

## AT HOME AND ABROAD.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 19.—A special to the Dispatch from Wheeling, W. Va., says:

Unknown parties concealed in the brush about the Cleveland & Wheeling track at Barton last night attacked a passing northbound coal train. As the train passed the spot a volley of stones was sent at the train men wherever one was in view. Fireman Little was struck by a missile and quite badly hurt.

Later another train at the same place collided with a pile of empty oil barrels which had been put on the track and fastened with a heavy rail. Fortunately Engineer Leggett was looking out for trouble at this point and was running the train very slowly, preventing an accident.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 19.—The national executive committee of the Miners' association was called to meet here today. Mr. Dolan, of Pittsburg, being asked why they were here, said he did not know, having been summoned without explanation.

The board adjourned at 11 a. m. until 1 p. m., to await the arrival of absent members.

Being asked to foreshadow the proposed action of the board, President Ratchford said: "The conservative policy adopted by our board at the beginning must necessarily be departed from because of the extreme radical policy of the other side. We would much prefer a battle along peaceable lines as we have been doing, but our board will be obliged to test the tactics on the other side and also to take steps to extend the fight in other fields. We have to adopt other methods to meet the injunctions. Our people are being arrested in a wholesale manner for holding public meetings and we do not propose to have injunctions break this strike."

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 19.—The campers at Plum Creek marched at 5 o'clock this morning, according to their announcement, but were stopped by the deputy sheriffs and turned back to their camps.

Non-strikers were allowed to be on the road, even though they were in pairs and one hundred yards apart. The strikers obeyed the officers without a murmur.

It is reported that about 200 farmers from Plum Creek and Wilkies township will make a sympathy demonstration today. They will march at New Texas and march to the strikers' camps at Plum Creek and Turle Creek. A number of wagons containing food and provisions will accompany them on the march and speeches will be made by the leading farmers. The arrangements for this march were completed last week and everything is in readiness for the farmers to go ahead.

REYNOLDSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 19.—At a meeting of about 1,000 miners and laborers of Big Soldier, Sprague, Hillston, and Peole mines near here, it was decided to demand an advance in wages from 25 to 32 cents per ton for machine mining, and for 30 to 40 cents per ton for pick mining; other wages in proportion and satisfaction in regard to sack weighmen's pay. A

committee was appointed to call on General Manager Robinson and present the demands. Meanwhile arrangements will be made to call meetings at all the other mines of the Jefferson and Clearfield Coal and Iron company, with a view of having the men demand a similar advance, and all possible influence will be used to extend the strike into the Clearfield county mines.

There are now 1,500 strikers here. Organizer Harris is confident the men will win. A six foot fence is being built around the Jefferson and Clearfield coal and iron company's big roller works and it is reported that new men will be started to work.

WHEELING, W. Va., Aug. 19.—The strike situation is decidedly mixed in West Virginia today. The news that the Pittsburg operators have decided to resume at all hazards and the report that Dolan and representatives of the operators have asked President Ratchford to come to Pittsburg with a view to settling the strike and a depressing influence upon West Virginia miners. The hope had been held out that when a settlement came they would be consulted and a scale of wages that would help them would be enforced. But in Pittsburg is to make the settlement all hope of this is lost.

The camp at Montana is still a lively place, the presence of the strikers' wives adding much to the gaiety. In the New river region five mines were closed yesterday and in the Kanawha valley but one mine went to work.

NORTH TONAWANDA, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Uncle Sam is being defrauded and the Chinese exclusion act evaded almost every day along the Niagara frontier. Lately the operations of the smugglers have increased in volume so rapidly that the federal officers have become alarmed. The smugglers seem to be well informed as to the movement of the officers, and through information furnished them, presumably by spies, have been able to avoid all traps set. The interdicted immigrants are brought across the Niagara frontier in considerable numbers every month. When they reach this city they are taken under cover of the darkness to a certain laundry where they are placed until arrangements can be made to send them to interior cities.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—Since Prof. Bogel of Berlin, Germany, suggested that it was possible to produce color in photographs and chemist have failed to find a process.

Albert Sohnecker, of the Western Engraving Co., of this city has achieved this. He can produce any object in its natural color.

The main secret of the process is the extraction of the three primary colors, yellow, red and blue. A novelty of the work is that the object is photographed at right angles or practically around the corner. This is made possible by the use of a prism. Behind the prism is a color filter. This is a small flat tank of glass. This filter is filled with a chemically pure solution to exclude all but the color desired to

be extracted from the object. A green liquid is used when red is to be photographed, a blue solution when yellow is wanted, and a red mixture is put on the filter when the third basic color, blue, is to be reproduced. Back of the filter is the plate.

FORT WORTH, TEXAS, August 20.—For several months valuable letters have been missed from the Fort Worth postoffice. Inspector L. R. Fisher was put on the case and arrested Brocton O. Carter, about 19 years of age, charged with robbing the mails. Carter is a son of the assistant United States prosecuting attorney of this district.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Aug. 20.—Miguel Angiolillo, who shot and killed Senor Canovas del Castillo, the prime minister of Spain, at the baths of Santa Agueda, on Sunday, Aug. 8, was executed at 11 o'clock this morning, according to the sentence of the court-martial imposed upon him Monday last after his trial on the previous Sunday, which sentence was confirmed by the supreme council of war yesterday.

Angiolillo heard calmly the news that he was to be executed today, but he appeared to be surprised at and bitterly complained of the frequent visits of the priests, declaring they would obtain nothing for him. He declined to enter the chapel, saying he was comfortable enough in his cell.

An executioner from Bourges performed the garrotting, just prior to which a priest exhorted the anarchist to repent, to which Angiolillo responded: "Since you cannot get me out of prison, leave me in peace. I myself will settle with God."

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 20.—There was another explosion here yesterday. It occurred on a hill behind the suburb of Buyukdere and is believed to have been caused by a bomb. Nobody was injured. Several Armenians were arrested and the police captured documents said to be of an incriminating nature.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 20.—The commission of Nathan A. Hitchcock of Missouri, as minister to Russia, was made out at the White House today. The appointment dates from August 10th.

The following appointments were announced today: James Jeffreys of Camde, Tenn., and Ross Griffin of Kansas City, commissioners to allot lands in severally to the Indians on the Uocompangre reservation in Utah.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 21.—R. C. Williams, of 450 South Hill street, was found dead in his bath room this morning. The gas was escaping, and it is supposed that he turned it on accidentally while taking a bath last evening. His wife is satisfied that is not a case of suicide. He came to Los Angeles from Indiana several years ago and was a well to do retired business man.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The special train quartered for a trip across the continent in Yellowstone Park and back, at a cost of \$18,000 by 125 members of the Arion Society of this city, started on its journey from the Weehaken N. J. depot of the West Shore Railroad. The excursionists were given a grand send-off by the Arion band and the stay at home members.