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# **ASKING FOR LAW** TO STOP STRIKE

TO CALL EXTRA SESSION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA LEG-ISLATURE.

Arbitration.

#### OPERATORS UNYIELDING AS TO BASIS OF SETTLEMENT

SEVEN ALLEGED RIOTERS HELD ON CHARGE OF CAUSING DEATH OF AN ITALIAN STRIKER AT MALTBY.

Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 11.-The conference committee of the People's Al- ernor to New York will be discussed, liance appointed at their convention at | but beyond that he did not know what Hazelton last Thursday, appeared before the governor would have to say. Governor Stone this afternoon and submitted a plan for effecting a settlement of the anthracite coal strike. Their plan men who are alleged to have particiconsists of calling an extra session of pated in the riot at Maltby last Monthe legislature to enact laws for com- day morning, which resulted in the chief justice against Clark: J. P. Caldpulsory arbitration; better control of killing of an Italian striker named Cas-

the alliance represented the business was furnished. The names of the de- Modell of Concord, H. A. Page of Aberpeople of the hard coal districts and fendants are: John Vahonic, Terrence deen, W. A. Blair, John W. Fries, that its purpose was to secure a set- Roach, John McCarthy, David Welch, Lindsay Patterson of Winston and othtlement of the strike. There was no John Sanko, Anthony Lacinia and sign of a settlement of legislature for James Heffers. the enactment of legislature that will end the present strike and prevent strikes in the future. Mr. McCarthy MAHER KNOCKS OUT sugested that if an extra session is held some action should be taken to curb the great foreign corporations which are doing business in Pennsylvania. He attacked the beef trust, the prices which they charged for their products.

Mr. McCarthy further said: "President Baer, of the Philadelphia & Reading company, is the creature of J. P. Morgan, and the latter should be INHABITANTS OF MARS forced to compel Mr. Baer to arbitrate the strike. A load of coal cannot be bought in the coal region at present from any of the large coal corporations at any price. If the legislation is enacted which the alliance recommends, it will bring the strike to an end and

prevent further strikes in the future." Mr. McCarthy argued that the present difficulty in the coal region comes through gross mismanagement of the great coal corporations. None of these corporations, he said, pays a dividend, while the individual operators are all making money and getting rich. Pelief can be granted, he continued, by

T. C. Parker, of Wilkesbarre, said the conditions in the anthracite regions are horrible in a commercial way, and hundreds of people are being forced to leave that locality because of unfortunate conditions. The best residents are going away, leaving the region with a remnant of unresirable people.

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#### The only remedy, he said, is an extra session of the legislature for the enact-ment of laws that will settle the trouble to the satisfaction of all con-

Tamaquay, Pa., Sept. 11.-The Lehigh Coal & Navigation company today claims that more of the striking APPEAL TO GOVERNOR STONE men have returned to work. No troops were sent out from Manila park this morning. Although a number of striking men gathered on the streets, the non-union men were not interferred

Officials of the Lehigh Coal & Navigation company, the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron company and the People's Alliance Submits This Pennsylvania Coal company ridicule the idea of concessions being granted the Plan to Legalize Compulsory striking miners. They say that if a settlement is made it must be on the basis of an unconditional surrender on the part of the strikers. These officials all claim to be in close touch with President Baer and say they know what they are talking about.

A committee of citizens representing the People's Alliance left here for Harrisburg today, where they will hold a conference with Governor Stone.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 11.-President Mitchell returned from Harvey Lake today. He stated that he had no knowledge as to what matters are to be discussed at the meeting with Governor Stone in Harrisburg on Saturday. He thought the visit of the gov-

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 11 .- The ten foreign corporations doing business in Pennsylvania and enforcing the sixteenth and seventeenth articles of the constitution the others were held in \$1,000 bail each the others were held in \$1,000 bail each the others were discharged and the others were held in \$1,000 bail each the other were held in \$1,000 bail each the other were held in \$1,000 bail each the Daniel J. McCrary, of Hazleton, said for trial on the charge of rioting. Bail ton, P. J. Sinclair of Marion, J.

# JEFFERIES INSTANTER many sections of Whitaker presided.

the first round.

Chicago, Sept. 11 .- That a people superior in intelligence to those of the earth inhabit the planet Mars is a conclusion that will be set forth by Prof. G. W. Hough, head of the department dependents of the Fifth congressional of astronomy of Northwestern univer- district met tonight and nominated sity, in a report which he is compiling Lindsay Patterson of Winston for conof his summer observations from the gress against W. W. Kitchen. Mr. Dearborn observatory. He asserts this Patterson's nomination will probably as a probability based on recent dis- be endorsed by the republican congrescoveries, and adds that of course, it sional convention which meets here may never be established positively.

The conclusion includes the acceptance of the theory of evolution and the statements of leading astronomers that climatic conditions of Mars are the same as of the earth. The possibility of TO NOMINATE IN FOURTH Venus and Mercury being inhabited is admitted because they have solidified, and the intense heat resulting from their proximity to the sun may have been overcome by a deeper covering of atmosphere. None of the other planets, contain animal life.

# SOLVKD THE PROBLEM

Rome, Sept. 11.-Marconi, in an interview published here, declares he has completely solved the problem of sending wireless messages over a distance of more than 1,500 miles, and that he is confident that communication between Europe and America will be established in the immediate future. He is to visit King Emanuel at Ragconigi, Piedmont, September 14.

### TELLER THE CANDIDATE

Denver, Colo., Sept. 11.-It was 3 cratic state convention, which met here \$100. Tuesday morning, reached final adjournment. The ticket chosen follows: United States Senator-Henry M. Tel-

Congressman-at-large-Alva Alams. Governor-Edward C. Simson. Lieutenant governor-Thomas An-

Secretary of state-Horace W. Ha-State treasurer-James N. Carlisle. State auditor-H. H. Insley.

Attorney general—J. H. Sweigert. Superintendent of public schools—

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CALLED.

Special to the Gazette. Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 11.-The following influential democrats were in conference here at the Benbow hotel today to perfect an organization to advance the interests of Judge Hill, independent and republican candidate for well of Charlotte, F. M. Whittaker of ONLY THREE TO HEAR ers, to the number of about 25. The conference did not adjourn until a late hour tonight. The men attending it are all prominent in business affairsmill men, bankers, etc., and represent

J. P. Caldwell offered a resolution, Philadelphia, Sept. 11.—Peter Maher which was adopted, that a public adsteel trust, and other large corpora- made very short work of Jim Jeffries dress be issued in favor of Judge Hill's tions, because of the alleged high tonight at the Broadway Atletic club, candidacy and declaring that every honputting him to sleep in 16 seconds of orable means will be used to defeat

many sections of the state. F. M.

A complete organization was effected and a vigorous campaign will be prose-

### ARE SUPERIOR PEOPLE INDEPENDENTS NOMINATE LINDSEY PATTERSON

Special to the Gazette. Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 11 .- The inhere on the 22d. Mr. Patterson was present at the convention today and accepted the nomination.

### CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Special to the Gazette. Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 11.-Frank D. Jones of Gulf, chairman of the repubin the opinion of the professor, could lican executive committee, has called the Fourth district congressional convention for September 25 at Raleigh.

### JOHNSON BOUND OVER

At the recent hearing before Justice W. A. James, in the case of Lee Johnson, charged with assault with a deadly weapon upon Conductor Murphy at Biltmore Tuesday, the evidence showed that Johnson, who was very much under the influence of liquor at the time, he stabbed Capt. Murphy through the hand while the latter was taking the names of those who saw the cab of the engine knock Johnson from the

The hand was raised to ward off the blow, which would have otherwise entered the conductor's abdomen. Johnson was bound over to the next term clock this morning when the demo- of the Superior cour in the sum of

cial effort to show a fine line of soaps, but the present stock is surprisingly fine. Everything good in soaps is here. There isn't a chance that we cannot please you.

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IN FIFTH DISTRICT gaged since last June in initiating all business.

San Francisco, Sept. 11 .- The em- the men they could secure who did not Used to Defeat Clark - A ployes of all railroads between here and belong to the orders, and now they Chicago have formed a big combine and claim to have practically all the railhave decided to demand 20 per cent. in- road men in their camp. The railcrease in wages. The Order of Rail- roads will have to agree to some adroad Conductors and the Brotherhood vance or there will be a strike which of Railroad Trainmen have been en- will tieup the entire trans-continental

## A THEATRE EMPLOYE ASSASSIN AND SUICIDE

Richmond, Va., Sept. 11.-Lewiks Berkley, property man at the Academy of Music, this afternoon shot and dangerously wounded Mrs. Annie Anderson, aged 22, his former sweetheart. and then put a bullet through his own heart. The young woman had been married about eighteen months, but Berkley continued his attentions to her DEATH THE RESULT and seemed deeply in love with his old

# HON. W. T. CRAWFORD

Hon. W. T. Crawford has been billed for a series of speeches in the fall campaign. Tuesday he spoke at the court house and he was to speak at Leicester Wednesday. Mr. Crawford did not fill his Leicester engagement, but he is not without a good reason for the omission. By actual count three of the truly loyal came to hear Mr. Crawford and he decided to postpone the address until the next election, 1904. Mr. Crawford was also billed to speak at Alexander yesterday but he failed to do so hunting and fishing with .H. R. Mcfor much the same reason that influenced him at Leicester. Gen. Theo. F. Davidson was to go to Alexander as a came back to Chicago today. He is forerunner and wire Mr. Crawford during the day in the event the voters of his schoolbooks. Big stories of the dothat place manifested any desire to hear asues discussed by these gentlemen Mr. Crawford was seen on the streets of Asheville late yesterday afternoon.

### GEN. MILES ON HIS WAY

TO THE PHILIPPINES

Washington, Sept. 11 .- Gen. Miles, with his wife and Col. Maus, his aide, left teday for San Francisco, en route

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## FIVE SENATORS TO BE PRESIDENT'S GUESTS

Oyster Bay, Sept. 11 .- Senators Allison, Aldrich, Lodge, Spooner and Hanna will be the president's guests at lunch next Tuesday. The president has asked Dr. H. H. Washburn of Christ church to join in the general national observance of the anniversary of Mc-Kinley's death.

New York, Sept. 11.—Bitten by a fly two weeks ago, George Lindhurst, of Brooklyn, is dead. The physicians pronounced it an extraordinary case. Linhurst was bitten on the thumb of his right hand. Three days later swelling began and spread rapidly. The doctors declared the fly bite had caused blood poisoning, which they could not check, and the victim died in great

Lindhurst was 56 years old ond in good health before he was pitten.

#### THEODORE ROOSEVELT, JR, RETURNS FROM HIS HUNT

Chicago, Sept. 11 .- Theodore Roosevelt, jr., who has been in the Dakotas and northern Wisconsin for ten days Cullough and Marvin Hughitt, jr., of the Chicago & Northwestern railway, now fast speeding eastward back to ings of the huntsmen will likely regale the boys of the Groth school all winter. Teddy, jr., caught a 22-pound mascadoge and killed many prairle

A Big Mill Burned. New Orleans, Sept. 11.-The Stonewall Cotton company's mill at Stonewall, Miss., was completely destroyed by fire this morning. Loss \$150,000.

## DAN PATCH FAILED.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 11.-Dan Patch failed to lower the record today. The best he could do was to make a mile in 2:01 1-4.

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