

TWO CENTS.

SCRANTON, PA., WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 10, 1902.

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GOVERNOR FAILS TO SETTLE STRIKE

Mr. Stone's Visit to the Operators in New York Is Without Apparent Results.

PRESIDENT FOWLER SAYS NO COMPROMISE

Mr. Morgan Declines to Interfere in the Matter—Mr. Widener Anxious to See the Strike Settled, but Is Unable to Influence the Operators to Make Concessions of Any Kind.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

New York, Sept. 9.—Governor William A. Stone, of Pennsylvania, who came to this city and made an effort during the day to see what could be done towards settling the anthracite coal strike, returned to Harrisburg, Pa., tonight, without apparently having been able to accomplish a settlement.

There were rumors afloat that the governor's visit had resulted, but George W. Perkins, of J. P. Morgan & Co., denied tonight that there was any change in the situation.

Went to See Morgan.

After the conference had lasted an hour, Mr. Widener went to J. Pierpont Morgan at the latter's office, and asked him to use his influence to end the strike.

Before leaving the city, Governor Stone gave out the following statement: "Attorney General Elkin, Senator Flinn and myself have been in consultation for several hours today with P. A. B. Widener, of Philadelphia, who is a director of the Pennsylvania Steel corporation and associated with Mr. Morgan in many business interests.

Operators Are Firm.

George W. Perkins, speaking for J. P. Morgan & Co., said tonight: "We have no comment to make on Governor Stone's statement. We have received no official statement as to what occurred at the conference nor have we heard from Governor Stone since the conference was closed. Nor have we anything to say on the strike situation."

Composer to Bring Tribute to This Country on His Trip.

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Rome, Sept. 9.—Pietro Mascagni, the composer, and his wife, will leave Chicago for the United States on September 27. The Mascagni company will sail from Genoa September 14.

Bridge Builders Strike.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 9.—A strike of bridge builders employed on structural work in various cities in Connecticut, was inaugurated today as a result of the meeting of the Bridge and Iron Structural Workers' union last night, at which it was decided to call the men out. The men ask for an increase in the wage scale and a nine-hour day. They are now paid from 50 to 55 cents an hour and demand 40 cents. Most of them are employed by the American Bridge company and the Berlin Iron Bridge company.

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which will visit him for the purpose of asking that he call an extra session of the legislature for the purpose of an arbitration bill, which will force the miners and operators to arbitrate their differences.

Mr. Mitchell's Statement.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Sept. 9.—President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers of America, tonight denied in the most emphatic terms that the coal miners' strike had been declared off.

Resolutions at McAdoo.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 9.—The following resolutions were adopted by the Mine Workers' local at McAdoo tonight: "Resolved, that we, the United Mine Workers of McAdoo stand by the demands of the Shamokin convention until there is another convention of the anthracite miners called, or until we are ordered to return to work by President Mitchell."

NORTH AMERICAN'S WAY.

Manner in Which the Strike Is Settled by Philadelphia Journal.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Philadelphia, Sept. 10.—The North American, in an editorial, says that J. Pierpont Morgan has assented to a plan proposed by Governor Stone, of Pennsylvania, for ending the coal miners' strike.

HARRY DUPUY ARRESTED.

Charged with the Death of D. Thrope Munroe.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 9.—Harry W. Dupuy, of Allegheny, Pa., a junior at Yale university, came to this city tonight and presented himself to the police authorities. He is charged with manslaughter.

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POLITICAL PROCEEDINGS.

Congressional and Other Candidates Selected Yesterday.

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Norristown, Pa., Sept. 9.—The Montgomery county Republican convention was held here today.

Altoona, Sept. 9.—At a conference of the executive committee of the Blair county Democratic and Unionist parties, held this evening, Joseph E. Throp, of Uniontown, was endorsed for congress.

Mason-town, Pa., Sept. 9.—A meeting of the conferees of the Fortieth senatorial district to nominate a Democratic candidate for congress, held here today, failed to accomplish anything.

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ITALIAN STRIKE RIOT.

Troops Fire on Mob, Killing Five, in Apulian Town.

Rome, Sept. 9.—Five persons were killed yesterday and ten wounded in a conflict between troops and strikers at Canale, a small town in Apulia, in the extreme southeastern part of Italy.

HOMEWARD BOUND.

President Greeted by Admiring Crowds on His Return Trip.

Salisbury, N. C., Sept. 9.—President Roosevelt arrived here at 5:30 this afternoon on the way to Washington and was welcomed by a large crowd.

SEVEN AT LARGE.

Alleged Bootleggers at St. Louis Escape the Drag Net.

St. Louis, Sept. 9.—When Judge Douglas adjourned court tonight, seven of the eighteen members of the alleged bootlegging ring of the house of delegates were still at large.

NEW ENGLAND MILE CIRCUIT.

Three Good Races Won in Straight Heats.

Dover, N. H., Sept. 9.—The first New England mile circuit meeting of the fall began at the Granite state park this afternoon with three good races, all of which were won in straight heats.

BOER GENERALS LEAVE LONDON.

Botha, DeWet and Delarey Start for Holland, Amid Hearty Cheers.

London, Sept. 9.—The Boer generals, Botha, DeWet and Delarey started for Holland today. They were given the same hearty cheers by the crowds as have marked all the appearances of the generals in public.

Went Down with the Crete-a-Pierrot.

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PRESIDENT'S POSITION ON STRIKE

The Printed Interview with Him on the Subject Is Purely Imaginative.

COULD NOT TAKE PART IN THE MATTER

Any Interference by the President, Unless at the Request of Both Parties, Would Be Construed as a Threat to Use the Great Power of His Office to Coerce One Side or the Other—If Miners and Operators Should Both Request the President to Select an Arbitration Committee He Would Gladly Do So.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Cincinnati, Sept. 9.—A guest of President Roosevelt during a portion of his trip through Ohio, when asked today if the subject of the settlement of the Pennsylvania coal strike was discussed, said it was.

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GERMAN ARMY MANOEUVRES.

Day Spent Yesterday Playing for Positions—Emperor Was Umpire.

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Frankfurt-on-Oder, Sept. 9.—The war manoeuvres began today. The day was spent by the contending armies in playing for positions.

IN MEMORY OF M'KINLEY.

Governor Nash's Proclamation Asks Ohioans to Observe Next Sunday.

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FILIPINOS MAKE PLEDGES TO TAFT

AGUA DULCE SURRENDERED. The Situation at Colon and Panama Considered Serious.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 9.—Mr. Ehrman, vice consul general at Panama, advises the state department by cable that Agua Dulce has been surrendered by the government forces.

INQUEST BEGUN AT PITTSFIELD.

Governor Crane Expected to Testify as to Death of President's Guard.

Pittsfield, Mass., Sept. 9.—The inquest on the death of William Craig, the secret service guard to the president, who was killed in the accident at Pittsfield last Wednesday, was begun at the Berkshire county court house today before Special Justice Charles L. Hibbard.

LEAPED THROUGH A WINDOW.

An Insane Man Probably Fatally Injured.

New York, Sept. 9.—Hugh Robinson, a broker, 35 years old, leaped through the closed window of his apartment to-night and alighted on the sidewalk. His skull was fractured.

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Native Leaders Praise the American Government in a Banquet at Manila.

AFFECTION FOR HIM AND FAITH IN HIM

Expressed at a Dinner Given in His Honor by Federal Party—Governor Compliments Organizers—Says It Is Not a Commission's Creation. Urges Agriculture as Aid to Prosperity—The Army Will Move Against the Sultan of Bacolod Very Soon.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Manila, Sept. 9.—The Federal party gave a banquet to Governor Taft yesterday, during which the native speakers complimented the governor, expressed faith in and affection for him, and promised to support his administration.

TO TAKE ON SULTAN.

Army Will Move Against Him if He Continues Hostile.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Manila, Sept. 9.—The column of troops which Brigadier General Samuel S. Sumner, commanding the department of Mindanao, is to lead against the Maclin Moros, probably will leave Camp Vicars at the end of this week. It will consist of portions of the Eleventh and Twenty-seventh infantry, two troops of the Fifteenth cavalry and a mountain battery, about 1,100 men in all.

WRECKED BY A BOY.

Mystery of a Disaster on the Norfolk and Western Is Solved.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Roanoke, Va., Sept. 9.—The mystery surrounding the wrecking of a Norfolk and Western passenger train on the Shenandoah valley division forty miles north of Roanoke last Sunday was cleared up today when Johnnie Barger, an eleven-year-old boy who lives near the scene of the wreck confessed that he had placed a spike in the joint between the rails and hammered it half way down with a rock for the purpose of seeing it flattened by the train and that he did not think it would throw the train from the tracks.

GOVERNOR HILL'S VICTORY.

Indications That He Will Have Plurality of 26,000.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Portland, Me., Sept. 9.—Since noon reports have been received from 815 two towns. At 10 o'clock tonight 369 of the 521 towns give Governor John F. Hill, Republican, a plurality of 23,617 votes. The indications are that 166 towns yet to report will increase the Republican plurality to 26,000.

Mr. Palmer Renominated.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Wilkes-Barre, Sept. 9.—The Republican county convention was held today and proved to be a harmonious affair. Congressman Palmer was renominated by acclamation. The county ticket nominated is as follows: Treasurer, John Williamson; register, John Mainwaring; county commissioners, Thomas Smith and John M. Jones.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local data for September 9, 1902.

Highest temperature 74 degrees

Lowest temperature 61 degrees

Relative humidity: 81 per cent.

Wind: S. by E. 10 to 15 m. p. m.

Precipitation, 24 hours ended 8 p. m. 0.82 inch.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Wednesday and Thursday: Partly cloudy; Wednesday, fresh; Thursday, fair, warmer.