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WAITING GAME BEING PLAYED PHILADELPHIA

Large Number of Police Who Have Been on Almost Constant Duty Allowed to Go to Their Homes—Car of Dynamite Stolen and People Are Apprehensive.

STATEWIDE STRIKE NOW A POSSIBILITY

Canvass by Leading Newspaper Indicates That 35,000 Men Have Quit Work—Strikers, However, Maintain 150,000 Are Out.

PHILADELPHIA, March 8.—City authorities this afternoon announced that information in their possession indicated that nearly all members of the building trades who struck last Friday at midnight have returned to work. Strikers, however, deny any defections and insist that more men joined the walk-out today.

Both sides are playing a waiting game. As an indication of the quiet conditions, director of public safety Henry Clay said that many police, heretofore on almost constant duty, had been allowed to go to their homes.

Searching for Dynamite.
Director of public safety Henry Clay today requisitioned every police officer and detective that can be spared from patrol duty to search for a carload of dynamite that disappeared mysteriously from the yards of the Pennsylvania railroad in West Philadelphia.

The car containing the dynamite arrived here early yesterday. It was shunted into the West Philadelphia yards, where it was thought it would not be discovered by the strike sympathizers.

Last evening the yard officials telephoned to Clay the startling news that the dynamite had disappeared. Clay immediately notified police authorities and two-score officers and police detectives were detailed upon the case.

Will Pay Reward.

With the knowledge that hundreds of sticks of explosives may be in the hands of the strikers, the authorities are confronted today with the actual situation they have feared since the strike began.

While it is not known positively that the explosive has fallen into the hands of the strikers, large quantities of dynamite seldom are stolen in times of industrial peace. It was reported today that a liberal reward would be paid by the city, and a second by the company, to which the shipment of dynamite was consigned, for information that would lead to the apprehension of the thieves.

State Leaders Differ.

The eyes of the strikers, of their opponents and sympathizers are turned today toward Newcastle, where the state federation of labor is in session.

The labor men predict that the federation will decide to call a sympathetic strike of union men and women throughout Pennsylvania, business men, however, declaring that they do not expect such an extreme measure on the part of the state labor organization.

The announcement of the possibility of a statewide strike came as a surprise to the majority of citizens here. It is believed that only a few labor leaders knew such a plan was being considered by federation leaders.

A Waiting Game.

Officials of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company today announced that the strike of their carmen was broken. They claimed that they were running a normal service. Their assertion was supported somewhat by an increased number of persons who rode on the cars. The heavy police guards and police patrol along the carlines was not withdrawn.

Arrest of a Philadelphia Rioter; Rescuing Battered Strike Breaker.



ARRESTING A RIOTER



STRIKE BREAKER SAVED BY POLICE AFTER HAVING BEEN ASSAULTED

Philadelphia's great trolley men's strike, marked by violence and resistance to authority, will rank among the worst disturbances of the kind in the country's history. Hundreds of arrests made in a day, injuries to scores of persons sent to the hospitals and fatalities from bullets, missiles and beatings left the authorities in no doubt as to the seriousness of the problem that confronted them. The pictures show the arrest of a rioter by a mounted policeman, the latter having a revolver in his hand, and the rescue of a strike breaker after he had been badly beaten by members of the mob.

TAKING FURTHER TESTIMONY IN THE NOTED BRADSHAW SUIT

Additional testimony is being taken today in the circuit court in the Bradshaw suit and the case will probably be taken under advisement by Judge Calkins until March 28, the opening of the new term.

The case is suit in equity in which the property of the late W. H. Bradshaw, for many years a prominent citizen and populist politician and official of this county is involved. The suit was brought by one of the decedent's daughters, Mrs. Effie Terrell, who was practically disinherited by her father at his death and also in a division of certain property prior to his death among his children. The plaintiff is now bringing suit to annul the deed, which it is alleged, was made just prior to Judge Bradshaw's death a year or two ago and while he was under the influence of drugs administered to prolong his life and therefore while he was not in mental condition to make a legal will.

Judge Bradshaw years ago was possessed of 640 acres of land in the Butte creek country, and though he was land poor in those days, he was ambitious to own more and purchased another 320 acres adjoining.

NEAR STRIKE DOES NOT DELAY RAILROAD WORK

Thirty men employed by the Gold Hill Railroad & Lumber company threw down their tools and declared that they would work no longer Tuesday, on being informed that they were to receive \$2.25 per day, instead of \$2.50, which they claimed they understood they were to get when they hired. The trouble was the result of a misunderstanding between the agent who hired the men and the officers of the company.

None of the local men employed on the job participated in the strike. The strikers were all transients who

with the understanding between his four children. It is alleged, that they would join with him in working to pay off it, he to retain the title, but they in due time to apportioned a farm each off the big family holdings of nearly a thousand acres. The division was made in due time, but later the father became displeased with his daughter who is now plaintiff and took from her possession a certain 80 acres allotted to her which had been planted to fruit and produced handsome returns which had enabled the family indebtedness to be cleared. This particular tract is now under a contract for sale for \$49,000 and an injunction to restrain this sale pending a determination of the matters in court is one of the incidents of the proceedings now under way. The deed which it is sought to break by the plaintiff disposes of all the property to the widow and favored children, and includes besides the large and valuable landed interests in the Butte Creek region, city property in Medford to the value of \$15,000 or \$20,000, all of which it is sought to throw into the Bradshaw estate for equal division among the legal heirs.

had been hired at Medford, and after receiving their money, which was paid promptly, they left town. Their places were immediately filled, even a larger force being put on Wednesday than had been at work before the strike.

The work of clearing the site for the mill and lime kiln is progressing rapidly. The work has been hindered somewhat by having to come into town for their meals. The camp cooking outfit came Thursday and is now in operation.

H. Von der Hellen of Wellen was a visitor in Medford Tuesday.

CUDAHY WOULD LET DEAD PAST BURY ITS DEAD

Millionaire Lillis Will Carry Deep Scars From Knife of John P. Cudahy to the Grave—Separation of Cudahys Certain to Follow Sunday Morning's Battle.

LILLIS WILL NOT PUSH CASE AGAINST PACKER

Tendency on Part of All Concerned is to Let Matter Drop as Rapidly as Possible—Mrs. Cudahy Will Not Ask Divorce.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 8.—Jere F. Lillis will wear deep scars from the knife of John P. Cudahy all his life; Mrs. John P. Cudahy probably will return to the home of her parents in Omaha; an action at law for separation and a legal struggle for possession of the Cudahy children are expected today to be the only publicly apparent results of the sensational fight at the Cudahy home Sunday morning.

It is definitely known that Cudahy will not be prosecuted for his attack upon Lillis, unless Lillis should die of his wounds, which is not considered probable.

On all sides the efforts to "hush up" the affair are very apparent. Would Drop It.

Cudahy is willing to let the whole affair drop out of public notice as quickly as it will. Lillis, it appears, is more than willing. General John C. Cowan, father of Mrs. Cudahy, said today that while he believed his daughter had been grossly wronged by the statements of her husband, that for the sake of the children he considered it best to say as little as possible.

It was thought that Lillis could be removed to his home from St. Mary's hospital today, but the doctors decided that this would be unwise.

After remaining quiet until tomorrow, however, it is believed that he will be able to stand the shock of being removed. The wounds on his face and about his mouth make it very difficult for him to speak, but he has informed his counsel that he does not desire to push the case against Cudahy.

No Divorce.

The announcement by General Cowan that his daughter will not sue for divorce, but that she will never live with her husband again, has caused much speculation.

Both Mrs. Cudahy and her husband profess deep affection for the five children and the public here is intensely interested in knowing what kind of arrangement can be made. It is stated that Mrs. Cudahy will not ask a divorce "for the sake of the children."

Cudahy remained silent today and refused all efforts to get him to talk.

He would give no hint as to what his plans are. He has arranged to live for the present at the Coates house.

"I can stand everything that they are saying in the papers and out of them" is his only reply. "I guess I have already been hardened to gossip and talk. I positively will not make a statement for publication."

New Theaters for Coast.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Thirteen new theaters on the Pacific coast, six of which are planned for California cities, will be built within the coming year, according to the George C. Tyler, representative of Liebler & Co. The new play houses which will be added to the chain of Shubert theaters will be built in San Francisco, Portland, Los Angeles, Tacoma, Seattle, Vancouver, Oakland, Butte, Spokane, Salt Lake, Fresno, Sacramento, San Diego and San Jose. It was stated that the houses will represent an investment of \$6,000,000.

Women Who Carried Anti-Liquor War Into the Halls of Congress.



Legislation aimed at keeping liquor advertisements out of the mails, prohibiting the interstate traffic in liquor is the object of the visit to Washington of Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens and Miss Anna A. Gordon, president and honorary secretary, respectively, of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union. The anti-liquor fight in Washington of Mrs. Stevens and Miss Gordon is an outgrowth and part of a movement by the union in the States. The two anti-liquor advocates have already spoken in several large cities of this country and will go abroad in May to attend the triennial world's convention of the union to be held in Glasgow June 4-11. Mrs. Stevens is the successor of Miss Frances Willard as president of the union, becoming its acting president in 1898 after Miss Willard's death. Miss Gordon was Miss Willard's private secretary for the last five years.

SCALELESS FISH IN BUTTE CREEK

If Lime and Sulphur Spray Works on Trees, Why Shouldn't It Work on Fish? Maybe It Will, and in the Near Future.

If lime and sulphur works on fish like it does on trees, there will be scaleless fish in Little Butte creek this year, and the boss fishermen of the city can make new records. How the fish came to be sprayed was more accident than intention.

Lee Bradshaw sent a man with a team in from the Bradshaw ranch on Little Butte for a load of spray material. There is a short cut to the ranch by way of a ford across the creek, and the teamster on his return took the short cut. The water had risen during his absence and the bank on the farther side had been washed out to some extent. As a consequence, when the team scrambled out and pulled the front wheels up on the bank the angle was so steep that barrels, man and all rolled out of the rear end of the wagon. Three of the barrels burst upon the rocks and filled the stream with an evil-smelling, greenish compound, through which the driver finally managed to swim to the shore. The creek for some distance was colored with the substance.

"If that stuff works on fish like it does on trees, there'll be no scale on any Butte creek trout this year, and I believe I'm pretty near immune, too," is the teamster's assertion.

HITCHING RACKS ARE TO BE PROVIDED

Merchants' Association Appoints a Committee to Meet City Council to Provide Hitching Racks.

At a meeting of the Merchants' Association held Monday evening a committee of three, W. W. Elfert, H. A. Thieroff and T. E. Daniels was appointed to confer with the city council in regard to securing hitching posts and racks for out of town people. The matter will be followed closely until a suitable place has been secured.

OREGON SHORT LINE BLOCKED

But Only for Ten Hours, and Overlands Are Still Running East by Way of Medford—Eastern Mails Are Delayed.

OGDEN, Utah, March 8.—Seven eastbound overland trains of the Southern Pacific road which left San Francisco at intervals during the last two weeks arrived here today.

The trains had been stalled at Battle Mountain, Nevada, by washouts of track. After waiting several days they were sent back to California as far as Sacramento and thence detoured Northward to Portland.

From Portland they started over the Oregon Short Line for this city. The trains again were blocked at Orchard, Idaho, by the breaking of a government dam. The overlands were tied up for ten hours.

Southern Pacific officials here announced that the main line through Utah and Nevada will be opened next Sunday. During the suspension of traffic eight train crews were laid off by the railroad division officials here.

With the opening of the line next Sunday the local freight service, which has been badly congested, will be readjusted.

The blockade on the Oregon Short Line Monday did not effect this city in any way other than delaying eastern mails.

MADRIZ MAY ARREST ALL REVOLUTIONISTS

Rumors Rife Today That President May Send Army to Occupy Bluefields—Unrest Is Shown.

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, March 8.—Citizens of this city were excited today by a report that an army dispatched by President Madriz was on the way to attack Bluefields.

Reports that Madriz will seek to arrest all the revolutionary leaders now in refuge and hold them until General Estrada formally surrenders, or until peace is declared are rife.

COMMISSION WILL SOON BE OUT FOR COIN

Crater Lake Highway Commission Will Meet Wednesday Evening to Formulate Plans for Solicitation of Subscriptions Toward the Building of the Road.

GREAT INTEREST EXPRESSED FROM ALL PARTS OF STATE

Bylaws for Government of Commission Will Be Adopted Tomorrow Evening and Then Work Will Be Undertaken in Earnest.

The Crater Lake highway commission will hold a meeting Wednesday evening at which time the active work of soliciting for \$100 subscriptions will be under way. After tomorrow the work will be carried on actively in Southern Oregon and all over the state. It is believed that there will be little trouble in securing the 1000 signatures pledging \$100 each. Five hundred names are expected from Jackson county alone.

At Wednesday evening's session the committee on bylaws appointed last week will report and the rules for the government of the commission will be adopted. The committee consists of Messrs. Waterman, Heard, Keene, Vawter and Westerland.

Great interest is being taken in all sections of the state in regard to the determination of the Medford boosters to build the road. It is proving one of the greatest advertisements the city has ever seen.

Prominent men in all sections of the state are writing to the committee pledging their \$100 to the building of the road. One of these, Judge Carey of Portland, who visited the lake last summer, stated to Will G. Steel, in pledging his contribution: "This \$100 is for the benefit of the entire state, but it expresses my appreciation of the Medford spirit—the spirit which builds cities and makes them famous—more particularly. Success to the movement."

Will G. Steel is now in Washington on business in connection with the building of the road and will soon return.

After Wednesday evening's session the work of soliciting subscriptions will start in earnest.

GREAT PREPARATIONS FOR TEDDY'S COMING

Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Ethel Will Meet Him in Khartoum on St. Patrick's Day.

KHARTOUM, Egypt, March 8.—Extensive preparations are being made in this city for the entertainment of Colonel Roosevelt and his family upon their arrival here. Roosevelt, now sailing down the Nile aboard the government steamer Dal, is expected to arrive here March 17.

Mrs. Roosevelt and daughter Ethel have reached Cairo, which they expect to leave Thursday for Khartoum to meet Roosevelt.

It is hoped by the officials here that the former president can be prevailed to remain here four days before proceeding on his homeward journey.

As Alexandria is the headquarters of a band of anarchists, the authorities are working out an elaborate scheme to prevent any attempt to injure Colonel Roosevelt during his stay here. While he is in Khartoum the famous American will be feted and dined by the British and Egyptian officials.

Among the scenes which it is planned to have Roosevelt see are a number of ancient temples, the Sphinx, the Pyramids and the palace