.

A loaded freight train was pulling out from Niagara falls, when the switch east of Lewiston avenue was thrown open. The engine and four cars had already passed, so the train broke in two and the rear and greater portion sped toward the bridge. As soon as the gates saw the train coming he made a hurried effort to open the gate, but before he could do so the cars dashed into it and he was struck and had two ribs broken, his hand hurt, and otherwise injured. The train was running eighteen miles an hour, and when it came to a stand it was all on the bridge. After the collision, the switchman had his lantern kicked out of his hand by a bystander.

Gov. Flower, referring to the strike, says: "The strikers made a bad move at the beginning. If they had gone to work and had the president of the Central arrested for violating one of the laws of the state, they could have had him convicted and fined \$500 or imprisoned for one year. Last winter the legislature passed a law making it obligatory for railroad companies to give a day's pay for ten hours and to pay extra for all over that. I signed the bill and the strikers had a good chance to make a test case. Why did they not do that?"

Vice-President Webb, of the New York Central, said: "The strike, in my opinion, is broken. It cannot extend eastward. There is a slight chance of Sweeney ordering a strike in the west, but even that is a slim chance. The men acted rashly and hastily, and have lost the fight. The sooner they recognize that, the better."

The board of moderation and arbitration has decided to begin investigation into the cause of the switchmen's strike today. Summoning of witnesses begun yesterday. Grand Master Sargent, of the firemen's organization, is awaiting the arrival of the executive officers of the other railway unions, whom Grand Master Sweeney has invited here in conference.

E. E. Clark, grand master of the order of railway conductors, arrived this morning. "I am here," said he, "in response to the invitation of grand mas-

ter Sweeney, of the switchmen's union." He said, as far as he knew, the conductors have no grievances to right. He thought the demands of the switchmen were just, but strongly condemned lawlessness. Clark was accompanied by grand master Wilkinson, of the order of railway trainmen, of Galesburg.

A dastardly attempt was made to wreck the express on the Pennsylvania road due at Reading from Philadelphia at 8 o'clock last night. The train dashed into four heavy timbers placed across the track. Fortunately only the rear wheels of the locomotive jumped the track. The lives of 100 passengers were imperiled.

Current Topics

Hon. J. H. McGraw, republican candidate for governor of Washington, in an interview at the Portland yesterday said: "Our campaign will be fought out on the protection lines. The state of Washington, with its great undeveloped natural resources, is practically undeveloped, and the people are very earnest on the protection proposition. I think this will be our winning card."

The silver question in Calcutta is creating quite a tumult. A difference of opinion exists in regard to the adoption of the gold standard, but the conviction is growing that the time has arrived for the government to take the public into its confidence and prevent a further fall of the rupee, by closing the mints to free silver coinage.

Cholera continues to claim a fearfully large number of victims in Teheran. Sanitary regulations are almost unknown, and the fatalistic tendency of the people makes it almost impossible to combat the disease. Eight hundred persons died yesterday in the city alone, which has a population of but 140,000.

Mrs. Henry M. Stanley has not yet decided whether she will permit Henry to adhere to his determination never again to visit America. We suspect that if she wants to come her spouse will have to give in. His defeat is quite sensibly felt by Mrs. Stanley. Nearly all the votes he did receive came through the tact of his charming wife rather than to any personal popularity to which he was lay claim. When he was being hooded by the mob on one occasion, she cried out: "Two years ago I voted for Henry Morton Stanley in Westminster abbey and I want you all to vote for him now." During the whole of his canvass he displayed his essentially British tendencies. He is British in that roving, irresponsible disposition of his, British in his acquisitiveness, British in his disregard for human rights and human life, British in his hatred of the United States of America and British in his serene impudence in aspiring to political aggrandizement in the mother country, which for many years he disowned. So let the British keep him and care for him, for he is of them, truly.

A Wonderful Romance.

Review. Ignatius Donnelly is out in a long interview in which he airily prophesies that he will be elected governor of Minnesota. The interview is probably a cryptogram, and when Ignatius has been snowed under in November it is likely that he will come forward and reading between the lines show conclusively that he predicted his own defeat and foretold the failure of the entire Weaver campaign. Ignatius is a wonderful romancer.

Weather Bureau Report.

PORTLAND, Aug. 24.—The weather bureau report of yesterday, speaking for Eastern Oregon says: "More reports of the excellent condition in which the hay crop is being put up are being received daily. Fruit is ripening fast and the trees are reported as being generally well loaded."

Not A Rag Money Community.

Helena Independent. Weaver's Montana tour has lost him votes. He is laboring under the mistaken impression that the people of this state, like those of his native prairies, want greenbacks. This is not a rag-money community.

A CUT IN THE RATES.

A Quiet Warfare Which has Been Going on for Some Time.

PEPPERY LETTER FROM CHARLTON.

The Alton Management Getting Down to a 2-Cent Rate.

THE ASSOCIATION MEETING IN N. Y.

Mr. Packer's Notification to Chairman Vining Concerning the Point at Which to Meet This Week.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 24.—The quiet warfare that has been going on for a long time between the Chicago and Alton railroad managers and the western passenger association is made interesting by a peppery letter from Gen. Ticket Agent Charlton to the association. Mr. Charlton acknowledges the receipt of a letter from the association notifying the Alton road that the association made a round-trip rate for the Knights of Pythias from Chicago to Kansas City of \$5. Partly replying to this, Mr. Charlton says: "But you have failed to advise me that the lines in your association have placed on the Chicago market return coupons of the Christian Endeavor tickets at rates which cut the regular rates from Chicago to Kansas City to an indefinite figure."

Furthermore, Mr. Charlton asks why, out of \$8.50 for a ticket from Kansas City to Chicago, \$3.50 should go to middlemen, who do nothing but sell the tickets. Mr. Charlton then adds: "These arrangements, however, public and private, more especially private, made by members of your association, made it absolutely necessary for the Chicago and Alton railroad to protect their own rates over its own ticket counter." This announcement is followed up by a list of trip rates calculated to cause endless annoyance to the association and the ticket brokers. It has been understood for some time that the Alton management is inclined to get down to a 2-cent basis. In inviting a warfare on rates with the Alton it may be doubted whether the western passenger association has acted with discretion.

The Gould lines will not be represented at the general meeting of the transcontinental association in New York today. Manager Packer, of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain, notified Chairman Vining that he believed the transcontinental association headquarters in St. Louis was the proper place to call the meeting. That he was opposed on general principles to an association meeting away from its headquarters. That the transcontinental headquarters are centrally located, and yet it is the exception and not the rule to call meetings here. The Missouri Pacific, it will be remembered, cast a negative vote against the proposition of the Southern Pacific to reduce all-rail rates, west and east-bound, for the purpose of meeting water competition of the clipper lines, taking the ground that such competition was directed against the Southern Pacific's local rate to California points. At the meeting today, the Pacific Mail subsidy and the notice of withdrawal of the Rio Grande Western will be acted upon in addition to the Southern Pacific troubles.

Politics Across the River.

Cheney Sentinel. The political arena is merging from warm to hot. With four tickets in the field, the ward boss should be able to earn an honest (?) living, and even the country editor, poor devil, would be justified in indulging in an occasional smile.

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