

FIRST COAL GOES OUT

The River Rises and the Operators Take Advantage of the High Water.

BUT FEW BARGES LOADED.

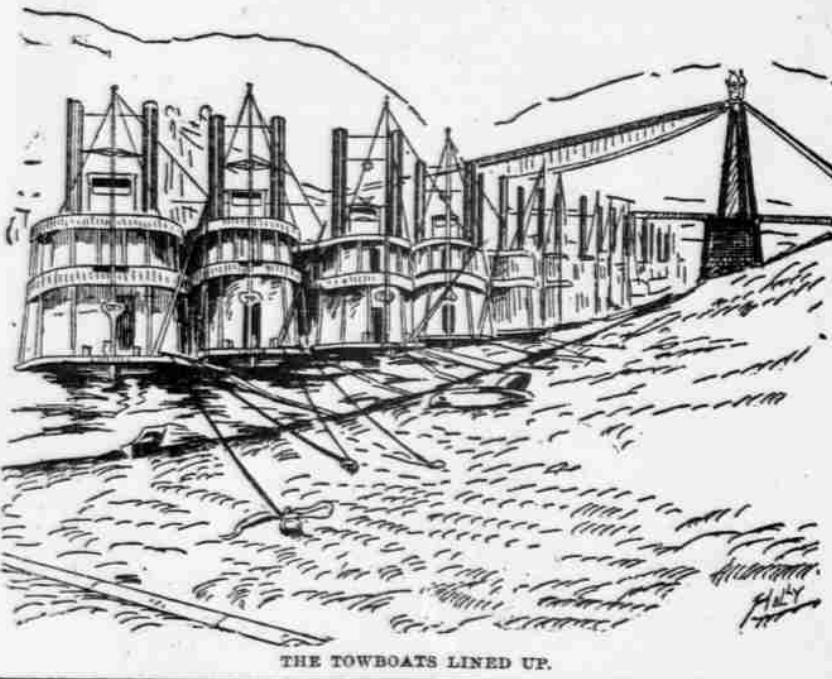
The Employes on the Boats Anxious to Get to Work Again.

POSSIBLE EFFECT ON THE STRIKE.

Lively Scenes About the Wharf During the Preparations.

THE SEASON OPENING UP VERY BADLY.

The last two or three days have been a busy time for rivermen. The long-delayed boating stage of water promised to materialize, and all was bustle and hurry about the wharf.



THE TUGBOATS LINED UP.

as they feared such a change might not be to their advantage. As operators claim to be slowly gaining ground, they would be willing to leave things as they are.

The heavy rains of last Tuesday caused a general wakening up among the rivermen. Those who had left the city during the long continued low water hastened back to get their boats ready for the first trip of the season down the river.

Much Disappointment. The bright skies of Wednesday cast a cloud on many of these expectations and it was with a doubting face that many of the anxious rivermen scanned the weather bulletins, and when the day closed some had given up all hope of getting out at this time.

The Pittsburgh and Duquesne traction companies were yesterday asked to show cause why they should not be attached for contempt of court.

Look at These Xmas Gifts. Beautiful pottery, framed water colors, gold pens and pencils, silver framed beautiful photo panels, silver inkstands, writing folios, photo albums and serene pocket-books and card cases.

THE FIRST IN FIVE MONTHS. The coal to be taken to-day is the first that has been taken into the lower markets since the middle of July last.

strike complicated matters and stagnated all business along the river. The price of coal has been kept down by the railroads, and in the absence of trade on the river they have succeeded in capturing a great deal of the coal trade, but have been to a certain extent hampered by the lack of cars.

WORK OF THE GRAND JURY. The Aldermen Are Ordered to Act Promptly—West Harrington Is Indicted for Murder—A Long List of Offenders Who Will Have to Stand Trial.

Judge Stowe yesterday, in order to expedite the work of the grand jury, made an order compelling aldermen to comply with the act of Assembly of 1887, that all informations before them be returned within five days.

The grand jury yesterday returned a true bill against West Harrington for the murder of Oliver M. Kelly, who was stabbed at Willow Grove station on November 6 and died at the West Penn Hospital on November 15.

The other true bills returned were as follows: William Doherty, Thomas McAvoy, Thomas Green, Dudley Thomas, John Smith, Anderson Peter Poerk, John Coslett, Peter

Ford, James Gorman, Peter Knuff, Frank Wolke, Charles Smith, Philip Fleming, Pat Moore, Jake Gulkowski, Jacob Conroy and W. Pulowitch, Jaroszy, Mary Barkley, Robert Walsh, John Fee, Bridget Lavelle, selling liquor without license; John Coslett, infamous assault and battery; James Clark, James Loyola, Harry Ritchie, Harry Mahoney, accused assault and battery; Daniel Walker, S. H. Collins, assault and battery; Philip Fleming, carrying concealed weapons; David Smith, battery; George C. Walker, Philip Fleming, false pretenses; George Wilcox and A. E. Walker, pointing firearms; William Jackson, battery.

Small Matters Promptly Disposed Of. WILLIAM WOOLSEY and Thomas McAvoy pleaded guilty to the larceny of six blankets and seven aprons from the Carnegie Steel Company at Homestead. They were each sentenced three months to the workhouse.

WILLIAM JACKSON pleaded guilty to burglary by entering the house of R. S. Lay, on Arch street, Allegheny. He was sent three years and three months to the penitentiary.

THE ENRICHMENT OF CHRISTIANITY. Rev. F. L. Anderson, of Rochester, N. Y., delivered an address on the subject, "The Enrichment of Christianity Through Its Missions," last night.

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THE MEETING ENDED.

Last Night Concluded the Baptist Missionary Conference.

A DAY SPENT IN SPEECH MAKING.

Dr. Woods Says Many Hard Things About the Late Jay Gould.

REV. ANDERSON THE FINAL SPEAKER.

With one accord the visiting delegates to the Baptist Missionary Conference pronounced this meeting the most successful and interesting yet held. There have been some eight meetings in various cities to aid in raising \$1,000,000 for foreign missions as a centenary offering, this year being the hundredth anniversary of the departure of the first Baptist missionary, Reverend Carey, to foreign fields.

Yesterday's sessions were the most interesting of the conference. The attendance in the early part of the morning session was very small. On account of this the address of the Rev. Dr. Green on "America's Obligation to the World" was postponed till the afternoon session.

Dr. Stanton, of the Shady Avenue Baptist Church, spoke upon the necessity of having God's guidance in every question of duty that besets the minister. "There should not be so many indictments framed against us by our own consciences," he concluded.

The story of the establishment of the mission station among the Garro tribes of Burma was told by Dr. Bunker. A lone missionary distributing tracts interested two native boys, and from this the great mission of 1,000 men, in which 316 were baptized last year, was founded. Other ministers followed with their experiences in the mission fields.

By far the most important and strongest address of the morning session was on "Revival in Giving," by Rev. Byron A. Woods, of Philadelphia. He discoursed in a comprehensive way on the rights of possession and argued the rightful claim of God to our souls, bodies and possessions.

Dr. Woods then asked where would be found 70 men to give \$200,000 for God, as was done in the case of the late Jay Gould of an opera house. Is love of Italian opera a more powerful motive than love of country, love of souls and love of Christ?

Dr. D. S. H. Green, of Washington, D. C., spoke on "America's Obligation to the World." He said the Bible's commission of missionaries is supplemented by the natural condition of greatness of this country.

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Oil, Cod Liver, Wampole's... 50
Oil, St. Jacob's... 1.00
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Syrup, Russian Cough, Galvin's, 2 for... 25
Syrup, Poomerang... 25

Toilet Soaps.

- Lemon Juice Soap... 12
Pear's Unscented Soap... 12
Unscented Soap... 12
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Soap... 25
Pure Castile, a piece... 15
Oakley's Turkish Bath... 5
Oakley's Royal Oatmeal Soap... 25
Oakley's Potpourri Soap... 25
Oakley's Palm Soap... 25
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Infants' Silk and Velvet Caps, regular price \$1, at... 68c
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Ladies' Extra Fine Silk Chemise, with lace-trimmed yoke and skirt, regular price \$3.75, at... \$1.98
Ladies' Bleached Muslin Drawers, regular price 25c, at... 20c
Ladies' Extra Fine Muslin Drawers, deep ruffle of embroidery and cluster of tuks, regular price 75c, at... 58c
Ladies' Extra Size Muslin Drawers, ruffle of embroidery and cluster of tuks, regular price \$1, at... 75c
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