

The Great Coal Strike is Ended.

After Five Months the Miners and Operators Have Agreed to Abide the Decision of a Board of Arbitration.—Work in Mines to be Resumed on Monday—All Sides Happy.

WASHINGTON, October 15.—President Roosevelt to-night resumed consideration of the strike situation, taking it up in the light developed as the result of his two conferences during the day with Mr. Mitchell, president of the Mine Workers' Union. He went out for a long drive after the conference and on returning met Mr. Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, and Mr. Sargent, a commissioner of immigration. The latter is a particular friend of Mr. Mitchell, and the former labor leader, himself had talked freely with the head of the miners' union. He gave the President the benefit of his views and Commissioner Wright was able to communicate some information that has come to him as to the sentiment in the mining regions. Mr. Wright having made a study of the conditions in the anthracite fields, and having sources of information there, was able to be of service to the President. Later two gentlemen, strangers to those about the temporary white house, called and were shown upstairs at once. It was said that these gentlemen were Robert S. Bacon and George W. Perkins, members of the banking firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. The conference with the four gentlemen named lasted from 7 to 8 o'clock. About 10 o'clock President Roosevelt entered the white house, accompanied by Secretary Root, and they immediately embarked on consideration of the settlement of the coal strike. Later a stranger called, answering to the description of one of Mr. Morgan's partners, and was shown at once into the room where the President was by Secretary Root. At 11 o'clock the three gentlemen were still engaged in a discussion of the situation.

At 11:35 o'clock Messrs. Sargent and Wright returned to the white house and were shown into Secretary Cortelyou's office, their visit being in accordance with an understanding when they left about 8 o'clock that they should return later in the evening. The first sign of a break up of the conference was at 12:55, when Secretary Cortelyou came from the conference room and announced to the waiting newspaper men that an official statement on the strike situation would be made public in about half an hour. Shortly after 1 o'clock Secretary Root came out laughing and happy, and spread the glad tidings that a common ground of agreement between the operators and miners had been reached and that the strike was practically ended.

It was learned a few moments later that the chief feature of the agreement was the addition of a sixth member to the arbitration committee, the surmise following as a matter of course that the additional member would be more particularly a representative of labor. It was said at the same time that now an agreement had been arrived at as to the means of determining the differences that the President would insist on an immediate resumption of work at the mines and that he had reason to expect his advice would be followed very promptly. Messrs. Bacon and Perkins, partners in Mr. J. P. Morgan's banking firm, were present at the final conference as the representatives of the operators. When the gathering broke up all present were in high good humor and there was a general exchange of congratulations.

THE COMMISSION WHICH WILL HEAR THE CLAIMS OF BOTH SIDES.

WASHINGTON, October 16.—The following official statement announcing the close of the strike was issued at the white house at 2:30 a. m.: After a conference with Mr. Mitchell and some further conference with representatives of the coal operators, the President has appointed the members of the commission to inquire into, consider and pass upon all questions at issue between the operators and the miners in the anthracite coal fields.

LEMONS.

Linn Bortoff and family, of Julian, Sunday in our burg.

The farmers are about all through cutting corn and a few are husking.

Alfred Rishel and wife, of Bellefonte, spent Friday at the home of Mrs. John Lucas.

Miss Edna Clark stayed a few days in town the latter part of the week.

It is reported that Miss Roxie Lucas is suffering with scarlet rash, but is not very ill.

Rev. Schultz contemplates preaching to the young people of the community Sunday, Nov. 1st.

Mrs. Sauer, of Mill Hill, spent a pleasant week at the hospitable home of Mrs. Elmer Ross.

There were 5500 gallons of cider made at the W. W. Schreck cider press at this place, on Tuesday.

Edward Graham and wife and son are visiting for a few days at the pleasant home of Jacob Houtz.

Mrs. Julia Williams has returned from Linden Hill, where she had been helping take care of Mrs. Corl.

John I. Williams returned to work on last Monday. We trust his health may continue to improve.

William Houser and family departed for home last Wednesday forenoon after a few days' stay in our town.

Jacob Bortoff made a decided improvement by building a corn house and wagon shed on the farm occupied by F. H. Houtz.

Philip Meyer, one of the Democratic candidates for commission, was seen in our town on Saturday. No doubt looking up his political interests.

Elmer Ross has been shipping apples these last few days. In a little more than a week he and the man who purchased the lot loaded four cars. They intend to load more.

Ira Lyle, of Houserville, and Hiram Thompson, of State College, visited the G. A. R. encampment at Washington, D. C., last week and had a fine time among the old boys of '63.

Rev. Hinch, an aged United Evangelical minister from Carlisle, delivered an excellent discourse to the aged people of these parts, and what made it very interesting was when a young man he was a pastor to the people of this valley and preached at the Abraham Holderman home and other places. As they had no churches at that early day it recalled the days gone by when religion was not all form as at the present and it also reminded the aged that their race is almost run.

Thursday evening, the 9th inst, the officers of Lemont Lodge No. 717, I. O. O. F., were installed for the ensuing term by P. G., J. C. Eters, as follows:—N. G., G. W. R. Williams; V. G., Wm. H. Houtz; Secy., G. W. Raiston; Treas., G. R. Bonn; R. S. N. G., A. J. Hestinger; Warden, Jesse Klingner; Con., Hall Bortoff; Chap., E. K. Smith; R. S. S., Willie Grove; L. S. S., William Rishel; O. G., Jno. Wirtz; I. G., J. H. Shuey; R. S. V. G., S. G. Keller; L. S. V. G., J. C. Hoy.

Brigadier General John M. Wilson, United States army, retired (late chief of engineers, U. S. A.), Washington, as an officer of the engineers or native service of the United States.

Mr. E. W. Parker, Washington, D. C., as an expert mining engineer. Mr. Parker is chief statistician of the coal divisions of the United States geological survey and the editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal, of New York.

Hon. George Gray, Wilmington, Del., as a judge of a United States court.

Mr. E. E. Clark, Cedar Rapids, Ia., grand chief of the Order of Railway Conductors, as a sociologist, the president assuming that for the purpose of such a commission the term "sociologist" means a man who has thought and studied deeply on social questions and has practically applied his knowledge.

Mr. Thomas H. Watkins, Scranton, Pa., as a man practically acquainted with the mining and selling of coal.

Bishop John L. Spaulding, Peoria, Ills. Hon. Carroll D. Wright has been appointed recorder of the commission.

George Gray, judge circuit court, third United States circuit, since 1899, was born in New Castle, Del., May 4, 1840; graduated Princeton, 1859; studied law at Harvard; attorney general of Delaware, 1870-85; United States Senator, 1885-99; Democrat. In 1896 affiliated with the national (gold standard) Democrats in the presidential election; member peace commission, Paris, 1898; member of the international committee of arbitrations under The Hague convention, November, 1900.

Edward Wheeler Parker, statistician; United States geological survey and expert special agent twelfth census, United States. Born Port Deposit, Md., in 1860; educated in City college, Baltimore. Author annual reports on production of coal in United States, production of coke in United States, production of good salt in United States and other chapters in annual volumes United States geological survey.

John Lancaster Spaulding, R. C., bishop of Peoria since 1877; born at Lebanon Ky., June 2nd, 1840; educated St. Mary's college, Emmittsburg, Md.; University of Louvain, Belgium, and in Rome. Author Religious Mission of the Irish People; Education and the Higher Life and other works.

John M. Wilson, brigadier general, chief of engineers, United States army since Feb. 1st, 1877; born in District of Columbia in 1837; graduate West Point 1860. In civil war reached brevet rank of colonel in volunteers in United States army for gallantry in various battles; after war had charge of engineering works on rivers and harbors, and canals.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—President Mitchell has called a meeting of the executive committee and the strike will be called off at once and mining resumed in two or three days. Some of the members of the commission were named by Messrs. Sargent and Mitchell at their conference with the President to-day, and in later meetings tonight Mr. Sargent officially represented the miners' leader.

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Pine Grove Mention.

Will Rishel and wife, of Oak Hall, spent Sunday at John Miller's.

Dr. Harter, of State College, transacted business in this place on Wednesday.

Frank Martin and wife, of Fowler, visited friends in this section last week.

Orie Krebs, of the Mountain city, is here trying his new Marlin on small game.

J. B. Heberling has been confined to the house for some days, threatened with fever.

Our young push ahead farmer, Milo Campbell, is laid up with eighteen of Job's comforts.

Wm. A. Tanyer, one of our old Democratic war horses, is home after a visit in Johnstown.

Squire John M. Keichline spent several days here this week looking over his landed possessions.

Squire Michael Hess, of Bellefonte, spent part of last week stirring apple butter at his old home.

Conrad Harry Yarnell has struck it nice for a long cold winter. He is anchored at Mrs. Fishburne's, near Bellefonte.

Miss Inez Krebs is in Northumberland for an extended visit at the home of her brother, Dr. J. C. Krebs.

Mrs. Alice Buckwalter, of Lancaster, with her little girl baby are here visiting her parents and other relatives.

On account of Rev. Hepler's absence at Presbytery this week there will be no services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

Miss Rosa Williams, one of Tyrone's pleasant young ladies, is visiting Fairbrook friends. The Misses Campbell are entertaining her.

If we are to judge from the amount of firing done on old Tussey mountain on the first day of the season game must be plenty or very hard to hit.

Joseph A. Hess returned home last week from Philadelphia, where he endured a successful operation for appendicitis. He is quite well, but very weak.

Rev. S. C. Stonesspher moved into the late improved parsonage at Boalsburg on Monday and is now ready to receive callers, especially those bent on matrimony.

The hustling grain and coal dealer of Lemont spent most of last week here shipping apples. Thus far fourteen car loads have been shipped out of the valley.

Mrs. Albert J. Musser, of Clearfield, is visiting at the home of her father-in-law, John Musser, on Main street. From here she will go to visit relatives at Spring Mills.

Amos Koch transacted business in Bellefonte on Monday. He is more firmly convinced than ever dos meragates he gavit don grafra mer uf der drain udder lauffa hame.

George Reed has quit farming his father's farm and moved to Bellefonte to work at the lime kilns. Samuel Reed and his bride have moved onto the David Reed farm, just east of town.

Miss Flossie Goss, of Armstrong county, is visiting her many relatives in and about our town. She is a most pleasant and accomplished lady and is stopping with her cousin, Dr. R. M. Krebs.

The same evening the officers of the Boalsburg lodge No. 894 I. O. O. F. were installed by D. D. G. M. Glossner, of Howard. After the installation, refreshments were served and the evening closed with an enjoyable smoker.

Prof. Morris, of the Pine Grove High school, accompanied Rev. C. T. Aikens to Getatsburg on Sunday to enjoy the drive and get better acquainted with the people here, among whom he is going to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitesides, of New Jersey and their two interesting children are spending a week at D. G. Meek's hospitable home. Mrs. Whitesides is a daughter of the late Theophilus Weaver, who was the principal of the Pine Grove academy years ago.

On last Saturday evening the following officers of the Penns valley lodge 267 I. O. O. F. were installed by P. G. A. G. Archey: N. G., F. W. Graham; V. G., J. Will Kepler; Sec., M. E. Heberling; Treas., S. G. Heberling; Representative to G. lodge, W. H. Goss; alternate, A. J. Tate.

Mrs. S. E. Young, of Bellefonte, is visiting her aged mother, Mrs. M. A. Fry, who is suffering with a broken nose, caused by a fall. She was carrying a bucket of water when she fell and struck her nose on the edge of the bucket, but fortunately she is recovering as nicely as possible.

We are sorry to note the illness of Walter Weaver, who is in the Altoona hospital suffering with typhoid fever. He visited his family here last week and on his return to work made several trips over the mountain in the capacity of fireman before he was taken sick.

Among the throng at the national encampment of the G. A. R. in Washington, last week, we noticed from this section were Col. W. C. Patterson, Major Cal. Sowers, Dr. Christ, Ira Lyle, Wm. Tate, Hiram Thompson, C. B. Hess, J. W. Sunday, G. B. Campbell, Geo. Jackson and Samuel Moore.

Our young friend John Sausser met with quite an accident last Saturday and that it was not more serious was purely luck. He was running the threshing at Mr. Tate's farm when by some manner the outside of the engine got on fire. Sausser ran quickly to the yard for water to extinguish the flames and in his haste was caught in the mouth by a wire clothes line which he had not noticed. Several teeth were knocked out and his mouth so badly cut on both sides that it required several stitches by a physician to reduce it to its normal size.

Hess-Hines.—A quiet home wedding was celebrated at the Susan Campbell homestead, which is now occupied by Cland B. Hess, on Wednesday evening, when the second daughter of the family was united in marriage to John Hines. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 o'clock by the Rev. Edgar Heckman, of State College. The house was prettily decorated with ferns and chrysanthemums and a fine supper was served after the ceremony. The bride is a splendid young woman and will be greatly missed in social circles. We have not had the pleasure of meeting the groom, but have so much confidence in the bride's good judgment that we know that he is worthy of our best wishes and congratulations.

AN OCTOBER WEDDING.—A very pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents in Harris Twp. on Tuesday, when Miss Nancy Bailey was united in marriage to Daniel Keller Mothersbaugh. Thirty guests were present at the ceremony which took place at noon. The officiating minister was Rev. E. D. Hepler, of the Lemont Presbyterian church. After the congratulations and inspection of the many beautiful presents a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served, which consisted of all that the market afforded. Mr. and Mrs. Mothersbaugh left on the afternoon train for a visit in Pittsburgh. The bride is the youngest daughter of Samuel H. Bailey, and is a most worthy young woman. The groom is the oldest son of L. Mothersbaugh and is one of Harris township's successful school teachers. He is an industrious, diligent young man and the happy couple start out with every prospect of a successful life.

A Race Meet at Huntingdon.

The Fair Association have decided to give two days of racing, October 22nd and 23rd. The clean fair which the association gave in September is a guarantee of clean races in October. The purses offered are large enough to insure the attendance of good horses, and the public will doubtlessly show its appreciation of the management's successful effort to give the best fair ever given in Huntingdon county by a liberal patronage of its efforts to give the best race. The fair caused a great loss to the association, owing entirely to weather conditions, but they have made no complaint and are endeavoring to make up for the disappointment of the public by the attractive card at the races.

THE LESSON.

M. V. THOMAS.

Stern, and sad, and silent,
He stood with uncovered head,
And gazed into the sunset,
On the still, cold face of the dead.

His thoughts were dark and bitter
As he looked on that marble bier—
So late filled with life's passions—
So calm and peaceful now.

He pondered the ways of Fate
That sever'd the life of his friend—
A life so full of promise
To have this untimely end:

No more with potent hand
Earth's triumphs he would reap.
He rested from his labors,
Wrapped in the last long sleep.

Why had his life been spared?
Why must he the vigil keep?
Who quaffed from the cup of life
A draught, so bitter, long and deep?

As he turned from the bier
His soul held a smothered cry.
To be free from life's burden,
Why could not the sorrowing die?

In anguish of spirit
He sat with head bowed low.
His little son came to him
Saying, "Papa I love you so."

Drawing to him fondly
His motherless little one;
With glad heart he thanked his God
For the priceless gift of his son.

It was then he realized
That his life was incomplete,
The he must raise this little child
A gift, for the Master, mete.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—Following is the list of marriage licenses granted by orphan's court clerk, A. G. Archey, during the past week.

Geo. Kostick and Lizzie Baranie, both of Clarence.

Jno. C. Moore and Frances Kulp, both of Phillipsburg.

David Kelley Mothersbaugh and Nannie A. Bailey, both of Boalsburg.

Jno. N. Hoover and Lizzie Brain, both of Millheim.

Wm. Brown and Mary A. Barto, both of Phillipsburg.

Manny W. Raymond and Minnie B. Kuhn, both of Bellefonte.

Andrew Feloo and Maggie Werly, both of Winburne.

Orian A. Kline and Lillian M. Gehret, both of Bellefonte.

Hiram M. Hiller, of Philadelphia, and Blanche Moran Hays, of Bellefonte.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded during the past week by Recorder N. E. Robb.

Wm. Whitmer & Sons Co., to Commonwealth of Pa., dated Oct. 1st, 1902, 654 acres, 70 acres; consideration \$1,963.31.

Our Adams ex ux, to Geo. W. Hamer, dated Oct. 6th, 1902, lot in Phillipsburg; consideration \$850.

Charles K. McCafferty et ux, to Harry R. Wallace, dated July 20th, 1901, lot in Milesburg, consideration \$600.00.

Charles K. McCafferty et ux, to Harry R. Wallace, dated July—, 1901, lot in Milesburg; consideration \$1.00.

Reduced Rates To New Orleans.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Meeting American Bankers' Association.

On account of the meeting of the American Bankers' Association, at New Orleans, La., November 11th to 13th, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to New Orleans and return, November 8th to 10th, good to return within eleven days, including date of sale, at reduced rates. By depositing ticket with joint agent at New Orleans on or before November 18th, and the payment of a fee of 50 cents, an extension of the return limit to November 30th may be obtained.

For specific information regarding rates and routes, apply to nearest ticket agent.

New Advertisements.

BUGGY BARGAIN.—A top phaeton buggy, city made, to order, almost new, for sale at a bargain. Inquire at Diehl's carriage works, Bellefonte.

DOG LOST.—Black and tan English bulldog, medium height, answering name of Faunes, collar plate, bearing Washington High, Valley Forge. Notify Adams Express Co., Bellefonte, Pa. 47-4119.

REWARD.—Dr. J. M. Thompson, of Stormstown, will pay \$10 reward and ask no questions of the person who returns the pocket book, in fact, that disappeared from the Jackson, Hastings & Co. bank in this place last Monday, while he was attending to some business there.

New Advertisement.

FARM FOR RENT.—On Purdue mountain, 3 miles from Bellefonte. 150 acres cleared. Apply to WM. BURNSIDE, Bellefonte, Pa.

FOR SALE.—Complete outfit for large store. Hardwood counters, shelving with abundant outfit of drawers. Also 2 office safes, 100 charcoal furnace baskets, one ten-ton Key-stone wagon scale, at Lauth's Howard Furnace store. For full particulars address B. LAUTER'S ESTATE, Howard, Centre Co. Pa. 47-37-41

NOTICE.—TRANSFER OF LICENSE.—Notice is hereby given that Michael Zar has applied to the Court, asking that the Wholesale Liquor License, now held by him and conducted in the 2nd Ward of Phillipsburg be transferred to James Black. M. I. GARDNER, Clerk. 47-41-31

SMALL FARM FOR SALE.—The small farm owned by Charles Gummo, 1 1/2 miles north of Wadley's Station in Patton township, Centre county, is offered for sale cheap. It contains 40 acres, good buildings, lots of fine fruit and has considerable standing timber. Call on or write CHARLES GUMMO, Wadley, Pa. 47-41-11

WANTED.—A trustworthy gentleman or lady in each county to manage business for an old established house of solid financial standing. A straight, bona fide weekly cash salary of \$18.00 paid by check each Wednesday with all expenses direct from headquarters. Money advanced for expenses Manager, 340 Caxton Bldg., Chicago. 14-34-16

BOARDING IN PHILADELPHIA.—Parties visiting Philadelphia can have first class board and all accommodations, within walking distance of the business district, and places of interest. Terms \$1.00 and \$1.50 per day. Special rates by the week. Apply to MRS. EDWARDS, Philadelphia, 47-37-17.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Sophia McEwen, late of Walker township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned he hereby notifies all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment thereof and those having claims to present the same, properly authenticated, for settlement. JAMES CARNER, Executor. 47-41-61 Hublersburg, Pa.

DIVORCE NOTICE.—CELIA MEYERS in the Court of Common Pleas vs. JAMES C. MEYERS, 103, April Term, 1905. To James C. Meyers: Whereas Celia Meyers, your wife, has filed a libel in the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, to No. 163, April Term, 1905, praying for a divorce against you, now you are hereby notified and requested to appear in said Court on or before Monday, the 24th day of Nov. 1902, to answer the complaint of the said Celia Meyers and show cause if any you have, why the said Celia Meyers should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, and in default of such appearance you will be liable to have a divorce granted in your absence. Sheriff's Office, CYRUS BRUNGART, Sheriff. 47-41-41

CHARTER NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that an application will be made to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the twelfth day of November, 1905, by Edwin McCoy, William E. Slack, W. T. C. Sanders, Albert Jeffers and James L. Brustar, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 23, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "Keystone Telephone Company of Philadelphia," the character and object of which is constructing, maintaining and leasing lines of telegraph for the private use of individuals, firms, corporations, municipal or otherwise, for general business, and for police, fire alarm or messenger business, and for the transaction of any business in which electricity over or through wires may be applied to any useful purpose, including the maintaining and operation of a general telephone system and telephone business, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements. E. O. MICHENER, Solicitor. 47-41-48

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—About 67 feet of very ornamental iron fence, with ornamental gate, 50 movable panels and long iron posts is for sale cheap. Just the thing for a front yard. Call on or address L. C. BULLOCK, Milesburg, Pa. 46-30-17

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—A very desirable home on east Bishop St., Bellefonte, is offered for sale. The house is modern and stands on a lot that also has a frontage on Logan St. Call on or write Mrs. SARA A. TEATS, Bellefonte, Pa. 46-30-17

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned executor of the last will and testament of P. W. McDowell, late of Marion township, Pa., deceased, requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement of the same and those having claims against the decedent to present them, properly authenticated, for payment. H. T. McDOWELL, Administrator. 47-39-64

FARM FOR SALE.—A farm situated on the cross road leading from Jacksonsville to Hublersburg, known as the Butler farm, containing 110 acres under high state of cultivation, 6 acres of timber land. Good frame house, bank, barn and all necessary out buildings in first class condition. Good orchard and near to churches, school and post-office. Further particulars address or inquire of FREDERICK BLANCHARD, Bellefonte, Pa. 47-39-19

DUFF'S COLLEGE.—Has unsurpassed facilities for giving a Business Education, and placing Students when trained. Circulars on application. P. DUFF & SONS, Pittsburg, Pa. 47-36-44

FARM FOR SALE CHEAP.—My farm of 108 acres, known as the Old Krebs Homestead, located two miles from Pine Grove Mills on the White Hall road. I will give the first party I hear from for six (\$6000.00) thousand dollars. For further particulars address, SMITHSON, Westmoreland Co. Pa. 47-24-11

THE NEW EDISON PHONOGRAPH.—We are Direct Agents. PRICES FROM \$10 TO \$100. Genuine Edison Records \$5.00 per dozen or 50c. singly. Will deliver machines and instruct you how to make your own records and operate machine. 10 years experience in phonograph business. Send for catalogue. J. H. WARD, Pine Grove Mills, Pa. 47-5