

JOHN MITCHELL IN OWN DEFENSE

Denies He Committed Contempt
Of Court by Violating Injunction in Buck Stove Case.

WAS CALM AND COLLECTED.

Gompers Also Witness—Charged Van
Cleave With Trying to Assassinate His Character.

Washington, Sept. 13.—John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers, who, with President Compers and Secy. Morrison of the American Federation of Labor, is charged with contempt of court in the injunction case against the officials for boycotting the Buck Stove & Range company, testified in his own defense today before Albert Harper, examiner. Mr. Gompers also was on the stand several hours, much of his testimony being a reiteration of the points developed during the examination of Secy. Morrison yesterday.

Mr. Mitchell, although subjected to a severe test by Daniel Davenport of counsel for the plaintiffs, was calm and collected throughout the trial. He did his best to show that he was not a party to the conspiracy to injure the Buck Stove & Range company, and that when his suggestion that J. W. Van Cleave of the stove company had raised \$100,000 to disrupt the organization, he had been misled by a letter from Atty. Davenport. The latter asserted that the idea that such a fund was raised originated in the heated imagination of labor enthusiasts.

Mr. Mitchell said he took no part in the drafting of the resolution, nor did he have any knowledge of the subsequent distribution of the resolution among the 200,000 mine workers of the country. Mr. Mitchell asked all questions designed to elicit information about the part played by the Mine Workers' Journal in furtherance of the alleged boycott.

"For years I have been followed about the country by detectives," Mr. Mitchell testified in commenting on Davenport's knowledge of his movements. "A greater familiarity about my movements than I have myself shows it was acquired in this manner. I think Mr. Van Cleave is responsible for it."

Generally to all questions Mr. Mitchell disclaimed any intent to violate the court's order. He testified that Samuel Compers in his testimony charged Mr. Van Cleave's course against him as "an attempt to assassinate my character." He said he did not know that the publication of the stove company's name in the Federation list was in violation of an order which had not then become operative. Mr. Gompers said that in keeping the name of the company on the unfair list was more the intention to support the affiliated bodies than to injure the company.

The hearing was adjourned until Thursday morning at 10 o'clock to permit Mr. Compers to take a train for Columbus, Ohio.

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FORT WADSWORTH.
One of Defenses of New York to be Greatly Strengthened.

New York, Sept. 14.—Fort Wadsworth, Staten Island, one of the fortifications guarding the Atlantic approach to New York City, is to be greatly strengthened. The present strength of the fortifications will be increased to eight companies of coast artillery in the near future and eventually to 12 companies, which will put the fort on a par with the great fortifications at Fort Monroe, Va., and the Presidio at San Francisco, the first of which is a 10-company, and the last named a 12-company post.

The board which is planning the enlargement of Fort Wadsworth has just met in this city, and it is understood that its recommendations will be sent to the secretary of war in a short time. The president of the board is Col. George Knight, one of the army's best known engineers, and an expert on coast defense fortifications. What additions to the guns of Fort Wadsworth are contemplated will not be disclosed publicly.

With Fort Hamilton, Fort Wadsworth constitutes one of the most vital defenses of the harbor.

WHALES ARE FAST BECOMING EXTINCT

New York, Sept. 14.—Roy C. Andrews of the museum of natural history has been hunting and with a camera since last April. He just reached this city from Vancouver Island, Alaska, with more than 500 photographs, the most complete set of pictures of whales in the world. The museum authorities say that Mr. Andrews was sent on the expedition because Dr. E. E. Bumpus, director of the museum, is convinced that the whale is becoming extinct and in a comparatively few years will take its place beside the dinosaur of the semi-prehistoric age. The museum was anxious both to obtain a skeleton of the humpback whale, and to have a complete set of photographs of the whale, together with such a system of measurement of Pacific whales as would make possible a comparison

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Mr. Andrews said that for months he lived as a member of the whaling station on Vancouver Island, going out almost daily with the men on their hunt for the big sea mammal. The maximum length of a "humpback" whale is 40 feet, and Mr. Andrews developed getting the skeleton of one 40 feet long for the museum.

SPECIAL TRAINS
To Brigham, 8:15 and 8:45 a. m., September 16th.

PLAN IMPROVEMENT AT SAN QUENTIN AND FOLSOM

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—In an experimental effort to open to the young and brave behaved convicts of the two state penitentiaries every possible avenue of reform, the state board of prison directors has under consideration a plan whereby these prisoners, to be known as inmates of the first class, shall be relieved from the ignominy of wearing striped uniforms and shorn heads and faces. Attraction in process of construction at Folsom and San Quentin will add about 800 cells at each prison, and when these are available, the prisoners in each penitentiary will be segregated into three classes. The incoming offenders will enter a neutral class, whence they will be advanced to the first grade or dropped to the third as their conduct merits.

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TWELVE PERSONS HURT IN LAKE SHORE WRECK

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Twelve persons were injured, four of them so seriously that they are expected to die, in the wreck of a car on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway at Chesterton, Indiana, shortly after midnight last night. A suburban train from Chicago, leaving here at 11:30, crashed into the rear end of an excursion train bound for Indianapolis from Chicago, over the Lake Erie & Western, while the latter was standing at the station. The rear car of the excursion train was badly wrecked. The suburban train was slowing down to stop at the station and was not running at a high rate of speed. None of the cars left the track. The injured were taken to the office of a local physician and their injuries cared for. One woman was said to have been taken from under the wheels of the locomotive badly crushed. The others were caught in the wreckage of the cars. The collision was due to heavy mist, which hid the excursion train from the view of the engineer of the suburban train.

FIRES PUT OUT.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 14.—After burning over 20 square miles the forest fires in the mountains near La Canada, above Pasadena, were finally put out yesterday. Watchers on the mountains last night stated that not a trace of smoke could be seen. Aside from damage to the forest reserve, which cannot be estimated, the total loss from the fire amounts to about \$75,000.

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A DISTRESSING MESSAGE

Woman Receives Word That Buildings On Her Ranch Have Been Burned And Her Father Murdered.

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 14.—"All the buildings on your ranch have been burned to the ground and your father has been found murdered by the roadside."

This was the message received by Mrs. A. T. Thomas, formerly of Tacoma, Wash., early today, telling the story of a ghastly crime, which is apparently shrouded in mystery. The coroner says the body was found by the side of a country road half a mile from the house, horribly mangled. Gilmore, stepson of Mrs. Thomas, says of the crime: "Father had but one enemy in the whole Republic county. I can assign no motive whatever for the crime, unless it be that of robbery. Mother and I have been living in Spokane for the past month, but have been making occasional trips to the ranch, mother usually taking between \$1,000 and \$2,000 with her."

ACTORS FORM WHITE RATS POLITICAL LEAGUE

New York, Sept. 14.—Secy. Harry Mumford, of the newly organized White Rats' political league declared in a speech before that organization last night that the actors of the country, if united could, by their "gags" alone influence a presidential campaign.

"Ridiculous a candidate in your gags," said he, "and you will lose him. Nothing kills quicker than ridicule."

Resolutions were adopted at the meeting urging actors all over the country to exercise their too often neglected right of suffrage, and the tenor of the speeches was that the members by uniting, could become a strong political power. Wilton Lackaye was cheered when he denounced the new booking system, and described the efforts being made by the White Rats of which the league is an auxiliary to obtain a new copyright law to prevent photograph companies from appropriating theatrical songs and jokes without royalties.

Dennis F. O'Brien, counsel to the White Rats, Assemblymen William B. Donohue and William Malley, editor of the Socialist daily paper, and the Evening Call, made speeches.

A cablegram from Fred Niblo, president of the White Rats, who is now in London, urged those at the meeting to become politically active and to vote. The International Artists' association, the German counterpart of the White Rats called God-speed from Berlin.

About 800 actors and actresses were at the meeting.

FREE PEACHES
At Brigham, September 16th.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

This morning at 10 o'clock, Mrs. Winnifred Sprague Walker of this city and Herman Prosser of New York were married, the ceremony being performed at Idlewild the pretty home of the bride, situated at the mouth of Cottonwood canyon, with Rev. Elmer J. Goshalski officiating in the presence of the members of the two families. The ceremony was performed on the wide veranda, which was covered in roses, making a beautiful picture.

The bride wore an imported gown of pale blue chiffon with black picture hat and white plumes and carried white roses. She had no attendants. A wedding breakfast followed with covers laid for 24 guests, among them Mr. Prosser and Miss Prosser of New York, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Sprague, Dr. Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Chessman, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Witchee, Mrs. Pitts, and other members of the family.

The rooms were beautifully decorated in autumn flowers and the dining room was a picture with its table done in sweet peas, ribbons and staid lights.

Mr. and Mrs. Prosser left afterward

for New York, the bride wearing a going away gown of London tweed in Copenhagen blue with hat to match. They will sail immediately for Paris, and later will make their home in New York. The bride is a well known and popular figure in Salt Lake's social circles, and the groom is the metallurgical director of the United States Smelting, Refining & Mining Co., with headquarters in New York. It is the intention of Mr. and Mrs. Prosser to spend their summers in Salt Lake.

Miss Mayme Noel will entertain at a luncheon at the Country club on Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Calrow has issued invitations for a luncheon at her home on Thursday.

Mrs. Benner X. Smith and Miss Margaret McClure have returned from California where they have been spending the summer.

Miss Elizabeth Craig has returned from Denver where she spent the summer.

Mrs. W. A. Wetzel has returned from a pleasant summer vacation spent with her brother, Dr. Cumming of Portland, Ore.

Mrs. M. A. Stingley was hostess at a tea Saturday afternoon in her apartment at the Randolph, the rooms being decorated in red and white with asters and dahlias, and about 30 guests present. Mrs. Stingley was assisted by Mrs. J. J. Campbell, Miss Mary Moore and Miss Georgia Moore, the two former serving tea and coffee and the latter punch.

Miss Helen Boxrud entertained at bridge Saturday afternoon, her decorations being in autumn flowers, with sunflowers used in the parlour and the dining room. In the dining room, the table being lit with red-shaded lights. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. Walter C. Druell, Mrs. John Delano, Miss Elmer Stewart and Miss Grace Bettles.

Miss Renée Redman was hostess at a luncheon at the Commercial club Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Joseph Slater of St. Louis, the table being decorated in crimson asters and the cloth strewn with ferns, while the placecards were hand painted in autumn leaves and Christie heads.

Col. and Mrs. E. F. Holmes have issued invitations for a dancing party, to be given Friday evening, Sept. 18, in honor of Mrs. Holmes' cousin, Miss Laura Bransford, and her nephew, Harold Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Schuller have issued invitations for a large dancing party, to be given at the Ocean Monday evening, Sept. 21.

Mrs. J. C. Daly and Mrs. William Miller McCrea will entertain at a bridge tea, Thursday afternoon, in honor of Miss Agatha Berkhoel at the home of Mrs. Bintl, 230 Sixth East, Friday afternoon, at the same place. Mrs. J. C. Daly will be the hostess at a bridge tea.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hansen announce the marriage of their daughter, Mildred, to Percy M. Cropper of Chicago, Ill. Rev. P. Simpkins performed the

ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. They left for a short trip and will be at home after Oct. 1.

Miss Lucile Young was hostess at a luncheon on Wednesday for Miss Viola Godbe, the table being decorated in lavender and white asters, and covers laid for about a half dozen, including, besides the hostess and guest of honor, Misses Myrtle Jack, Texas Craig and Kate McQuarrie.

Miss Yvonne Knowlton entertained Saturday evening in honor of Miss Millicent Godbe, who leaves shortly for the east to study music.

Miss Viola Godbe entertained at a pleasant affair on Friday night in honor of the Governor's club, the decorations being in club colors—green and gold—and the hostess being assisted by Miss Myrtle Jack and Texas Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brooks announce the coming marriage of their daughter Gertrude to Alma Dangert, the ceremony to be solemnized in the temple on Wednesday afternoon. The bride couple will leave for a short wedding trip and will return to make their home in Bountiful.

Mrs. Eph Jeffs and Miss Mary Brooks will entertain next Monday at a china shower in honor of Miss Gertrude Brooks.

"The Misses Inez Burt and Dott McMillan entertained at cards on Wednesday night in honor of Miss Gertrude Brooks and Mr. Alma Dangert."

Mrs. Sam Porter entertained at a delightful bridge tea Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Elsie Ridge, her decorations being in the autumn flowers and a number of intimate friends assisting.

Mrs. C. H. McMahon is back from Canyon Crest and will be at home for the winter at 247 east South Temple street.

Mrs. Clarence E. Traver entertained at a bridge tea Friday at her home, six tables being played and prizes won by Mrs. Ullie of Fort Douglas, Mrs. Lewis Evans, Mrs. A. H. Peabody, Mrs. Will L. Ellerbe, Mrs. A. L. Hoppe and Miss Estelle Clinton.

Miss Vera Edwards gave an Orpheum party on Wednesday followed by a supper at Franklin's in honor of Miss Winnifred Brice and Miss Marian O'Brien.

Miss Clara Colburne, principal of Rowland Hall, has returned from an eastern trip.

Mrs. Albert E. Enoch, wife of Rate Clerk Enoch of the San Pedro offices in this city, and baby, arrived in New York Wednesday last, for a three month's visit with her father's family.

The tourist section of the Ladies' Literary club have issued their year book, the cover having the suggestion of the program in the title "Russia," and a picture of "the bear that walks like a man," done in black, while the list of subjects inside show the interesting material to be considered in the season's work.

On Friday a double wedding took place in the Salt Lake Temple, when Lo Roy Shelby, editor of the Rich

County News and his brother, Edgar Shelby, married respectively Miss Viola McKinnon and Viona Jackson, all being from Randolph Utah, and at present guests at the Colonial hotel. Both couples will visit Brigham City and Logan before returning to their homes.

Miss Zetta Rands has returned from a two months' visit in Portland, Or., and Long Beach.

UNIVERSITY KINDERGARTEN.

The University Kindergarten opens Monday, Sept. 14, under better conditions than in any year previous. This year Miss Fox will be in full charge. Miss Fox was formerly assisting in this department, under Miss May. She has just returned from Chautauque, where she has been in charge of the kindergarten department for the summer.

Oasis Excursion Rate.

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EXCURSION
Via O. S. L. to Brigham, Sept. 16.

WARD ENTERTAINMENTS

Whitney Hall—This evening a special entertainment will be given for the benefit of Master Charles Shepherd, who is about to leave Salt Lake to engage in the study of music under his brother Prof. Arthur Shepherd, at Newton Center, Massachusetts. Master Shepherd's decided talents for the piano have long been known in the community and his friends predict a handsome turn-out for him. No admission charge will be made, but voluntary contributions will be received at the door. A piano duet will be played by Miss Sybella Clayton and Charles Shepherd, and Miss Clayton will also render a solo. Others who will participate are as follows: Grace Meade, Wanda Lyon, Joseph Clive, Margaret Whitney, Blanche Squires, Charles Shepherd, Don Carlos Wood, Charles Gardiner, Dolly Christensen, Bishop T. A. Clawson.

Fourteenth Ward—A faraway entertainment will be given this evening in the Fourteenth ward meetinghouse in honor of Elder Thomas E. Taylor, Jr., prior to his departure to Great Britain on a mission.

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