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Rhode Island Mill Workers Want Increased Pay.

EMPLOYERS WILL CLOSE THE MILLS

Manufacturers Have Combined, and Threaten to Suspend Operations at the First Sign of a Strike, and to Have No Communication with the Strikers.

PROVIDENCE, March 23.—All the textile manufacturers of Providence held a meeting yesterday and agreed to combine their interests. They decided to close any or all of their mills at the first sign of a strike. They also agreed not to communicate with their operatives in the event of a strike, and to make no proposition of any description.

Olneyville today has been a hot bed of strike sentiment, and for a while a general strike was contemplated for April, but it has been decided instead that the operatives of the Fletcher mills shall make a demand Monday for a return to the schedule of 1883. If this is refused a general strike will probably follow soon after. The mills in Olneyville which will be affected are: Manton, Weybosset, Providence, Nashua, Valley, Lonsdale, Seers, Atlantic, Warwick, Sprague, Saxon Worsted company and Riverside.

The locked out operatives of the Weybosset mills met yesterday in Textile hall to discuss the situation and decided to await next Monday's developments. A general meeting of the Worsted union was held last night, but the proceedings were not made known.

Horace Kimball, of the Manton mills, in an interview today said that profits were so small it is impossible to think of returning to the schedule of 1883.

An Alabama Desperado Killed.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 23.—Jim Morrison, a noted desperado, who has long terrorized the inhabitants of a remote section of this county, was shot dead by Deputy Sheriff Cole on Thursday night, while resisting arrest. A few years ago while serving a term in the Pratt mines for killing Tom Webb, he and six other convicts escaped by blowing their way out with dynamite. Since that time he killed Deputy Sheriff Dexter, who was trying to arrest him, and established in the mountains and carried out his outlawry unmolested.

Home Rule for Wilmington.

DOVER, Del., March 23.—A bill has been introduced in the legislature for the reorganization of Wilmington's police force. The object of the new bill is to get the mayor back into the police commission by virtue of his office, the two other commissioners to be elected by the people, one from the lower, or Democratic section of the city, and the other from the upper, or Republican section. Another bill introduced provides for the election of the judge of Wilmington's municipal court. These officers are at present appointed by the governor.

Fatal Fire in a Match Factory.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Fire in the Square Match company's works at Union and Erie streets caused a panic among the girl employes. One was perhaps fatally burned and three others seriously injured by jumping from the second story window. The injured are Jennie Warner, Annie Hans, Roy Tate and an unknown girl. It is feared that Annie Hans will die.

PEOPLE WE KNOW.

(From Geneva, N. Y., Courier.)

It is a pleasure for us to present to our readers the recommendation of so estimable a citizen as Elias Dolson, of this place, knowing when he says that he was cured of rheumatism by the use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, it is so. Rheumatism, is caused by an excess of acid in the blood, when it becomes settled in the joints the patient endures most excruciating pain; such was Mr. Dolson's condition when he began the use of Favorite Remedy, and like many others who have followed the same treatment he was cured. How many poor sufferers there are today who would give their fortunes to be relieved from the terrors of this awful complaint, not knowing that this valuable preparation can be obtained of every dealer in medicine. Mrs. Dolson, as well as her husband, has a good word for Favorite Remedy; says she, "I have been troubled for years with indigestion and palpitation of the heart, and I used Favorite Remedy and was entirely cured.

One of our local physicians in speaking of this medicine, recently, said: "Dr. David Kennedy has produced in Favorite Remedy the only antidote of uric acid, and the reason it cures such a variety of complaints is, from the fact that it dissolves this acid, expelling it from the system, thereby curing the disease."

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When eminent clergymen like the Rev. Henry Langford, of Weston, W. Va., and Presiding Elder the Right-Rev. J. W. Walker, of Fort Dodge, Iowa, were cured by it, and by reason of their sympathy for suffering humanity, urge you to use it and get well, you can know that if you take it you will be made well and strong.

Use it now in the spring, when it will do you most good. It is a great physician's prescription, the discovery of Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th St., New York City, the most successful physician in curing nervous and chronic diseases. He can be consulted free, personally or by letter.

DEATH OF RICHARD VAUX.

The Ex-Mayor of Philadelphia a Victim of the Grip.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—Ex-Mayor Richard Vaux, inspector of the Eastern penitentiary, and one of the best known citizens of Philadelphia, died of the grip yesterday morning at his home, 1900 Chestnut street, after an illness of but five days. His immediate relatives were with him when he died, and he was conscious until the end.

Mr. Vaux was born in this city Dec. 19, 1816, and was the son of Robert Vaux, one of Pennsylvania's foremost citizens.

THE LATE RICHARD VAUX.

He was admitted to the bar when only 26 years of age, and soon afterward became secretary of legation at London. In 1841 he was appointed recorder of Philadelphia, and in 1856 was elected mayor. In 1889 Mr. Vaux was elected to fill the unexpired term of Samuel J. Randall in the Fifty-first congress, being succeeded by William McAleer.

Mr. Vaux published several valuable essays, and on the subject of penology was considered an authority, both in Europe and in this country. His reports on the penitentiary aggregate nearly fifty volumes, while his treatise on "Crime, Its Causes and Punishment" are very numerous. He had been president of the board of prison inspectors for over forty years.

British Force Nearly Annihilated.

CALCUTTA, March 23.—Further details have been received of the fighting between the British force and the Chitralis. Lieutenant Ross, with sixty Sikhs, was on the way to reinforce the British post at Reshun, near Karagh. As the British force were proceeding for their destination they were unexpectedly attacked by a force of Chitralis, who were protected by a breastwork. The fire of the attacks was so hot that the British force was compelled to withdraw. As they withdrew they found their retreat had been cut off by about a thousand of the enemy, who poured a murderous fire from all sides into them. The British force fought desperately until most of them were killed, only fourteen of the Sikhs succeeding in cutting their way through. They left behind them, dead, Lieutenant Ross, forty-six Sikhs and eight followers of the column.

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Great Britain's Claim for Indemnity a Just One.

UNCLE SAM WILL NOT INTERFERE.

Arranging for the Framing of a New Treaty with Great Britain Concerning Behring Sea Seizures—Necessity for Action to Protect the Seals from Extermination.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The cabinet meeting yesterday lasted but two hours, everybody being present except Secretary Carlisle, who was in New York. The session is said to have been uneventful, thus disappointing the expectations of those who looked for some decided aggressive action in foreign affairs. It is also said that there was an entire absence of friction among the members, although the principal subjects under discussion, relating to the various complications into which we have become involved with certain foreign countries, were well calculated to exhibit divergence of individual views.

It is presumed that the attitude of Great Britain towards Venezuela and Nicaragua was canvassed, but as far as can be gathered the secretary of state has no new matter touching this to impart, and it was not believed to be necessary to take any positive action in the absence of an explicit statement of the purposes of Great Britain. As far as the Nicaraguan matter is concerned it is not believed that our government is disposed to take issue with Great Britain as to her right to demand an indemnity for the unjust treatment of her consular agent and citizens, inasmuch as the United States has already and repeatedly gone on record as insisting on its right in such cases to secure reparation for improper treatment of its citizens.

The only point upon which there can be a question is as to the method of collecting the indemnity, but there is reason to believe that in the view of the cabinet the subject need cause no real trouble, as Nicaragua doubtless will agree to meet reasonable demands from Great Britain when it is made clear to her by our department of state that she cannot otherwise rely upon the moral support of the United States, which might otherwise be disposed to use its good offices to secure an abatement of the amount of the indemnity if the principle of an indemnity is conceded.

In view of the more weighty matters now engaging the attention of the administration it is stated that foreign ministers in Washington are likely to be, at least for the present, left undisturbed in their relations with our government. No answer, beyond a purely prefunctory one acknowledging the receipt of our communication and promising to make investigation, has been returned to Spain to our demand in the Alliance affair, and while under ordinary conditions this might be resented by our government, a disposition was shown by the cabinet to make all due allowance for the fact that, as a result of the overturning of the Spanish cabinet, the subordinates there dare not do anything to compromise the incoming cabinet.

Preliminaries are being arranged for the framing of a new treaty between the United States and Great Britain concerning Behring sea seizures. The negotiations will be carried on in Washington. Sir Charles Tupper, minister of marine and fisheries for Canada, and other leading statesmen of the dominion, including probably Minister Foster, will come here to co-operate with Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, concerning the terms of the treaty. The question of fixing the date for the meeting is now under consideration.

The projected treaty is rendered necessary by the inaction of congress on the Behring sea seizures claims. The original claims, which, with interest, amounted to $750,000, were scaled down to $425,000. President Cleveland advised payment in his message to congress, but an amendment to carry out the president's recommendation was defeated. It was then sought to provide for an international commission to adjust the terms of settlement, but this also failed, leaving the matter still open. The purpose of the treaty will be, therefore, to create a commission to hear all the evidence and determine the amount of indemnity to be paid the seized sealers. After being signed the treaty will have to be submitted to the senate for ratification, and unless there is an extra session this cannot be accomplished before next December.

While it is felt that this is an unfortunate delay in adjusting the claims, yet it appears to be the only means of advancing them to an honorable settlement consistent with the kindly relations existing between the United States and Great Britain.

Another phase of the sealeries question which may come up simultaneously with the adjustment of the claims is the framing of a new modus vivendi or other means of protecting the seal herds in Behring sea. Experts appear to agree that the seals will be exterminated soon unless energetic steps are taken, as the protection afforded by the regulations agreed on by the Paris court of arbitration seem to be insufficient.

The Detained Diamond Cutters.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The special board of inquiry convened for the purpose of disposing of the diamond cutters who were landed from the steamship Majestic was kept busy yesterday. Out of the 127 who were held sixty-five were discharged, and are now roaming about New York presumably looking for work, but Commissioner Senners avows they went directly from the barge office to their employers. The remainder are housed on the island, and unless an appeal in their case is made will be returned on the next White Star line steamship sailing out of this port.

His Dying Statement Discredited.

BUFFALO, March 23.—The police are now reasonably certain that the Halliday mystery was a case of suicide. Halliday declared when dying that he had been assaulted by an unknown man. It has been shown that Halliday died with lies on his lips in regard to his bank account and his whereabouts before the tragedy, and the police are convinced that the whole of his ante mortem statement was a fabrication.

The Washington Incendiary Insane.

MILWAUKEE, March 23.—Marie Delaney, who is under arrest in Washington on a charge of attempting to burn churches, was for a long time a dressmaker in this city, and a few years ago she became insane and was sent to a county asylum, but escaped, and as she was not violently insane no attempt was made to place her under restraint again.

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