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Strikers will Abide by Mitchell's Decision.

Wilkes Barre, Pa., Oct. 5.—The time has arrived in the coal strike when it, will either end quickly or drag along probably for many months, and it is for the strikes to decided which it is to be. President Mitchell said of the first district which is composed of Luzerne and Lackawanna Counties, and has 75,000 miners, that the men would be satisfied with three concessions-an increase of 10 per cent; reduction of the price of powder to $150 a keg, and pay every two weeks. The big companies have granted all of this except the last. As for the pay every two weeks, the strikers can have that if they desire it. The semi-monthly payment bill is a law, and can be enforced without strikes or arbitration. It is understood that many companies are willing to pay fortnightly, if their employes want it.

Many say that the decision of the individual operators to advance wages is the one thing required to bring the strikers and the operators to agree. Other students of the situation declare that the strikes have tied the region up so throughly that they are now eager to prolong the strike in the hope of getting more concessions out of the operators.

The general opinion here is that it will be wise for the miners to accept what is not offered them.

Already a number are anxious to return to work, and there have been several applications to the local unions for relief, These appeals for aid will increase radidly in the next week or two, and will compel the unions to draw on their National treasury. President Mitchell is anxious to avoid this if possible, and it is a question also how long the strike fund would last. Most of the strikers can take care of themselves until November 1, but then the union must aid them. The local lodges have little money, and could do practically nothing.

It is the opinion of many who understand the situation that everything points to a ready settlement, and it is thought that President Mitchell will call a convention of delegates from all the colleries within a few days.

British Have 16,000 Boer Prisoners

London, Oct. 6.—A dispatch received from Lord Roberts, dated Friday, October 5, says:

"The number of prisoners captured or surrendered is daily increasing and must now aggregate nearly 16,000 men. Commandant Muller has surrendered to Cloy, and Commandant Dierkson and others are on their way to Pretoria to surrender.

"A detachment of the London Irish endeavored to surpsise a party of Boers near Burtfonstein, but had to return after an half hour's fighting with six wounded men. The Boers suffered heavily."

Boy Burned to death Playing Indian.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 6.—Eddie McBride, 10 years old, died today from burns received while playing "Indian" with companions. McBride was tied to a stake and his clothing saturated with gasoline and then ignited. The boy broke loose and ran screaming to his home, where he died.

Decline in Sugar.

New York, Oct. 3.—The sugar market is demoralized. The American Company has reduced its prices for refined 15 points. Arbuckle Bros. have reduced their list prices 20 points for fine granulated. This is 5 points under the American and other refineries, and it is rumored that other, independent refineries are making reductions of 25 per cent.

Arbuckle Bros, have cut the price of refined sugar to 75 and withdrawn all guarantees. The independent refiners also have cut the price to $.75. This leaves the price of the American Company 5 points below that of other companies.

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Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Boers Capture a British Convoy and Wreck a Train.

London, Oct. 3.—The following dispatch has been received from Lord Roberts:

Pretoria, Oct. 2.—A convoy of 22 wagons, escorted by 60 mounted men, was attacked by 140 Boers October 1, near Dejagers Drift, while on the way to Vryheid. Twelve of the men escaped. The fate of the others is not known.

The Boers derailed a train near Pan yesterday evening. Five Coldstream Guards were killed and 19 injured.

"Commandant Dicksen, who has surrendered after a personal visit to Komatiport to assure himself that Kruger had gone into Portuguese territory."

China Ordered Foreign Ministers All Killed.

Berlin, Oct. 3.—Official advices from Pekin, dated September 23, assert that a further examination of the Chinese noncommissoned officer accused of the murder of Baron von Ketteler resulted in this statement:

"June 10 I and my people received orders to shoot foreign ministers wherever we came across them."

The prisoner, however, now denies that the order was to shoot a minister, and he declared himself unable to say which prince gave the order.

Some concern is expressed in Pekin regarding the plans of the Germans, who are bringing a large force, which is expected to embark on a campaign of revenge. It is predicted this will seriously delay the establishment of peace.

The Villalobos Safe.

Washington, Oct. 3.—The dispatch from General MacArthur last week announcing the disaster sustained Captain Shields' party on the Island of Marinduque left in doubt the fate of the gunboat Villalobos, which conveyed the troops to Terrijas. In consequence the navy department has been receiving a number of telegrams and letters from friends and relatives of the crew of the gunboat asking for information as to the affair. A cablegram was sent to Rear-Admiral Kempff, at Cavite, and the rolling reply has been received:

"Cavite, P. I., Oct. 3.—Secretary Navy, Washington: No truth in any unfavorable reports concering Villalobos or her crew. Manila paper of September 8 published false reports. Kempff."

Kruger Must Stop Talking.

New York, Oct. 3.—A dispatch to the Journal & Advertiser from Lourenco Marques, says:

The restrictions around Kruger are increasing and he is virtually a prisoner. He has been allowed to use the Portuguese governor's carriage. While driving yesterday he met a party of burghers and made them a patriotic speech. The governor has now refused the use of the carriage. Kruger has been warned to make no more speeches and is forbidden to wear the green sash that is the insignir of his office.

Kruger expects to sail on a Dutch cruiser for Holland next week.

Honors for the Dead.

Taku, Monday, Oct. 1.—The Dowager Empress has deputed the highest officials of the empire to make all necessary arrangements for a most imposing funeral in honor of Baron von Ketteler, the late German Minister to China. She has also ordered the erection of a suitable temple at the capital to his memory. The superintendent of trade at Tien Tsin has been ordered to meet the body on its arrival here and the highest officials of the port will pay the highest honor to the dead.

An imperial edict degrades from all ranks and offices Prince Tuan, Lan Yi, Kang Yi, Tung Fuh Siang and others concerned in the Boxer movement.

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FINANCIAL CONDITION OF COOS COUNTY

Semi-annual report of the County Clerk of Coos County, State of Oregon, showing the amount and number of claims allowed by the County Court of said county, for what allowed, amount of warrants drawn, and amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid, from the 1st day of April, 1900, to the 30th day of September, 1900, both inclusive:

Justice Courts	$ 577 65
Circuit Court	1237 55
Stationery, printing, telephone, etc	1010 49
Infirmary	1105 71
Indigents and insane	1429 24
Roads and bridges	10752 37
Road supervisors	587 56
Salaries of officials	6225 94
Court-room, furniture	700 00
Smallpox quarantine	101 50
Election	756 80
Registration of voters	167 40
Miscellaneous	532 27
Total amount claims allowed and drawn	$25214 48
Outstanding unpaid county warrants on the 30th day of September, 1900	$ 94463 43
Estimated interest accrued thereon	18000 00
Total amount of unpaid County warrants and interest	$112463 43

Semi-annual Summary Statement of the financial condition of the County of Coos, in the State of Oregon, on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1900:

To warrants drawn on the county treasurer, and outstanding and unpaid	$94463 43
To estimated amount of interest accrued thereon	18000 00
Total liabilities	$112463 43
By funds in the hands of county treasurer applicable to the payment of county warrants	$ 11204 85
By estimated unpaid current taxes applicable to the payment of county warrants, 1893	649 30
Unpaid taxes for 1894	1970 99
" " " 1895	2303 74
" " " 1896	2948 77
" " " 1897	4408 60
" " " 1898	5649 19
" " " 1899	19903 12
Total resources	$49038 49
By balance—Net indebtedness	$63424 94
	$112363 43

STATE OF OREGON } ss.
COUNTY OF COOS. }

I, L. H. Hazard, County Clerk of the County of Coos, State of Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the number and amount of claims allowed by the County Court of said county for the six months ending on the 30th day of Sept., 1900, on what account the same were allowed, and the amount of warrants drawn, and the amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid as the same appear upon the records of my office and in my official custody.

Witness my hand and the seal of the county court of said county this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1900.

{SEAL}

L. H. HAZARD,
County Clerk.

Sheriff's Statement.

Semi-annual statement of the amount of money and warrants received for taxes, and money paid to the county treasurer by the sheriff of Coos county, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 30th dav of September, A. D. 1900.

1900.	To amount received in coin and currency during the month of April	$ 5712 36
"	To amount received in county warrants during the month of April	170 23
"	To amount received in coin and currence during the month of May	2574 26
"	To amount received in coin and currency during the month of June	11179 16
"	To amount received in coin and currency during the month of July	10848 68
"	To amount received in coin and currency during the month of August	2431 61
"	To amount received in coin and currency during the month of September	975 32
	Total amount collected	$33891 62
1900.	By amount paid to county treasurer in coin and currency during the month of April	5712 36
"	By amount paid to county treasurer in county warrants during the month of April	170 23
"	By amount paid to county treasurer in coin and currency during the month of May	2574 26
"	By amount paid to county treasurer in coin and currency during the month of June	11179 16
"	By amount paid to county treasurer in coin and currency during the month of July	10848 68
"	By amount paid to county treasurer in coin and currency during the month of August	2431 61
"	By amount paid to county treasurer in coin and currency during the month of September	975 32
	Total amount paid to treasurer	$33891 62

STATE OF OREGON } ss
COUNTY OF COOS. }

I, Stephen Gallier, sheriff of said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement in correct and true.

Witness my hand this 1st day of October, A. D. 1900.

STEPHEN GALLIER,
Sheriff of Coos County.

Gravel Ford Dots.

Gravel Ford Oct. 5th.—Some sickness seems to prevail throughout the East Fork section. Mrs. Lucinda Krantz is quite sick and Dr. Leep was up, and at last reports she was some better. Also one of M. J. Krantz,s little girls is quite sick. Dr. Leep was up to-day to see her. Sam Stout who has had quite a seige with blood poison in one of his fingers is getting better.

Uncle James Laird brought in from Douglas a load of peaches, solbout and took back a quantity of silver sides Ye Scribe bought one and they were fine fish, caught in the waters of the Coquille.

The Weekly Bros are hauling logs at Ed. Lamb's.

Geo. Folsome has built a new house and moved his family in to the same.

The farmers are laying in winter supplies of flour, salt and groceries kerosene and so forth.

Fred Nosler of the creamery has bought out J. M. Bright in the store business so the two stores at Gravel Ford are combined in one.

J. M. Bright has moved on to his farm and H. Walermire has taken posession of his old place below Gravel Ford.

The bridge near I. T. Weekly is nearly completed.

Ye scribe took the new road and crossed the fine bridge at the cooper place. I would advise the supervisor to make the grade east of Mr. Coopers about one inch wider before some wagon goes over and some one is hurt as I consider it dangerous.

The Minard Bros are rebuilding the mill.

Coleman Gillespie Hanged.

Coleman Gillespie, the Curry county outlaw, paid the death penalty for his crime, the robbery and murder of old Mrs. Edson, on the 5th inst. His conduct while in prison was such that the governor did not feel justified in commuting his sentence of death to life imprisonment, and therefore allowed the order of the court to be carried out, notwithstanding the efforts of relatives to intervene.

When you have no appetite, do not relish your food and feel dull after eating you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at R. S. Knowlton's drug store.

A Reception.

A committee of representatives of the town churches met in the M. E. church Oct. 1, 1900. Mr. Eckles called the meeting to order and entertained nominations for chairman. Mr. Hawkins was nominated and duly elected.

Miss Maddocks was elected secretary.

Mrs. Eckles then stated the objects of the meeting to be for the purpose or arranging for a reception to the incoming ministers. By note it was decided to give a public reception.

The following churches were offered: The M. E church, South Methodist, the Christian and Presbyterian churches.

Mr. Hazard made a motion that we accept the offer of the S. Methodist church. The motion was seconded and carried.

The question of time was next taken up. By vote it was decided to give the reception a week from Thursday night, Oct. 18.

Mr. Eckles moved that one from each church form a committee of reception.

The following were chosen: From the Christian, Claude Nosler; Episcopal, V. R. Wilson; South Methodist, J. J. Lamb; M. E. church, F. A. Tozier; Presbyterian, W. S. Perry. The chairman appointed Miss Quick from the Baptist and R. D. Sanford from the Redeemed of Israel. Mr. Stine was appointed committee at large and to deliver the address of welcome.

Mrs. Hall made a motion that we have a program committee of three. Seconded and carried.

The chair appointed Mrs. Maury, Mrs. Eckles, Mrs. Hall.

Motion was made that the musical director of the Choral society have charge of the music for the evening.

Motion was made by Mr. Eckles to adjourn. Carried.

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G. M. Short has been commissoned a notary public by Governor Geer.

A. H. Black & Co. have furnished their fruit evaporator with wooden trays which are a great improvement over the wire ones formerly used. They have 3000 pounds of fine prunes ready for shipment.

Contractor Ridinger has completed the new bridge across the North fork at the Cooper place, and Monday it was inspected by the county commissioners and accepted. The bridge is pronounced the best in the county, and is 818 feet in length, with a span of 220 feet.

Wednesday Warren Deyoe shot at a chicken on the street back of the store, and the bullet from his 22 cal. rifle struck a board and glanced, passing through the office window and striking his father, who was on the opposite side of the store, in the shoulder, but was too far spent to penetrate. Mr. Lehmanowsky, who was sitting near the window, had his face slightly cut by flying glass.

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Dated this 31st day of July, 1900.

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W. D. Wasson, the miner of Eckley, moved to Josephine county last week. His daughter and son-in law, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Hall of stave mill accompanied them.

Death of Chasrles D. Elliott.

The members of Gen Lytte Post, G. A. R., has been called upon again to pay the last solemn tribute to one of their number. Chas. D. Elliott, well and favorably known in this county for the past 17 years passed away at his home in Coquille City on Thursday morning of last week. Mr. Elliott has been a sugerer from injuries received during the rebellion ever since that cruel war. He leaves a wife and two married daughters and 16-year old son. The family have the sympathy of the entire community. The funeral was conducted by the members of the G. A. R., and was carried out in real miliary style. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Hunter, assisted by Rev. Stine, one of the members of the old veterans' fraternity. The following named old veterans were in attendance from different points in the county: Dr. S. L. Roberds, J. W. Felter, W. M. Vandecar, O. F. Topping, R. W. Lundy, B. H. Haskin, M. I. Swift, Maj. A. W. Rogers, W. R. King, G. W. Pembrook, L. Harlacker, W. E. McDuffee, Jos. Waltermier, G. W. Steele, D. P. Strang, C. A. Stine, Wm. Hite, J. Quick, Mr. Wilson, W. F. Kennedy, Mr. Waters and Mr. Colton.

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The Junior League Program Oct. 14, 1900.

Topic: Be his messinger; hymn No. 32; scripture lesson, Prov. 25: 8-13; prayer; roll call, answer by scripture verse; hymn, No. 26; selected reading by Ray Hall; the missionary pig, by Virgil Wilson; superintendent's talk; practical application, by Miss Lukens; hymn, No. 182; close with concert prayer, "Dear father make us each a messinger for thee for Jesus' sake, amen.

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235	"	" " " improved,	4,000
320	"	" " " part improved,	1,500
163	"	" " " " "	2,000
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80	acres	well improved and well located,	$ 6,000
38	"	finely improved " " "	5,500
36	"	well " " " "	3,000
47	"	" " " " "	3,000
40	"	partly " " " "	1,600
120	"	well " " " "	3,200
40	"	finely " " " "	3,200
300	"	bottom land, 25 acres improved, well located,	5,000
280	"	" " part cleared, and well located,	7,000
37	"	" " finely improved, " "	3,700
80	"	bottom and hill, part cleared,	2,000
140	"	all bottom land, 25 acres improved,	3,500
37	"	mostly bottom, 10 acres cleared,	800
80	"	15 bottom cleared, house, barn, orchard,	1,500

Small Places Near Town.

37	acres,	buildings, good orchard,	$ 1,100
15	"	fine home	1,600
2½	"	small house, barn	600
5	"	bench and bottom, creek, new house	900
14	"	bench and bottom, house and barn	700

Residences in Town.

6	lots, house, barn, garden, creek	$ 600
3	lots, new house, bottom garden	600
2	lots and good house, centre of town	600
4	fine lots, shrubbery, good house, barn and shop	1,100
3	lots, house, cheap barn, spring branch	350
2	lots, house and shrubbery	325
1	lot, large house, well located	900
	House, barn and parcel of land near business	1,000

Coquille Unimproved Property.

2	finely located residence lots	$ 500
2	lots near business part of town	300
2	inside lots, near courthouse	200
2	corner lots, " "	225
	Parcel near Academy, 400x348 feet	700
6	choice oval residence lots, well back	400
	100x100 feet on corner near school	225