

# IS NOW UP TO OPERATORS

## The Conference Is Brought to An End

### INTERVIEW WITH MITCHELL

#### Has Been Called Off by the Anthracite Coal Roads Men

#### ANNOUNCEMENT WAS A SURPRISE TO ALL CONCERNED WHO BELIEVED MATTER ABOUT SETTLED A BRITISH EMPLOYEES PROTEST

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—All prospects for an understanding between the United Mineworkers and the Coal Operators' Union with the anthracite coal strike commission came to a sudden termination this afternoon through the receipt of a dispatch to Wayne McVeagh, notifying him that at a meeting of the anthracite coal road men in New York today, it had been decided not to grant an interview to Mitchell and his associates.

The announcement, coming as it did, after an all-day conference in this city between McVeagh and Mitchell and associates, in the endeavor to adjust the details of the proposed agreement between the operators and the miners, completely surprised everyone here.

#### Independent Operators Protest

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—A serious hitch occurred today in the plans for settlement of the coal controversy by a conference between the coal operators and the miners' union. It is almost certain that the final adjustment of the points at issue will be referred again to the Gray commission.

#### Mitchell Is Confident

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 25.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, accompanied by his counsel, arrived from Washington tonight. Mr. Mitchell was asked if he considered that the action of the coal road presidents had weakened their case before the commission. He said:

#### Operators Are Gloating

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 25.—The independent coal operators committee returned from New York tonight.

#### Will Ignore Protest

London, Nov. 25.—The plan of the Americans, paying good wages and encouraging employees to increase the daily output, which was introduced by the manager of the American Electrical Works at Manchester, has been formally protested against by the Employees' Federation of that district.

#### Situation Is Better

Washington, Nov. 25.—A cablegram received at the State Department from Minister Squires, at Havana, reports that the Government is taking a firm stand and that the strike situation is better.

#### VICTIM OF TYPHOID

#### MISS MAUD EDWARDS SUCUMB TO RAVAGES OF THE DISEASE

After a brief illness of only ten days, Miss Maud Edwards, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards, died at her home in Yew Park at 8 o'clock last evening, aged 16 years, of typhoid fever.

The deceased has lived in or near this city for the past ten years, and through her gentle, modest and affectionate disposition, has cultivated a host of friends, all of whom will deeply mourn her comparatively sudden and untimely death. For the past year she has filled a responsible position in the Thomas Kay Woolen Mills, of this city, very creditably and a bright future was certainly in store for her.

She was taken ill on Saturday evening, November 15th, and, although her condition was deemed serious and uncertain at all times, she seemed to be holding her own admirably in her battle with the dread disease until a few days ago, when she began showing marked signs of improvement, when she suddenly took a turn for the worse and she sank rapidly until the end came.

Besides the grief-stricken parents, she leaves one sister and three brothers

to mourn her demise, which comes as a severe shock to all who saw her upon the streets not two weeks ago, a perfect picture of health.

Although the funeral arrangements have not been definitely decided upon, it is quite probable that it will take place tomorrow.

### WILL CONTEST CONSTITUTION

#### The Suffrage Clause Will Be Attacked

### COUNSEL FOR COLORED MEN

#### Will Issue Unlimited Number of Suit Forms For Distribution

#### SO THAT THOSE REFUSED REGISTRATION MAY BRING ACTION FOR DAMAGES AT ONCE

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 25.—John S. Wise, counsel for the colored contestants of the new constitution, has taken steps for issuing an unlimited number of printed suit forms and their distribution broadcast through Virginia so that each negro who was denied registration under the suffrage clause may fill in as many as necessary and file them in the nearest District Court of the United States for that particular district of Virginia, bringing suit for \$5,000 damages against every individual member of the constitutional convention, the Governor, three members of the registration board who refused to register him, and three judges at the plaintiff's voting place.

#### Cleveland Has Accepted

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 25.—Grover Cleveland has accepted an invitation to preside at a public meeting to be held here December 11th, in the interests of the Borcan Manual Training and Industrial School for colored people. Cleveland will make an address. Among the other speakers will be Phas, Emory Smith, Colonel A. K. McClure and Booker T. Washington.

#### Deviated From Rule

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 25.—The Democratic State Executive Committee met today and ordered the primary election for the nomination of all state candidates, May 9th, next. The calling of the primary is an innovation with the party in this state, conventions having always been held heretofore.

#### Negroes To Be Sold

Lancaster, Ky., Nov. 25.—Two negro women and one negro man will be sold by the sheriff to the highest bidder before the court house on Friday, one for three months, and the others for two and three years respectively. They were convicted of vagrancy.

#### ALBANY HAS ACCEPTED

#### WILL CONTEST WITH CORVALLIS ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER SIXTH

The Albany College football team has accepted the challenge of the Corvallis College football team, or rather each team has accepted the challenge of the other, and it has been mutually arranged between the managers of the teams to play another game of football on the Albany College campus, on Saturday, December 6th.

The conditions are that each team will pay its own expenses and no gate fee will be charged to spectators. Judd, of Salem, and Hutchinson, of Portland, are the officers of the game agreed upon.

A considerable amount of feeling has been generated recently on account of the rivalry which has developed between the teams and the game promises to be a hot one from start to finish.

J. A. Finch, of Albany, the manager of the college team, was in Salem yesterday, and in discussing the matter said that the Albany team was very confident of winning the game and doing it easily. The Albany team has been increased in strength materially and is receiving substantial support from the Albany people, with a balance of about \$500 to its credit.

#### KILLED BY THE TRAIN

#### OLD AND RESPECTED RESIDENT OF WOODBURN MEETS DEATH UNEXPECTEDLY

WOODBURN, Or., Nov. 25.—Bradford Boynton was struck by the Albany local 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning, and so badly injured that he died at 3 o'clock this afternoon. He was going over the Young street crossing, and being quite deaf did not know of the close proximity of the train until it was within five feet of him, when he jumped, but was caught by the engine and thrown thirty feet. His skull, right shoulder, arm and leg were fractured.

The injured man was taken to his home in this city, where an operation was performed on his skull yesterday afternoon, but the doctors had little hope of his recovery before the operation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Boynton, of Woodburn, and over 50 years of age. He came to Oregon with his parents across the plains in 1850.

The funeral will take place in this city tomorrow, Wednesday, afternoon.

# NEGOTIATIONS COME TO STAY

## No Further Concessions To Be Made

### COLUMBIA AND AMERICA

#### Have Announced That Matter Is at Complete Standstill

#### STATE DEPARTMENT WILL NOT ACCEPT PROPOSITION MADE BY COLOMBIAN GOVERNMENT AND NOW LOOKS LIKE THE NICARAGUAN PROJECT WILL SUCCEED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Secretary Hay, while presenting the subject of the canal negotiations at the Cabinet meeting today, was not able to report that any progress had been made during the past week. In fact, it appears that the negotiations have come to a dead stop, and while no such thing as an ultimatum has passed, the precise situation may be described in the statement that the Colombian Minister here, Concha, has distinctly informed the State Department, that he cannot, in behalf of his Government, accept the first proposition of the United States as a basis for a canal treaty. The State Department has already let it be known that it has come to the end of its concessions, so the chances of a renewal of the negotiations in the near future are not very bright.

This state of affairs will stimulate the negotiations with Nicaragua and Costa Rica for the alternate route, but it now appears that the diplomatic representatives of those countries are not disposed to allow themselves to be used to coerce Colombia, and the desirous of remaining in the background until it shall be clearly established that no treaty can be made between Colombia and the United States.

#### Department of Commerce

Washington, Nov. 25.—The President today informed Representative Hepburn, Chairman of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, that he would appoint a Representative for each of the Government Departments to confer with his committee as to the creation by Congress of a Department of Commerce.

#### Decrease in Revenue

Washington, Nov. 25.—John W. Yerkes, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, in the report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1922, says that by the acts abolishing the war revenue taxes the total revenue has been reduced about \$100,000,000. There has been, however, an increase from the revenue taxes laid on distilled spirits and other objects not affected by the war revenue legislation.

#### DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES

#### JUDGE BOISE EXHIBITS SOME SPIRIT OF HIS EARLY PIONEER DAYS

In the Gibson case, which has held the attention of Judge Boise for two days and nights yet in slight, occurred yesterday afternoon an incident worthy of mention as illustrating the Democratic ideas that Judge Boise has carried with him from the pioneer days. In this case about twenty of the immediate neighbors of the litigants are in attendance as witnesses, and during a very interesting part of the testimony they, in conversation with other spectators, left their seats and crowded up to the railing which separates the bar from the seats provided for spectators. Judge Boise evidently did not notice this diversion, but one of the attorneys for the defendant did, and he broke in upon the proceedings to "pass some caustic criticism upon the action of the 'gallery.'" The remarks of counsel directed the attention of the venerable judge to what had occurred, and also caused the eager crowd to surge back toward the seats. Judge Boise glanced at the shrinking array of his fellow citizens, hushed angrily. He no uncertain tones remarked: "These people have a right to stand up in this court room, if they desire to do so."

The abashed attorney settled back into his chair, and the crowd with visible evidences of satisfaction resumed a place at the rail, and from their advantageous position listened without disturbance to the testimony. Although no man has a more profound respect for the dignity of his official position, Judge Boise never loses sight of the rights of citizens, nor attempts to enforce mere conventionalities. And yet it is safe to say that no man ever sat upon the bench and received more profound respect at the hands of citizens and the bar.

#### THE POLITICAL STATUS

#### REPUBLICAN CONVENTION TONIGHT—PRINTERS ENDORSE FLAGG FOR RECORDER

It is understood that the local trades unions have, after careful consideration of the matter, abandoned the idea of putting a city ticket in the field, but there are candidates upon the other tickets to whom they will doubtless throw their support.

Capital Typographical Union, No. 210, held a special meeting yesterday afternoon, during which the following communication was drafted and will be presented to the Republican city convention, which will be held in the city hall at 8 o'clock tonight:

"Gentlemen: At a special meeting of Capital Typographical Union, No. 210, the undersigned were appointed a committee to recommend for consideration and action the endorsement of persons fully identified with labor organizations and interests.

"Capital Union takes pleasure in presenting the name of E. H. Flagg, an aspirant for the office of city recorder. Mr. Flagg has been identified with

organized labor upward of twenty-five years; and while a member of the Legislature, was ever ready to advocate the passage of any measure advancing the interests of the working classes. Yours respectfully,

"JAS. E. GODFREY,  
"ED. LAMB,  
"GEO. BURNS.  
"Salem, Nov. 25, 1922."

Interest appears to be increasing considerably during the past two weeks and the convention tonight promises unusual interest.

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### STATEMENT OF MR. GOULD

#### In Regard to the Issuance of Circulars

#### BY HAWLEY AND HARRIMAN

#### Says it Was Misstatement of Facts and Perversion of the Truth

#### DECLARES IT WAS SCHEME OF THEIR OWN TO GIVE CONTROL OF COLORADO IRON AND FUEL COMPANY TO EXCLUSION OF HIMSELF

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Gould's expected rejoinder to the circular issued yesterday by Edwin Hawley and E. H. Harriman, relative to the use of his name in sending out requests for proxies to be used at the approaching election of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company, was given out tonight in the form of a statement made to the press. Gould declared the circular in question to be "in some respects a direct misstatement of facts and in others an ingenious perversion of the truth," and expresses the conviction that it was sent out in order to secure control of the property by Hawley and Harriman to the exclusion of himself.

#### DREDGE SANK IN A STORM

#### CONTRACTORS WHO ARE DEEPENING PEARL HARBOR ENTRANCE IN HARD LUCK

HONOLULU, Nov. 18.—The dredger used at Pearl Harbor in deepening the channel under the United States appropriation to improve the harbor and make it a Naval Station, sank to the bottom during a high wind yesterday. Ever since the contract of dredging the channel of Pearl Harbor was undertaken, there has been great difficulty in carrying it out, as the dredgers placed in the channel have been found to be inadequate to the work required of them. The sinking of the dredger is regarded as showing that there will be great difficulty in deepening the channel into Pearl Harbor as provided for by the plans of the American Government. The heavy tides and the strong currents make it a task of the greatest difficulty to dredge the entrance to the harbor.

#### EXCITEMENT IN YUKON

#### A HOT CAMPAIGN ATTENDS ELECTION FIRST MEMBER TO PARLIAMENT

SEATTLE, Nov. 25.—A special to the Post-Intelligencer from Dawson says that the Yukon is wildly excited over the election of a member of Parliament, the first in the history of the country. Ex-Governor Ross and Joseph Clarke are the candidates. Dawson will go for Ross heavily, but Clarke is strong among the miners along the creeks. Ross is at Victoria and will not visit the Yukon, while Clarke is on the stump, holding meetings every night. The fight is a close one and is being hotly contested.

#### TO SUPPORT WILLAMETTE

#### METHODIST CHURCH VOLUNTEER CONVENTION PASSES SUCH RESOLUTION

EUGENE, Or., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—The Eugene District Laymen Volunteer Convention of the M. E. Church tonight by passing resolutions pledged support to the Willamette University and to the Pacific Christian Advocate. There were about fifty visiting delegates.

#### ROYALTY PAID FARE

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Windsor is deserted by royalty, says a Tribune dispatch from London. The royal train are constantly in use during the present reign. Each leading railway company has constructed at its own expense a special train which is reserved for the exclusive use of royalty. One company has two trains, one for the King, the other for the Queen. These trains are paid for by the King or Queen's Treasurer on the following plan: First-class fare is charged for every member of the royal party and a shilling is added for each mile traveled.

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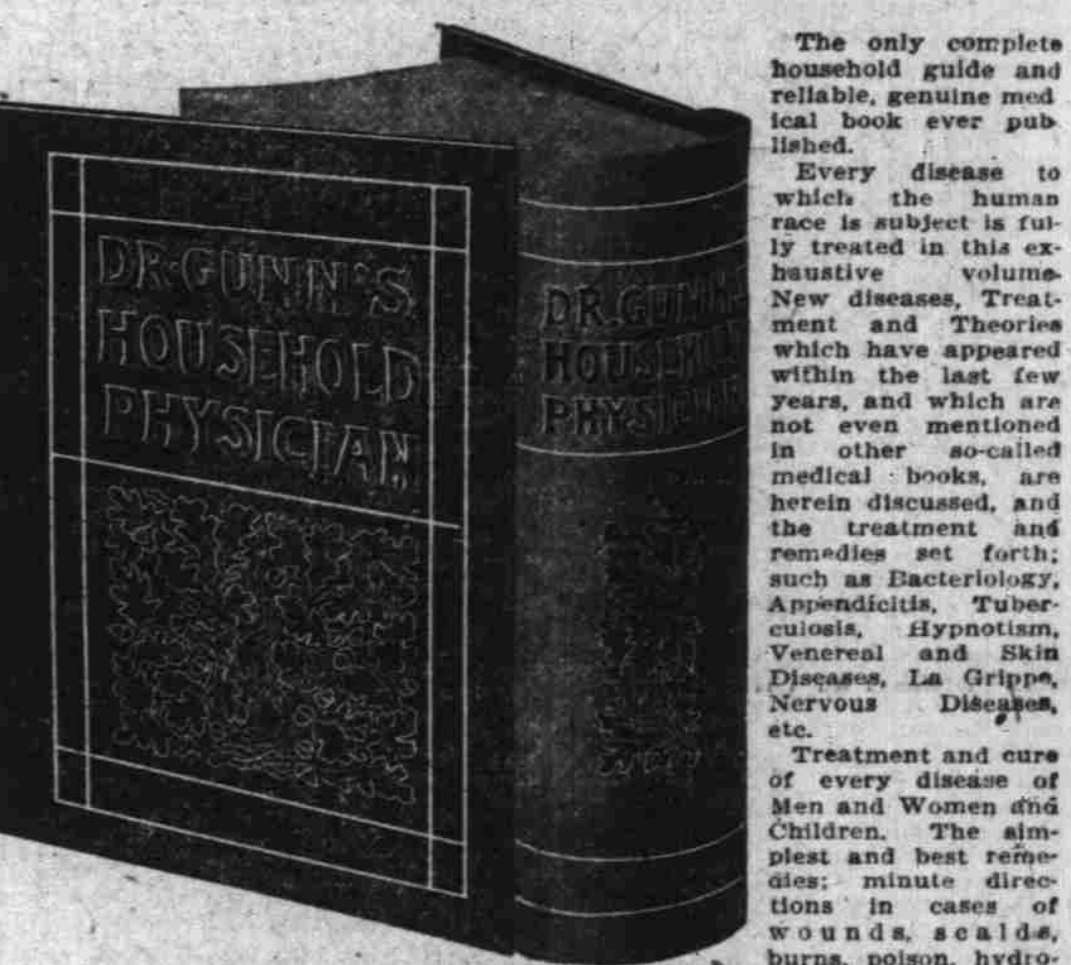
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