

Did you know?

- **Thank you to everyone who completed the survey on priorities for upcoming contract negotiations!** The survey is still open, and your voice is important! If you have yet to complete it, there is still time. Please follow the link sent in in the SurveyMonkey email sent to your LBCC address last Wednesday.

Upcoming Events:

- ***LBCC Board of Trustees Meeting:*** Wed., Nov. 20, 5:30 PM, room T-1100 (LAC).
- ***LBCCFA Representative Council Meeting:*** Fri., Dec. 13, 10 AM – 12 Noon, room GG-238 (PCC). All LBCCFA members are welcome to attend all or part of the meeting.

This week in labor history:

- On November 23rd, 1903, Colorado National Guard troops led by General Sherman Bell put down a strike by miners at Cripple Creek. The miners, struggling to secure an 8-hour workday and nondiscrimination against union members, among other demands, had armed themselves in order to defend against harassment by local law enforcement and private security guards employed by the mine owners. General Bell unilaterally incarcerated approximately 600 union miners in a military “bullpen”; and when a lawyer for the miners challenged the act with a writ of habeas corpus, Bell reportedly replied, “Habeas corpus, hell! We’ll give ‘em post mortems!” To learn more, check out historian Elizabeth Jameson’s book [*All that Glitters: Class, Conflict, and Community in Cripple Creek.*](#)

Respectfully,

Your LBCCFA Executive Board



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