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**MAY STRIKE AGAIN**

Teamsters' Teamsters at Chicago Preparing to Go Out on Another Big Strike.

**TEAM PACKERS VIOLATED THEIR AGREEMENT.**

Teamsters insist that numerous discharges of Union men were contrary to agreement by which the strike was settled.

Chicago, June 14.—The national officers of the Teamsters' Association are making strenuous efforts today to prevent another strike of the packers, but it is feared their efforts will be unavailing, as the upper of the men is thoroughly aroused over the discharge of union men, in violation of the agreement made last week.

The argument is advanced by the packers and the national officers, that the men were discharged because the packers are now delivering much of their meat by railroad. The teamsters, however, insist that the agreement is being violated and that the packers are trying to force a lockout and they claim that great quantities of meat are being stored in anticipation of this move.

**REPORTS DIFFER.**

**Says Miners Win, the Other That They Lose.**

Wilkesbarre, Pa., June 14.—Mitchell this morning received encouraging reports upon the condition of the soft coal miners' strike in West Virginia. The dispatch said 12,000 of the 14,000 miners in the Kanawha and New River districts are now on a strike.

**This is Different.**

Huntington, W. Va., June 14.—Information received here this morning from various points in the coal fields are to the effect that the striking miners are losing ground rapidly.

**SOONERS GOT AWAY.**

Leaders in Raid Evaded Police and Escaped to Mountains.

Spokane, June 14.—W. Griswold and Al Hughes, leaders of the sooners on the Spokane reservation, succeeded in eluding arrest by the United States marshals, and are now hiding in the mountains of Ferry County.

The Indian police have taken up the trail of the fugitives, who are desperate men and will fight before they submit to capture.

George McDonald, implicated with the other two in the conspiracy of impersonating officers and trespass in the reserve, was brought to Spokane today and will be held to the federal court for trial.

**RAIN CAUSES FEAR.**

London Showers Are Destroying Coronation Decorations.

London, June 14.—The heavy downpour of rain which has soaked London for nine days past, continues unabated. The preliminary coronation festivities are already spoiled and Londoners are in a panic of fear lest the rain continue until the coronation itself. Many street decorations are ruined.

**Important Order by Russia.**  
St. Petersburg, June 14.—In official circles it is hoped that the prevailing discontent throughout the empire will be diminished perceptibly by the remission of the arrears of taxes from the peasantry. It has been decided by the council of state to remit the amount of \$12,500,000 and the ukase will be promulgated tomorrow, which is the feast of the trinity, by M. de Ploegwe, minister of the interior.

**Celebration in Ottawa.**

Ottawa, Ont., June 14.—The capital of the dominion has arranged to properly observe the declaration of peace between Great Britain and the Boers with religious and other exercises to be held tomorrow. There will be a garrison parade and the members of the local corps will attend divine service in Christ Church Cathedral, where the rector, Rev. Henry Kittoon, will preach the sermon.

**A PARDON FOR INGRAM****IT HAS BEEN DECIDED TO REVOKE HIS PENALTY.**

Governor Geer Announced Friday That He Would Release the Brave Convict Unless Material Objection Arose.

Salem, June 14.—Frank S. Ingram, the convict who was shot by escape Merrill, while he was endeavoring to save the life of Guard Ferrill, who was killed by the desperadoes when they made their break for liberty, is not dead, as has been erroneously reported all over the country, but is alive, and although losing his leg as a result of the attempt at prevention of the murder of the guard, will recover.

As soon as he has sufficiently recovered to leave the institution, he will be able to walk out a free man, as Governor Geer has now practically decided to issue a pardon for Ingram at once.

This intention was announced yesterday, when the governor said regarding the matter:

"I am disposed to pardon Ingram, whose splendid action I believe deserves recognition, and unless valid objections should be raised and presented against such clemency, I think I shall take the matter up favorably in a week or so. There is no immediate hurry, as Ingram is not in condition to be moved yet, and besides, I want to give time for all persons to hard in the matter."

Ingram was sent up from Linn county 10 years ago, having been found guilty and received a life sentence for killing his own brother. A sister of Ingram, who has been working near Independence, Or., declares most positively that Ingram committed his crime in self-defense.

**COUNTY SEAT FIGHT.****Between the People of Vale and Ontario in Malheur.**

E. H. Test, the well known Ontario banker and democratic politician, elected to the lower house of the state legislature at the recent election, being asked in reference to the Malheur county seat fight, which has been a source of much bitter contention in his county for several years past, said: "You may depend upon it that Ontario's claim to the county seat will be pressed again at the next session of the legislature. In fact, the county seat question was the main issue at the late election. I was put up as the candidate of Ontario against a Vale man who represented the claims of Vale. The fact that I won out is significant. It means that a majority of the voters favor Ontario as the county seat. The vote upon this question was decisive, and there are no reasons why the wishes of the majority of the legal voters of the county should not be gratified. The interests of Ontario will be taken up early in the season and pressed until the will of Malheur county in the matter of preference for the county seat is given recognition. We ask for nothing unreasonable. All we want is justice, and I believe that the legislative assembly will give it to us."

**SEATTLE HEIRS OF HILL****Children Believe Their Father Died in Los Angeles.**

Heirs of Charles Hill, who died in a Los Angeles hospital some time since and left an estimated fortune of \$142,000, are springing up like mushrooms all over the country. The latest bunch has developed in Seattle and regarding them despatches say:

There is now but little doubt that the Charles Hill who died in a hospital at Los Angeles, telling his nurse that he had not a friend or relative on earth, and leaving property to the value of \$142,000, was Michael Hill, the long lost father of Mrs. H. W. Cox, Henry V. Hill and Miss Henrietta Hill, of Seattle. Miss Hill, the youngest member of the family and the last of the children to see her father alive, has written to the hospital authorities at Los Angeles, giving a description of her parent, and if the resemblance tallies, some member of the family will go to California at once to establish the identity.

Miss Hill lives with her blind brother at 2309 Main street. She has been a resident of Seattle for the past 13 years, and up to two years ago she was constantly searching for the whereabouts of her father, who disappeared from the family home in Milwaukee 20 years ago, when Miss Hill was a little girl.

**NO MORE PASSES TO ANNEX CUBA**

Will Probably Be Decided on at September Meeting of Washington Republicans.

**AT LEAST SO SAYS STATE GOVERNOR M'BRIDE.**

The Battle Has Been Fought and Won in the Western Part of the State, and it Is Time for Eastern Washington to Take a Stand.

Spokane, June 14.—The Washington republican state convention, to be held next September, will almost without a doubt pledge itself to the support of both the establishment of a railway commission and to the passage of an ant-pass law.

Such was the sentiment expressed by Governor McBride here today. Continuing, he said:

"The battle against the railway lobby has been fought and won on the west side of the state and there is no doubt a majority of the delegates from that district will be instructed to vote and use their influence in the direction indicated and it now remains for Eastern Washington to take its stand on this question."

**Will Operate Eating Houses.**

Salt Lake, June 14.—After July 1 the Oregon Short Line and the O. R. & N. will operate all hotels and eating houses along their systems. The privileges have also been acquired from the Pacific Hotel Company, which has operated along the Union Pacific for the last 20 years.

**More Boers Quit.**

London, June 14.—Kitchener reports 1800 more Boers surrendered. This brings the total above 14,000.

**ESCAPED CONVICTS AND POSSE****ARE APPARENTLY LOST**

Up to the hour of going to press no word has been received from the posse supposed to be in search of the escaped convicts, Tracy and Merrill. It now seems probable that the farcical chase has been given up and the men gotten clear away.

**HOPE FOR MAYBRICK.****Said the Famous Murderess Will Be Pardoned.**

London, June 14.—It is reported that Baroness Roques, the mother of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, found guilty of poisoning her husband and sentenced to prison for life, has received semi-official assurances that her daughter will be pardoned during the coronation this month as a part of the general amnesty to be extended to criminals of good record.

At the United States embassy nothing is known about the matter, and Ambassador Choate declines to either deny or confirm the rumor. Persons conversant with the late attempts to secure the famous prisoner's liberty assert that if at last she is to be given her liberty, this may be regarded as due to the influence of King Edward and may be interpreted as a token of good will.

Ever since the present home secretary came into office two years ago, efforts to secure the release of Mrs. Maybrick have been particularly active and have continued up to the present time.

The personal efforts of Ambassador Choate, although made informally, have been unceasing.

It is understood that the late President McKinley, through Secretary Hay and Ambassador Choate, asked the English government for a pardon and release of Mrs. Maybrick, without question of her guilt or innocence as an act of international courtesy.

Should the famous prisoner be included in the general amnesty to be declared two or three weeks hence the fact would occasion no surprise among those best informed as to the status of the case.

**Yale Beat Princeton.**

New York, June 14.—Yale today won the annual baseball game with Princeton. Score, 5 to 4.

**FOUND A PETRIFIED SHIP****RELIC OF ANCIENT DAYS IN THE ARCTIC CIRCLE.**

Great Ice Jam Near Circle City Nearly Swept the Town Away, the Northern Commercial Company Losing Heavily.

Seattle, June 14.—A Dawson dispatch says the reported discovery of a petrified ship on the plateau between Porcupine river and the Arctic Ocean has been verified by Rev. J. H. Woodkin, of Fort Yukon, who says it is of ancient make.

An immense ice jam at Circle City almost swept the town away. The principal losers were the Northern Commercial Company.

**NEW YORK MARKET.**

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Pendleton, Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

New York, June 14.—Wheat was weak and lower today, closing at the low point. While many traders think wheat is cheap around present prices, the public have not commenced buying in any considerable amount. Liverpool is unchanged. New York opened 78 $\frac{3}{4}$  and closed 78 $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Closed yesterday, 78 $\frac{3}{4}$ . Opened today, 78 $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Range today, 78 $\frac{1}{4}$  @ 78 $\frac{3}{4}$ . Closed today, 78 $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Sugar, 128 $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Steel, 33 $\frac{1}{4}$ .

St. Paul, 173.

Union Pacific, 105 $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Wheat in San Francisco.

San Francisco, June 14.—Wheat-\$1.11.

Wheat in Chicago.

Chicago, June 14.—Wheat—72 $\frac{1}{4}$  @ 71 $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Wheat in Portland.

Portland, June 14.—Wheat—Walla Walla, 66; valley, 67; bluestem, 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Tacoma, 64 $\frac{1}{2}$  @ 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Spanish War Memorial.

Rochester, N. Y., June 14.—Rear Admiral Coghlan and other distinguished visitors took part today in the unveiling and dedication of the Spanish war memorial in Highland Park. The memorial consists of a Spanish gun captured at the battle of Manila Bay, to which brass tablets suitably inscribed, have been affixed. The exercises took place this afternoon and an immense gathering was in attendance. The dedication was preceded by a Grand Army parade and other marching organizations. Mayor Rodenbeck accepted the memorial on behalf of the city, and addressed were delivered by Rev. Rob Roy Converse, D. D., and others.

COURT STRINGING OUT.

Docket at Circuit Court is Hardly Touched as Yet.

From present indications the June term of the circuit court will last all next week and perhaps extend into the week following. Only three cases have been disposed of out of the large docket that is before the court.

Owing to the cases having been tried this week extending over the time allotted to them the case of J. M. Walker vs. the First National Bank of Athens and Hugh McLean and J. M. Walker vs. the First National Bank of Athens, and David Ferris were laid over until next week and the case of Frank and James Roach vs. John Muir, for rent, alleged to be due from defendant to plaintiffs, has been occupying the court today.

The rest of the cases on the docket with the exception of one or two, are trivial matters and will consume little time.

The case against John Tharp, charged with the theft of a horse, will come up during next week. Tharp has been under \$500 cash bonds for several months.

C. F. Kennedy is acting as court bailiff.

Are Catching Fish.

J. M. Heathman, Newt Wicker, Charles Cook and Ed Noble have returned from a fishing trip into the hills. They were at the head of Birch creek, 30 miles from here. They say fishing is fine and the head waters of Birch is an excellent place to camp out and recuperate. Mr. Heathman says they caught all the fish they wanted to eat and brought several home, but he has the honor of landing the largest one, which was a trout nearly two feet long. James E. Krause and Charles Ziegler returned Thursday evening from a trip into the hills and report plenty of sport catching the speckled beauties. Other crowds have been out and good catches are reported.

**Eastern Oregon Weather**

Tonight and Sunday, fair warmer Sunday.

**TIED TO TRACKS**

Italian Nobleman Met With Interesting Experiences in City of New York.

**TOLD A REGULAR DIME NOVEL STORY**

Marquis de Cordova was Abducted and Confined in a Dark Cellar While His Captors Tried to Make Him Promise to Give up His Estate.

New York, June 14.—Carlo Catania the Marquis de Cordova, who says he is an Italian nobleman, was found bound hand and foot on the Hudson River railroad tracks this morning. After being taken to the hospital, he wrote a statement and then lapsed into unconsciousness. His condition is serious.

In the statement he said that last Saturday he secured possession of papers showing his title to a valuable estate. A few hours later he was assaulted by three men who threw pepper into his eyes and beat him into unconsciousness.

They then bound and gagged him and took him to a strange house in New Jersey, where he was imprisoned in a cellar until Friday, his captors threatening to kill him unless he resigned his claim to the Cordova estate.

Friday he was taken to the tracks and left to die. The police are investigating.

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