

## MEN CONFER

of Railroad Unions  
to Determine Advisa-  
bility of a General Strike.

## PER CENT INCREASE OF WAGES DEMANDED.

Age Scale Accepted as a  
Strong Sentiment in Fa-  
voring With the American  
of Labor.

Nov. 8.—Grand Chief E.  
of the Order of Railway  
men and other officers of the  
order are holding a conference  
of the Brotherhood of  
Trainmen to determine the  
policy of acting with the train-  
men in a general strike. While the  
increase of wages demand-  
ed by the trainmen of the Chicago  
and North Western is the  
entire membership of the  
order is affected, as the Chicago  
scale is accepted as a stand-  
ard for other meetings is called  
to receive votes from diffi-  
culties on the advisability of a  
strong sentiment develop-  
ing affiliation with the  
Federation of Labor.

## NOW AT UKIAH.

Big Removed to Winter Quar-  
ters—Personals.

Nov. 8.—Winter is low at  
several little snow flurries  
today here and further  
down the hills there has been  
no storms. This is a warn-  
ing to the stockmen to get their  
stock in range. Not a day passes  
without bunches of cattle pass-  
ing here on their way to the  
city. This is an annual oc-  
currence in the spring the low lands  
are covered by the stockmen who  
take stock back to the  
hills and alfalfa stacks.

Man passed through with his  
little yesterday on the way  
back, where he will winter.  
Times, of Pendleton, was in  
week, en route to Susan-  
ville Creek.

Steel head and dog salmon  
in Camas creek at pres-  
ent.

Spain left Tuesday for  
where he will spend the win-  
ter.

## INVESTIGATE TERRITORIES.

Commission Will See  
the Advisability of Their  
Territories.

Nov. 8.—Senator Bever-  
idge and the committee  
on the territorial commis-  
sion of the senate  
leave here Tuesday to  
investigate in New  
Mexico and Arizona, as to  
the advisability of their  
admission is in spec-  
tative December 3. The com-  
mission is to return to Wash-  
ington before the opening of  
the season.

## Football at Whitman.

Walla, Nov. 8.—The football  
season has been sched-  
uled for the afternoon on  
the Whitman  
and Whitman. The uni-  
versity has been in the city sev-  
erally practicing, and the  
game is in prime condition. The  
past few days have made  
the muddy and the game will  
be unusually heavy playing, and  
it runs, if present indica-  
tions hold, and a splendid game  
will be provided the weather  
prove too disagreeable.

## Orders For Flour.

Wash, Nov. 8.—The flour  
this city are now working  
assignments, two for China  
and Vladivostok. The three  
grain 25,000 barrels of  
will be shipped this month.

## Remains of Mastodon.

Wash, Nov. 8.—The remains  
of a mastodon were found in the  
bed of the Anna River by workmen  
employed for the Salt Lake railroad  
the task reduced to powder  
and shipped by air. Excavations  
are in progress.

## EMPEROR ARRIVES IN ENGLAND.

King Carlos of Portugal. Also to Meet  
King Edward to Confer Concerning  
Concessions in Africa.

London, England, November 8.—  
King Edward's imperial nephew,  
the German emperor, arrived at San-  
dringham today and will remain there  
during the coming week. He is ac-  
companied by a small suite, including  
the imperial chancellor and two phys-  
icians. Though the visit ostensibly  
is purely a personal one there is  
every reason to believe that the meet-  
ing of the two monarchs will result  
in important international understand-  
ings, especially as regards South  
Africa, and now particularly Dela-  
goa Bay, which is so vitally impor-  
tant to Great Britain as an outlet for  
her newly acquired colonies. The  
presence of King Carlos of Portugal  
in England gives strength to this sur-  
mise concerning the importance of  
Emperor William's visit. The Portu-  
guese government, it is understood, is  
willing to transfer some portions of  
its South African territory to British  
rule. Germany, however, is under-  
stood to be strenuously opposed to  
British trade securing such an advan-  
tage, at any rate, unless Portugal is  
willing to placate Germany by grant-  
ing her some similar concession, and  
it is believed that before the emperor  
and King Carlos leave England a bar-  
gain will be arranged.

Reviews Dragoons.  
The Kaiser arrived on the Hohen-  
zollern at 8 o'clock this morning. He  
was dressed as a British admiral, and  
was met by the ambassadors and rep-  
resentatives of the king, including  
Lord Roberts. The party took break-  
fast on the Hohenzollern. As the Kaiser  
stepped on shore at 10 o'clock, he  
was given an immense salute from the  
warships. He then reviewed the first  
British dragoon guards, of which he is  
colonel. The review was held in a  
driving rain.

Second Class Rates Again.  
Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 8.—Second  
class fares were restored today by the  
railroads operating between Pittsburg  
and Chicago, St. Louis and other  
points in central territory. The only  
difference in the desirability of first  
and second class fares in this terri-  
tory is that holders of second-class  
tickets are not entitled to Pullman  
accommodations.

## COLLISION OF TRAINS

TWO WERE KILLED  
AND SIX INJURED.

Extra Freight Running at High Speed,  
Dashes Into a Work Train Near In-  
dianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 8.—In a col-  
lision between a work train and an  
extra freight near here this morning,  
John Weach and Rudolph Fox were  
killed. Six others were injured, in-  
cluding Charles Buentig, engineer;  
Arnold McKinney, fireman; Robert  
Stevens and Ralph Ellis, brakemen.  
The extra freight train was running  
at the rate of 40 miles an hour.

## WHEAT STILL DOWN.

No Quotations Today, Which Shows  
a Weakness in Export Trade.

The wheat market remains inactive  
with the price still at 59 cents. Local  
dealers this morning announced that  
the indications are that it will not  
again go above this figure for some  
time. The exporters are not sending  
out quotations promptly.

## LITTLEFIELD FOR SPEAKER.

Will Begin an Active Campaign at  
Once—On His Way Home.

Tacoma, Nov. 8.—Congressman Lit-  
tlefield announced today that he will  
begin an energetic canvass for the  
speakership. He says that the cam-  
paign work in California prevented  
his commencing work sooner. He  
starts home today.

## SPECIAL AGENT TO HAWAII.

Ex-Mayor of Minneapolis to Report  
on Condition of Public Buildings.

Washington, Nov. 8.—William Eus-  
ter, ex-mayor of Minneapolis, was to-  
day appointed special agent to visit  
the Hawaiians and report on public  
buildings and postal conditions.

## PRINCE COMING WESTWARD.

Guest of the St. Louis Exposition  
Company.

St. Louis, Nov. 8.—The crown  
prince of Siam was the guest of the  
exposition company today. He goes  
to Kansas City tonight and thence  
westward.

# LABOR UNIONS WILL ASSIST TO CONTEST PARDEE'S ELECTION

Republicans Concede that Lane Actually Received More  
Votes than the Successful Candidate

THOUSANDS OF THE LABOR PARTY VOTE  
WERE THROWN OUT BY PRECINCT OFFICERS.

By the Present Count Pardee Has a Majority of Only About 1700—Lane's  
Run Most Remarkable as California Gave McKinley 39,000 Majority—  
Labor Unions Have Raised \$15,000 to Assist in Contest.

San Francisco, Nov. 8.—Franklin E.  
Lane stated this morning that he had  
received wires from every county of  
the state from labor unions and dem-  
ocrats offering money to the amount  
of \$15,000 to contest Pardee's election.  
Lane says he will contest.

Advices from various parts of the  
state show that several thousands of  
ballots cast at Tuesday's election were  
thrown out by precinct officers be-  
cause voters marked with a cross  
spaces on the ballot left vacant be-  
cause of failure of political parties to  
make nominations. This operates al-  
most exclusively to the disadvantage  
of Lane, democratic candidate for  
governor, as he received the labor  
vote, and it was that party which failed  
in many counties to nominate a

full ticket. At the recent stage of the count  
Pardee has a majority of only about  
1700 votes, and it would therefore ap-  
pear that Lane actually received  
more votes than the successful candi-  
date. This causes intense regret in  
democratic and labor party ranks, as  
Lane was looked upon in his run as  
a most remarkable performance in the  
state which gave McKinley 39,000 ma-  
jority.  
Gavin McNab ruefully remarked to-  
day, "We had a majority of the votes,  
but they have a majority of the legal  
ballots."  
The wrongly marked ballots are re-  
jected under a ruling of the state su-  
preme court and there seems to be no  
redress.

## Big Walking Match.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—Beginning at  
midnight tomorrow night, 40 of the  
world's most famous pedestrians will  
start on their long journey in the an-  
nual international six-day go-as-you-  
please race for the championship of  
the world. The contest takes place in  
Industrial Hall. While it is hardly  
probable that George Littlewood's  
wonderful record of 621 miles is going  
to be broken, the indications are that  
the record that Pat Cavanaugh made  
in last year's race is going to get  
an awful jolt. This year the field is  
made up of men who all hold records  
and who are in condition to stand a  
fast pace from the start. Among the  
men who are entering and trained for  
the event are Pat Cavanaugh, of Tren-  
ton; John Gitek, of Philadelphia;  
Pete Hegelman, of Germany; Tom  
Howarth, of England; "Kid" West,  
of Harrisburg; Gilbert Barnes, of  
Pittsburg; Peter Golden, of New  
York; George Noremac, of Scotland;  
Guerrero, of Mexico; Davis, the full-  
blooded Indian, and Harry Shelton,  
the colored flyer.

## Ready For Bankers' Meeting.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 8.—Final  
preparations have been made for the  
annual meeting of the American  
Bankers' Association, which is to be-  
gin its sessions in this city next Tues-  
day. The participation of such emi-  
nent men of finance as Myron T. Her-  
rick, of Cleveland; John Johnston, of  
Milwaukee; Congressman Charles N.  
Fowler, of New Jersey; Theodore Gil-  
man, of New York City; Congressman  
Burton, of Ohio, and Joseph G. Brown  
of North Carolina, is expected to  
make the gathering one of the most  
important of the kind that has ever  
taken place in this country.

## Gomper's Report Ready.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 8.—The  
headquarters of the American Federa-  
tion of Labor in this city present a  
busy scene these days. Officers and  
clerks are up to their ears in work  
connected with the approaching an-  
nual convention of the organization  
to be held in New Orleans the com-  
ing week. President Gomper and Sec-  
retary Wilson have put the finishing  
touches to their annual reports, which  
will contain facts and figures tend-  
ing to show the federation to be enjoying  
the period of greatest prosperity in  
its history.

## OUTBREAK THREATENED.

Alabama Troops Trying to Check  
Mob From Burning a Negro Fiend.

Anniston, Ala., Nov. 8.—Troops are  
still guarding the jail here where the  
negro, Baker, is held, accused of as-  
saulting Mrs. Williams. Just before  
daylight the troops charged and dis-  
persed the mob, which seeks to burn  
Baker, with bayonets.

## A BAD PREACHER.

Rev. Rabe, While Pastor of Portland  
Church, Was Arrested for Embez-  
zlement and Was Concerned in  
Much Scandal.

Portland, Or., Nov. 8.—Rev. W. C.  
Rabe, who was found asphyxiated  
with Miss Bush in Omaha, was the  
pastor of a church here six years ago.  
He was arrested here on the charge  
of embezzlement and was concerned  
in a continuous stream of scandal  
with many different women.

## Notable Wedding.

New York, Nov. 8.—Riverton on  
Hudson was the scene of a notable  
wedding today, the contracting parties  
being Miss Loretta Booth Robinson,  
daughter of Mrs. Moses Mason Rob-  
inson, and Mr. Morgan Dafydd Evans  
of this city. The ceremony was per-  
formed by Bishop Worthington, of Ne-  
braska, assisted by the Rev. John  
Campbell and Rev. Mr. Carstensen,  
of Riverdale. Following the ceremony  
there was an elaborate reception at  
"Robin's Nest" the home of the bride's  
mother.

## NO FAITH IN REPORTS.

State Department Declines to Accept  
Any War News From Castros, of  
Venezuela.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Castro's press  
agent again reports a decisive vic-  
tory. The state department declines  
to accept any war reports from Ven-  
ezuela except those from the United  
States consul, having lost all faith in  
other advices.

## UNUSUAL CASE.

Woman Dies After Being in a State  
of Coma for Two Weeks.

New York, Nov. 8.—Nellie Corco-  
ran, who had been in a state of coma  
for two weeks, died this morning.  
Her case has attracted wide atten-  
tion. A large number of eminent phys-  
icians will hold an autopsy this  
afternoon.

## Fire at Camden.

Camden, N. J., Nov. 8.—Fire this  
morning started in the Camden  
Whiting Works and destroyed a  
block. The loss will amount to \$500,  
000.

## KILLS HIS AGED WIFE

CRUSHED HER HEAD  
WITH AN AXE.

Husband Says He Was Dreaming of  
Burglars and Claims That He  
Knew Nothing of What He Did.

New York, Nov. 8.—Mary McClos-  
key, aged 60, was found dead in her  
room this morning. Her skull had  
been crushed with an axe by her hus-  
band, 70 years old, while in a som-  
nambulistic state. He was dreaming  
of burglars and claimed that he had  
no knowledge whatever of his wife's  
death until he awakened this morn-  
ing.

## ACCEDE TO UNION MINERS.

Arrogant Cox Brothers Come to Time  
Will Withdraw Obnoxious Agree-  
ment.

Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 8.—Cox Broth-  
ers' company has notified the United  
Mine Workers that they will send a  
delegation to the conference to be  
held at Drifton Monday, for the pur-  
pose of amicably opening their col-  
lieries. They intimate that they will  
withdraw all obnoxious agreements.  
Seven thousand men and boys are  
affected.

## In the Football World.

New York, Nov. 8.—This is the  
greatest day of the season for the  
leading football teams so far. Of the  
many games scheduled, the most im-  
portant to be decided this afternoon  
are as follows: Harvard and Pennsylv-  
ania, at Cambridge; Princeton and  
Orange Athletic Club, at Princeton;  
Cornell and Washington and Jefferson  
at Ithaca; Brown and Columbia, at  
New York; Wesleyan and Vermont,  
at Middletown; Chicago and Indiana,  
at Chicago; Michigan and Iowa, at  
Ann Arbor; Wisconsin and North-  
western, at Madison; Illinois and Min-  
nesota, at Minneapolis; Naval Cadets  
and Lafayette, at Annapolis; Dart-  
mouth and Boston College, at Han-  
over; Amherst and Williams, at Am-  
herst; Nebraska and Kansas, at Lin-  
coln; Oberlin and Western Reserve,  
at Oberlin, and De Pauw and Rose  
Polytechnic Institute, at Terre Haute.

"Where's Brown?"  
"He's taking a hazard."  
"What do you mean?"  
"He's making the round of the links  
with Miss Flirtie."—Chicago Post.

## HELPS FISHERMEN

Treaty Signed Providing For  
the Free Entry of Fish from  
Newfoundland.

## ABROGATES ALL LICENSES FORMERLY REQUIRED.

British Ambassador and Secretary  
Hay Sign Reciprocity Agreement,  
Which Will Work a Great Benefit  
to Americans.

Washington, Nov. 8.—British Em-  
bassador Herbert and Secretary Hay  
this afternoon signed the reciprocity  
treaty between Newfoundland and  
the United States. It provides for  
the free entry into the United States  
ports of fish from Newfoundland. It  
abrogates all licenses formerly re-  
quired of American vessels making  
purchases in Newfoundland ports.  
It works a great benefit to American  
fishermen.

The war department has received a  
cablegram from Governor Taft an-  
nouncing the capture of the Ladrones  
who assassinated School Superintend-  
ent Montgomery.

## SULTAN HAS ENOUGH.

Writes a Letter to Captain, Saying  
That He Wanted No More War  
With the Americans.

Manila, Nov. 8.—The sultan of Ba-  
colod has sent a letter to Captain  
Parshing disavowing any idea of  
wanting further war with the Ameri-  
cans. He denies molesting the Ameri-  
cans, and says he wants peace.

General Sumner, commanding the  
Mindanao department, had been pre-  
paring to send a column of troops to  
Bacolod, but will now abandon that  
enterprise until the sultan again  
wants to whip all America.

## SHOT THE SUPERINTENDENT.

Demented Miner Inflicted Mortal  
Wound—Was Discharged Before  
the Strike.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 8.—Patrick  
Hennessy, formerly foreman of the  
Susquehanna Coal Company, this  
morning shot Daniel Dorris, the su-  
perintendent, inflicting a mortal  
wound. He was discharged before the  
strike and is considered demented.  
He labored under the idea that he  
should have his old place back when  
the strike was settled.

## To Remember Anarchists.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 8.—The sixteenth  
anniversary of the execution of  
August Spies, A. R. Parsons, A.  
Fischer and G. Engel, known as the  
Haymarket anarchists, on Nov. 9,  
1886, will be commemorated tomor-  
row by the local labor and socialist  
organizations. Memorial services  
will be held as usual and in the after-  
noon delegations will visit Waldheim  
cemetery and decorate the graves of  
the anarchists, and also the grave of  
Louis Lingg, who killed himself the  
night before the execution. There  
was a time when these anniversary  
demonstrations were a source of much  
trouble to the police. Firebrand  
speeches would be delivered by Lucy  
Parsons and others and it was often  
found necessary to use force in break-  
ing up the meetings. Of recent years,  
however, the ardor of the Chicago  
group of anarchists has cooled con-  
siderably and the anniversary exer-  
cises are usually of an orderly nature.

## Against Slot Machines.

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 8.—Warrants  
have been sworn out by the police for  
71 saloon men and cigar dealers oper-  
ating nickel slot machines in viola-  
tion of the city ordinance.

## CRACKER CREEK FACTS

With Five Companies owning  
four miles of ground. Ore bodies  
are in sight as follows:

South Pole	\$ 300,000
North Pole	11,000,000
Columbia	3,000,000
E & E	3,000,000
Golconda	500,000

A large force of men are now work-  
ing on the South Pole and in 6 months  
will put four times as much ore in  
sight than at present. See maps and  
photographs at office of T. Gahagan,  
Hartman's abstract office.