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The A. R. U. Leader Tells of they would stamp the American Rail-

The Great Strike.

HE WAS EARNEST AND FORCIBLE bers of the General Managers' Associa-

George M. Pullman and Members of the General Managers' Association Will Appear as Witnesses.

the Pullman strike and results."

Leaning forward in his seat, the tall leader of the great strike began in a clear voice a recital which gradually became more earnest and forcible as he proceeded, until it developed into almost the textile industry in Massachusetta. an oration. He told of having received The manufacturers must fight perfectly word that a strike in Pullman was im- organized unions, some of which are minent, and of his coming to Chicago fairly wealthy. Notable in this particuto investigate. "I found," the said, the lar is the Spinners' union, which has a men were working for the Pullman fund in its treasury aggregating at least company at wages upon which they \$30,000. The Spinners have voted, could not live. I found salaries had however, not to touch any of this money been cut time and again until skilled for a month. Until yesterday it was mechanics were working their lives hoped the strike would be averted. away for wages not sufficient for day

laborers; that the town of Pullman was so schemed that every penny the workof which had a grievance of its own."

d with a avoured inten tion of giving assistance to the railroads in labor troubles. Its evident aim was to drive organized labor from existence. No sooner had this association been formed than a systematic reduction of railroad wages all over the country began. The men were ready to strike and the tarriff tomorrow. The only legislatelt they had cause, but the trouble would not have come when it did had it not been for the Pullman matter. The time was unpropitious. I did not order wish to shirk any responsibility, and am willing to say I heartily concurred in and approved of the action taken by the men. As to violence, I have always condemned it, I have written and would not be until midnight Monday spoken against it believing and know- next. ing a strike cannot be won by violence. As to the telegrams sent from our office. counseling violence, I know of no such epistles."

telegrams were made public property, DEBS ON THE STAND telegrams were made public property, while not a line of the railroads correspondence was published. If it had been I think we could prove the general managers at the secret meeting declared way Union out of existence." The strike commissioners have notified George M .; Fullman to appear and testify and will also call for several mem-

> Strike at New Bedford. NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug 20.-This morning operatives inaugurated a general strike, and nearly 11,000 are idle.

tion

The machinery of but five out of 27 mills in the city is in motion, and it is thought CHICAGO, Aug. 20.-President E. V. these mills will soon be shut down with Debs, of the American Railway Union, the others. The manufacturers have was a witness before the strike commis- little or nothing to say, but the notices sion today. The courtroom was crowded of a reduction against which the help from bench to doorways. "Now tell as rebel are still posted. Secretary Ross, in your own way, Mr. Debs," said Com- of the Spinners' union, stated this mornmissioner Wright, what you know of ing that the members of his union have lined up for a long struggle and it is confidently expected it will be of six

months' duration. The strike promises to be the most important which has ever occurred in

## In the House.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20 .- Less than 50 ingmen made found its way back to the members were present when the house company. In fact, I found the work- metat 12 o'clock today. The members ingmen of Pullman in a pitiable condi- were crowding around in front of the tion, and determined I would do all in speaker's desk with requests for unanimy power as president of the American mous consent for the passage of bills. Railway Union to improve the condition Sayres, chairman of the appropriations of these men. The strike followed, or- committee, secured unanimous consent dered by the men themselves. Then for consideration of a bill appropriating came the boycott ordered by the duly \$9000 for an additional force for the elected delegates to our convention, and collection of internal revenue and \$5000 then followed the railroad strikes, or- for carrying into effect the arbitrations dered by the various local unions, each between the United States and Venezuela. It was passed without objection. "Would the railroad strike have oc- McCreary chairman of the committee curred if there had been no Pullman on foreign affairs, asked unanimous trouble," asked commissioner Wright. consent for the consideration of a joint

"No, the Pullman strike was the resolution congratulating the Hawaiian prime cause. We desired to stop Pull- republic on the perfect assumption of man's cars and shut off his income, thus the powers and abilities of self-goverforcing him to arbitrate, but the rail- ment. Owing to the absence of Bouroad men had grievances of their own. telle, Bland objected. Bland then de- but owing to lack of a quorum adjourned The General Managers' Association had manded the regular order. At12:45 the until Wednesday.



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makes the man,"

said Watts, but modern ethics

deny this, and give the credit

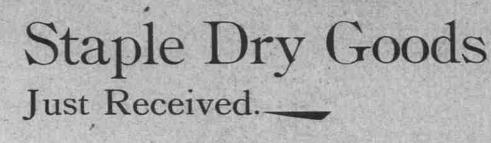
"It is

#### In the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20,-Harris re ported the amended sugar bill and the coal and iron ore and barbed wire bills in the senate today.

Allison said the action of the senate last Saturday on Manderson's amendments when the vote was 21 to 20, and the amendment only failed for lack of a quorum, should be recorded as an instruction to the committee to report the amendment favorably.

Mitchell of Oregon gave notice that if the sugar bill was called up this session he would offer an amendment re-enacting the wool schedule of 1890. The bills placing wool, coal and iron on the free list were ordered placed on the calendar. The senate went into executive session,



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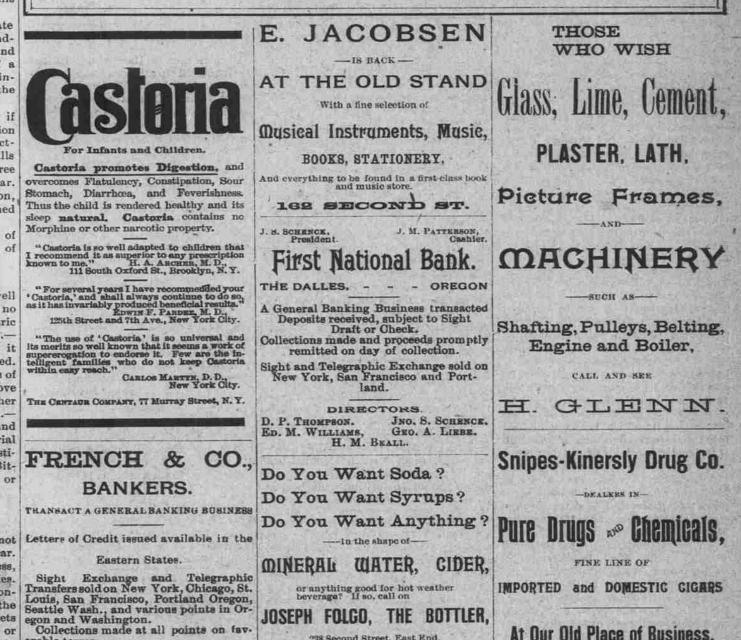
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"What about the "buy s gun telegram?" asked the commissioner.

"That is easily explained. The teleto a friend in Butte, and was merely a playful expression. It was sent as such ing 1,600 families are near starvation. and so understood.'

were sown broadcast and shortly after- way about town." wards the officials of the American Railway Union were arrested for contempt of court. That beat us. About that time General Miles came to Chicago and called on the General Managers' Association, and next day was quoted in passed a week ago by the house. an interview as saying he had broken it seems strange that all our letters and them.

# Waiting for Cleveland

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.-Speaker Crisp returned today from Old Point Comfort. He says an adjournment could be had by Wednesday if the president would act on tive matter pending on which action is Bitters sing the same song of praise .-hoped for is the alcohol bill now before A purer medicine does not exist and it the senate, but this appears to be affected by the Murphy resolution postponing Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the strikes; I had not the power. The all tariff legislation. Members of the the liver and kidueys, will remove men did that themselves, But I do not ways and means committee say they do pimples, boils, salt rheum and other not think the president will let the tariff affections caused by impure blood.bill become a law until the last moment, in order that the customs officers may have all the information possible. This

> Representative Taraney will make no effort to push his free silver-lead ore bill beyond getting it on the house calendar. He reported it from the committee today.

Families Starving at Pullman.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20 .- Governor Altgeld went to Pullman today to investigate and that is by constitutional remedies. gram was sent by the private secretary the condition of the strikers. He visit Deafness is caused by an inflamed conwas the result or a communication stat- dition of the mucous lining of the Debs then said that within five days man Company, called on Governor Alt- imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely after the strike was declared the union geld and offered to accompany him to had the railroads beaten. "They were Pullman. "I preier to go alone," said the inflammation can be taken out and paralyzed," he said. "but injunctions the governor. "I think I can find my this tube restored to its normal condi-

Favorable Reports Ordered.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20,-The senate finance committee today ordered favorable reports on the separate tariff bills

The Chinese pay their doctor only so the backbons of the strike. Now, I con- long as he keeps them in health. They sider that call of General Miles as vol- believe in preventing rather than curing garly out of place. He had no more disease. This is sound sense, and one right to consult with the General Man- of the stmongest recommendations of agers' Association than he had to con- Ayer's Sarsaparilla, a medicine which sult with our unions. I might say, too, not only cures diseases but prevents

The senate bill to push the claim of the United States against the estate of Leland Stanford was passed.

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