WHILE ENROUTE FROM SAN SE-BASTAIN TO SPANISH CAPITAL,

A SENSATION CREATED IN MADRID

Over the Alleged Ascertainment of Uncle Sam's Program as Regards the Cuban War.

Advices of Sunday from Madrid state that the arrival of United States Minister Woodford from San Sebastian has made a sensation. The programme of the United States has been ascertained.

This does not contemplate a declara-tion of war if Spain rejects meditation, but, according to report, an ostenta-tious proclamation to the world of dis-approval of the Cuban regime by suspending diplomatic relations with Spain and withdrawing the United

States minister. General Woodford has declined to be interviewed on the subject further than to say that his conference with the duke of Tetuan, the foreign minister, was of the most satisfactory character. The unexpected bitterness of the press and of public opinion has painfully impressed him, but he hopes this will soon be allayed, as he believes his mission favorable to Spanish interests and cannot comprehend that Spain could reject mediation designed to stop an impoverishing war.

He has not named a time at which the war must be terminated, but he hopes, as the result of his tenders, that it will be ended quickly. He believes the war is inflicting incalculable loss upon the United States and it is impossible to prevent the organization of filibustering expeditions.

Unusual measures were taken to protect Minister Woodford on his journey from San Sebastian to Madrid, but the trip was quite uneventful. A party of gendarmes, commanded by a sub-lieutenant, guarded the southern express on which he was a passenger. Secret police were posted at the station and the prefect of police was

in waiting to escort him to his hotel. The drive through the streets was marked by no special incident, though several people saluted him, receiving a bow in return. Some comment has been caused by

the fact that Minister Woodford's family has not accompanied him, but remains on the French frontier. Minister Woodford explains that his party is a large one, requiring a commodious home, and prefers spending a pleasant October in Blarritz until a suitable residence can be secured in Madrid.

### NEW EDITOR SELECTED

For Cotton Plant, South Carolina's Al-A Columbia, S. C., dispatch says: The managing committee of The Cotton Plant, the alliance organ, has awarded the printing and editing of the paper to Colonel James A. Hoyt, editor of The Greeneville Mountaineer.

The paper was until recently under the management of Colonel T. B Crews, of Laurens.

It attacked McLaurin during the campaign and caused considerable disturbance in the alliance because of its partisan action. The contract was forfeited and Colonel Crews displaced.

### MINERS HOLD CONFERENCE.

Alabamians Decline to Unite With Unite Mine Workers of America. A convention of coal miners of Alabama was held in Birmingham last Saturday, with nearly all mines represented, for the purpose of effecting an organization.

A discussion arose as to forming a state organization or becoming a part of the United Mine Workers of America.

The delegation from Pratt mines worked against affiliation with the national organization, and it was decided to form an independent state organization on October 22d.

## JURY FAILED TO AGREE.

Responsibility For the Shooting of Miner At Hazelton Not Placed. The coroner's jury to inquire into the manner in which the strikers met their death at Lattimer, Pa., on September 10th, failed to agree on a verdict after a lengthy session.

## OHIO DEMOCRATS ACTIVE.

The Campaign by Silverites Opened by Numerous Meetings.

The silver wing of the democrats opened their state campaign in Ohio Thursday. Each county held meetings, but the grand central meeting was set for Thursday night at Colum-

Hon. H. L. Chapman, for governor, has talked some in the capital, but this was his first speech of importance. The committee dispensed with the were Congressman John J. Lentz, Mayor James A. Rice, of Canton, and General A. J. Warner, with a short introductory by Allen W. Thurman.

### STREET CAR MEN DISSATISFIED.

Chicago Conductors, Motormen and Grip.

men May Enter Upon a Strike. Indications point to a general strike of all street car conductors, motormer cago City Railway Company.

From the present outlook it seems twenty discharged men, together with really as an answer to the dispatch the company.

#### BLOODY RIOT AMONG POLES.

At least nine men received fatal injuries and possibly two score others were more or less seriously wounded in a bloody riot at Girardville, Pa., late Sunday night and early Monday morning.

The battle was the outcome of a quarrel over the Hazelton troubles. Thirty-six men are known to have been wounded and about fifty more are being secreted by their friends, who fear they will be sent to jail.

Twenty-two of the ringlenders were carried before justices of the peace. All were charged with assault with intent to kill, housebreaking and rioting and were held in heavy bail for court. Many more warrants have of John Boecker, a farmer living eight been issued.

One physician attended to twentytwo of the wounded, nine of whom he says will die. Two other doctors atmen not yet accounted for.

Several hundred Polanders board at fatal wound. Bad blood has existed between them troubles at Hazelton embittered them still more.

Sunday night matters came to a crises. Culacabbage, it is charged, and his followers, to the number of several hundred, arming themselves with guns, revolvers, knives, axes and clubs, marched to Cavendish's hotel, mies were celebrating pay day.

The Cavendish men ascertained that their foes were marching on them, and arming themselves awaited their ar rival. After a demonstrative march the Culacabbage contingent arrived and immediately stormed the saloon. Then a bloody battle ensued. The

men fought like demons, the shooting was fast and furious-axes, knives, clubs and other weapons being used with deadly effect.

The battle lasted almost an hour, when the Culacabbage gang was routed, leaving their wounded behind. Everything in the house was smash-

ed and the floors were strewn with wounded men. The walls were bespattered with blood and shreds of human flesh.

After the routed rioters had returned to their headquarters the Cavendish gang armed themselves to the teeth and marched to their enemies' rendezvous, where a battle still bloodier than the first ensued.

The police force and the constables of the surrounding region were called to the scene, but were unable to cope with the rioting horde, who continued hostilities until morning.

The townspeople watched the progress of the fight during the night, but made no attempt to interfere.

# A DIVIDED VERDICT.

Shooting of Miners Declared Murder By Majority of Coroner's Jury.

The coroner's jury which investigated the death of the striking miners at Lattimer met again Monday evening in Deputy Coroner Cowan's office, and after an hour's deliberation rendered the following verdict:

"That from the circumstances of the case and the evidence offered, the said Clement Platock and others came to their deaths by gunshot wounds on September 10, 1897, at the hands of Sheriff James Martin and his deputies, and in this we, the jury, do all agree.

"And we, Phil J. Boyle, Thomas L. Thomas, Barton Freas and Peter Mc-Kierman, of this jury, do further say that the said Clement Platock, with others, were marching peaceably and unarmed on the public highway; that they were intercepted by said Sheriff Martin and his deputies, and mercilessly shot to death; and we do further find that the killing was unnecessary, and could heve been acvoided without serious injury to either person or property; and we find, finally, that the killing was wanton and unjustifiable, but in this, we, George Maue and F. J. McNeal, of this jury, do not concur.

"And we, the jury, do further say, that there was such strong suspicion of unlawful violence at the hands of person or persons unknown to the jury as to make this inquest necessary."

The residences of many citizens were damaged and several outsiders were wounded.

### INDIANS HAVE GOLD MINE.

Chickasaws Claim To Have Veins That Beat Klondike.

The Chickasaw legislature, now in session at Tishomingo, I.T , has passed sn act placing a royalty on all gold that is hereafter mined in the Chickasaw nation.

This act was brought about by Indian citizens who live near Purcell, in the Chickasaw nation, taking out samples of ore. Some of the Chickausual parade. The other speakers saws who have investigated the matter are under the belief that Klondike is a small, insignificant gold field compared with the one just discovered near Purcell.

### SPANISH SQUADRON MOVES.

Goes to Cuba In Order to Be Near American Boats.

A dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeiand gripmen in the employ of the Chi- tung (Berlin) from Madrid asserts that a fearful Spanish squadron will immediately proceed to Cubs on the that the only block to a general walk- pretext of attending the installation of out would be the reinstatement of the new floating dock at Havana, but the recognition of the new union by of the American flotilla to Florida waters.

MOTHER AND SIX CHILDREN VIC-TIMS OF BLOODTHIRSTY FIEND.

COMPLETED THE JOB BY SUICIDING.

Slayer First Used a Shotgun and Wound Up His Bloody Work With

a Revolver.

Particulars have been received of the slaughter of a mother and her six children which occurred at the home

day night. After accomplishing the awful deed, the fiendish or demented husband and tended to fourteen others and there father, at whose hands they died, are 'supposed to be other wounded | completed his bloody work by sending a bullet into his own head, inflicting a

William Culacabbage's hotel, on Second street. Joseph Cavendish is proprietor of a hotel at the east end of tive for the tragedy has been disclosed. town, where several hundred more Boecker's victims are his wife and Polanders make their headquarters. these children: Caroline, aged fourteen; Christine, aged nine; Henry, for a long time and the recent strike | aged eight; Lizzie, aged six; John, aged three, and an infant,

All are dead but Henry, and he can not recover from his wounds.

Boecker had an engagement to help a neighbor thresh wheat Monday morning, and on his not putting in an appearance, his brother, Henry, who lives about twenty rods away, went where several hundred of their ene- about 9 o'clock to see why he did not

The doors of the Boecker house were locked and there were no signs of life about. Henry tried to get in the house, but met no response, and finally he kicked in the door and came upon a horrible scene. Boecker, with his wife and baby, slept in a back room, and the three corpses lay on a

The wife had been shot in the neck with a shotgun which stood in the corner. The baby had been shot and its head crushed with the butt of a re-

The man, still breathing, had a bullet hole in the forehead, and by his side was a Smith & Wesson six-shooter with two chambers empty.

The Boecker home is a story-and-ahalf frame house, and upstairs Henry and Lizzie lay on a bed with bullet holes in the forehead, the latter dead, the boy still breathing.

In the opposite corner of the same room Caroline, Christine and John were dead, each with a bullet hole in the forehead. The tragedy was undoubtedly a case of murder and suicide. The indica-

tions are that Boecker first dispatched his wife with a shotgun, then used the revolver on the baby, first shooting it and then knocking out its brains with the butt. Boecker then went upstairs where

the five children were sleeping and killed them. He must have used a light, for his aim was effective, each victim being shot in the forehead. Boecker had reloaded the weapon

while upstairs and evidently sent the second bullet into the eldest girl's brain just before leaving the room. Going downstairs he stretched himself beside the corpse of his wife and

shot himself. His right hand was burnt by the powder, showing the rapid use of the revolver.

### FOUGHT THREE BROTHERS.

Murdock Stabs One, Whips a Second and Is Killed By Third. A few days ago James M. Summers and James W. Murdock, substantial farmers of Union county, S. C., had a difficulty in which Summers was se-

verely beaten. Just then a brother, J. S. Summers, arrived and took his brother's part. He was seriously stabbed by Murdock. A day afterwards C. C. Summers, a third brother, went to see Murdock. A quarrel ensued and Murdock was shot, dying in a short time from the wounds.

# SALISBURY DID NOT WITHDRAW

And England Will Take Part In Behring Sea Conference. The announcement was made at London Monday afternoon confirming

the dispatches of the Associated Press of Saturday last, that the Marquis of Salisbury has not withdrawn from the the city since that time. Behring Sea conference.

### PENNANT MELTING AWAY

From the Erstwhile Indomitable Cham-

pions of the Diamond. There was no joy in Baltimore Monday night. Boston took the rubber in the crucial baseball series, putting her ahead in the fight for the pennant, and there seems to be but little probability that the Champions can save it.

Baltimore's prize pitchers all went down like ripe grain in a hurricane before the terrific onslaught of Boston's batters, until what seemed at first a victory for the home team was turned into a rout, the like of which has been seldom witnessed on the ball field, and more than 25,000 people saw it done.

# GOV. ELLERBE TAKES ACTION.

Issues Proclamation Which Wipes Out

the Constabulary. A Columbia, S. C., special says: Home rule has been restored to the cities and towns of South Carolina, the alien police have been removed from Charleston and the head of every liquor constable fell in the basket Monday.

Proclamations were issued announcing that the edict was to take effect on Oct. 1.

# DENOUNCED LATTIMER SHOOTING.

Misseutive Council of Federation of Labor The fourth day's session of the ex-ecutive council of the American Fed-

eration of Labor, in session at Washington, convened Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, all members being present. Regarding the shooting at Lattimer, Po,, on September 1, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That we declare the act of Sheriff Martin and his deputies at Lattimer in shooting on the marching miners then on strike, was a brutal and unprovoked massacre, inspired by the coal operators of that section to defeat the demands of the men for

better conditions. "Resolved, That ever ready use in late years in court injunctions, armed bree and state militia in times of labor miles northwest of Carroll, Iowa, Sun-day night.

After accomplishing the awful deed,

Troubles, is only part of the insidious program to entirely subjugate the workers of America for the most de-

basing degradation. "Resolved, That we condemn most severely the wanton killing and wounding of poor miners at Lattimer and will give our fullest help through the trade unions and American Federation of Labor to realize moneys for the legal prosecution and conviction of Sheriff Martin and his murderous minions, that through the courts of our land even-handed justice may be done to

atone for these revolting murders." Frank J. Walser, one of the federation national organizers, was directed to proceed immediately to the Luzerne district, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of helping in more thoroughly organizing miners and to endeavor to effect

an adjustment of the miners strike in that region. It was determined that measures in the interest of labor should be formulated and presented to President Mc Kinley with the view of his incorporating them in his next message to congress. It was resolved that with the revival of industry, every effort would be made to organize the workers in

their trades unions and the organizers directed to work along this line. The members of the council were appointed to investigate certain differences existing between their organizations and some of the employers of members of their unions with a view of making report and adjustment. The council adjourned in the afternoon subject to the call of President Gompers, having completed the busi-

#### ness for which it was convened.

NO WAR IMMINENT.

Uncle Sam Has Not Threatened Hostilities Against Spain.

A special to the New York Herald from London says: In reference to the sensational telegrams from Madrid about the alleged ultimatum and inevitability of war between the United States and Spain, the correspondent had a conversation with a distinguished American diplomat who, though not personally concerned in the American-Spanish negotiations, is in a position to know the exact state of affairs, but who for obvious reasons would not allow his

name to be mentioned. He said: "I cannot, of course, pledge in advance the government of the United States, but so far as the present is concerned, such a step is not in contemplation. The United States has probably intimated through Minister Woodford that the present state of affairs is most deplorable and that if we could be of any assistance in bringing such a condition of things to an end we should be glad to offer our

services. "But you may state absolutely that no ultimatum has been sent to Spain by the United States."

## BIG BREWERY IN ASHES.

Over \$300,000 Lost by Fire in LaCrosse,

The brew house of the John Gund Brewing Company's plant at LaCrosse, Wis., was destroyed by fire Thursday morning. The malt house contained several car loads of malt and about 5,000 bushels of barley, which were totally destroyed.

The cold storage contained about 12,000 barrels of beer, which was also destroyed. The total loss will exceed \$300,000, about half of which is covered by insurance in various old-line

The plant will be rebuilt as soon as the debris can be cleared away. The output of the brewery was 100,000 barrels a year, and it employed about 150 men. It was founded in 1858 and has been one of the leading institutions of

### GREEKS STILL BELLIGERENT.

Hold a Mass Meeting and Call For a Renewal of Hostilities.

A large meeting was held in Athens, Greece, Sunday, at which a resolution was adopted calling upon King George and the cabinet to renew the war with Turkey rather than accept the terms of peace offered by the peace confer-

Most of the addresses were bellicose, one speaker making a violent attack upon the king and Crown Prince Constantine. The police endeavored to arrest him, but he escaped with the assistance of the crowd. The most influential section of the

press continues peaceful in tone. AUSTRIA AS PEACEMAKER.

She Will Mediate In the Trouble Between Spain and United States.

A dispatch to the London Standard

from Madrid says:

"The rumor of Austrian mediation between Spain and the United States in the event of hostilities has created a great surprise, mingled with much incredulity. Spaniards failed to see what Austria could do unless seconded by naval powers or at least by the com- dead man, and fireman, was fatally inbined pacific action of governments."

THE ORGANIZATION SENDS STRONG LETTER TO BANK OF ENGLAND.

A Probability That the English Government May Be Coerced In the Matter.

Advices from London state that the protest which the bankers of that city drew up at their meeting in the clearing house Wednesday against the policy of the governor of the bank of England in announcing its willingness to maintain one-fifth of its bullion reserve in silver was presented to the bank Thursday. The resolution was accompanied by a formal letter, and the resolution itself is in the name of the Clearing House association, as, although the members were not represented at the meeting, a majority of the mem-bership was represented and unani-

mously adopted the resolution, which s as follows: "That this meeting entirely disapproves of the Bank of England agreeing to exercise the option, permitted by the act of 1884, of holding onefifth or any other portion whatever of silver as a reserve against the circula-

tion of the Bank of England notes. "That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Bank of England, the prime minister, the first lord of the treasury and the chancellor of the ex-

An organized movement had begun to induce other commercial bodies to protest against the announcement of the governor of the Bank of England. A high official who was a participant in the negotiations between the United States bimetallic commissioners and

the British cabinet said to the representative of the Associated Press: "I fear the bankers will frighten the rovernment into receding from their stand for bimetallism. They have forgotten that parliament unanimously resolved measures to secure a stable ratio of exchange between gold and silver, and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer,

pledged himself to do all in his power to carry the resolution into effect. "The English public have forgotten also that ten of the fourteen members of the agricultural commission signed a report recommending bimetallism as a palliative for the agricultural depression in India. The public and newspapers seem to think the government is influenced merely by a desire to secure the good will of the United States, when it is attempting to carry out the declared policy of its parlia-

### ment."

HAZELTON INQUEST ON.

Coroner's Jury Investigates the Killing of Miners at Lattimer. At Hazelton, Pa., Thursday afternoon, Coroner McKee began the inquest into the deaths of the score of striking miners, who were shot by a posse of the sheriff's deputies at Latti-

Nearly all the testimony adduced at the first day's session was a repetition of that brought out at the hearing of the deputies at Wilkesbarre. Most of the witnesses were foreign strikers, who were in the march halted by the

deputies' deadly fusilade. They gave the details of the affray as already published and all declared that none of the strikers were armed; that Sheriff Martin pulled a revolver on them, but no one attempted to take it from him; that no violence had been offered that official, and that the miners had no intention of making an unlaw-

#### ful demonstration. WILL FINISH NEW ROAD.

Springfield, Ohio River and South Atlantic

Railway to Be Completed. A company of capitalists was organized Thursday at Paoli, Ind., by the election of a board of thirteen directors to push to completion the building of the Springfield, Ohio River

and South Atlantic railway. To this road a subsidy of \$1,000,000 was voted by Knoxville, Tenn. It is a branch of the Great Black Diamond system. William Kirby, of Toledo, was elected president of the board. Articles of incorporation will be filed

#### at Indianapolis. VELASQUEZ FOUND DEATH.

Ex-Police Chief Was Implicated In the Killing of Arroyo.

Eduardo Velasquez, ex-inspector general of police of the City of Mexico, committed suicide in Belam prison Friday by blowing his brains out with

a revolver. Since the alleged lynching plot was exposed, and he, with other police, was imprisoned, he has shown a marked change, being extremely reticent and evidently suffering from intense nervousness.

He was subjected to a long examination by Judge Flores, and at the conclusion of the ordeal, on his return to the prison, it was noted that he showed great dejectionand anguish.

### EXPLOSION KILLS TWO.

A Farmer and His Son Meet Death While Threshing Wheat. A threshing machine engine expleded Thursday near Argusville,

North Dakota, twelve miles from Far-

go, in which Arthur Slingsby, one of

the most prominent farmers in the county, was instantly killed. Arthur Slingsby, Jr., son of the jured. Five other men were badly in-

#### MORE TELLOW FEVER NEWS.

Saturday and Sunday's Record In Three Plague-Stricken Cities. In one respect Saturday was a record breaker in the fever situation in New

Orleans. There were more new cases reported to the board of health than on any previous day and a number of new foci of infection were established.

The number of new cases reported reached twenty-three. The death list, however, was not heavy. Only two cases had proved fatal during the day. Several cases were reported to be in

critical condition. Fifteen cases were recorded on the books of the board of health Sunday,

but there were no deaths. Although there were six new cases n Mobile Saturday, the week closed without any material change in the situation in the Alabama city. The fever manifests itself in the infected district mostly in the houses where there have already been cases. It is a fact that not one person has yet died of the yellow fever who would not in ordinary cases have been carried off by malaria. The sick have recovered with remarkable rapidity, most of them having such light attacks that it has been with difficulty that the symptoms

of yellow have been recognized. The returns at the board of health office Sunday for the twenty-four hours ending at noon, showed five new cases and one death, with two patients

discharged. The Bilexi board of health reported Saturday as follows: "Total cases of yellow fever to date, 85; now under treatment, 46; new cases, 10; total Edwards was 28; total cases to date, deaths to date, 4."

The condition of affairs at Biloxi Sunday was changed very little. To new cases were reported, and the sick with few exceptions, were doing well There were two deaths at Edwards from yellow fever Saturday. Total cases for the day, 10; total to date,

140; deaths to date 6. Edwards' sick list Sunday showed a rapid growth. Twenty-three new cases and one death was the day's record. A few more strides and the fever will have stricken the entire Information has been received from

#### Stonewall, Miss., that the Morgan family at that place are down with a suspicious fever, pronounced dengue by the local physicians, but generally

GERMANY IS FOR SPAIN. Her Support Assured in Case of

believed to be genuine yellow fever.

With the United States. Advices from Berlin, Germany, state that the reported American ultimatum to Spain has been received with pronounced displeasure by the entire German press. The official denial from Washington is generally disbelieved, and the denunciation of jingoism, yankee insolence and the ridiculing of the Monroe doctrine have filled the newspapers. The conservative press, as usual, is the most violent in denouncing American aspirations.

The Staats Zeitung, a leading organ, says: "A coalition of all the European countries is absolutely necessary to repulse the schemes of American patriotism and jingo-

#### The same newspaper claims that Spain has been assured of Germany's support in event of the United States | as the face of the returns of the board

insolent."

taking hostile steps.

ALLEGED WHITECAPPERS FREE After Being Out Twenty-One Hours th Jury Acquitted Them. A Columbia, S. C., special says The jury on the case of the citizens of Fairfield and Kershaw counties.

charged with white-capping Mormon

elders, after being out twenty-one hours, sent for the judge and said that they could not agree. Judge Benet ordered them back in their room to "try again." It is said they stood eleven for acquittal and

one for conviction. In less than an hour they returned to court and reported a verdict of not guilty. The accused were charged with whipping Mormons, burning their church and persecuting them. The elders say they will continue their work.

tains an article from the pen of M. Pierre Paul Leroy-Beaulieu protesting against the proposal of the free coinage in the French mints, which, he declares, would "compromise the commerce,

Free Coinage Not Wanted.

The Journal des Debats (Paris) con-

### credit and political power of France."

RAILROAD SUPERINTENDENTS. Officers Elected By the American Society

At Meeting in Nashville. The American Society of Railroad Superintendents elected the following officers at their meeting in Nashville. Thursday: President, C. B. Price of Pittsburg,

Pa.; first vice president, Seely Dunn, Russellville, Ky.; second vice president, G. B. Brown, Coaning, N. Y .; secretary, C. A. Hammond, Asbury Park, N. J.; treasurer, R. M. Sully, Petersburg; Va.; executive committee, C. H. Ketchum, Syracuse, N. Y., and A. H. Smith, Youngstown, O. Various topics were discussed and the association adjourned until the next annual board issued the new orders.

#### meeting. ON BRINK OF DEATH.

Engineer Brings Train to a Stop Close to Burning Trestle. The Memphis and Charleston train due in Chattanooga Saturday morning was delayed eight hours, owing to the burning of a trestle over Porter's creek, near Middletown, Tenn.

The engineer discovered the blaze just in time to stop within a few feet of the burning trestle. Passengers had to be transferred to

Chattanooga.

IN CITIES OF NEW ORLEANS, BI-LOXI, EDWARDS AND MOBILE.

# NUMEROUS CASES; FEW DEATHS

read Disease Develops Slowly-Town of Edwards Needing Assistance In

Her Unneven Struggle. The Mississippi state board of health issued an official bulletin Friday night which states that the board is daily receiving requests from parties from the north who are now in Jackson for permission to return to their homes, and has decided not to allow them to do so for the present. After the board is certain that the fever is confined to Edwards and immediate vicinity, quarantine will probably be raised on railroads not connected with any

infected point. A special train left Vicksburg Friday evening for the vicinity of Edwards with four colored female nurses and such supplies as were needed. Efforts are being made to obtain white nurses. It is felt that the it on the ground are inadequate to the task of nursing so many sick. Total number of cases for Friday at

130; total deaths to date, 4; convaledcent, 44; now under treatment, 85. Cases under treatment having increased to eighty-five, the town is short of physicians, having but four. Their energies are sorely taxed. At New Orleans.

The yellow fever situation at New Orleans changed but little Friday, three deaths and ten new cases being reported. Of the new cases, that in the Wood family was developed where two cases

already existed. New cases are developing slowly and the death rate is maintaining its usual ratio to developed diseases. There is not, in the opinion of the experts, any cause for fear that there will be an epidemic, owing to the lateness of the season, but experienced physicians seem to feel that the disease will hang on in the city for some weeks longer. New Orleans, in the meanwhile, is very healthy, but apparently, until the fever is absolutely stamped

out, a widespread resumption of business is not expected. The board of health of the state of Louisiana officically announces the following status of affairs in New Orleans as regards the yellow fever: "During the twenty-four hours, ending Friday, September 24th, at 6 o'clock p. m., there were: Total cares of yellow fever, 10; total deaths, 4; total cases of yellow fever to date, 98; total

deaths from yellow fever to date, 15. One of the sensations of the day was the announcement that the board of health had decided to prosecute Dr. Monlusein for having failed to report a case of suspicious fever. ism, as both are becoming more and more Mobile's Record.

Friday was not the worst day of the

fever situation in Mobile, Ala., so far

of health showed. There were four deaths and three new cases for the According to the health bulletin there have been so far forty-one cases, six deaths, nineteen discharged and sixteen under treatment. With one or two exceptions the sick are doing

well. The new cases are in the infected district in the south central portion of the city. At Ocean Springs there are eleven old cases of fever under treatment and one new case reported Friday.

Scranton, Miss., reported three new cases Friday, with no deaths there or in East Pascagoula. The board of health of Biloxi reports the yellow fever cases to date 75, under treatment, 42; total deaths

#### to date, 4; new cases Friday, 15. TRACY WILL ENTER RACE.

Announces That He Will Try For the Mayoralty of Greater New York. Chairman Quigg of the Republican county committee of New York, received a telegram Friday from General Benjamin F. Tracy stating that he was willing to be the republican nominee

#### for mayor of Greater New York. NASHVILLE RAISES QUARANTINE.

Passengers from Many Points May Enter Without Certificates.

Friday the Tennessee state board of health raised the quarantine as to east and middle Tennessee and modified the quarantine as to west Tennessee Persons from infected points can visit middle and east Tennessee, but must remain ten days under control of the board before going into west Tennessee. West Tennessee is still subject to a modified quarantine. Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville

# and Memphis asked for modifications of the iron-clad quarantine and the

HUNDREDS OF MEN IDLE As a Result of Quarantine Against the Southern Pacific.

A special from Houston, Texas, says: In consequence of the tie-up of the Southern Pacific road from this point to New Orleans by quarantine about seven hundred men are out of employment. They include firemen, engineers,

trainmen, switchmen and shop employees, who have been laid off because there are no trains.