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## INSTRUCTIONS TO DELEGATES

No Work Will Be Done Next Week—Miners' Convention Will Be In Session Several Days.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 10.—The Shenandoah delegates to the miners' convention have received their final instructions. Not one of them will vote contrary to these instructions. At the meeting of two of the local unions of the United Mine Workers at Shenandoah, it was decided to demand that the sliding scale, or the \$2.50 basis, should be abolished before the strike is declared at an end. The delegates to the Scranton convention were so instructed.

Many of the delegates from Schuylkill declare that before an agreement is reached between the operators and miners a joint conference must be held where, while the sliding scale, dockage, semi-monthly pay, and other grievances must be adjusted. It is not believed that the operators will go into such a conference.

President Mitchell and other labor leaders are strong advocates of annual wage scale arrangement, similar to that in force in the bituminous coal fields. The operators in these regions meet their employees each year and fix a wage scale. If this proposition and that relating to the abolition of the sliding wage scale are brought before the convention and negotiations with the mine owners are not reported, it will cause considerable delay in the settlement of the strike. The convention may be in session several days and it is hardly probable that any coal will be mined next week. Some of the national officers are unanimous in their declarations for a settlement and will exercise their influence with delegates to accept the offer of the companies.

At this time the men are divided on the proposition as to whether or not it is a victory. The sliding scale and the price of coal at tide water have been an enigma to more enlightened minds than those of the miners in the past, and the real gain or loss will only be demonstrated by actual practice. A vote for the resumption of work is regarded as certain, but this it is believed will only be secured after considerable difficulty.

Most of the mine owners who have granted the increase do not specify in their notices how long the advance shall remain in force, and it is not unlikely that an attempt will be made by the miners in convention to open negotiations with the operators looking toward an understanding on this matter. This will cause delay, and no one looks for resumption of work early next week.

### Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea After Thirty Years of Suffering.

"Suffered for thirty years with diarrhoea and thought I was past being cured," says John S. Holloway, of French Camp, Miss. "I had spent so much time and money and suffered so much that I had given up all hopes of recovery. I was so feeble from the effects of the diarrhoea that I could do no kind of labor, could not even travel, but by accident I was permitted to find a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after taking several bottles I am entirely cured of that trouble. I am so pleased with the result that I am anxious that it be in reach of all those who suffer as I have." For sale by Blakeley druggist.

### American Prizes at Paris Exposition.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—A cablegram received here today from Commissioner-General Peck, at Paris, contains an announcement of final results obtained at the exposition by the countries in the way of awards. The United States received 2475 awards; Germany, 1826; Great Britain, 1177; Russia, 1413. The United States leads not only in the grand total, but also in all grades of awards, from grand prizes to merely honorable mention.

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## FRENCH PROPOSITIONS APPROVED

With Some Slight Changes in Details of the Propositions France Has Laid Before the Powers, United States Will Give Hearty Assent to the Plans Suggested.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—There is no longer any doubt that this government heartily approves the many propositions laid down in the French note made public on the 5th inst., in regard to a common program to be adopted by the powers as a basis for peace negotiations with China.

As to the first of the proposed terms of settlement, the punishment of the principal culprits, this government has already declared itself in unmistakable terms. As to the second, the maintenance of the inhibition against the import of arms, this government will not decline itself to the point of making it an absolute prerequisite to further negotiations. As to the third and fourth positions providing for indemnities to states, societies and individuals, and individuals, and the formation of a permanent guard for the legations in Peking, a cordial assent will be given. As to the fifth, which requires the dismantlement of the Taku fortifications, this government is not disposed to go quite to the length of making it an indispensable condition as does the French note.

The sixth of the French conditions reads as follows:

"Military occupation of two or three points on the road from Tien Tsin to Peking which would thus be always open to the legations wishing to go to sea, or forces proceeding to Peking from the sea."

This paragraph would seem to make it obligatory upon the powers to maintain garrisons at these points, and while the conditions are such as to make their occupation for the safety of the members of the legation and others desiring to travel between Peking and Tien Tsin, this government is disposed to make the demand as a matter of right, to be exercised by any or all of the powers at will. The formal note embodying the

views of this government substantially as outlined above is in preparation, and probably will be handed to Mr. Thiebaut, the French charge in Washington within a day or two.

### Three Stones at Roosevelt.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Oct. 10.—Hoodlums of Fort Wayne tonight attacked Governor Roosevelt's party. In Calhoun street, shortly before the head of the procession reached the rink where the governor was to speak, a party of roughs on the sidewalk threw a shower of stones at Governor Roosevelt's carriage. One struck the governor on the shoulder, and another aimed at him, struck Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, in the face. The governor was not hurt and laughed the matter off. The horses were whipped up and got away from the roughs.

### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a Great Favorite.

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## THE MESSENGER'S DIVERSION.

A Bit of Comedy Between Trains at a New York Elevated Railroad Station.

A messenger boy, small, trim, reticent and deliberate in his movements, walked up the steps of a Sixth avenue elevated railroad station, reports the New York Sun, went quietly along the passageway between the ticket seller's window and the ticket chopper's box, and there dropped his ticket. The ticket chopper being at that moment standing, stretching his legs, the messenger kept on around the ticket box and dropped in the ticket chopper's chair without a word or a look for anybody.

"I guess you were born tired," said the ticket chopper. No reply from the messenger.

When the next passenger dropped a ticket in the box the messenger boy reached forward and grasped the handle of the lever and raised it up and let the ticket fall down from the hopper into the box below, throwing the lever up through its full sweep slowly, but to the limit with a manner that was at once languid and precise.

"There—that'll do," said the ticket chopper. "I'll attend to that part of it."

Still paying no attention to him, the messenger got up and walked away. He had chipped one ticket, that's all he wanted to chop; and now he strolled down the platform as calm, as grave-faced, as reticent as ever, as cool, even in this weather, as the proverbial cucumber.

## CHOICE IN COLOR OF MEAT.

It is a Fallacy to Suppose That White Is More Desirable Than Dark.

In a recent series of articles published in a German medical journal, Drs. Offer and Rosenquist deal with the opinion that has been accepted by many that white meats are more suitable for the sick, owing to greater digestibility and the presence of less uric acid and nitrogenous extractive.

This belief is shaken by the analyses made by the medical men referred to, which show that while white meats, such as poultry and fish, do in certain cases, as fish and fresh venison, contain less extractive and nitrogenous derivatives, the average amount does not appreciably differ in dark and white meats such as poultry, veal, beef, pork, mutton, etc., to make either preferable.

They point out that the only way of limiting the ingestion of these deleterious extractive and nitrogenous substances is by diminishing the amount of meat taken, rather than by forbidding dark meats. They also assert that among the extractive present in meat the most important ones are by no means harmful if taken in small quantities, as is ordinarily done. The same holds good as regards the other organic extractives which are nitrogenous.

## HOW PLANTS GAIN WEIGHT.

Their Growth in Avordupola Comes Wholly from Gas in the Air.

As far as is known the first botanical experiment ever performed was conducted by a Dutchman. He placed in a pot 200 pounds of dried earth, and in it he planted a willow branch which weighed five pounds. He kept the whole covered up and daily watered the earth with rain water. After five years' growth the willow was again weighed and was found to have gained 164 pounds. The earth in the pot was dried and weighed and had lost only two ounces.

The experimentalist, therefore, looked upon this experiment as supporting the theory that plants required no food but water. But he was wrong. Later it was discovered that much of the increase in weight of plants was derived from carbonic acid gas in the air.

Vegetable cells contain a liquid known as "cell sap," which is water holding in solution various materials which have been taken up from without by the roots and leaves. Thus it is in the living cells of the plant that those "digestive" processes are carried on which were once believed to occur in the soil.

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