

### Student Worksheet 3 – Document Analysis

**Directions:**

1. Your group will analyze five documents from the Great Railway Strike of 1877.
2. Please record a brief description of what is addressed in the documents in the second column.
3. Please record any facts you can gather from analyzing the documents.

Document Title	Focus of Document	Important Facts and Figures
Report of the President and Managers of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Co. to the Stockholders		
The Bloody 1877 Railroad Strike in Reading, Pa. The Reading Times Dispatch, July 23, 1877		
The Sheriff's Proclamation, Harrisburg, PA		

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<p><b>“The Great Strike,” from <i>Harper’s Weekly</i>, August 11, 1877</b></p>		
<p><b>“The Mob Fired on Reading,” <i>New York Times</i>, July 24, 1877</b></p>		