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A COMPLETE TIE-UP

Of All Chicago Railways Liable to Result From the Stock Yards Trouble.

A BIG STRIKE PREDICTED

By Alton's General Manager, Who Says the Roads Have Combined

TO FIGHT TO THE BITTER END.

New York Central Knights of Labor Hold an Enthusiastic Mass Meeting.

SPEECHES BY POWDERLY AND OTHERS

A greater railroad strike than that on the New York Central is imminent. All roads entering Chicago may be tied up if the striking switchmen at the stockyards persist in their demands.

CHICAGO, August 26.—A strike that will tie up all Chicago roads, and perhaps all the roads in the country, is threatened, should the striking switchmen at the stockyards persist in their demands.

There was a rumor on the streets to-day that the strikers had given in, and had asked to be taken back by the Switching Association, but it proved to be unfounded.

CROWDING THE MOURNERS.

The strike of the engineers and firemen had just been settled, when the switchmen last night decided to quit.

ASK TO BE REINSTATED.

New York Central Strikers Want Their Old Places Once More.

TO BE COMPOSED OF AMERICANS AND HAVING \$5,000,000 CAPITAL.

LOUISVILLE, August 26.—Ex-Congressman Albert Willis returned here from New York this morning, where he has been in the interest of the company which is seeking to secure control of the 20 tobacco warehouses of this city and Cincinnati.

PIGMENT TO THE RED.

no matter what the result may be. And every man spoke and entered into such an agreement, which is that all Chicago railways will stand together as one individual to oppose the unjust demands made upon the Stock Yards Switching Association, or upon any of the interested railways.

WHY THEY COMBINED.

"Our course, as agreed upon, has been made necessary by the demands and lawless conduct of the men. They quit work without a moment's notice, leaving thousands of dollars' worth of freight to perish on the tracks.

HELD UP BY STAGE ROBBERS.

They Were Looking for Gold, but It Was Not There.

GOOD WAGES EARNED.

"Over time and Sundays are paid for at an advance of over the scale. The men all earn from \$85 to \$90 per month. This scale of wages was given in settlement of the strike of 1891.

THE FLAG CAME DOWN.

British Gunboats Compel a Venezuelan Captain to Lower His Colors.

SUPPORT MAY FAIL THEM.

The ground for hope that a general strike may not be declared is found in the fact that the switchmen last night, struck in an altogether irregular, and, according to their laws, illegal manner.

THE STRIKERS' PARADE.

DEMONSTRATION OF DISCHARGED CENTRAL EMPLOYEES.

An Address by Powderly a Part of the Programme—He Says the Knights Are Fighting for a Great Principle—Others Make Speeches.

NEW YORK, August 26.—There was a mass meeting of Knights of Labor at Union Square to-night. Powderly and other big Knights were present.

SOCIALIST OR WAKEMAN STOOD ON THE PLATFORM AT THE END OF THE SQUARE, AND TALKED TO THE CROWD FOR AN HOUR.

Police were present in force, 200 standing opposite the speaker's stand. Powderly was called upon, and on responding was cheered loudly. He said:

You may feel disappointed because the Terre Haute convention did not declare a general strike. Your Executive Board did not expect that it would.

The strike which we have inaugurated is not one of the people of the State of New York, but of the people of America.

The meeting then listened to a fiery preamble followed by resolutions which denounced the New York Central officers as "arbitrary and tyrannical."

The people are advised to take political action in the case of Government managers of the railroads, and the hiring of Pinkerton armed men is to be made a State prison offense by statute.

NEW YORK CENTRAL STRIKERS WANT THEIR OLD PLACES ONCE MORE.

SCHENECTADY, August 26.—Nine Delaware and Hudson yardmen went out on strike here to-day because the Delaware and Hudson Company was making New York Central places filled by new men, and business continuing.

A TOBACCO HOUSE SYNDICATE.

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ORIGINAL PACKAGE MEN

ON TRIAL FOR SELLING WITHOUT LICENSE AT WASHINGTON, PA.

Pendergast's Case Considered—The Judge Charges That the Laws Refute the Claim of the Defendant—The Decision of the Jury Awaited.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. WASHINGTON, Pa., August 26.—The original package cases were taken up in court this morning. First on the docket appeared the name of William J. Pendergast, agent for P. Gavin, of Wheeling.

HE SAYS IT IS A GO.

Significant Speech on the Tariff Bill by Major McKinley at HIS NOMINATION FOR CONGRESS.

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EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND AND THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY SCORED.

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FARMERS ARE DISAPPOINTED IN OHIO.

Politicians Ransacking Their Fences Throughout the Country.

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THE STATE STARS ARE NOT THERE.

Brice and Campbell May Away From the Ohio Democratic Convention.

SPRINGFIELD, O., August 26.—Much disappointment was felt by the farmers who came to attend the Democratic State Convention here at the absence of Governor Campbell and Senator-elect Brice.

REMARKS ON THE HOUSE BILL.

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FOREIGN RIVALRY.

"We said in our platform of 1888: 'We are uncompromisingly in favor of the American system of protection. We protest against its destruction as presented by President Cleveland and his cabinet. We are in the interest of Europe. We will support the interests of our own people, and we will support this declaration in the bill which has passed the House with a majority of purposes when even our enemies are not questioning it.'

THE DEMOCRATS NAME CANDIDATES FOR CONGRESS IN TWO DISTRICTS.

WASHINGTON, August 26.—The Third Congressional district Democratic convention to-day renominated John D. Alderson for Congress. Ex-Governor E. W. Wilson was a candidate, and withdrew in favor of Alderson.

ALL FOR LOVE.

A Jealous Farmer Kills His Wife and Then Himself.

HEADING IT OFF.

Trying to Stop the Progress of Asiatic Cholera in Sicily.

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TRIED TO LYNCH HIM.

A Hungarian's Narrow Escape From a Mob's Rope at Duquesne.

PLUCKY FIGHT BY A CONSTABLE.

Who Brought His Prisoner to the Jail, More Dead Than Alive.

AN ARM ALMOST CUT OFF BY THE HUN.

Whom a Frenzied Mob Beat and Kicked Incessantly for Using a Knife.

SLASHED ON THE WRIST.

Several experiments have been made in mounting and in maintaining the invention, and all have proved successful.

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WESTERN EMBREZZLER CAPTURED.

He Used Other People's Thousands in His Own Business.

PHILADELPHIA, August 26.—Emil V. Koester was arrested in this city to-day charged with embezzling \$7,000 from the Pennsylvania Mining Association, of which he was Treasurer.

CABLE CLICKS.

Short Items of Interest Flashed From Across the Ocean.

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