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NEW YORK NEWS LETTER.

Interesting Notes of America's Metropolis.

New York, Sept. 28.—Traveling fifty thousand miles for over three thousand hours, representatives from a dozen nations are to-day bound for this city to plan organized help for the sailor on every sea of the globe. For the first time in history an international conference in the interest of millions of men who live on the ocean has been called by the American Seamen's Friend Society, and from almost every country in the world delegates are hurrying here to be present at the gathering on October 4th. America will be represented by authorities on the interests of seamen from more than a dozen of the society's branch stations in the leading ports on both coasts.

To outline and propose remedies for the problems with which the great international body of seafarers is faced on every shore of the world to-day is the object of this unique congress. The world-wide ways of the crimp, the boarding master, the shipping agent and ship owner will be discussed by men who have made a life long study throughout the globe of these vital elements in the life of jack-ashore. The treatment of jacks in the navies of the nations as well as the merchant marine will come up for consideration. Efforts will also be made to perfect the organization by which the American Seamen's Friend Society is aiming to keep in touch with the shifting body of sailors through their forty-five stations all over the world.

From Great Britain, E. W. Matthews, secretary of the British and Foreign Sailors Society of London is on his way to give the conference the benefit of his investigations in a tour of the globe which he has just completed. The problems of the sailor man in Mediterranean ports will be reported by T. J. Irving, who is bound for New York from Naples, where he has for years been an active worker for stranded seamen. Chaplain Wollesen of the society's station at Copenhagen has to-day arrived in this city and will be followed by other leading workers in the ports of Germany, Holland and Sweden.

From the Western Hemisphere veteran workers for the American Seamen's Friend Society from Montreal down to Buenos Ayres are already embarked on their long journey to the American conference.

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Tucker, who has succeeded a long line of stricken workers at the branch in Rio Janiero, which for seventy-four years the society has battled to maintain against the ravages of yellow fever, is to report on conditions surrounding jackashore in South America today. Another experienced worker in Argentine has begun the long voyage from Buenos Ayres. Reports will also be received from the other South American stations of the society at Valparaiso, Montevideo and Rosario.

New Orleans, Gloucester, Seattle, Norfolk, Galveston, Newport News, Pensacola, Boston, Charleston, Wilmington and Portland, Oregon, will send representatives to tell this congress of workers their ideas of looking out for the welfare of the sailor. The experiments of the Society's agents in the ports of every seaboard state in this country to provide free shipping bureaus, suitable accommodations, entertainment, banking and outfitting facilities for the seamen on the shores of the United States will all be discussed and new suggestions offered along these lines.

"As we were the first to place and maintain stations for the benefit of the world's sailors outside of our country, we feel glad of the opportunity to call this first international conference to help the seamen of the world," said G. McPherson Hunter, secretary of the American Seamen's Friend Society at its headquarters, 76 Wall Street, to-day. "No class of men among all the peoples of the earth stands to-day more sadly in need of speedy measures to brighten and better their lot in life. We earnestly hope that our gathering next month will result in a world wide benefit to the sailor."

Scales Condemned.

Do you know that many of the barrel scales with the figures in small, fine type, have been ousted out of many states? Smith uses great large scales; you can read the prices across the street. They're honest. See Smith's ad, page 5.

RIDDER WILL ANSWER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Herman Ridder, the newly appointed democratic national committee said to-night that he on Sunday would appear before the federated trades union and answer the charge that he was hostile to union labor, made against him by certain delegates at a meeting of the body yesterday. Ridder declared the accusation false, and that he had always employed union men. Ridder said regarding his new office that he would devote all his energy to collecting funds. All names of the contributors and amounts contributed will be made public on October 15th. After that until the election day the sums received will be published daily.

COL. STEWART REPORTS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Col. Stewart of the Coast Artillery commanding the ungarrisoned post at Fort Grant, reported to the war department today to be examined regarding his physical fitness for further active service.

RUSTIN HEARING.

OMAHA, Sept. 28.—Taking of evidence in the preliminary hearing of Charles E. Davis, charged with the murder of Dr. Rustin was concluded today and arguments of counsel will begin tomorrow. Mrs. Rice spent most of the forenoon under a rapid-fire of cross-questions by Attorney Gurley for the defense, but nothing



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\$3.50 Wool Pants	\$2.50	.50 Work Shirts	.40	\$4.00 Suit, Scotch Winsted Underwear	\$3.00
\$2.75 Wool Pants	\$2.00	\$1.25 Silk Front Shirts	.75	\$3.50 Suit, Scotch Wool Underwear	\$2.50
\$2.50 Wool Pants	\$1.75	.75 Shirts	.40	\$3.00 Suit, Scotch Wool Underwear	\$2.25
\$3.00 Sweaters	\$2.25	Men's \$5.00 Dress Shoes	\$3.50	\$2.50 Suit, Scotch Wool Underwear	\$1.75
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.25 Woolen Sox	.20	\$6.50 Logger's Shoes	\$5.00		
\$3.00 Flannel Shirts	\$2.25	\$6.00 Logger's Shoes	\$4.75		
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of importance other than what has developed was brought out. During the afternoon Gurley sought to prove an alibi for Davis.

CHOLERA INCREASING.

Plague in Russia Carries Off 102 in 24 Hours.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 28.—New cholera cases reported today are: 263; deaths 102. This is a falling off of five in the number of new cases compared with yesterday and increase of 41 in the number of deaths.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—A cablegram to the marine hospital service from its European bureau says the cholera epidemic in Russia is increasing.

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PITTSBURG, Sept. 28.—Protracted drouth in Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia was effectually broken. Rainfall today was general throughout the stricken territory.

MANILA CHOLERA.

MANILA, Sept. 28.—Fourteen new cholera cases today. Three deaths are reported.

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DODGING THE SPEAKER.

One of the First Cases of Filibustering in Congress.

One of the first instances of filibustering occurred in 1805 just after the impeachment trial of the Hon. Samuel Chase, one of the associate justices of the supreme court. A quarrel arose over the payment of witnesses. The house of representatives would pass no bill which provided for the payment of those summoned by Chase. The senate would pass no bill which did not, and a conference followed. Each refused to yield, and the bill was lost.

John Randolph then attempted in the closing hours of the session to have the witnesses for the managers of the trial paid out of the contingent fund of the house. But the Federalists were ready. They hurried from the room, and when the vote was taken the speaker announced no quorum. Members were thereupon summoned from the lobby and committee rooms. Hardly were they in their seats when a message from the president was announced, and while the clerk was reading it the Federalists again left the room, so that when the resolution was a second time called up there was again no quorum. Once more the sergeant at arms went into the lobby, and once more the members came in. But an enrolled bill was reported, and while the speaker was signing it the Federalists a third time slipped out. The announcement of no quorum which followed was greeted with shouts of laughter. Randolph in a great passion desisted, and late on the evening of Sunday, March 3, 1805, the Eighth congress ended.—Baltimore American.

SCIENCE AND TEARS.

Weapon of the Heroine Coolly Analyzed by French Chemist.

One does not care to have one's tears analyzed like a patent food or medicine and to associate them with chemical substances, but we are nothing if not practical nowadays, and every shred of romance, poetry and sentiment is remorselessly wrenched from us for scientific purposes.

A French journal devoted to matters of this kind has been telling us not only of what tears are composed, but exactly the effect that is produced on brain and body when we shed them.

So henceforth when we read that the heroine's "beautiful eyes were suffused with tears," that "in a moment she was weeping passionately on his shoulder," we shall know that by a kind of shower bath arrangement a mixture of albuminoid, water and chemical substances was let loose at the back of her skull, thus dulling the nerve centers and really giving her relief.

However, it does not sound romantic, and more man is likely to imagine that the fair one is really suffering doubly when all this happens.—Gentlewoman.

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