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J. T. WHITE.

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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is Going On in the Business World—The Market News.

The price of wheat is falling rapidly in the North-West.

Wheat is being threshed on the Portage Plain at the rate of 50,000 bushels a day.

Montreal Street railway net earnings for August \$89,318, increase \$9,969, for eleven months, net \$802,295, increase \$11,763.

Wheat exports from the United States and Canada last week totalled 5,435,000 bushels, as against 3,811,000 in the corresponding week of last year.

Russian government reports wheat crop in Poland and North Caucasus good, Volga district unsatisfactory. Spring wheat generally above the average in the Middle Volga district, unsatisfactorily beyond the Volga, and in the south-east good.

The Russian government estimates the harvest as follows: Wheat, 810,000,000 pounds; rye, 1,325,000,000 pounds; oats, 750,000,000; barley, 375,000,000 pounds. (A pound is equal to forty pounds.)

THEIR ACTION ENDORSED.

Striking Machinists Appeal From Magistrate's Decision.

At the request of the machinists' union a special meeting of the trades and labor council was held last night. The local strike situation was thoroughly discussed, and considerable new light is said to have been thrown upon the matter. A number of resolutions were passed, the tendency of which is to make the strikers more aggressive still in their policy.

Some important business was transacted, the nature of which the union men refused to reveal. It is understood that the trades' council heartily endorsed the machinists' determination to appeal from the decision lately handed out by Police Magistrate Duff.

In this connection it might be stated that the strikers who were fined visited the mayor's office this morning, and as the magistrate is ill, made affidavit before his worship, stating their decision to appeal the case.

LOOKS INTO BLOCKADE.

Montgomery Leaves Cape Haitien on Trip of Investigation.

Washington, Sept. 25.—The cruiser Montgomery sailed yesterday from Cape Haitien for Gonaves, St. Mary's and Port de Paix to investigate the situation at those ports in connection with the blockade declared by the provisional government of Haiti. The three places are in the possession of the revolutionists.

The Montgomery will investigate to determine whether the blockade is effective or simply a paper declaration. The San Francisco sailed from Norfolk today for Cape Haitien, where she will relieve the Montgomery, if the situation at Santa Maria, Colombia, should necessitate the sending of the latter ship to that point.

Some Fine Old Timber.

The work of tearing down McKelvey & Birch's old store began today. Many of the rafters taken out were over fifty feet long, and were almost as sound as when they were first placed in position; in fact, the entire stone building was in the same condition. The rafters were almost entirely free of knots. It would be almost impossible to secure such timber nowadays.

Seeks To Raise \$100,000.

Chicago, Sept. 25.—President Edmund J. James of Northwestern University has sent out letters to the alumni asking them to contribute \$100,000 toward the construction of a new gymnasium. In the letter he states that he has been promised \$100,000 providing the same amount can be raised among the graduates. The president will not say from whom the offer came.

Secretary Stockhill, of the Trades' Council and one of the striking machinists, has left the city, having secured a position elsewhere. William Kelly is acting as temporary secretary.

W. H. Godwin, special agent of the British America Insurance company, today paid A. Walker \$15,500 for his loss by fire last night. The insurance was paid within twelve hours after the blaze.

The Limestone football team had a good practice at the skating rink last night. Twenty players were out, including a large number of the old-timers.

Fresh oysters arriving every day at Carnovsky's. On the Corner. 4 packages fresh jelly powder 25c. at Mullens.

OLDIERS FAIL.

TO STOP LAWLESSNESS OF STRIKERS.

Soldiers on Duty in Five Counties—Rioting Continues in Hard Coal Region of Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, Sept. 25.—Of the ten anthracite coal producing counties of Pennsylvania, troops are camped in five. Despite the presence of the troops in these districts, rioting and general lawlessness continues in the entire hard coal territory, covering more than 100 miles.

At present there are four full regiments, two companies of another and two troops of cavalry in the field. The 6th Regiment is camped at Olyphant, six miles north of Scranton; the 9th Regiment is quartered at its armory in Wilkesbarre; the 8th Regiment and the 2nd Philadelphia city troop are under canvas on the top of a hill overlooking Shenandoah; one battalion of the 12th and the Governor's troop are in the Panther Creek Valley, and one battalion of the 12th is preserving order in the city of Lebanon, where the iron and steel works are on strike. If the disorder continues Gov. Stone will be compelled to call out additional soldiers.

While there has been no big general riot, disturbances have been of such a serious nature as to cause the authorities much apprehension. Every effort is being made by the sheriffs of the several counties affected and the troops to prevent disturbances from growing to such an extent as to cause bloodshed. Reports are coming in from every section of non-union men and others being either shot or clubbed. Houses of workmen have been burned or dynamited, and attempts have been made to hold up coal trains or derail them.

Coal is being shipped from many parts of the coal field to market, but compared with the normal output the quantity is insignificant.

Appeal To Governor.

Susquehanna, Pa., Sept. 25.—An urgent request for troops was made tonight to Gov. Stone by Sheriff Maxey, of Susquehanna county. This morning No. 2 colliery at Forest City resumed operations and this evening, as the men were returning from work they were set upon by a mob of 200 men, women and boys, followed to their homes and pelted with sticks and stones. Shots were fired on each side, but none took effect.

So serious is the situation that Sheriff Maxey called the leading men of the borough together, and after conferring with them, asked the governor for troops.

Mine Workers Respond.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 25.—In compliance with the request of Sheriff Maxey and numerous citizens of Luzerne county, Gov. Stone issued an order today ordering the 9th Regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, to mobilize at Wilkesbarre. The regiment consists of twelve companies and has a membership of about 750. There are quite a number of mine workers in the regiment, but all responded readily to the call.

SPEAKS FOR HIMSELF.

Does Not Claim to Represent Views of Colleagues.

Gananoque, Ont., Sept. 25.—Hon. Mr. Tarte, accompanied by R. Wilson Smith, Henry Miles, E. P. Heaton, and F. W. Gross, visited Gananoque yesterday at the invitation of the town and manufacturers. The party arrived in the morning in the minister's private car. Shortly after nine o'clock the party boarded the private steamyacht Kate and made a tour among the Admiralty group of islands. At noon luncheon was partaken at of Mayor Emery's residence, and at three o'clock Mr. Tarte and his party, accompanied by representative citizens, paid a visit to high school, where the minister of public works addressed the school children.

The visitors were then escorted through many of the factories. In the evening, at seven o'clock, Hon. Mr. Tarte and party were escorted to the opera house, headed by the Citizens' band, where an address of welcome was read to the minister by Mayor Emery. Mr. Tarte made a short reply, after which an adjournment was made to Stevens' International hotel, where a banquet was tendered the visitors by the manufacturers.

Mr. Tarte made a lengthy speech, in reply to the toast of his health, in the course of which he took occasion to repeat that he did not consider he was overstepping the limits of a minister of the crown in discussing the tariff. In all of his utterances on the tariff he was speaking for himself alone and did not claim to represent the opinions of his colleagues.

DEPOSITS INCREASED.

Secretary Shaw Planning Relief For Money Market.

Washington, Sept. 25.—While Secretary of the Treasury Shaw has made no announcement of his intention to employ further means to relieve the stringency in the money market, it is known that he has under consideration the advisability of increasing the amounts of government funds on deposit at national bank depositaries to the full market value of the bonds on deposit with the government. At present government funds to the amount of the par value of the bonds on deposit are placed in the banks. If the proposed scheme should be adopted by Secretary Shaw, it would increase materially the amounts of public money on deposit with the banks, thus relieving the stringency by the increased amount of certificates of the treasury department. However, it disclaim definite knowledge of the secretary's intention.

Yesterday, William Baker, a benevolent, celebrated, his seventieth birthday. He has been in business here for eight years, and in all that time has never had a day of recreation. He is as vigorous and lively as many a man of half his age. (The swap at McLeod's drug store, three bottles and green, 15c. and 20c. each. See window.)

ARE NOT IN WANT.

Doukhobors Are Prosperous And Are Succeeding.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 2.—The renewed reports of destitution among the Doukhobors of Manitoba are absolutely false, according to J. Obed Smith, immigration commissioner, who says:

The Doukhobors are not destitute and will not need any help this winter. They never have obtained any food from the government. They never got any special privileges or assistance from the government. That a few of them in certain villages have turned loose their cattle under the influence of a fanatic preacher is quite true, as it is also true that none of them eat meat, but they have a perfect right to be vegetarians if they wish, and also to quit using beasts of burden. That this diet is good enough to sustain them in the hardest work is shown by the fact that they are well liked as laborers, working the long hours required of a man employed as sectionman without being used up by it. We have each year requests from farmers to send the same Doukhobor to them as they did last year.

These very villages from which they have driven cattle are building three four miles this year, and so far from being in want they have two years' subsistence ahead of them. It is sensational reports which are doing the most harm to these people. They are all right if left alone, and are going on quietly homesteading and falling into the ways of the people around them. All that is wrong with them is fear. They have been so persecuted that they are afraid, to sign a paper or fill in any legal document, but they are getting over this also.

IN ROARING RAPIDS.

Yacht Of E. J. Wyckoff Disabled In The St. Lawrence.

Ogdensburg, Sept. 25.—The private yacht Ezra Cornell, of this city, called here to report to the American customs necessary repairs made to its machinery in Canada. The owner, E. J. Wyckoff, is on board, returning from a pleasure trip to the lower St. Lawrence, and is accompanied by his family.

The yacht's passage through the rapids was most exciting, the swells washing over the pilot house, and it became necessary to weight down the hatches to the cabin and engine room. The water stood a foot deep on the pilot house floor and for three hours it was impossible for anyone to stand on deck.

As the yacht was leaving the rapids the engine cylinder head blew out and in two, leaving the vessel helpless. The crew succeeded in making a safe landing. The broken parts were taken to Montreal by rail for repairs. The yacht is bound up for Ithaca, via Oswego.

WARSHIP IS NEEDED.

Shipping Interests on Great River Request Protection.

Washington, Sept. 25.—Large American shipping interests operating in the waters of the Orinoco river again have requested the state and navy departments to send a warship up that river for the purpose of protecting their steamers and keeping navigation unobstructed. The Marietta was sent up the Orinoco recently with very good immediate results, but now that no American warship is in that locality it appears that the disturbed situation which took her there is being re-established. The navy department desires to afford every possible and practicable aid for the protection of the river, but that it is not in a position to do so just at present on account of the lack of ships in Venezuela waters.

BEQUEATHS TWELVE HORSES

Queen Of Belgians Remembers a Faithful Servant.

Brussels, Sept. 25.—The will of Marie Henriette, queen of the Belgians, was opened today. It directs that she be buried in state. The queen bequeaths her twelve horses to her private secretary, Baron Goulme, upon whom King Leopold lately conferred a commandership in the Order of Leo. In recognition of the queen's devotion to the late queen. The other bequest made by her majesty were of a private character.

WANTS FREE PORTS.

French Minister of Commerce Has a Scheme.

Dunkirk, Sept. 25.—It is stated that M. Trouillot, minister of commerce, favors the creation of free ports in France, and that he will ask the chamber of deputies to appoint a committee to study the question and choose three ports at which to try the scheme. It is expected that Marseilles will be chosen for the Mediterranean, Bordeaux for the Atlantic, and Havre or Dunkirk for the channel.

A FOUL MURDER.

Widow Found Dead—Was Killed During Night.

Chippawa, Ont., Sept. 25.—Mrs. Franks, a widow about fifty years old, who lived alone, was found dead in her house this morning. Blood spattered against the wall and a pool of blood on her head showed that she had been murdered. The crime evidently had been committed some time during last night.

Cut Off His Head.

Buffalo, Sept. 25.—John D. Williams, superintendent of the United States Tule company, was beheaded by a Lackawanna train shortly after he left the company's office. His body was found an hour later. Williams came here from Syracuse, where his family now lives.

The Cool Weather

Has' come suddenly and you need a top coat. Get a nice grey, whipcord, at \$7.50, at Jenkins.

Admit's Pills of Chamomile and Mandrake are purely vegetable, and sugar-coated, for the liver, stomach and kidneys, 25c., at McLeod's drug store.

GIVES OFFENCE.

THE BOER MANIFESTO BREATHES HOSTILITY

British People Regret Its Circulation—It Contains Many Mis-statements—Dr. Leyds is Responsible.

London, Sept. 25.—The tone and contents of the manifesto of the Boer generals which was issued in the form of an appeal to the civilized world for contribution to assist destitute Boers and help in the education of Boer children excite the utmost resentment of the whole British press and the document tends to alienate the sympathy which has hitherto been felt for the Boer people in many quarters. It is regarded as a manifesto of hostility to Great Britain and the work not of Gens. Botha, Dewet and Delarey, but of Dr. Leyds, the European representative of the Boers, and Mr. Reitz, former state secretary of the Transvaal and a blunder, which the Boers will live to regret.

The statement contained in the manifesto that 30,000 houses have been burned is declared to be a gross exaggeration, and complaint is made that, while the document presents the case against Great Britain in the most possible light, it dishonestly ignores the fact that the British government has promised to advance loans free of interest for two years to enable the Boers to re-settle on their farms. It is pointed out that even if the Boer estimate of 30,000 farms destroyed is correct, the \$15,000,000 granted under the new terms will give each family \$500. The idea that the appeal is likely to result in getting anything like \$15,000,000 is ridiculed as preposterous.

SMALL PER CENT. INJURED.

Nearly All Wheat Is High Grade—The Champions Banqueted.

Toronto, Sept. 25.—Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of public works of Manitoba, at present in this city, declares the reports, that one-third of the wheat crop in the west will be destroyed by frost, to be entirely inaccurate. He admitted that the frost had injured a portion of the crops, but the percentage so injured, he declared, will not reach fifty per cent. Seventy-five per cent of the wheat, Mr. Rogers further says, will grade No. 1 hard.

The Eastern baseball league champions were banqueted last night at the Grand Union Hotel, by the officers of the Toronto club. During the evening handsome gold medals, gifts of the club was presented to each player. Telegrams were read from Pat Powers, the league president; secretary O'Brien, of the Buffalo club, and others, congratulating the club on the success of its team.

The long talked of boxing match between "Tim" Callaghan, of Philadelphia, and "Jack" McClelland, of Pittsburg, which was to have come off at the Crescent Athletic club show on Friday, October 30th, has been further postponed at the request of Callaghan. The vacancy caused by the calling of this match will be filled by the well-known welter-weight, "Tom" McCune of Detroit, and "Bobbie" Thompson, now of Philadelphia. Both replied to telegrams yesterday, accepting the condition and weights, which will be 145 pounds. Brady and Barry will be killed for ten rounds in the main preliminary, and Mathewson and Edwards for five rounds.

TARIFF BILL IN DANGER.

German Government Placed In Awkward Position.

London, Sept. 25.—There is a general belief in Berlin, according to a Times correspondent, that, unless the government can break down the agricultural opposition of 50,000 farmers, with it before the parliament resumes its sessions, October 11th, the tariff bill will have to be thrown overboard. It is pointed out that if the government yields on this question now, after all the protestations of Von Buelow and Posadowsky, or if it is obliged to go so far as to abandon the bill, its position is deplorable, in view of certain consequences at next summer's general elections.

The proceedings of the Social Democratic congress at Munich, and particularly the speech of Bebel, show how eagerly socialists would welcome an electoral campaign on the question of taxing the food of the people. The legislation to agrarian conservative candidates, whose exorbitant demands have wrecked the tariff scheme.

TRUE BILLS FOUND

By Jury Against Toronto Railway Employees.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 25.—The case against the employees of the Toronto railway, charged with extensive frauds through the rifling of fare boxes, with small pieces of steel called "biggers," was begun at the sessions today and will last for several days. The grand jury has returned true bills against Joseph Henry, Albert A. Cooper, James R. Whittington, Albert A. Ferguson, Charles Shea, and Lewis D. Bailey. The total amount of the alleged thefts is very large, many thousands in the aggregate, and over a hundred men were believed by the company to have been in the conspiracy, but a man put on trial for these against whom the authorities felt sure they had a good case.

VERDICT OF \$10,000.

London Street Railway Company Gets Judgment Against It.

Sarnia, Sept. 25.—Witty vs. London Street Railway company was taken up at the assizes this morning. At a former trial the plaintiff was awarded \$5,500 damages for injuries received through the fault of the company, who admitted liability for the accident, but obtained a new trial on the ground that the former jury was misdirected by the trial judge. It was endeavored to have the amount of damages reduced, but the jury returned a verdict this time for the plaintiff awarding \$10,000.

Miss Mary Boyd left today for Chicago, where she will remain for two weeks visiting friends.

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