

MINE OPERATORS' POSITION STATED.

Secy Hamlin Says There is no Vigilance Committee in Cripple Creek District.

NO STRIKE FOR EIGHT-HOUR DAY

The Trouble is the Determination of The Western Federation of Miners To Run Everything.

Cripple Creek, Colo., June 10.—(Clar-
ence C. Hamlin, secretary of the Crip-
ple Creek District Mine-Owners' as-
sociation, gave out the following state-
ment today in reply to a telegram from
a New York newspaper asking him as
"head of the vigilantes," to present his
side of the labor troubles here.

"There is no vigilance committee in
this community. The only movement
which might be considered of that char-
acter occurred after the Independence
mine of Monday, when determined
citizens took steps to bring about the
resignation of several officers who were
guilty of incompetent or in-sympathetic
conduct with respect to the miners and
the situation is now in the hands
of the sheriff, fully able to handle it.
He is acting in full harmony with the
district-general of the state.

The position of the Cripple Creek
miners has been placed in an abso-
lutely false light by the eastern papers.
Labor leaders attribute these troubles
to the defeat of the eight-hour day in
Colorado. The fact is that we have
been working an eight-hour day for ten
years, paying a minimum wage of \$3
and an average wage of about \$4 per
day. The actual working time of a
miner is but about seven hours. No
grivance was lodged against our op-
erators when the strike was called, and
had the question been left to the min-
ers themselves 90 per cent would have
voted against it. This strike is due to
the fact that the striking power has
been taken from the union members
and lodged in the hands of a few lead-
ers, criminals themselves, and depend-
ent on crime to their position. It is
sympathetic to aid certain mil-
lions, most of them also working an
eight-hour day, its real purpose was to
compel every miner in this district to
join the Western Federation of Miners
and leave the country. This organiza-
tion has a record of lawlessness, mur-
der, arson and dynamiting in Coeur
d'Alene, Butte, Idaho, Nevada, Idaho
Spring, Telluride, Cripple Creek and
elsewhere, extending over a period of
10 or 15 years, which should appall
humanity. The outrages, culminated
last Monday when 15 men were blown
to eternity and nearly as many more
wounded so that death would be a
mercy.

"The only parallel to this organiza-
tion which can be found is the Molly
Maguires of Pennsylvania, and their
members were law-abiding citizens
compared with the organization which
we have to deal with. The peace and
quiet of the state demand that this or-
ganization be exterminated, root and
branch. The responsibility for the
above outrages is so well fixed that no
person can belong to the federation and
pretend to be a law-abiding citizen.
"Since Monday's calamity we would
close every mine in this district for 10
years rather than let a single member
of this organization work or live here.
This is not necessary, for all our
mines are working full-time and a
better class of men, all non-union, than
ever before.

"The fact that no lawlessness has
been committed since the outrages of
Monday and that every good citizen is
standing at the right hand of the sher-
iff in his endeavor to maintain the law
and to suppress this lawless organ-
ization speaks volumes for the patience
and law-abiding qualities of the people
of this community.

"There is now no legal question in-
volved in this controversy other than
that of right of a community to purge
itself of a criminal organization whose
very existence is a standing menace to
the lives and property of those whose
only offense is that they claim the right
to work.

"Our fight has not been against uni-
onism as such, but against criminal
organization, and it will not be discon-
tinued until no member of this organi-
zation is left in Teller county."

CRIPPLE CREEK REFUGES.

A Number of Miners and Others Arrive in Denver.

Denver, Colo., June 11.—A number
of miners and others of Cripple Creek
have arrived in Denver bound for other
points where they can secure work and
remain unmolested.

In one party were former Sheriff J.
M. Robertson, who was deposed from
office about a dozen others.

"We are getting out," said one of
them, "because we want to keep out of
jail. Union men are now leaving as
rapidly as possible to avoid being
placed in the bull pens."

When the men were discharged they
were advised to remain in the vicinity,
as the Portland mine would soon be
working again, they were told, with a
force of union and non-union men,
as heretofore.

"The camp is being depopulated of
its union labor," said James Baker,
"and it will take it months to get over
the many of the men were en route to
the eastern states to go to work in the
mines there."

APPEAL TO PRESIDENT.

Miners' Federation Wants Him To Make an Investigation.

Denver, June 10.—The executive board
of the Western Federation of Miners
decided today to appeal to President
Roosevelt to investigate the conditions
in Colorado. Secy. W. D. Haywood
was instructed to send the following
telegram:

"Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, Washing-
ton, D. C.
"A duty devolves upon you as presi-
dent of the United States to investi-
gate the terrible crimes that are be-
ing perpetrated in Colorado in the name
of law and order. We will render
every possible assistance to the proper
authorities in such investigation, to
the end that the people of the country
may realize the outrages that are being
inflicted on innocent persons by those
in temporary official power."
(Signed) "W. D. HAYWOOD,
Secretary."

It was further decided that a history
of the labor troubles in Colorado shall
be taken to Washington by an em-
bassy and placed in the president's
hands.

It was also voted to appeal Presi-
dent Roosevelt to investigate the case to
the United States supreme court.

GOV. PEABODY EXPLAINS.

Says He Has Not Declared Mar-
tial Law in Any Community.

Denver, June 10.—Gov. James H. Pea-
body made a statement today explain-
ing the difference between martial law
and military rule such as is in effect in
Teller county under his orders.

"I have not declared martial law in
any community in Colorado," said the
governor. "I have only declared them
to be in a state of insurrection and re-
bellion and the newspapers have used
the term martial law in describing my
proclamation. When a community is
under martial law a provost guard is
appointed and all prisoners are given
military trial under this guard. Noth-
ing of the kind has ever been at-
tempted in Colorado. I have only ar-
rested men and held them until I deemed
it proper and wise to turn them over to
the civil authorities for trial."

To Inspect Galveston Harbor.

Galveston, Tex., June 11.—Several
members of the river and harbor com-
mission arrived here this morning at
12:30 by special train from Houston.
Chairman Burton, accompanied by Maj.
Hodges, United States engineer; and
E. M. Hartick, assistant United States
engineer (Congressman Bishop and Col.
Walter Graham of Galveston are en
route from Velasco to Galveston on
board the United States lighthouse
tender Magnolia. They are expected
here early this morning and the whole
committee will make the voyage up
the Buffalo bayou on the tug Clarke.

Mr. Burton will inspect the jetties and
harbor as he enters the port and Mr.
Alexander, the senior Republican mem-
ber of the committee, will remain over
for an inspection of the harbor and go
to Houston by train this afternoon. The
members who arrived here this morn-
ing are: D. S. Alexander, New York;
J. H. Davidson, Wisconsin; E. F. Ach-
son, Pennsylvania; Joseph E. Randall,
Louisiana; George F. Burgess and J.
H. Cassidy, Ohio.

\$11,800 for an Eye.

Boston, June 11.—An award of \$11,800
for the loss of an eye has been secured
in the superior court by Miss Beale
Dresser of Standish, Me. While she
was a passenger on a railway train near
Taunton a piece of metal fell from the
tender of an engine, broke the window
and destroyed the sight of one eye. Al-
legations that the engine tender was in
an unsafe condition were upheld by the
jury.

Yussis' Troops Routed.

New York, June 11.—Kaid Omar Yus-
sif, commanding the loyal forces near
Fez, has been killed in action, says a
dispatch to the Times from Tangier.
His troops were routed and the ma-
chine guns taken.

The town of Sgru, four hours from
Fez, was immediately afterwards looted
by the Birebel tribes.

Surrounded by Yelling Curs.

New York, June 11.—Surrounded by
a pack of yelling curs, a young man
believed to be the son of a wealthy pa-
rents and a graduate of Packard uni-
versity of Virginia has been found
unconscious in the woods near Flushing,
L. I. Part of his clothing was miss-
ing and he had been bitten many times
by the dogs.

After having been treated at a hos-
pital he gave the name of E. W. Wal-
lace, Norfolk, Va., and said he was an
artist. It was learned that Wallace had
occupied a hut in the uplands near
Flushing for several months, studying
and sketching in the vicinity. He was
held for an examination by physicians.

The hut where Wallace lived was
filled with sketches and paintings.

Japanese Domestic Loan.

New York, June 11.—Prospects for the
coming domestic loan of \$50,000,000 are
very good, according to a Times dis-
patch from Tokio. It is said that the
subscriptions will exceed those of the
former issue.

A New Chemical Resistant.

Chicago, June 10.—A dispatch to the
Tribune from Peoria, Ill., says:
Miss Adelaide Mickel, a teacher in
the art department of the Bradley
Polytechnic institute, in an attempt to
re-discover madder printing has dis-
covered a chemical resistant that, when
used on white duck with a stenciled
design, makes possible dyeing in blue
and white.

The resistant is applied with a brush
through the stencil and the merial
thus designed with the resistant is
thrown in a blue vat when removed.
The design is clear, there being no
evidence of running colors. The process
is similar to zinc etching work.

For a Sane Fourth of July.

Chicago, June 11.—The project insti-
tuted by the Chicago Amusement as-
sociation for the celebration of a "sane"
Fourth of July by subscription has been
officially abandoned at a meeting held
for that purpose. The funds raised were
insufficient.

The plan included free fireworks for
the children under the supervision of
police officers, the association of physi-
cians and the fire department near
at hand.

Col. George Babyni, president of the
association, declared the people of Chi-
cago were dissatisfied. The projectors ad-
vised for \$50,000. The amount subscribed
slightly exceeded \$4,000.

HANNAH ELIAS IS DISCHARGED.

Millionaire John H. Platt's Charges Against Her Fall to the Ground.

HIS MEMORY WAS VERY POOR.

To Questions Bearing on the Case, Which Was Extortion, His Answer Was, "I Don't Know."

New York, June 10.—Mrs. Hannah
Elias was today discharged on motion
of Asst. Dist. Atty. Rand, at the con-
clusion of the testimony of John H.
Platt, the old millionaire, who caused
her arrest for extortion.

Mr. Platt proved a disappointing wit-
ness. To questions bearing directly on
the charges on which the woman's ar-
rest had been made, he answered re-
peatedly, "I don't know." His helples-
ness and his apparent unreliable mem-
ory surprised those who attended his
examination. He did not remember
whether he had given Mrs. Elias large
sums of money during the last 10
years, as charged, and did not remem-
ber signing certain papers in connec-
tion with his charges against her.

The ordeal was a trying one for the
old man, and his replies became scarce-
ly audible toward the last. As soon as
he had left the witness stand, Asst.
Dist. Atty. Rand said: "Your Honor,
I think the parties to this miserable
scandal ought to be allowed to stew in
their own grease. There is no evidence
before you that will possibly justify
holding this woman on a charge of ex-
tortion. I recommend that she be dis-
charged." The magistrate thereupon
discharged the woman.

Immediately afterward Mrs. Elias
was rearrested on a writ in the civil
suit originally brought against her by
Mr. Platt to recover \$685,000. She was
released a few minutes later on \$20,000
bail, and was escorted by detectives
through the crowded corridors of the
criminal courts building to the street,
where her carriage was waiting. Sev-
eral thousand persons, among them
hundreds of negroes, attracted by the
case, thronged the building and stood
crowded in the street outside.

When Mr. Platt, feeble and trembling
and apparently dazed, was helped out
of the building, the crowd hooted and
hissed.

Mr. Platt was the first witness. He
said he was 83 years old and had lived
in New York city since 1865. He first
met Hannah Elias at the time the vol-
unteer firemen came from San Fran-
cisco, about 15 years ago. Some
time ago he again met the woman at a
Third avenue massage establishment,
through an advertisement, and had kept
up the acquaintance since. His rela-
tions with her had been of a tender
character, and he had bought for her
a house and had given her large sums
of money.

"She was your mistress?" asked
Asst. Dist. Atty. Rand.

"She was not my mistress," replied
Mr. Platt.

Asked if he had not signed a paper
several days ago in which he said that
Mrs. Elias had extorted from him
thousands of dollars from him, Platt
replied that he could not remember. He
had signed a certain paper several
days ago, but did not remember sign-
ing a longer paper which Mr. Warren
gave to him.

Mr. Platt would not give a direct
answer to a question as to whether he
had paid the woman more than \$600,000
since January, 1889, but he admitted
that he gave her \$7,500 last month. This
payment was made, he said, because
Mrs. Elias told him she was being seized
and would have to go to court and ex-
pose him unless the money was paid.
He could not recall that two men
whom the assistant district attorney
named, were about to bring suit
against her. She did tell him that if
she was taken to court she would be
obliged to testify as to her relations
with the witness.

"What were those relations?" asked
Mr. Rand. "Business."

"Did you not pay her because of re-
lations of a more tender character than
doctor and patient?"

"I had relations with her and paid
her sums of money," replied Mr. Platt.
"I gave her the money because she said
she would be put out."

At the request of Mr. Rand, Platt
read the first paragraph of the com-
plaint in the suit brought against Mrs.
Elias and said it was "all right."

"Then you were afraid of her?" "I
gave her the money to keep things
quiet."

"Did you give her the money will-
ingly?"

Magistrate O'Brien then took the wit-
ness in hand, but Mr. Osborne, counsel
for Mrs. Elias, objected to the manner
in which questions were framed on the
ground that the magistrate was put-
ting the answers in the mouth of the
witness. Magistrate O'Brien did not
press the point, and as Mr. Osborne
declined to cross-examine the witness
Mr. Platt was excused.

Lynan E. Warren, of counsel for Mr.
Platt then was called to the stand. In
reply to a question by Mr. Rand, he
said that he knew of evidence which
would corroborate Mr. Platt's testi-
mony. He declined, however, to give
any information on the ground that he
was counsel for Mr. Platt.

Mr. Osborne, attorney for Mrs. Elias,
admitted that Mrs. Elias had received
the \$7,500 mentioned in the complaint,
but said that it was not given to her
by reason of any threats. The court
discharged the prisoner.

Mrs. Elias said tonight that she did
not know Andrew H. Green and had
never heard of him in the month of
his death. "I absolutely exonerate him
and I am exceedingly sorry that he
met so untimely a fate through the re-
sult of another man," she said. She
declared that she had no charges to
make against any millionaire, and that
there would be no further charges made
against her by Platt, Washington
Brauns, her counsel, who was present
when this statement was made, added
that there was no foundation for the
charges.

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assertion that Mrs. Elias had been
blackballed by a physician and a law-
yer, and that Mrs. Elias would not
take the initiative in any legal proceed-
ings growing out of the case against
her.

WILL SURRENDER SMITH.

He is Nan Patterson's Brother-In-Law.

New York, June 11.—Counsel for Nan
Patterson has informed a representa-
tive of the district attorney and also
the detective who have been search-
ing for him, that J. Morgan Smith,
brother-in-law of the woman who is
held pending investigation into the
death of Bookmaker Frank T. Young
last Saturday will be surrendered next
Monday.

At the same time assurance was
given that Smith will then appear be-
fore the grand jury to purge himself
of the contempt of court of which he
was guilty when he failed to answer
a subpoena.

Smith is now outside the state and is
safe from arrest, on the warrant of
attachment issued last Thursday by
Judge Newberger, but it had been the
intention of the district attorney to
have him arrested on another charge
and brought back to this city. The
promise to surrender him probably will
cause Dist. Atty. Jerome to abandon
that plan, though the police will con-
tinue the search for the missing wit-
ness. Capt. Sweeney, in whose district
the shooting occurred, believes it is of
great difficulty will be experienced in
persuading Smith to tell all he knows
about the death of Young and the
cause leading up to it. There are re-
ports, which as yet are unconfirmed,
that the attitude of the defense will
change next week, and that an ex-
planation of the tragedy of the cab
will be offered by the woman who was
Young's companion when he was shot.

KANSAS OBJECTS.

To Colorado Unloading Deported Miners on Her.

Syracuse, Kan., June 10.—Sheriff
Brady of this county tonight received a
telegram from Sheriff Barr of La
Junta, Colo., stating that a special
carrying 140 deported miners from Co-
lorado would reach Coolidge tonight and
unload the miners in Kansas. Citizens
of this county are indignant at this
proceeding of the Colorado authorities
and an appeal has been made to Gov.
Bailey to prevent Colorado from dump-
ing its alleged undesirable citizens into
Kansas.

Magnificent Snuff Boxes.

New York, June 11.—A magnificent
collection of snuff boxes and miniatures
which belonged to the late Duke of
Cambridge, has been auctioned at
Christie's, says a Herald dispatch from
London.

The most interesting contest was the
keenly contested fight for a Louis
Quinze gold snuff box, with panels of
sporting subjects in polychrome enamel.

International Banking Ass'n.

San Francisco, June 11.—Negotia-
tions have been in progress for some
time in San Francisco it is said, look-
ing to the organizations of an interna-
tional banking association, by local
capitalists and a Japanese syndicate
headed by President Asano of the Toyo
Kisen Kaisha. According to the plans
outlined the institution is to have a
capital of \$10,000,000 and to be a dom-
inating influence in the financial
relations between the United States
and the Orient. The movement to start
the gigantic concession came from
Japan, with the proposal that \$5,000,000
would be subscribed in that country if
the other half of the capitalization
would be supplied in America. Presi-
dent Asano is said to be one of Japan's
wealthiest men.

Soldiers Go Rioting.

New York, June 11.—Pay day at Fort
Ethan Allen resulted in another riot
among the soldiers, says a Times dis-
patch from Burlington, Vt. It occurred
aboard a trolleycar going from Win-
ski to the post. From some unknown
cause the men got into a free fight. The
guards drew their revolvers and used
them freely on the heads of the fighting
soldiers. The car windows were broken
and many soldiers were hurt.

Several men have been placed in the
guardhouse. Thirty were missing on
rollcall.

John Mitchell Going to Europe.

New York, June 11.—John Mitchell,
president of the United Mine Workers,
will sail for Europe today, accompanied
by Dr. W. B. Weyl, a Pennsylvania
clergyman, who has worked actively in
the interests of the miners. They will
tour the British Isles and Europe,
studying labor conditions. In August
Mr. Mitchell will go to Paris as the
American delegate to the interna-
tional convention of miners.

INTERNAL MACHINES.

Found in Palace Where the Czar Is Living.

London, June 11.—The Daily Mail as-
serts: "Two internal machines were
found on the night of June 7 concealed
in tobacco boxes in the Tsarskoye Selo
palace, where the czar is now living.
One of the machines was in the dining-
room, the other in the audience cham-
ber. The mechanism in each was work-
ing when discovered. The strictest se-
crecy is observed, and this statement,
although true in every detail, is sure
to be categorically denied."

AMBASSADOR McCORMICK.

Says Story About Him Being Coldly Treated Is Silly.

St. Petersburg, June 10.—Ambassa-
dor McCormick says the story is ab-
surd that he has been coldly treated
by Russian officials because as a part
of his official duties he takes care of
Japanese interests, or as a consequence
of the supposed friendliness in the
United States toward Japan. The
story may have been derived from the
fact that the lease of the Leuchtenberg
palace, where the ambassador has been
living and where the offices of the em-
bassy have been for six months, ex-
pires on July 1, and has not been re-
newed.

Prince Kotzebue rented the palace

to Mr. McCormick last September as
an accommodation until July 1, when
the prince desired to occupy it. As
the date for the expiration of the lease
approached the prince offered to renew
it, but Mr. McCormick did not care to
renew. The social season has ended,
he had obtained leave of the state de-
partment and he much needed rest,
and Mrs. McCormick was going to the
United States to remain until next
winter.

Mr. McCormick arranged with the
prince for the embassy offices to re-
main in a portion of the palace inde-
finitely, and postponed the question of

taking up a residence until after Mrs.
McCormick should return from Amer-
ica.

KILLED BY A FANATIC.

In a Religious Frenzy John Mer-
kel Shoots Hugo Schwartz.

Aberdeen, S. D., June 10.—Hugo
Schwartz of Java is dead from a gun-
shot wound inflicted by his brother-in-
law, John Merkel, who asserts that it
does not make any difference, as he is
none other than St. Peter and had al-

ready arranged for the admission of
Schwartz at the nearby gates. Merkel
recently developed a strain of intense
religious brooding. Mrs. Merkel went
to her brother's home and her husband
followed in a few days and was enter-
ing the house, Merkel was caught by
officers after a desperate cross-country
chase on horseback.

Three People Drowned.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 10.—Three
persons were drowned during a water-


spout which fell near Mill Creek, I. T.,
early this morning.

Mrs. H. R. Wilson and baby,
Miss Fay Davis.

A small stream near town became a
raging torrent half a mile wide and
several houses were swept away.

At Hobart, O. T., Charles Kincaid
was drowned while attempting to cross
a swollen stream. Very heavy rains
during the past 48 hours have again
caused all streams in overflow their
banks and much damage will result in
Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

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