

NO PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

TINPLATE OFFICIALS ARE FIRM IN THEIR STAND.

All Mills Put in Operation During the Strike Will Be Continued Nonunion.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 27.—Practically the only significant event in the strike today was the possible settlement of the tinplate company in reference to its course in the future. An official statement from this company today declared that the tinplate company had decided to operate during the strike and that the mills put into operation during the strike will be continued nonunion and all the workmen who will be retained in their positions. This statement will have its effect, because of the fact that the tinplate mills have always been considered as among the Amalgamated Association, and the deft appears to have been brought about by the association declaring a strike against the tinplate company. The tinplate company had been signed. Notwithstanding the fact that the Amalgamated people claim justification on the ground that their conviction provides for such procedure, the officials of the tinplate company consider the action a breach of trust, and say that henceforth they are determined to cut loose from union labor entirely.

Summary of the Situation.

The developments of the day would appear to evidence slow but sure gains by the corporation. The following summary gives the status in this district: Painter mill—Six mills being operated under management of good material is being turned out. Star mill—Men still at work upon two mills; no more men have entered the plant; third turn may be put on at midday. Lindsay & McCutcheon mill—Several men secured; two mills open with separate crews. Clark Union—Superintendent Brown says the strike is over so far as these mills are concerned; strikers say the mills are not running full.

McKeesport—Representatives of the workers have decided to stand by Amalgamated officials; Defamer plant may be started this week; President Shaffer says will consider a peace proposition from responsible persons; Amalgamated officials confident of ultimate success.

Settlement at Ironlake.

The one place within this district where the strikers have scored a victory is at Ironlake, O. At this place the American Tinplate Company was compelled to close down its recent strike. The strikers were men to operate it. The day was full of excitement in the little village, and street fights came thick and fast for a time, until the inhabitants were driven to a state of excitement bordering on terror. The first fight of the morning took place when five nonunion men left their homes and started for work. The strikers on the main street of the village they were met by a party of about 30 strikers, who, by moral suasion, tried to get them to desert from their determination to go to work. When this failed, a stronger argument was used, and the men were given a drubbing and driven back to their homes.

WHAT WORKERS WILL DO.

Federation Preparing to Go Further in Bringing About Settlement. WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, returned to this city today from his visit to New York, Pittsburgh and other cities. Mr. Gompers was with his advisory board of the National Civic Federation, which is interesting itself in the settlement of the steel strike, when members of that body called on President Shaffer, of the Amalgamated Association, at his residence in the city. Mr. Gompers is exerting all its moral support in aid of the Amalgamated Association, and Mr. Gompers says he is prepared to do anything in his power to bring about a successful issue of the movement, but in what direction and to what extent further assistance will be given he does not say at this time. He prefers not to discuss any prospective action in the newspapers, preferring to act when the time comes rather than to anticipate the probabilities of the future. He is, however, in a position to say, with the members of the executive council of the Federation of Labor, both by mail and telegraph, but whether he will do so is not known. He is expected to take any sympathetic action in behalf of the steel strikers he will not say. He asserted tonight that the cause of the steel men is now in excellent condition, and that a settlement which would be reached—both sides should not be reached—a settlement that will prevent the crushing of the association and the humiliation of the men and that will not impair the interests of capital represented. To this end the National Federation, he says, will devote its energies.

Strike Pay in Four Days.

In four more days, according to the Amalgamated Association, all strike benefits will begin to taper off. The Amalgamated Association provides for no payment of benefits during July and August. Subscriptions have been coming in to Amalgamated headquarters in many numbers, and these, with assessments returned by many union lodges throughout the country, have swelled the strike fund materially.

President Shaffer addressed the strikers at the Palmer mill at a rally held tonight.

In his speech, President Shaffer undertook to refute the charge that the Amalgamated Association has violated its contracts with constituent companies of the United States Steel Corporation. "The Amalgamated Association has not broken its contract and cannot afford to do so. Such charges are as malicious as they are false," declared Mr. Shaffer. "It is true that some contracts were signed this year, but they were signed by the companies upon the condition that other companies of the United States Steel Corporation must not work in any case with the American Tin Company."

Other companies did not sign, he said, and, consequently, the Amalgamated men broke no contracts by striking.

Continuing, President Shaffer said: "While at work we faithfully adhere to every part of our contract. We are ready to go to work now if our right to organize is recognized. If the United States Steel Corporation will sign the scale for all mills signed for last year, with the understanding that no man is to be discharged for connection with labor organizations, and if the scale is signed for mills where the men want to organize, the strike will be terminated. For the sake of organized labor, therefore, and well as its own, the Amalgamated Association cannot afford to back down in the fight."

One Way to Settle It.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—J. P. Morgan returned to the city today, but it was said his return had nothing to do with the steel strike settlement. The officials of the United States Steel Corporation made the following statement: "Reports that there are negotiations for a settlement of the steel strike are erroneous. The United States Steel Corporation has received no proposals for a settlement, and has made none. Many of our men are returning to work, and many others are desirous of resuming their places. The strike can only be ended by the return of the men to their places."

Denied by Sagawa.

MAIDRIE, Aug. 27.—Premier Sagawa denies the report that the Japanese Government has asked authority to establish a coaling station at Port Mahon, Island of Minorca.

SIR KNIGHTS ON PARADE

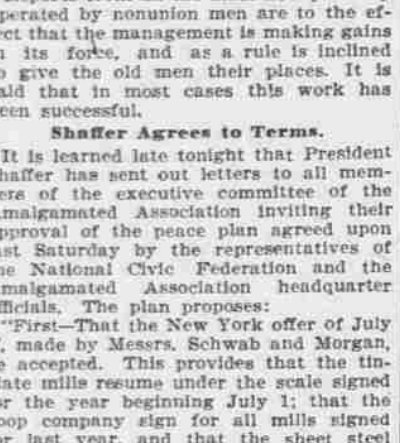
OPENING OF THE TEMPLAR CONCLAVE AT LOUISVILLE.

Three Hundred Thousand Persons Witnessed the Pageant—Business Session Adjourned.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 27.—It is estimated that 300,000 persons today witnessed the parade of the Knights Templar. Thirty thousand Sir Knights in full uniform were in line, forming an imposing spectacle with which to begin the twenty-eighth triennial convocation. The parade started at 9:30 A. M. and was finished at 1:30 P. M. after covering a distance of four miles. The course was protected by wires strung along the sidewalks to keep spectators in check.

The weather was clear and cool, but by noon the heat became oppressive, and there were 11 cases of prostration due to heat and exhaustion, none of which were serious. A portion of the Y. M. C. A. reviewing stand at Fourth street and

GRAND MASTER OF THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.



REUBEN H. LLOYD, OF CALIFORNIA, WHO WILL PRESIDE OVER THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT AT LOUISVILLE TODAY.

Broadway collapsed. Half a dozen people sustained injuries.

The crack crammeries from Chicago, Pittsburgh and San Francisco attracted special attention by their magnificent appearance. Columbia Commandery No. 2, of Washington, came in for wild applause all along the route, as Sir Knight Rear-Admiral Schley is a member of that body and had been expected to march with his comrades. Although he was absent at every point in the course when the Washington men appeared the crowd took up the cry, "Schley! Schley!" "Hurrah for Schley."

Later, when the formal welcome to the knight was extended by Judge Beecher, of Louisville, acting for Governor Beckham, and ex-Congressman W. C. P. Breckenridge, the mention of Schley's name elicited applause so enthusiastic that both speakers were compelled to stop several minutes. Colonel Breckenridge delivered the chief address at this function. Grand Master Lloyd responded briefly. The key to the city was presented to him by Mayor Weaver. It was so late when the programme was completed that there was little time for the actual business of the grand encampment.

Grand Recorder Mayor discovered that there was no quorum present, spread the fact on the record and a recess until 9:30 A. M. tomorrow was then taken.

Fireworks, including the cannon and other divisions occupied the visitors tonight. A large number was entertained tonight at the horse show building by a programme designed to show how the Southern derby enjoys itself. There was a champagne spectacle, a cake walk and old-time melodies by a chorus of 200 colored people.

The grand march of the parade received a letter of regret from Rear-Admiral Schley, as follows: "Washington, D. C., Aug. 27.—John H. Leathers, Grand Master of the Knights Templar, Louisville, Ky., has been elected to the honor of Grand Master of the Knights Templar for the year 1901-1902. My disappointment no words can describe, but my heart is with you."

STEEL DEAL COMPLETED.

Schwab Takes Control of the Combined Bethlehem Companies. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27.—The Bethlehem Steel Company, which also includes the Bethlehem Iron Company, today passed into the hands of Charles F. Schwab. A check for \$4,022,000 was deposited with the Girard Trust Company by Drexel & Co. in payment for 158,000 shares of Bethlehem Steel stock. The total number of shares in the company is 300,000. Immediately after the receipt of the check a new board of directors and officers were elected.

The regular meeting of the directors of the company was set for 11 o'clock this morning. At that hour a quorum of the board was present, but no word had been received from Mr. Schwab. The meeting was adjourned until 12:30 o'clock, and as Mr. Schwab's report had not been received, a further adjournment was taken until 2 P. M. When the directors met finally, Max Pam, of New York, was present, representing Mr. Schwab, and the stock and money were speedily transferred. Mr. Pam had arranged with Drexel & Co. to pay the required amount to the Girard Trust Company, and when word was received that the stock had been delivered, the new directors were elected. The new board is as follows: R. P. Landerman, E. T. Stolesbury, E. M. McIlvaine, Archibald Johnson, George F. Baer, J. P. Ord, Charles McGeagh. The officers are: E. M. McIlvaine, president; E. A. Baer, vice-president; H. S. Snyder, secretary; A. N. Cleaver, treasurer; Archibald Johnson, general superintendent.

All of the directors are new with the exception of Landerman and Stolesbury, who served on the other board. George F. Baer is president of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway Company. Mr. Stolesbury is a member of the firm of Drexel & Co., J. H. Ord and Charles McVeagh are said to be New York capitalists. Messrs. Landerman, McIlvaine and Johnson were connected with the other Bethlehem Steel Company, the former as president.

President McIlvaine declined to state whether Mr. Schwab had purchased the stock for himself or for other persons. He said, however, that the company would remain independent, but would be aggressive than it had been in the past. Mr. Schwab agreed to the purchase of the Bethlehem Steel stock at \$24 a share, provided the Bethlehem Iron Com-

pany was included in the sale.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Iron company was held at which it was decided to sell to the steel company. Then the directors of both companies agreed to accept Mr. Schwab's offer. Yesterday was fixed as the limit for depositing the stock to be sold. Many of the shareholders, it is said, did not avail themselves of the opportunity, but the time will be extended for them. The stock which has been deposited with the trust company other than that paid for today will be taken up within the next 30 days at the same rate per share.

A DETECTIVE SCANDAL.

Investigation by the Chicago Civil Service Commission.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—The connection of Sergeant Cramer, Detective Tracy and Lieutenant Joyce with the bogus expense account which has developed in scandalous proportions, is being investigated by the Chicago Civil Service Commission. It is said, Captain Collier, was told today by Chief of Police O'Neill, who took the stand during the afternoon session of the commission sitting as a trial board to investigate the matter. The denunciation created a sensation, particularly so when Chief O'Neill told of the scandalous confession of his subordinates which

they had in the main denied on the stand or saved themselves from repeating on the grounds of self-incrimination.

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Legal Execution in Georgia.

CANTON, Ga., Aug. 27.—Raymond Ross, the negro who assaulted Mrs. Miller, of this county, July 26, was legally hanged here today. He had been confined for safekeeping. There was no disorder attending the execution.

PORTO RICAN VETERANS.

Reunion of the Society Opened at Buffalo by General Miles. BUFFALO, Aug. 27.—The General Miles opened the first session of the reunion of veterans of the Porto Rican campaign today. He appointed a non-commissioned officer to prepare a ticket for election. The following were named and elected by acclamation: National Commander, Major-General John H. Brooke; First Vice National Commander, Admiral W. S. Schley; Second Vice National Commander, General Eugene Griffin; Third Vice National Commander, Captain Charles D. Sigbee, U. S. N.; Treasurer, Major W. H. Crump.

The next formality was the reading by General Miles of his address, made as National Commander of the Society of Porto Rican Veterans. General Brooke, Major Johnston and Richard Harding Davis were appointed a committee to suggest a suitable design for the badge to be worn by the members. The place of the next meeting will be decided by National Commander Brooke and the advisory board.

National Fraternal Congress.

DETROIT, Aug. 27.—Two hundred delegates, representing 57 fraternal societies, with a total membership of over 3,000,000, were present in the convention hall of the Hotel Cadillac today when President Charles E. Bonnell called the 1901 annual meeting of the National Fraternal Congress to order. In his annual report President Bonnell advocated that each society take stock of its members and then establish a mortality table of its own. He urged reforms in the selecting of medical advisers for fraternal societies and recommended that they be in all cases removed from the politics of the order. The report of Secretary-Treasurer Sackett showed the congress to have assets of \$46,000.

Association of Fire Chiefs.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 27.—Two hundred of the fire chiefs of this country and Canada followed a band and platoon of police from the Grand Hotel to the scenic Hill today to hear Mayor Cassin's welcoming address at the opening of the 25th annual convention of the International Association of Fire Chiefs. Much

HONORS TO SCIENTISTS

ONE HUNDRED FELLOWS ELECTED TO AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Papers Read at Yesterday's Session of the Meeting at Denver—Other Conventions.

DENVER, Aug. 27.—At the general session of the American Association for the Advancement of Science this morning the council announced the election of about 100 fellows of the society. These include devotees of all branches of science in many fields. In addition to the general knowledge of the particular subject of their studies. They include the following: W. W. Campbell, director of Lick Observatory; Dr. E. M. Blake, mathematician, University of California; Ferdinand Sanford, professor of physics, Stanford University; J. R. Young, professor of chemistry, Leland Stanford, Jr. University; E. E. Sisson, professor of chemistry, University of Wyoming; Newton B. Pierce, vegetable pathologist, Santa Rosa, Cal.; Miss Alice Eastwood, botanist, Stanford University; Andrew C. Lawson, geologist, University of California; J. C. Cokerrell, entomologist, Las Vegas, N. M.; Vernon Lyman Kellogg, entomologist, Stanford University; William Morton, zoologist, University of Texas.

Nearly 100 papers, most of them purely technical, were read by well-known scientists. A lecture on "Ore Deposits," by Professor C. R. VanHise, called much discussion, as he expounded a theory on the formation of ore deposits which is diametrically opposed to the prevailing opinion of Colorado mining experts. He contended that the great majority of base metal mines do not grow richer with depth.

Ten sessions of the general association of affiliated societies, covering the study of forestology, chemistry and botany, held meetings today, at which about 120 papers, most of which were purely technical, were read. They included the following: "General Botanical Features of the Coast Mountains of California," A. C. Lawson; "Sandstone Intrusions Near Santa Cruz, Cal.," A. F. Newson; and "C. C. Branner; "What Animals With Observations on Geographical Distribution," David Starr Jordan; "Morphology of the Mouth Parts of Insects, With Complete Metamorphosis," Vernon L. Kellogg; "General Botanical Features of the Coast Mountains of California," Miss Alice Eastwood.

This evening a general session was held at which the following papers were read: R. S. Woodward, delivered his address. His subject was "The Progress of Science." He traced the progress of science in the past, and showed how much more rapid the progress has been in recent years than previously, but called attention to the action of the people of certain states in holding great meetings for the purpose of trying to get men to show that the truths of science are yet far from being generally recognized.

Papers on Forestry.

The American Forestry Association, in affiliation with the American Association for the Advancement of Science, this morning began a three days' session. Henry Michaelson, vice-president for Colorado, acted as chairman of the meeting. After an address of welcome by the United States Forest Service, the routine business occupied the rest of the morning.

This afternoon papers on the United States Government's forest were read and discussed. William L. Hall's paper was on "Progress in Tree Planting," and showed the increased interest felt over the country in the past few years. Gifford Pinchot, of Washington, Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture, had a paper on "Drainage in the Forest Reserve." He said that the question of grazing, like every other that affects the natural forest reserve, is a question of the greatest good to the greatest number. The problem has now been to use the forest for the promotion of all the business interests of the community in or near which they lie.

The reserve contains vast quantities of grass and other forage which can only be harvested by the use of animals. Except in cases where grazing directly antagonizes interests of greater importance to the community, there is every reason to believe that moderate and sensible regulations, moderate grazing may proceed in most of the reserves wholly without injury to the forest, except in specified localities where the soil is so poor that the forest is not able to take the advantage of the general community. Over-grazing destroys both the forest and the grazing industry itself. The question is purely a local one, to be decided in each case on its merits, but there is no case in which overgrazing is anything but a calamity."

Professor L. H. Pammel, of Ames, Ia., in discussing the question, "What Should Be the Policy of the Government in the United States Forest Reserve?" took a strong position against permitting sheep to graze in the forest. He arranged the present policy of the Government as regards the forest interests of the forests. With 200,000 sheep in the reserve, the herbage plants are cut down in such a manner that the forest covering so important a part of the country is being destroyed. The starting of a young growth, is entirely prevented. Sheep are driven into the reserve in defiance of law and regulations. If the forest is to be protected the Government must exert its authority.

WELL STILL SPOUTING.

BEAUMONT, Tex., Aug. 27.—The Palestine-beaumont well is still spouting a column of petroleum as high as the top of the 90-foot derrick, and it has made the death of another man to the two it caused yesterday. James Smith and John McCarty were drowned in the oil last night, but their fate was undoubtedly sealed by Gallagher and two companions about 2 o'clock this morning. Gallagher went to his death in the fatal spray of gas and oil, while his two companions barely escaped. Just what prompted them to go into the spray is not known, though it is thought they were attempting to shut the well off. Some one saw them go into the spray of oil and gas and gave the alarm. Gallagher's companions were dragged out and were finally restored to consciousness.

W. Chase, an expert submarine diver, came in from Galveston this morning, bringing a diving suit with him. He found no fatality in staying in the spray while he was in his diving suit, but he had to work slowly. At 7 o'clock this evening the pipe had been raised sufficiently to permit the uncorking of a joint. This will be done early tomorrow morning, and the well will then be closed.

Book Bindery Girls Strike.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—The girls of the Book Binders' Company, employed by the W. B. Conkey Company, at Hammond, Ind., numbering about 250, struck today because their officers who had been discharged yesterday were reinstated. Trouble has been brewing since Saturday, when an injunction from the Federal Court prohibited the workers from picketing or holding mass meetings to intimidate nonunion employes.

Two Killed in Fight.

DEMING, N. M., Aug. 27.—A free-for-all fight among the graders on the Bisbee Railroad, in which two men were seriously injured, resulted in the killing of two brothers named Hoffman, subcontractors, and the wounding of three other men, names unknown.

Weather Forecasters in Session.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 27.—Over 100 Weather Bureau officials gathered in Milwaukee today to attend a three-day conference. Addresses of welcome were delivered by Dr. William Wilson, of the local Weather Bureau, and Mayor David S. Ross, the response being made by Professor W. L. Moore, chief of the United States Weather Bureau. Professor Moore made a few reminiscent remarks, reviewing the weather service from its small beginning to its present high standard.

A paper by Professor Alexander G. McAdie, of San Francisco, treated of fog studies. E. G. Glass, of Helena, Mont., read a paper on chinook winds. The afternoon was devoted to the reading of papers of an educational character. Among the papers read was one by G. N. Salisbury, of Seattle, on the systems of meteorology and cognate branches of general science.

Supreme Court of Foresters.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 27.—The seventh biennial meeting of the supreme court of foresters of the United States is in session this morning. Nearly 200 delegates from 20 states are in attendance. The only portion of the meeting proper open to the public was that which was held in the afternoon, which was devoted principally to an address of welcome by Acting Mayor Henry Williams, of Baltimore, and a response by Chief Ranger Thomas J. Ford, of Pittsburg.

United Typothetae.

BUFFALO, Aug. 27.—The 15th convention of United Typothetae of America was opened today. About 200 delegates from all over the country are in attendance. The sessions are executive.

PHILIPPINE FEDERALS.

Party Reorganized With a Pro American Platform. MANILA, Aug. 27.—The Federal party has been reorganized, and Jose Albert, a prominent native physician, elected president. The new directors are Frank de la Cruz, Yonkers, who has been in Manila, Louis Yango, Salvador Rosario and Miguel Velasco. The new board outlined a strong pro-American policy.

Will Carry Teachers to Manila.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—The transport Warren, which has arrived here from Seattle, will be fitted up to carry several hundred schoolteachers to Manila, and will sail for the Philippines in about two weeks. The summer, which has been in port about two weeks, will sail September 12 for Manila, via Honolulu, and will remain in Philippine waters. The Seward left Seattle August 23 for St. Michael. The Hancock is expected to reach port tomorrow or Thursday from Manila and Nagasaki.

To Organize Philippine Missions.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Dr. George F. Pentecost, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Yorkville, who has been in England all summer, and who sailed for America yesterday, has been requested by the American Board of Foreign Missions to organize the work in the Philippines. It is not known whether Dr. Pentecost has accepted the call, as he has been preaching at the First Presbyterian Church, London, for the last two months.

Philippine Customs Revenue.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—A statement of the customs revenue in the Philippines for the five months ended May 31, 1901, as compared with the same period of 1900, prepared in the Division of Insular Affairs of the War Department, shows that the total revenues for five months ended May 31, 1901, were \$3,526,000, as compared with \$3,466,137, and 1900, \$3,705,211. These figures indicate an increase in 1901 over 1900 of \$1,157,871, and over 1900 of \$1,289,480.

Troops on the Grant.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Acting Adjutant-General Ward has received a cable message from General Chaffee, at Manila, saying that the transport Grant will sail on the 25th inst. for San Francisco with Troop B, Fourth Cavalry and the Twelfth and Thirteenth Batteries of Field Artillery.

JAPAN MAY REMOVE EDICT.

Emigration of Its People to Hawaii as Laborers is Probable. YANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 27.—Unofficial advice has come from Washington to United States Immigration Inspector Healy, of Vancouver, to the effect that it is probable that in the near future small parties of Japanese will be making their way to the Hawaiian Islands. Hon. S. Shimizu, the Japanese Consul-General here, stated today that he was aware of the local rumor, and that Japan that it was probable that the edict would be removed, or in any event modified, to permit a limited number of Japanese to emigrate to Hawaii, but he did not understand the matter to mention to seek labor in the United States proper. Mr. Shimizu stated that none of the Japanese would come to Canada. In this connection it was pointed out that the pressure was being brought to bear on the Japanese Government to allow the emigration of Japanese to the Hawaiian Islands on account of the demand there for laboring men on the sugar plantations.

Agitator Sued for Damages.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Suing a former emigrant for \$25,000 damages on the charge that he spread disaffection among other workmen, and was thereby largely instrumental in causing a strike, is the latest novelty in the labor troubles in and near Chicago. The plaintiff is the suit of the W. J. B. Conkey Company, of Hammond, which secured an injunction against the strikers a few days ago, and the defendant is J. S. Russell, formerly with the Conkey Company as foreman. The action was filed in the Superior Court here. According to the counsel of the plaintiff, Russell has been persistent in an agitation among the workmen, which has resulted in the strike now said to be embarrassing the company.

Temperance Lecturer Mobbbed.

ZANESVILLE, O., Aug. 27.—Rev. Edmund G. Breaux, a temperance lecturer, claiming to be from Morganstown, W. Va., was mobbed by 600 men and boys tonight while speaking in front of the City Hall. He made personal attacks on several Zanesville politicians.

Welsh Coal and Iron Combine.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—It is reported that a combine of Welsh coal and iron combine is imminent, involving the amalgamation of the Crasby Bros., of Merthyr, with Guest, Koen & Co., of Dowlais and

IS IT AN EPIDEMIC?

Vital Statistics Show an Alarming Increase in an Already Prevaling Disease—Are Any Exempt?

At no time in the history of disease has there been such an alarming increase in the number of cases of any particular malady as in that of kidney and bladder troubles now preying upon the people of this country. Today we see a relative, a friend or an acquaintance, who, a little previous to a few days we may be grieved to learn of their serious illness or sudden death, caused by that fatal type of kidney trouble—Bright's disease.

Kidney trouble often becomes advanced into acute stages before the afflicted is aware of its presence; that is why we read of so many sudden deaths of prominent business men, professional men, physicians and others. They have neglected to stop the leak in time.

While scientists are puzzling their brains to find out the cause, each individual can, by a little precaution, avoid the chances of contracting dreaded and dangerous kidney trouble, or eradicate it completely from their system if already afflicted. Many precious lives might have been saved, and many more can yet be saved, by paying attention to the kidneys.

It is the mission of The Oregonian to benefit its readers at every opportunity, and therefore, we advise any who have any symptoms of kidney or bladder trouble to write to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a free sample bottle of Swamp-Root, the celebrated specific which is having such a great demand and remarkable success in the cure of the most distressing kidney and bladder troubles. With the sample bottle of Swamp-Root will also be sent a pamphlet and treatise of valuable information.

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Cardiff.

Both concerns have very extensive steel works, employing the Bessemer and Siemens processes, and colleries with an aggregate capital of several millions sterling. The works of the latter include Windar Richards, who recently visited the United States and who is now conferring as to the terms of amalgamation. It is possible that the amalgamation of South Wales will enter the combination with a view to economy in work, in order to meet competition.

CARD INSPECTION SYSTEM.

Question to Be Considered by the Miners' Convention. HAZLETON, Pa., Aug. 27.—A convention of representatives of the United Mineworkers of America from every mine in the anthracite coal region began here today, and is expected to continue three or four days. President Mitchell and National Secretary of the miners are this morning. While expressing themselves generally as entertaining no apprehension of trouble over the outcome of the convention, the anthracite officials are, nevertheless, somewhat anxious, and it would cause them no surprise if the convention were to take some steps whereby the current output of anthracite would be curtailed so as to prevent all accidents and to place the plan in a stronger position to meet the issues which are likely to present themselves next April, when the existing year's contract between the miners and the coal operators expires. The convention decided that miners should buy none but union label powder, provided it is of as good quality as that used at present. The barbers' union has agreed to patronize none but union barber shops.

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