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MINE WORKERS DETERMINED TO CONTINUE THE GREAT STRIKE

Mitchell Declines to Entertain President's State Library. Plan to End to Coal Famine.

Pennsylvania to Expend \$33,750 for Supplies to Equip the National Guard Now Gathering in the Mining Country—Instructions to Troops as to Preserving Order and Protecting Property.

Wilkesbarre, Oct. 7.—Tomorrow all the miners located in the anthracite field will hold meetings to adopt resolutions sustaining Mitchell in reaffirming their determination to remain out until they win. These resolutions will be sent to headquarters here, and it is understood Mitchell will then issue a statement which will be a reply to the president's request for the miners to return to work, and will show him that they are determined to remain out.

Buffalo, Oct. 7.—For five hours today President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers conferred with a committee representing the National Association of Manufacturers. The committee's object was to discover whether means could not be devised whereby the industries concerned, whose investments amount to three billion dollars, might be saved from embarrassment through a lack of coal.

At the end of the meeting Mitchell refused to talk, and the committee issued a statement saying it had listened to the explanation of the present strike difficulties offered by a committee representing the miners, headed by Mitchell. It had learned what it could of the conditions, and now goes to Philadelphia for the purpose of meeting a committee of the operators with a view to getting their side of the difficulty. The statement concludes with a declaration that the committee carries no proposition from the miners and has no other mission than a desire speedily to bring about a settlement of the dispute.

This afternoon Mitchell disposed of the president's latest proposition. He called up Gompers, who is in Washington, by phone and told him he had decided not to entertain the president's plan. He added: "I will let the

president know of the decision as soon as possible." After the conference Mitchell refused to discuss the proceedings. Members of the committee appeared hopeful. Mitchell returned to Wilkesbarre tonight. The manufacturers' committee left for Philadelphia.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Governor Stone telegraphed Secretary Root today for field supplies in connection with calling out the Pennsylvania militia. He informed Root that the supplies allotted by congress to Pennsylvania for the present year were exhausted. He said the state was willing to pay for additional supplies. He requested 10,000 pairs of army shoes and 2,500 pairs of army blankets. Root ordered the quartermaster general to ship the supplies immediately to the points designated by the governor. The total cost of the supplies to Pennsylvania will be \$33,750.

New York, Oct. 7.—The coal presidents had their weekly meeting today. After the conference Olyphant of the Delaware & Hudson said the calling out of the troops by Stone was what he ought to have done long ago. Asked if the operators would be able to open the mines, he replied: "That remains to be seen. I hope so. It is too early yet for results." Others refused to talk. A report that was circulated that the operators had made a proposal to Mitchell over the phone was laughed at by the operators.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The following statement was made public at the white house this afternoon: "On Monday, October 6, Hon. Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, went to Philadelphia, and gave to Mr. John Mitchell the following from the president: "If Mr. Mitchell will secure the immediate return to work of the miners in the anthracite regions the president will, at once, appoint a commission to investigate thoroughly into all the matters at issue, between the operators and miners, and will do all within his power to obtain a settlement of those questions in accordance with the report of the commission."

"Mr. Mitchell has taken this matter under consideration, but the president has not yet been advised of any decision." Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 7.—Major General Miller has ordered Colonel Elliott, assistant adjutant general of the division on duty at the adjutant general's office in this city, to direct the movements of the national guard. Colonel Elliott expects to have every regiment in the strike territory before midnight. The guard will be distributed by regiments over the anthracite regions for the purpose of protecting the non-union men who desire to work and to suppress the tumults and riots, if they should occur. General Miller and Adjutant Stewart went to Washington this morning to attend the national encampment of the G. A. R. The canvas and other camp equipment of the soldiers were loaded on a special train last night, and will be sent to the strike territory as soon as Colonel Elliott disposes of the troops. Governor Stone declines to make any statement giving his reasons for ordering the troops on duty. He says the formal orders explain the situation fully. Col. Wills J. Huldings of Oil City has been ordered to take command of the Second brigade in the absence of Colonel Wiley, who is in Kansas. Col. Huldings left here at noon for Mount Carmel, where he will be joined by the Second brigade staff. The formal order of Major General Miller, disposing of the national guard in the various counties affected by the strike, says: "The division is hereby ordered on duty in the counties of Luzerne, Schuylkill, Carbon, Lackawanna, Susquehanna, Northumberland and Columbia to see that all men who desire to work and their families have ample protection; protect all trains and all other property from unlawful interference; arrest all persons engaging in acts of violence and intimidation and hold them under guard until their release will not endanger the public peace; see that threats, intimidation, assaults and all acts of violence

peace and good order will be preserved upon all occasions . . . and that no interference whatever will be permitted with officers and men in the discharge of their duties."

Chicago, Oct. 7.—President Mitchell when seen this morning declined to discuss the action of Governor Stone in calling out the entire national guard of Pennsylvania. "Has President Roosevelt directly or indirectly made a proposition to you that the miners return at once to work at their present rate of wages, with the promise that he would exert his powers to secure to the miners a redress of their grievance?" "I have heard nothing from President Roosevelt since the Washington conference," replied Mr. Mitchell. "Have you heard from any source of any such proposition?" "No; I have not heard of it."

President Mitchell was shown this afternoon dispatches from Washington stating that President Roosevelt had requested Mr. Mitchell to use his influence to induce the men to return to work with a promise of the appointment of a commission to investigate the miners' grievances. Mr. Mitchell read the dispatch carefully and then said he would not discuss the matter at all. In reply to several questions regarding President Roosevelt's request, Mr. Mitchell made the same reply: "I have nothing to say on the subject at present."

SUFFOLK AND CAROLINA WILL EXPEND \$1,000,000

Baltimore, Oct. 7.—A party of well known Baltimoreans leave tomorrow for Suffolk, Va., to attend the annual meeting of the Suffolk and Carolina Railway company Thursday. This will be followed by an inspection trip to consider the expenditure of one million dollars contemplated for improvements, which will be furnished by the International Trust company and others. An extension is to be built to Elizabeth City. The entire line will be made broad gauge. The president of the Suffolk & Carolina railway has contracted with the Pennsylvania Steel company for 5,500 tons of sixty-pound rails to relay the line from Suffolk to Ryland.

NOT FORTY MOROS WHO ESCAPED UNHURT

Manila, Oct. 7.—Sumner reports that less than 40 Moros escaped unhurt in the recent fight with Pershing in the Maciu country. The sultan of Gandual has died of his wounds and the sultan of Tauagan has abdicated and retired to the interior. This leaves the Macius practically without a leader.

BROOKLYN'S WATERWORKS RUN SHORT OF COAL

Washington, Oct. 7.—The bright sunshine which ushered in the opening of the G. A. R. encampment, yesterday was succeeded today by cloudy weather but the change had no effect on the spirits of the vast crowds which early swarmed into the banner decked streets and hurried to Pennsylvania avenue to take their places for the big naval parade which was the chief event of the morning. It is estimated that a hundred thousand visitors were in line. The parade was under the command of General Heywood, commander of the marine corps, as marshal of the day and consisted of all the regular troops located in and about Washington, the marines and jackets from the warships, the District of Columbia national guard, Spanish war veterans, the Sons of Veterans, the High School cadets and the Association of ex-Prisoners of War, acting as escorts for the naval veterans. They don't sell knock-out drops on the baseball ground.

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A BIG FIRE BURNING IN BEAUMONT OIL FIELDS

Dallas, Oct. 7.—A despatch from Beaumont tonight says fire broken out on Spindle Top in the Hogg-Swaine oil tract which bids fair to eclipse all previous fires in the oil fields. Fifty derricks are already burned.

SOUTH AFRICA WILL

YET the news every morning to 100 North Carolina towns, and is the new-
New York, Oct. 7.—Ex-President Reitz of Orange Free State was formally welcomed to New York at the Morton house tonight by a committee representing the United Irish societies. Reitz in a speech declared that South Africa would yet throw off the yoke of the conqueror. He said the war was murder, and that the cruelty of the British coldified the feeling against England. He declared he never would be a British subject.

MARCUS DALY'S HEIRS COMPROMISE WITH COOKSEY

New York, Oct. 7.—The heirs of Marcus Daly have agreed to compromise the claim for \$45,000 preferred against the estate by Paul Cooksey, assigned to Cooksey by the Confederate Memorial association, to which Daly agreed to subscribe \$50,000. The settlement gives Cooksey \$20,000, thus saving the estate \$25,000. Daly had already subscribed \$5,000.

PUSHED HER RIVAL INTO THE RIVER

Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 7.—Miss Rodelia Bain was arrested Monday night for causing the death of her rival, Miss Gay Smith, by drowning. She confessed today to the police that on Monday night, while she and Miss Smith were standing on the bank of the Ohio river, she asked the Smith girl to give up Henry Nolan, of whom both were enamored. The Smith girl refused and she pushed her into the river. After throwing Miss Smith into the river Miss Bain attempted suicide by taking chloroform.

PITTSBURG WINS FROM THE ALL AMERICANS

Pittsburg, Oct. 7.—Pittsburg won the first of the series of world's championship games today, defeating the All Americans.

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Pittsburg	4	8	1
All Americans	3	9	1

Batteries: Leever and Smith; Young and Sullivan.

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STRIKERS RIOT IN NEW ORLEANS

VIOLENCE ATTENDS ATTEMPT OF RAILWAY COMPANY TO OPERATE CARS.

Non-union Motormen Attacked

Violence started in New Orleans, La., this morning to 100 North Carolina towns, and is the new-
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POLICE SEEM UNABLE TO CONTROL SITUATION

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When the rioting spent itself three cars were left standing on the track, guarded by policemen. All the windows in them were smashed and they were otherwise damaged. F. H. Schwenck of Chicago, a conductor, was the man who was most badly beaten. The mob of strikers captured Schwenck and his motorman and both consented to join the union. Some of the policemen were hurt by flying stones. The indications are that the company has imported a number of men from other cities.

As soon as news of the rioting reached the city hall the mayor issued a call for a meeting of the police board. It is understood the object is to swear in emergency policemen and to make it plain to the regular force that the board expects every man to do his full duty.

High officers of the militia are in the city and preparing themselves in the event of a call for troops. Governor Heard will only order out the militia when he is notified by Mayor Capdeville that the situation has gotten beyond the control of the municipal authorities.

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