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SUMNER'S

State Library. Coal Famine Will Soun ed-Miners in Voting to End Strike Do Not Pledge Themselves to Abide by the Decision of the Commission-Roosevelt Calls Arbitrators to Meet at Washington Fri-

day at 10 a.m.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 21.-As a rebe made unanimous, though only a masult of the action of the miners' con jority vote is needed." vention today it is believed that sev-The committee on resolutions held a enty per cent of the collieries will be final meeting before the convention asin full operation Monday. The men sembled at which the resolutions to be needed to put the mines in shape will presented to the convention were return tomorrow. It is computed that agreed upon. the production of the mines next week The delegates were prompt in getting will be over a million tons of mined down to work. As soon as President coal and twenty million tons of washed Mitchell arrived in the hall at 10:05 a coal. For the remaining days this m., he called the delegates to order. week the production is expected to The committee on resolutions submitreach 425,000 tons. The coal famine ted the following with their recommen-

will soon be over. The resolutions adopted by the con-

"To the Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, vention do not pledge the miners to Washington, D. C .: abide by the finding of the arbitration "Dear Sir .- We, the representatives

dation:

confusion.

An official of the mine workers said:

'After a big majirity for ending the

ANTHRACITE MINERS RESUME

commission and they contained nol of the employes of the various coal clause relative to the treatment of non- companies engaged in operating mines unionists. Some legislation is recomin the anthracite coal fields of Pennmended to improve the condition of sylvania, in convention assembled, hav-

prospect that President Roosevelt's anouncement of the result. proposition to armitrate would be accepted by a good majority, the convention of United Mine Workers resumed ing off and provides for the immediate work today in the Nesbitt theater. resumption of work in the coal mines throughout the anthracite region. A good deal is said among the assembled delegates about the date of re-

President Mitchell told the conventurning to work. Thursday seems to be the day most talked of for the resumption that President Roosevelt had intion, though there are delegates who formed him that he would call a meetwant to start in tomorrow morning. ing of the arbitration commission after This, however, is deemed impracticable the miners' acceptance of the proposal because it would cause considerable and Mr. Mitchell gave it as his opinion old and new fitted up with the best

would be announced within a month. President Mitchell, after the convenstrike has been recorded the vote will tion had given itself over to a heated debate for an hour and a half, arose

must be apparent to all of them that there is no doubt whatever that the president's proposal would be adopted. There had been a renewal of the serious opposition of the steam men and heated words had passed between the delegates. Explanations of the president's proposal had been made in four languages. There seemed to be more opposition than ever to the settlement, when suddenly there appeared a break in the clouds, when the motion was put

by a delegate down in front, near the strike leader called for the vote on the all important question and instantly there was a roar of ayes.

One delegate strenuously objected to

\$22,000 TO BE SPENT IN REPAIRS WORK IN THE MINES TODAY Contractor T. E. Davis announces that he will at once begin the work of COMMITTEE WILL MEET IN RAL-The resolution as adoptd carried remodeling the Glen Rock hotel. When with it the declaration of the strike be- the work is completed it will be in reality a new hotel and it will be one of the most modern and best equipped of the smaller hotels in the south. The additions and repairs will cost \$22,000. and the work is to be completed within

four months. Twenty-two new rooms, a new barroom, a new barber shop, and new store rooms will be added. Both the that the findings of the arbitrators modern conveniences, and the old building will be thoroughly renovated. The hotel will have hot and cold water, electric lights and will be heated by steam. The plans were made by R. S. and calmly told the delegates that it Smith and the entire work will be under his supervision.

BOUND TO COURT FOR STEALING PAIR OF SHOES AGED WOMAN KILLED A few days ago a negro entered the

shoe store of J. Spangenberg on Court square and announced that a new pair of shoes had been stolen from him. Mrs. Baker, an aged woman who lives and requested the salesmen to keep a between Manshall and Asheville was lookout for the shoes, as the person run over and killed by the east bound who took them would probably want vestibule train, No. 36, two miles east to make an exchange. Monday the of the former place, yesterday. She shoes were brought in, as the owner was walking on the railroad track supposed they would be. They were in with several other people when the the adoption of the resolutions because the possession of Isom Mayfield, a very train approached. All except Mrs. Bano provision was made in them for the well dressed and well appearing col- ker got off the track but she did not men who fail to get work. The other ored man, who has for some time borne seem to hear the train's approach. The side of the question was taken up by a a good reputation. Mr. Spangenburg diplomatically ob- against the embankment at the side served that he would have to go to the of the track, killing her instantly. Her postoffice for a moment, and leaving body was placed upon the train and Mayfield with a salesman, he started taken to a point near her home out to look for the owner of the shoes. The owner could not be found, but on his return Mr. Spangenberg wanted to know who had sold him the shoes Mayfield shifted about uneasily for a moment, and replied that he did not know. Mayfield was given a hearing before Justice James and as he still 'did not know," was bound over to court.

EIGH SOON TO COMPLETE DETAILS.

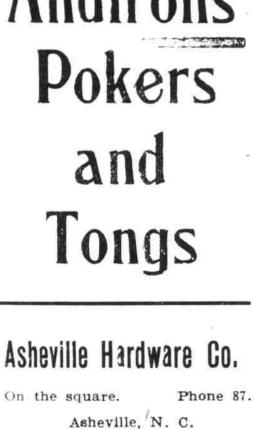
OPERATION SOON

Chattaneoga, Oct. 21.-It is authoritatively announced that the Southern Textile combine, promoted by Colonel ries, has been organized and the plan is to go into operation next month. It is announced that the committee will meet in Raleigh shortly, probably October 23, to decide on the plants that shall be embraced in the merger.

The company will be capitalized at twenty million dollars. Fries has organized a syndicate to finance the deal. it is understood the plants of the Mermack Manufacturing company at Huntsville will not enter the combine but all the other mills of the south will be included.

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miners Most of the delegates of the convenhe was well pleased with the action of the miners. He added: "The strike itself has demonstrated the power and dignity of labor. Conservative, intelimpetus, the effect of which cannot be measured. I earnestly hope and firmly believe both labor and capital have learned from the miners' strike lessons which will enable them to adopt peaceful, humane, business methods of adjusting wage differences in the future."

Mitchell's order issued to the miners this evening notifies them of the action of the convention and cautions them to use care to avoid accidents and the danger which is intensified because of the long idleness of the min-

Washington, Oct. 21.-The president this afternoon, after receiving notice from Mitchell of the action of the convention summoned the arbitration commission to meet in Washington next Friday at 10 a. m. and so notified Mitchell. The commission will call on the president, to receive instructions. After preliminary meetings in Washington the commission will go to Pennsylvania and examine the condition of the coal fields, and may subsequently sit in New York for the purpose of taking testimony.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 21.-With the

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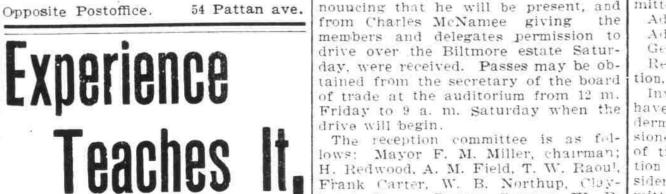
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the board of trade met yesterday at the COME IN AND SEE THEM. Eve examination is our specialty. We office of Dr. C. P. Ambler to discuss grind lenses to suit each individual the arrangements for the convention case, no guesswork when we fit you. to be held here Saturday in the interest of the proposed Appalachian the association.

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ng under consideration your telegram of October 15, 1902, addressed to John tion returned home this afternoon. Mitchell, president of the United Mine President Mitchell said this evening Workers of America, which reads as ped this by announcing that every man ligent trade unionism has received an Bishop J. L. Spalding, with Carroll D. Wright, as recorder. These names are accepted by the operators and now I earnestly ask and urge the miners to likewise accept this commission. It is a matter of vital concern to all people and especially to these in our great cities who are least well off, that the mining of coal be resumed without a mo-

ment's unnecessary delay." We have decided to accept the proposition therein embodied, and to submit all questions at issue between the operators and the mine workers of the anthracite coal region and their adjustment to the commission which you have

named.

"In pursuance to that decision we shall report for work on Thursday morning, ctober 23, in the positions and working places occupied by us prior to the inauguration of the strike. "We have authorized John Mitchell.

president of the United Mine Workers of America, with such assistance as he may select, to represent us in all hearings before the commission. "Signed: John Mitchell, chairman of

convention; W. B. Wilson, secretary of convention."

By the unanimous viva vote vote of the convention the United Mine Workers of America accepted President

The joint committee of the Appala- (

hian National Park association and

Letters from Prof. J. A. Holmes an-

Mayor F. M. Miller, chairman;

brook James, Bynum Sumner, W. R.

forest reserve.

delegate from Panther Creek valley. There were cries for the previous question, but President Mitchell stopfollows: "Have appointed as commis- would be given a chance to speak and sioners Brigadier General John H. Wil- he would not entertain the motion to son, R. H. Parker, Judge George Gray, vote so long as there was one delegate E. E. Clark, Thomas H. Watkins, in the hall who wanted to be heard. The delegates in brief speeches took up both sides of the question with great earnestness. Those opposed to the proposition wanted specific assurances that they would be taken care of. During the debate three speeches

were made in foreign languages, Slavonic, Polish and Litrurian. The three foreign speaking delegates favored the BINGHAM VS. MORGANTON acceptance of the proposition.

The Italian delegates also wanted the proposition explained to them, which was done by an Italian speaker. When he had completed his explanation the motion was immediately made to close the debate. Before the motion was put Mr. Mitchell, in answer to a question, announced that he had a telegram from the president, stating that he would

call a meeting of the commission as soon as the convention took favorable action. President Mitchell gave it as his opinion that the commission would nake its report within one month. Then he put the question on adoption of the report after a motion to close the debate had been adopted and asked in a short speech that the vote be unanimous. There was one loud roar of ap-

proval and the strike was officially off. 'he delegates arose and cheered for fully a minute. President Mitchell came in for his share of applause when order

was restored The next instant messages were flying in all directions from the con-Roosevelt's arbition plan shorily be- vention to give the news to the world fore noon. Great cheers greeted the through the newspapers.

NATIONAL FOREST RESERVE

tion, R. P. Hayes.

General discussion.

The following program was arranged:

The meeting will be called to order

Election of chairman and secretary.

of the association, of the work done by

Financial report by J. A. Nichols,

chairman of the ways and means com-

Adress by Hon, Joshua W. Caldwell.

Report of the committee on resolu-

Invitations to attend the convention have been issued to the mayor and al-

lermen, the board of county commis-

sioners, and the directors of the board

of trade to participate in the conven-

tion Saturday and they will be con-

sidered as an honorary reception com-

mittee and will have seats on the plat-

Address by Prof. J. A. Holmas.

Report by Dr. C. P. Ambler, secretary

by the president of the Park associa

mittee

MUTES THIS AFTERNOON

This afternoon the Bingham football team plays the team of the Morganton Deaf and Dumb Institute, at Riverside park. The game will be called at 4 o'clock and a good game is assured. The Bingham team has been strengthened by new material, and with the average weight of 150 pounds is one of the best the school ever put in the field.

The Guilford College team will play Bingham here on November 15 and the Oak Ridge team on November 24. On the 27th, instant, the school team will leave for a week's tour, during which ime they will play several teams.

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ngine struck her and threw her

SERIOUSLY HURT AT THE **GRAND OPERA HOUSE**

Charles Roberts, an employe of the Grand opera house, was seriously injured last evening, while working in the files. The curtain, which is operated by a drum, was being lowered on a tableau , when the crank of the drum struck Roberts. He was removed from the theater suffering severely, and while the full extent of his injuries is not yet known, it is safe to say he will not soon recover.

12-STORY BUILDING BURNED IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Ills., Oct. 21 .- Fire tonight destroyed the Chicago Glucose plant on Twelfth street. Twelve of the men who were in the building, it is believed, perished. Two men jumped from the seventh floor and were killed. Several others jumped from different floors in the building, which was twelve stories high, and received injuries more or less severe.

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