

Today not a freight train on the Grand Trunk system is moving. The strike, at this early date, is so successful that the freight traffic of the railroad is tied up completely. Pas-

The Massachusetts Railroad commission stopped one train because it

the law on the part of the company is

promptly reported to the authorities.

Freight Tie-up Complete.

discuss the matter.

company."

Strike On Wabash.

the Wabash Railroad runs its trains

over the Grand Trunk tracks in Can-

exists between the two railroads, 500

railroad trainmen employed by the

Wabash have joined the Grand Trunk

trainmen in the strike. Only two

brought over by the Wabash dis-

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a stand

patcher in Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., July 20-Because

breakers.

law.

here this afternoon on the Mayflower. Crowds of people flocked to the docks and to the seashore to watch the trim

Mayflower steam into the harbor and

state Commerce Commission today

Commerce Washington, July 20-The Inter-

Commission Prescribes New Rates For Lumber Shipments.

sional convention will meet at the little colored girl is said to have taken an active part, even to the ex- indicate that Rawn had wounded the Wrightsvile Beach to select a nom -nee for congress from this district. white child to keep the little one fron:

tent of warning the mother of the man who killed him.

Immediately after the shooting every avenue of egress from the suburb was guarded and all trains-placed under careful scrutiny.

senger trains are running but schedule time is impossible. What trains are moving are manned by strikebreaking crews usually with some old Grand Trunk employe acting as pilot.

The union men at all points of the Grand Trunk system were prompt to respond to the strike call but the strike is spreading rapidly. More are out today than when the strike began.

The strikers are making every ef fort in their power to get the engineers to join them and leave the throttles.

The loss to the Grand Trank is beginning to be enormous already, trains are all moving from half an will be 'Senator Hale's guest over Hundreds of refrigerator and freight hour to an hour late. So far there night. He will make a speech from cars laden with perishable freight are has been no disorder here. shunted onto sidings because the company cannot maintain freight freight situation and local manufac- this morning. turers are calling special meetings to



(By Cable to The Times)

London, July 20-Traffic is com pletely paralyzed as a result of the pended along that line.

About 9,000 men are already out and notice was served on the corporation by the labor leaders that 30,000 pends now on the stubborness of the man, parliamentary secretary for the will go out tomorrow unless the officials promise to end the "present" tyrannical methods of employment"

All work on two immense docks at Newcastle was stopped today and the strike is rapidly spreading.

The government probably will take some action within the next 24 hours. ADD LONDON ¼ ? vbgkqj ¼

Five thousand more men went out this afternoon, making 13,000 on strike. At least 50,000 are idle as a result of the strike, more than a dozen collieries and factories having closed.

It is said that men who whistle seldom swear; it is the busy people who are compelled to listen that say road Trainmen and the wage agree unprintable things.

was not properly manner. The nigh drop her anchor. mail from New London, Conn., was The president has been urged to stopped at the state line by the commake a speech here and he has have missioners when they found that it said that he would make a short addid not have a crew in forformity to

dress tomorrow. It is not expected that in his address here he will pur Strike sympathizers are posted at sue a different line than that of Tuesevery point along the line, and the day. slightest infringement or evasion of

Bangor is making great preparations for welcoming the chief executive on Saturday. People from ail over that part of Maine are planning

Toronto, Ont., July 20-The freight to journey there and see him. The tie-up still is complete all over the president will go to Bangor by spe-

district with no attempt by the Grand cial train from here; then he will re-Trunk to move a car. Passenger turn as far as Ellsworth, where he

the plaza of the Bangor House. The Alarm is felt in this city over the Mayflower left Eastport at 8 o'clock

CRIPPEN CASE IN PARLIAMENT.

There is an ice famine in sight and one of the largest companies gave no- Socialist Member Asks the Home Secretary For Information. tice that it cannot guarantee more ice

London, July 20-In accordance with his announcement of yesterday foronto as the strike center. the Hon, William Thorne, extreme

Vice President Berry, of the Consocialist, in the house of commons toductors' Union, stated this morning: day asked the home secretary, who "We did not hope to tie up pas- was responsible for permitting Dr. senger service any more than it is Crippen to slip through the fingers strike on the Northeastern Railroad now. The freight service is the pay- of the police while he was under surand business has been practically sus- ing end and it is there that we count veillance, why he was allowed to on winning. It is completely block- finally escape and what action the aded and will be while the strike government proposed to take in the lasts. The duration of the strike de- matter. The Hon. C. F. G. Master-

home office, said that the government considered it undesirable to

discuss the matter at present. KILLED BY TRAIN.

ada, and a uniform wage agreement Norfolk-Southern Train Ran Over

and Killed Man Yesterday. (Special to The Times)

Wilson, July 20-Yesterday afternoon a Norfolk-Southern train ran Wabash freight trains were able to over and instantly killed a white man cross the river and continue on their named Corbett, between Stantonsjourneys into Michigan. They were burg and Walstonsburg, below Wilson. The man was asleep on the

track, presumably-drunk, for a whis-Wabash employes in Canada are key bottle was found at his side. The members of the Brotherhood of Rall- telephone line to Stantonsburg is down today and it is imposisble to get particulars.

This convention oromises to be the decided that rates on vellow pine lumber and products from points in

Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Missouri, and other southern states, to points reached by the lines of the Chicago. are crowding here to attend the con-Burlington and Quincy Railroad vention and it is expected that the Company, the Union Pacific Railroad Company and affiliated lines in west-

ern Nebraska, are unreasonable. The state this year. Each of the seven commission has prescribed reasonable rates for the future.

Operator Dies At Key.

New York, July 20-William H Plunkett, a telegraph operator, died suddenly at his key today in the office of S. B. Chapin & Company, bankers and brokers at 111 Broadway, Mr.

Plunkett came here from Atlanta. Ga. He was thirty-three years old-He was well known throuh the south.

by followers of politics throughout

the state. SOFT PEDAL METHODS

listrict and five are represented with candidates for the nomination. The **RESENTED BY PACKERS** ounties are Harnett, New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus, Bladen, Robrson, and Cumberland.

Harnett county's seeker for the nomination is the present incumbent, Hon, Hannibal L. Godwin, of Duna, The other seekers after the political pedal" investigation of the so-called plum are Herbert McClammy, Esq., of New Hanover; Henry Lilly Cook .. Fayetteville (Cumberland county; O. L. Clark, of Clarkton (Bladen counpackers, summoned to Chicago from ty), and A. J. McKinnon, of Maxton the east and south, went into open re-(Roberson county). The only two

counties not represented by a candi-The tactics employed by the gov- date in the race are Columbus and

ernment in subpoenaing them was the Brunswick. basis for the rebellion. The wit-The present incumbent, Godwin, nesses made demands of District Atand his forces, claim that they are torney Sims that they be taken bepractically within a dozen votes of fore the grand jury at once, threaten- having sufficient strength to carry ing to leave the city and appeal to the nomination on the first ballor.

Washington authorities. However; it is freely predicted that today, blowing up a coastwise schoon-The packers were served with sub- if Godwin cannot marshal sufficient er and threatening the destruction

poenas Monday morning and told to strength to go in on the first hallot of the naval station. The marines take the fastest trains to. Chicago, that his chances thereafter will be stationed here turned out m a body The majority arrived here before 3 rather unfavorable. There may be to prevent their quarters being deso'clock yesterday morning. They a determined stand against him by troyed. An explosion in the hold of hastened to the district attorney's of- the forces lined up in favor of the the schooner started the fire. The

fice and until 5 o'clock in the after- other candidates. The great num- marines in trying to salvage the gasnoon paced the floor awaiting the call ber of candidates means that the oline placed some cans on their before the inquistorial body. When votes will be considerably divided for wharf. A second explosion there set the jury adjourned not one of thein one or many ballots, and that a nom- fire to the station, but the blaze was fice tonight. Important business will had been called.

the negro's yard, or 'something most interesting as well as the most would happen to her." exciting in years. Politicians from The last that was seen of the lit the entire district, as well as from

tle white girl was when she crawled other sections of eastern Carolina through a chicken hole into the negro yard. She was missed shortly afterward. Search was instituted. session will be one of the largest yet held in the different districts of the

counties in the district will be represented with full delegations as well the well and they were disposed of morning by a robber as with numbers of spectators. The Then the body of the little child was political bee is buzzing streamously today, and there are various rumors

of water in the hole. The corpse as to secret conferences by the supwas marked by fangs and was badly porters of the different candidates for swollen. The arrest of the negro girl the nomination. This will be about was ordered at once, but it was found the last of the several district convenshe had left two hours before tions in the state. As there are indi-

cations that there may be a determ-ADVERTISERS' MEETING. ined deadlock of several days the result will be watched with interest Arthur Brisbane the Principal Spea-

There are seven counties in the

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Omaha, Neb., July 20-Arthur Brisbane, of New York, was the principal speaker at the last day's ses sion of the national convention of the advertising clubs of America, which

will close its meeting here teday. The convention has been the most

successful in the history of the association. Boston, Denver, and Milwankee are after the next meeting and the vote will be taken late this afternoon. Dobbs, of Atlanta, and Sawyer, of St. Louis, are the leading

> candidates for president. SCHOONER BLEW UP.

> > Cargo of Gasoline Caught Fire and Schooner Blew Up.

ker at Today's Meeting.

(By Cable to The Times)

San Juan, P. R., July 20-A cargo of gasoline caught fire in the harbor

ination may be very difficult to reach, extinguished without heavy loss.

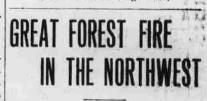
Details of Tragedy.

Chicago, July 20-Ira G. Rawn, millionaire president of the Monon Finally the searching party opened Railway, was shot through the heart the well in the negro yard and a and instantly killed at his summer water moccasin snake crawied out, home in Winnetka, twenty-five miles There were several more snakes in north of this city, at 1:30 o'clock this

The burglar escaped. There is no found beneath the surface of two feet clue to his identity, but the police of all the north shore towns are watching for him, and are being aided by the Chicago police.

Servants and women in the house, aroused by the shot, found Mr. Rawn lying in the hallway on his face. The

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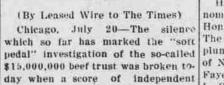
Vancouver, B. C., July 20-Forest fires were raging over 250 square miles in western Kootenay and northern Idaho, destroying vast timber tracts, villages and mine buildings, with a heavy toll of life. From advices received here it is believed that fully fifty persons have lost their lives and it is possible that the death list will

be much larger as several mining towns are directly in the path of the resistless flames. Only a heavy down-, our of rain can save them,

Men, women and children have' been the victims of the flames, though the heaviest loss of life has been am niners who were trapped in insolated ections and suffocated by the flames, Relief trains carrying fire-fighting apparatus, nurses, physicians and supplies were sent out today, but it is eared that they will be unable to get through the wall of flame that has already burned six towns and destroyed many miles of railway

League Meeting Tonight.

President Joel G. Whitaker has in sued a call for a meeting of the league directors to be held in his ofbe transacted.



bellion.