

# The Dalles Chronicle.

VOL. VII

THE DALLES, OREGON, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1894.

NO. 167

## KNIGHTS TO STRIKE

And the Typographical Union Will Follow Them.

LET THE CORPORATIONS ANSWER

The Situation in California—Pullman Goes to Europe and Leaves the Strike to Settle Itself.

### Statement From Debs.

CHICAGO, July 5.—Eugene V. Debs, president of the American Railway Union, has issued a long statement in justification of the great strike of which he is the central figure. The article is addressed to the public, and reads in part as follows:

"The Pullman employes who struck May 6 last did so entirely of their own accord. The officers of the American Railway Union used all their influence to pacify the employes, and advised them repeatedly not to strike, but to bear patiently their grievances until a peaceable settlement could be effected. The truth of this statement the employes themselves will bear witness to. But the grievance of the employes, men and women, had become so aggravated, so galling, that patience deserted them, and they abandoned their employment rather than submit longer to conditions against which their very souls rebelled. The Pullman company, be it understood, owns the town of Pullman, owns the home of the employes, controls the light and water and other necessities of life, and wages are so adjusted to living expenses that in a large majority of cases the employes are scarcely able to support their families. At the time they struck the employes were in arrears to the Pullman company \$70,000 for rent alone. Wages had been repeatedly reduced, but the rent and all other expenses remained the same.

"The employes from the beginning have been willing to arbitrate their differences with the company, but the company arrogantly declares that there is nothing to arbitrate. If this be true, why not allow a board of fair and impartial arbitrators to determine the fact. Committee after committee waited upon the officials of the Pullman company, but all their advances were repelled. Up to this point the trouble was confined to the Pullman Company and its employes and how then did the strike extend to the railways? Let the answer be given in accordance with the facts.

"The day before the order for the men to decline to pull Pullman cars went into effect, the managers' association, representing the principal western railways, met and adopted a series of resolutions, declaring in substance that they would uphold the Pullman Company in its fight upon its employes, that they would haul Pullman cars and would stand together in crushing out the American Railway Union. It will thus be seen that the railway companies virtually joined forces with the Pullman Company; went into partnership with them, so to speak, to reduce and defeat their half-starved employes. In this way the trouble was extended from system to system until a crisis has been reached.

"What can be done to dispel the apprehension that now prevails and restore confidence? The American Railway Union, by whose authority, and in whose behalf this statement is made, stands ready, and has from the beginning stood ready, to do anything in its power, provided it is honorable, to end this trouble. This, it can be stated, is the position the organization occupies. It simply insists that the Pullman Company shall meet its employes and do them justice. We guarantee that our employes will accept any reasonable proposition. Let them agree as far as they can and where they fail to agree, let the points in dispute be submitted to arbitration. The question of the recognition of the American Railway Union or any other organization is waived. Let the spirit of conciliation, mutual concession, and compromise animate both sides, and there will be no trouble in reaching a settlement that will be satisfactory to all concerned.

"It has been asked what sense there is in sympathetic strikes. Let the corporations answer. When one is assailed,

all go to the rescue. They stand together; they supply each other with men, money and equipments. Labor, in unifying its forces, simply follows their example. If the proceeding is vicious and indefensible, let them first abolish it. In this contest labor will stand by labor. Other organizations will not be called out, but they will go out, and the spectacle of Mr. Pullman, fanned by the breezes of the Atlantic, while his employes are starving, is not calculated to prevent their fellow wage-workers from going to their rescue by the only means at their command. Let me repeat that we stand ready to do our part toward averting the pending crisis. If the corporations refuse to yield and stubbornly maintain that there is nothing to arbitrate, the responsibility for what may ensue will be upon their own heads and they cannot escape its penalties."

### Friendly Labor Organizations.

CHICAGO, July 5.—President Debs and the directors met representatives of the Chicago Typographical Union this afternoon, and were informed that if it could be shown that any good would be done by such a move, every union printer in the city would strike in sympathy with the American Railway Union. They only await the proper showing and a request from the union officials to strike. At the afternoon conference it was arranged that a meeting of the leaders of all national labor organizations of the country, including the typographical union, should be called. The chiefs of a number of the national organizations will be here tomorrow, and it has been arranged that a meeting of the representatives be held at 10 o'clock in the morning for the purpose of discussing the situation and ascertaining whether the members are desirous of being called out before any conference to settle the trouble shall be held. It was given out by the directors today that unless a change occurred tomorrow morning a general strike of all labor organizations in sympathy with the Union and its friends would be ordered by tomorrow evening. At the meeting of the labor chiefs tomorrow it is likely that a monster meeting of strikers and sympathizers will be called, the time and place to be agreed upon at the morning meeting.

### The Telegraphers.

NEW YORK, July 5.—A morning paper says: "A story was circulated last night to the effect that the members of the grand lodge of the Order of Commercial Telegraphers had been called together hurriedly to hold a special session in conjunction with the grand officers of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, the meeting to take place in Philadelphia. The object is said to be to bring about an understanding between the two orders on the railway strike, and in case of the railroad men being called out the commercial men are expected to follow. In Chicago nearly 500 commercial telegraph operators are allied with the American Railway Union, and in other parts of the country a similar union has been formed. A circular letter has been issued to all commercial telegraph operators warning them to keep away from Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and other Western points where labor troubles exist. Should the railroad operators go out, there is not the slightest doubt but that the commercial men will follow. This, together with the existing troubles, would cripple the entire country, and in such an event it would seem as though there was but one step to be taken by the government for the protection of the public at large, and that would be to assume control of the telegraph lines at once. A diligent search was made throughout this city last night and resulted in finding but one officer of the grand lodge of the order of commercial Telegraphers. That gentleman declined to be interviewed on the subject of the Philadelphia meeting, but admitted that some of the executive committee were out of the city."

### Trouble Crossing the Bay.

OAKLAND, July 5.—From before 6 o'clock until after 10 this morning thousands of people who live on this side of the bay and do business in San Francisco stood on the shores waiting for transportation. The regular ferries were all stopped. To make the blockade complete three ferry-boats temporarily running on the Creek route grounded in Oakland Creek and stuck fast. They



Better Than Pills

Druggists in Liquid, or in Powder to be taken dry or made into a tea.

The King of Liver Medicines. "I have used your Simmons' Liver Regulator and can conscientiously say it is the king of all liver medicines. I consider it a medicine chest in itself.—Geo. W. JACKSON, Tacoma, Washington."

EVERY PACKAGE Has the Z Stamp in red on wrapper.

"As old as the hills" and never excelled. "Tried and proven" is the verdict of millions. Simmons' Liver Regulator is the only Liver and Kidney medicine to which you can pin your faith for a cure. A mild laxative, and purely vegetable, acting directly on the Liver and Kidneys. Try it. Sold by all

were not floated until late in the forenoon. The last Oaklanders to reach San Francisco arrived there at 10:30, after having made their way to the old Ferry landing in Alameda, where the company finally landed a boat. At 11 o'clock this morning 300 strikers marched to the mole, the avowed intention being to kill two locomotives which the men killed last night, but which were fired again this morning through the assistance of the United States marshals. The strikers crowded by the deputy marshals, and unresisted ran the engines on the switches, blew out the steam and let off the water.

### Knights of Labor to Strike.

CHICAGO, July 5.—At noon today it was announced at the General Manager's Association headquarters that information has been received of an order issued today by General Master Workman Sovereign for a strike of all the Knights of labor between Omaha and the Pacific coast. The strike order, it was stated, included employes in all lines of business, not merely those working for the railroads.

### THE ANNUAL RAINFALL.

Some Curious Facts Gleaned Through Scientific Research.

There is always more or less guesswork concerning the amount of rain that falls during any storm period. Throughout the United States the amount that falls on any one day rarely exceeds 1 inch. There are certain portions of the globe, however, that are frequently, and others only occasionally, deluged with water. On the southern slopes of the Himalayan mountains, at an altitude of 4,500 feet, 610 inches of rainfall have been registered in a single year, of which amount 137 inches (12 feet 3 inches) fell in the month of June. At a meteorological station in latitude 18 degrees, near the western boundary of Hindoostan, the average rainfall for the fifteen years ending with 1893 was 254 inches. In the northwestern part of England, at an altitude of 1,300 feet, the average annual rainfall is 146 inches, 111 inches in excess of the mean for St. Louis, which is but 37 inches and a fraction.

The wonderful record given above is still more phenomenal when we consider the fact that all the moisture in the atmosphere is capable of holding at any one time would cover the entire surface of the globe to a depth of less than 4 inches should it all be instantly precipitated.

### For Colic and Grubs.

In my mules and horses, I give Simmons' Liver Regulator. I have not lost one I gave it to. E. T. TAYLOR, Agt. for Grangers of Ga.

The London Chronicle says that no one sold tickets in Bond Street until the early hours of the evening. The London Chronicle says that no one sold tickets in Bond Street until the early hours of the evening.

Whiskers that are permanently gray or faded should be colored to prevent the look of age, and Buckingham's Dye excels all others in coloring brown or black.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer has restored gray hair to its original color and prevented baldness in thousands of cases. It will do so to you.

### Cheap Wall Paper.

Over 50 patterns, new and desirable designs, with borders to match, at very low prices. Jos. T. PETERS & Co. 1211.

Feed wheat for sale cheap at Wasco Warehouse.

## Special Sale, Friday-Saturday, July 6-7.

Cool Materials and Prices for Hot Days.

### PONGEE SILKS.

REDUCED.

22-inch from 30 to 20c per yd  
" from 40 to 27½c "  
27-inch from 50 to 35c "  
60-inch from 60 to 40c "

### BLACK PONGEE.

22-inch from 65 to 40c per yd

### Flouncing Embroidery.

REDUCED.

40-inch from 60 to 37½c per yd  
" from 75 to 50c "  
" from 80 to 55c "  
" from 90 to 60c "  
" from \$1 to 75c "  
" from \$1.20 to 85c "  
" from 1.60 to \$1.15 "  
" from 1.75 to \$1.25 "  
" from 2.00 to \$1.35 "  
27-inch from 50 to 37½c per yd  
" from 75 to 50c "  
" from 85 to 70c "  
" from \$1.35 to 95c "

A. M. WILLIAMS & CO.

## Castoria

For Infants and Children. Castoria promotes Digestion, and overcomes Flatulency, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, and Feverishness. Thus the child is rendered healthy and its sleep natural. Castoria contains no Morphine or other narcotic property.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 South Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

"For several years I have recommended your 'Castoria,' and shall always continue to do so, as it has invariably produced beneficial results." EDWIN F. PARDEE, M. D., 123th Street and 7th Ave., New York City.

"The use of 'Castoria' is so universal and its merits so well known that it seems a work of supererogation to endorse it. Few are the intelligent families who do not keep Castoria within easy reach." CARLOS MARSH, D. D., New York City.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

## FRENCH & CO., BANKERS.

TRANSACTION GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS

Letters of Credit issued available in the Eastern States.

Sight Exchange and Telegraphic Transfers sold on New York, Chicago, St. Louis, San Francisco, Portland Oregon, Seattle Wash., and various points in Oregon and Washington. Collections made at all points on favorable terms.

## E. JACOBSEN

—IS BACK—

AT THE OLD STAND

With a fine selection of

Musical Instruments, Music,

BOOKS, STATIONERY,

And everything to be found in a first-class book and music store.

162 SECOND ST.

J. S. SCHEMKE, President. J. M. PATTERSON, Cashier.

First National Bank.

THE DALLES, OREGON

A General Banking Business transacted

Deposits received, subject to Sight

Draft or Check.

Collections made and proceeds promptly

remitted on day of collection.

Sight and Telegraphic Exchange sold on

New York, San Francisco and Portland.

DIRECTORS.

D. P. THOMPSON. JNO. S. SCHEMKE.

ED. M. WILLIAMS. GEO. A. LIEBE.

H. M. BEALL.

Do You Want Soda?

Do You Want Syrups?

Do You Want Anything?

—In the shape of—

MINERAL WATER, CIDER,

or anything good for hot weather

beverage? If so, call on

JOSEPH FOLGO, THE BOTTLER,

238 Second Street, East End.

THOSE WHO WISH

Glass, Lime, Cement, PLASTER, LATH,

Picture Frames,

—AND—

MACHINERY

—SUCH AS—

Shafting, Pulleys, Belting,

Engine and Boiler,

CALL AND SEE

H. GLENN.

Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

—DEALERS IN—

Pure Drugs and Chemicals,

FINE LINE OF

IMPORTED and DOMESTIC CIGARS

At Our Old Place of Business.

MEN'S Tailor-Made SUITS, MEN'S HALF HOSE, MEN'S Tailor-Made PANTS, MEN'S NECKWEAR, MEN'S OVERSHIRTS, MEN'S Gloves and Collars, MEN'S UNDERWEAR, MEN'S Hats and Suspenders,

NOW SELLING AT

M. HONYWILL'S CLOSING OUT SALE,

At Values Unprecedented in The Dalles; also

Ladies', Gents' and Children's Shoes.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE