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CORNERSTONE LAYING.

Bishop Burke Officiated at Solemn Service Yesterday. With solemn pomp and reserved staidness of the church, the Right Rev. Bishop Maurice T. Burke, of the St. Joseph diocese, assisted by the pastors of the parish churches of St. Joseph, conducted the services at the laying of the corner stone of the new Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tenth and Angeline streets at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The different societies and church organizations assembled at the church at 2 o'clock. At 2:30 o'clock they formed a line and marched from the church to the residence of Bishop Burke and escorted him to the church. There were nearly 1,000 persons in the marching line. The assignment was as follows: Knights of Columbus, headed by the Modern Brotherhood band, Catholic Order of Foresters, SS, Peter and Paul's society, Stephen's society, Saint Cecilia society, St. Augustine society, St. Joseph's (Italian) society, Knights of Father Matthew, Divisions No. 1 and 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Catholic Knights of America, St. Joseph's society and St. Francis society.

TO OPEN WITH BANQUET. New Hotel Will Throw Open Its Doors Tomorrow Evening. With what is planned to be the biggest banquet St. Joseph has ever known, the new Hotel Robidoux will be formally opened to the public tomorrow night. The banquet will begin at 7 o'clock and reservations for places should be made before 12 noon tomorrow. About 200 reservations have already been made. The hotel management has arranged to accommodate, accompanied by his wife, will be assistant manager and chief clerk, W. E. Murray will be maître de hotel. He will have direct supervision over the service, the dining room, banquet room, etc.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Lyric. "The Great Milky War," this week's offering at the Lyric, as put on by the Beniflow Stock company, can safely be termed a metropolitan production, with special scenery and elegant stage settings to enhance the production, and set off the work of the actors. The two leading parts are ably taken care of by Fred Danon and Miss Minnie Remaley. Mr. Danon, as Gustave Valange, and Miss Remaley as Marguerite, have difficult roles, requiring great dramatic ability. That their work is proving acceptable is evident from the hearty ovations which greeted them on their entrance.

NO HOG FAMINE IS POSSIBLE. "There never will be scarcity of pork in this country," predicted Prof. Dietrich, who is in charge of some interesting hog breeding and feeding departments at the Illinois agricultural college, because the possibilities of expanding production are so great. When the system is worked out I am confident hog growing will become an attractive proposition where the squeal of swine is now scarcely heard. We have known so little about the hog in the past that the information about to be published will be a veritable surprise and it is fitting that Illinois, essentially a pork producing state, should be responsible for the era of enlightenment.

At the Crystal. "The Wonderful Veolotte," mysterious and incomprehensible, is the feature act of a good bill which opened for the week at the Crystal yesterday. This wonderful woman's uncanny power of reading other persons' thoughts compels admiration and belief in even the most skeptical mind. Nellie Revell, known throughout the length and breadth of the country for her clever line of talk, appears in a monologue which leaves her listeners gasping and wondering what she is going to say next. Banjo picking is said to have become a lost art since the days of the old plantation darkey and his southern melodias, but Stuart Hollins and Carmen Sisters have certainly found the right touch, judging from the burst of applause which greeted every selection they played yesterday. Dale and Correg do a clever line of comedy, including singing and dancing, and proved acceptable. Harry Beaumont, in his usual pleasing style, has a new illustrated song and the moving pictures of good quality complete the program.

BALLOON AND CREW HERE.

With Tournament Still a Week Away Seat Sales Amount to \$4,300. The Baldwin war balloon, which will be used in St. Joseph during the military tournament and the equipment for inflating it arrived in St. Joseph at 7 o'clock yesterday morning accompanied by the crew of eight men, who operate it. Lieutenant Benjamin Foubis is in charge. Flights will be made every day during the tournament providing favorable weather prevails.

Lieutenant Foubis arrived several hours after the sky boat and its crew, having stopped at Leavenworth to hold a conference with Major Russell, in charge of the officers' school, but formerly of the aeronautic division. The other members of the crew are Sergeant Edward Ward, Corporal Fred A. Tate and Privates Herbert Marcus, William E. McConnell, James Miller, Benjamin Schmidt, Vernon L. Borge and Cecil E. Colle.

The gas bag is 84 feet long with a maximum diameter of 18 feet and a minimum diameter of 16 feet and a gas capacity of 20,000 cubic feet. The frame is 96 feet long with a propeller 12 feet long on the forward end of the frame. A speed of 450 revolutions a minute is obtained by a gasoline engine of 20 horse power.

DEFEAT FOR CASINOS. Visiting Twirler Makes Casinoes But the Breese, Bebeau Helps Some. One Mr. Howard, who officiated on the slab for the Kansas City Athletics and had a penchant for making his opponents fan the air, with the aid of Bebeau, who zambled around second base and pulled off three errors, resulted in a defeat by a score of 7 to 3 for the Casinoes at the lake yesterday.

CAMP PEABODY READY. Advance Detail Has Grounds Arranged For Coming Army. There was little rest yesterday and much hard work for the soldiers of the advance detail who have been at Lake Umbagog for the past few days preparing the camp for the reception of the troops who will participate in the military tournament.

MANY HORSES BURNED. Five Dead as Result of Lively Stable Fire Last Night. Fire, resulting from the overheating of a bay in the livery and boarding barn of Frank Tullar, 307 South Fourth street, about 6 o'clock last night, resulted in the death of five horses and a loss of about \$2,000 to the building and contents. Two of the horses were suffocated in the barn and the other four had to be shot. About twenty others were scorched and some of them severely burned, but it is thought they will recover.

Notice to Contractors. Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received up to 7:30 p. m., Monday, September 21st, at the office of the Board of Directors of the school district of St. Joseph for the erection of an addition to the McKinley school located at the corner of Kansas avenue and Miami street, South St. Joseph, as ordered by the Board of Education, all in accordance with plans and specifications which may be seen at the office of architect Trunk & Helm, rooms 417 and 418 Higgins building.

A Special Forecast. Washington, Sept. 14.—The weather bureau late Sunday issued a special forecast as follows: The first well defined disturbance of the present season is approaching the north Pacific coast and a west Indian storm is advancing toward our southeastern coast. This combination should produce abundant rains in the drought stricken districts of the north central states before the close of the present week.

To Transfer Thaw. Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Sheriff Lane, of Westchester county, who is a delegate to the Republican state convention learned Sunday that Harry K. Thaw had been transferred from the Dutchess county jail to his custody. He telegraphed instructions to the warden of the White Plains jail to place Thaw in the hospital ward of the prison on his arrival there Monday.

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IMMENSE THROGS PRESENT

Pope's Legate Had Bodyguard of English Peers—Protestant Alliance Declares the Congress a Failure.

London, Sept. 14.—A great procession of Catholic clergy, which brought the Eucharistic congress to an end, was held Sunday afternoon amid scenes such as the English church men who planned it had never anticipated. Cardinal Vanutelli, the pope's legate walked at the head of the procession, wearing his scarlet robes and hat, but not carrying the Host. He was accompanied by a bodyguard of English peers of whom the Duke of Norfolk was the most prominent, and a concourse of cardinals, archbishops and bishops, who also were attired in unceremonial robes instead of vestments which originally it had been proposed they should wear.

No such throngs of people have been seen in London since Queen Victoria's funeral, if even then. The purpose of Archbishop Bourne, the head of the Westminster diocese, and his associates who arranged the programme, had been to have the Host carried through the street in the rear of the Westminster cathedral so that the great body of Catholics who were unable to participate in any of the services within the cathedral should have an opportunity of joining in the Eucharistic observances and of seeing all the high ecclesiastics present in London on this memorable occasion.

LEGAL NOTICE. Compulsory School Laws. The compulsory attendance school law passed by the legislature and approved April 11, 1905, contains the following provisions: Every child between 5 and 14 years old and between 14 and 16 when not regularly employed, must attend some day school at least half of the term each year.

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma has been sued by a Muskogee hotel keeper for an alleged board bill of \$1,122.25. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., recently celebrated his twenty-first birthday at Oyster Bay.

The Victor Manufacturing company's plant at Leavenworth, Kan., was partially destroyed by fire causing a loss of \$12,000.

At the Socialist congress which opened in Nuremberg Sunday, Herr Singer, the Socialist member of the reichstag was elected president. An official statement issued by the navy department shows that naval vessels now under construction number 20.

Nearly complete returns show that Senator Ankeny was defeated for re-nomination in Washington by 12,600 majority.

An attempt to assassinate Gov. Fort of New Jersey was thwarted by the vigilance of the postoffice authorities who intercepted an infernal machine addressed to the executive.

Four women and a man, employees of a Chicago adding machine company, were fatally injured by an explosion of illuminating gas in a wall safe in the company's plant.

The engine and nine cars of a Missouri Pacific freight train were wrecked near Atchison, Kan. The fireman was killed and the engineer seriously injured.

The British government has sent a diplomatic consul to Frederica, in Juland, whose special mission is to observe the maneuvers of German ships in Danish waters.

The letter which Muls Hafid has sent to the diplomatic corps at Tangier, in which he binds himself to recognize the engagements made by his brother, Abd-El-Aziz is regarded as satisfactory by the French officials.

The seventeenth annual convention of the United Brewery Workers of America, an organization numbering 40,000 members in all parts of the United States, assembled in New York Sunday.

A woman breaks a jailbreak. Olathe, Kan., Sept. 14.—Armed with only a short club and a pair of handcuffs the wife of Sheriff Speed went to her husband's assistance Saturday night when six prisoners attacked him at the door of the county jail and prevented the escape of four.

Curtain Rods. Brass Sash Rods, 5c; Brass Extension Poles, 10c; White Poles and trimmings, 10c. Curtain Stretchers. No. 7 Stretcher, 90c; No. 4 Stretcher, \$1.65; No. 1 Adjustable Pin, 2.00. Sofa Pillows. Filled With Silk Floss. 18x18 inches, 25c; 20x20 inches, 35c; 22x22 inches, 45c; 24x24 inches, 55c.

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Ruffled Swiss Curtains. Plain Ruffled Swiss, with 5 rows tucking, hem-stitched edge, regular 75c this week, pair, 60c; Figured Swiss, plain ruffle with taped hems, good quality, regular \$1.25, this week, pr. 90c; Figured Ruffled Swiss, 40 inches wide, 3 yards long, regular \$1.75, this week, pr. 1.25; Fleur de Lis Figured Swiss, extra fine, well made, regular \$2.50, this week, pr. 1.75. Ruffled Net Curtains. Ruffled Bobbinette, 7-inch ruffle, with lace edge, regular \$1.75, this week, pair, 1.25; Ruffled Bobbinet, neat lace edge and insertion, regular \$2.25, this week, pair, 1.75; Ruffled Bobbinet, extra heavy edge and insertion, regular \$5.00, this week, pair, \$3.50. Portiere Curtains. Tapestry Portiers, regular \$2, this week, pr. \$1.50; Tapestry Portiers, regular \$4, this week, pr. \$3.00; Tapestry Portiers, regular \$6, this week, pr. \$4.00; Rope Portiers, regular \$3, this week, pr. \$2.25; Rope Portiers, regular \$5, this week, pr. \$3.25; Rope Portiers, regular \$6.50, this week, pr. \$4.50.

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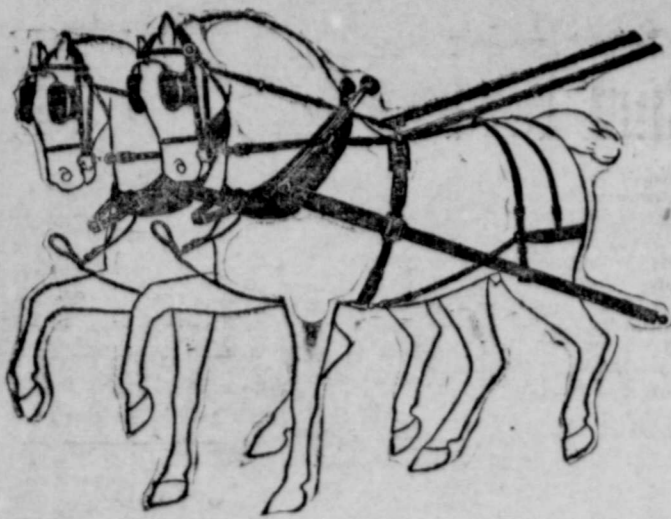
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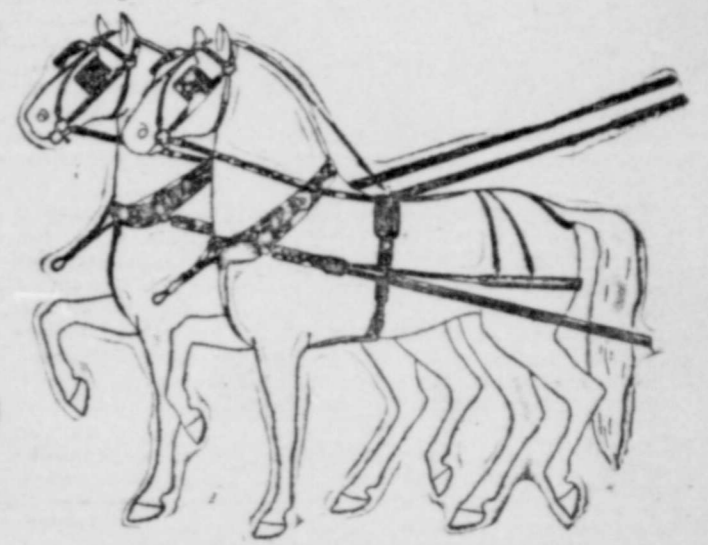


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LARGER INSTITUTE STAFF WANTED BY KANSAS COLLEGE

Kansas Farmer: Four years ago the Kansas State Agricultural College aided in holding fifty four farmers' institutes and there were but few permanent legal institute organizations. The regents believe that this is a most practical work and are each year asking for more funds for conducting these meetings. For the last year Kansas has had more farmers' institutes than several neighboring states with two or three times the appropriation and the farmers' institute department assisted in holding 176 institutes with a total attendance of over 41,000 farmers. Next year Superintendent Miller hopes to hold 250 institutes with the state appropriation of \$10,000 and to have the attendance reach 75,000.

To do all this work it is absolutely necessary to call in the aid of prominent farmers and others in the state, not connected with the college. The regents have allowed an assistant for the department and Mr. P. E. Crabtree, a practical farmer and stockman, has been employed to devote his whole time to this work. Mr. Crabtree assisted the department last winter for six weeks in western Kansas and pleased the farmers very much and his employment has brought many letters of approval from institute officers. He has lived on his own farm, raising pure-bred corn, Percheron horses, Poland-China hogs, and fine poultry. For several years he was editor of a stock paper in Denver and vice-president of the Colorado Poultry Association and was sent to Europe by that association to make certain poultry investigations. Mr. Crabtree owns two good Kansas farms and will bring to his new work excellent qualifications. His duties for the first year will be confined almost wholly to field work in western Kansas.

In addition to a dozen college men who will give from two to eight weeks of service to this cause as heretofore, Ten Eyck, Wheeler, Kinzer, Kendall, Headlee, McCormick, Willard, Dickens, Schoenleber, Mrs. Van Zile, Miss Dow, Miss Woodward, Miss Lindsay, and others including Superintendent Miller, the regents have approved the employment of outside men, men who have been successful in actual farming and stock raising. Superintendent Miller has secured the following well

known Kansas men, some for only one week, others for two, three, and even four weeks, with one or two who may be able to assist for six weeks. Mr. S. C. Hanna Howard, one of the most successful farmers and stockmen, who has probably the finest pastures in Kansas, to talk on "Farm Pastures;" Mr. J. G. Haney, Oswego, manager of the fine Deming Ranch, graduate of the Kansas agricultural college, who will talk on "Drainage of Farm Lands;" Mr. H. W. Van Leeuwen, Ottawa, one of the most successful dairymen and an expert cheesemaker, formerly instructor in the dairy department of the college; Mr. R. V. Hicks, editor of Poultry Culture, Topeka, and one of the leading poultry authorities in the United States, to talk on "Farm Poultry;" Mr. A. H. Leidigh of Reno county, a graduate of the college and for several years in charge of the Dry Land Experiment Station in Texas for the United States department of agriculture, to talk in western Kansas on "Dry-Land Farming;" Mr. E. D. King of Coffey county, one of the half dozen best hog and sheep men in Kansas. Mr. King, like the others, will make a great sacrifice to devote one or two weeks talking to farmers on "Care in Breeding Hogs" and "More Sheep for Kansas." Two other practical farmers are considering the matter of helping in the work and if their business will permit they will help a few weeks in January and February.

The regular fall "campaign" of county institutes will open October 19, and Sept. J. H. Miller, of the Farmers' Institute department, Manhattan, Kan., is arranging for two circuits for the four weeks beginning September 21. His new assistant, Mr. P. E. Crabtree, will conduct the eastern circuit including Leocompton, Lons Star, Endora, Ottawa, Waverly, and five or six meetings in Anderson, Miami, and Franklin counties and then two in Shawnee county with several open dates for points in eastern Kansas where meetings are desired. Another circuit for the same period will be offered to the farmers in central and southern Kansas along the lines of the Rock Island and Santa Fe roads. Requests for meetings should be made very quickly as all dates should be fixed by September 15 or earlier.

RAILROAD MEN COMING.

Invitations to High Rock Island Officials Are Extended.

All officials of the Rock Island system have been invited to visit St. Joseph during the military tournament and live stock show, which will be held beginning September 21. John J. Goodrich, passenger agent, and R. F. Atwood, commercial agent of the Rock Island, in St. Joseph, have sent invitations to all of the officials of the system and it is thought that many of them will attend.

M. A. Low, general attorney of the system at Topeka, has accepted the invitation and has promised to attend. Mr. Low is a stock fancier and attends stock shows in all parts of the country. Among the other prominent officials who are expected to attend are President B. L. Winchell, John Sebastian, passenger traffic manager, H. U. Mudge, second vice president, H. Gower, freight traffic manager, L. M. Allen, general passenger agent and assistants J. A. Stewart and W. J. Leahy of Kansas City.

In turning a horse out to pasture do not cut off the grain ration too abruptly. Reduce gradually.

DAKOTA FARMER GETS GOOD ALFALFA RESULTS

In a communication to the Dakota Farmer Frank Murphy of Minnehaha, S. D., says: "The forage question is the most important question that confronts the Dakota farmer. Only by the keeping of live stock can we maintain the fertility of our land that is now worth around \$75 per acre, and rents for \$3 per acre."

"As we have to feed eight months out of the year the question arises: How can we raise the most feed from the least acres at the least expense? Whom shall we look to to answer this most important question, the college professor who knows nothing but book farming, or the farmer who has his 100 acres stocked with 15 horses and colts, 27 head of cattle, 80 head of sheep and 45 hogs?"

"We find from several years' experience that sugarbeet seed sown broadcast on rich soil produces the greatest amount of fodder which is relished by all kinds of stock. But the expense of seed, which is quite high, and the expense of the annual plowing, harrowing and seeding, which is also heavy, induces us to cut the crease down and log to a more up-to-date forage plant, which we find in the alfalfa especially adapted to high rolling land, and timely and alike for the low moist places."

"Why do farmers not raise more alfalfa? Because they think they must follow the directions of the agricultural colleges, which requires a lot of red tape means the loss of a crop when land is rented for \$3 per acre, the expense of clipping weeds, the keeping off of the stock the first year, etc."

"We are raising the best alfalfa contrary to all these rules. A few years ago we seeded a piece of alfalfa and used barley as a nurse crop. We got a good crop of alfalfa and a good stand of alfalfa. We cut three crops of hay in 1906. On this meadow we fattened a bunch of sheep in the spring of 1907 that sold at \$5.50 at home, and after that cut two good crops of hay. We sowed a piece to alfalfa in the spring of 1908 and used flax as a nurse crop; we got 15 bushels of flax per acre and got a good stand of alfalfa. Being pressed for fall pasture, we turned a bunch of colts onto it for two weeks, and pastured it heavily with hogs in 1907 with no bad results."

The editor comments as follows: We are most pleased to get this interesting communication, as it contains many points of value to our readers.

When alfalfa first was introduced in the northwest, many strict rules were laid down, all of which were supposed to be essential to success with this most valuable forage plant. In our opinion, it is well that such was the case for it helped many to succeed that would have failed if no instructions had been given and followed. We have studied the alfalfa situation ever since there has been one here, have seen it grown in nearly all parts of the Dakotas and some other states and we are free to confess that the more we see of it, the less we believe in general rules. With us, the absolute essentials have narrowed themselves down to two. First, get good seed; second, get it onto the soil in as good shape as possible, but get it onto the soil. This frame of mind has been induced by seeing men succeed to a greater or less degree by ignoring all rules for raising alfalfa.

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TEXAS AS TOBACCO STATE.

Evidence That Plant Can Be Raised to Advantage in State.

Texas is about to add further to her products of the soil. Experiments recently conducted have given wonderfully encouraging results. A recent issue of the Fort Worth Live Stock Reporter gives a long article with illustrations of the result of an experiment by J. W. Witte in Tarrant county. The plant shown is four feet three inches high and weighed 5 1/2 pounds. Mr. Witte is not raising tobacco commercially, but only for his own use. The little patch that he has is doing so well that he may ex-

tend his field off, and plant enough for marketing some of it next year. It is known that the loose sandy loam of the eastern part of Tarrant county, in the country around Arlington, has been examined by experts in the employ of the department of agriculture, who pronounced it to be good for tobacco growing. A bulletin of the tobacco industry in Texas, by the state A. & M. college, makes the following comments on the quality of soil necessary for the making of that crop:

Perhaps the best division that can be made of soils, from the farmer's standpoint, is: Sandy soils, clay soils, and loam soils. These terms convey their own meaning and are well understood

WILL TALK TO AD MEN.

Arthur Sheldon of Chicago, founder of the Sheldon School of Scientific Salesmanship, will deliver an address before the St. Joseph Ad club and all others who care to attend at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium on next Thursday night, September 17.

As his subject Mr. Sheldon will speak on "The Advertisement and Its Application to the Science of Business Building," and it is desired that every salesman, manufacturer, department manager and all others interested in extending and increasing their business be present. Mr. Sheldon is one of the best known advertising men in the city and at the recent convention in Kansas City of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America his address was one of the most talked of features.

The address will take the place of the regular weekly luncheon, according to a decision of the program and entertainment committees, which met yesterday afternoon. The story published in an afternoon paper to the effect that the lecture would be delivered at the Commercial club is incorrect. No admission will be charged, the entire expense of Mr. Sheldon's services being borne by the Ad club.

THREE HUNDRED BILLION BEES.

Three hundred billion bees made enough honey last year to fill a train of cars long enough to reach from New York to Buffalo. At the low wholesale rate of ten cents a pound it is worth twenty-five million dollars.

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DELEGATES ALREADY ARRIVING IN WASHINGTON FOR TUBERCULOSIS CONGRESS.

ALL NATIONS REPRESENTED

In Addition to Foreigners Every State in the Union Will Have Many Delegates on Hand.

Washington, Sept. 14.—By the end of this week hundreds of delegates will have arrived to attend the sessions of the International congress on tuberculosis, which opens Monday, September 21. This fighting force of the world, as regards the white plague, will spend three weeks in this city.

All sessions of the congress will be held in the new National Museum building.

From every civilized country in the world the delegates, or "congressists," as they are technically termed, are coming. From every state in the Union enough congressists are coming to fill a volume with a list of their names. Even California, the farthest state, is sending 100 members, and Virginia will have 200.

The burden of the preliminary work falls upon the shoulders of Dr. John S. Fulton and Dr. Henry G. Beyer. The former is the secretary-general. Dr. Beyer is chairman of the exhibition committee. The task of presenting the thousands of exhibits from a thousand points in a scientific and interesting manner has been keeping him busy. There are many interesting models of buildings, photographs, instruments and every conceivable object used in combating tuberculosis.

The international congress on tuberculosis is really seven congresses rolled into one, for there are seven sections.

Special days have been set aside for various organizations and unorganized laymen who have asked that they be allowed to set into the working of the great gathering. The days are: September 24, municipal and government employees; September 26, women's clubs and kindred organizations; September 27, fraternal organizations; October 4, labor unions; October 6, social and charity workers; October 8, religious workers; October 10, school children and teachers.

The entire second floor of the museum will be used for exhibition purposes and the exhibit will be divided into three parts, foreign, United States government and state exhibits. The most complete of the foreign exhibits are those from Germany and Switzerland.

The exhibit of the United States government will be the largest. The Indian office, the census bureau, the war department and the navy department will all have exhibits, while the department of agriculture will have enough exhibits to form a section by itself. To show exactly what the ravages of consumption mean, an electrical flashlight will operate continuously showing a light for every death from consumption, that is, it will operate in accordance with figures which have been prepared on the subject.

Raided Negro Gambling Houses.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 14.—Acting under instructions from Prosecutor Goldenberg representing Gov. Fort, 25 detectives Sunday raided several negro gambling houses in the city, capturing 60 inmates. The raids were made over the head of Chief of Police Woodruff and the city authorities who knew nothing of the round-up until an order was sent to city hall for the police patrol.

To Try Negro Murderer.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 14.—The trial of Joseph James, a negro, charged with the murder of C. A. Ballard, begins Monday morning. James pleads self-defense, though admitting that he stabbed Ballard to death. The negro crept into the room of Ballard's daughter during the night of July 4. When the girl screamed her father grappled with James and was killed.

Religious Journalists to Meet.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 14.—Clergymen and editors of religious publications representing the Congregational, Baptist, Methodist, Unitarian and other denominations will unite in a two days gathering of religious journalism in America.

Northwestern Grain Moving.

St. Paul, Sept. 14.—According to the general freight agents of the Northern railroads which run through the wheat belt of the Northwest, the wheat crop movement has just started, and it is from two to three weeks earlier than last year.

Texas Negro Lynched.

Brookshire, Tex., Sept. 14.—Dave Newton, a negro, charged with being implicated in the murder of John Buchtrin, a white man, who was shot and killed at his home, near here, Saturday, was taken from jail Saturday night by a mob and hanged.

Yellow Fever in Yucatan.

Mexico City, Sept. 14.—Reports from the City of Merida, capital of Yucatan, declare that two authenticated cases of yellow fever are in the pest house there, and that four suspected cases are under observation.

EDISON ON AIR NAVIGATION

Balloons and Aeroplane Will Not Solve Question.

But Thinks Time is Near When We Can Sail Through Air Safely.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 14.—Thomas A. Edison, the inventor who is taking a vacation on the Pacific coast, says that neither the aeroplane nor the dirigible balloon will successfully solve the question of navigating the air.

"I am firmly convinced," said he, "that the time is near at hand when it will be possible to sail through the air as easily and safely as we now go by land or by water. I have little faith in the aeroplane or the balloon as a means of aerial navigation. The aeroplane of the Wright brothers depends too much on the personal equation. Place some other man in that aeroplane and it would not work. It depends upon the skillful handling of the machine by the inventor. The aeroplane and the dirigible balloon will be improved, I have no doubt, but I look to see the application of a principle different from either in the successful airship. The airship of the future will be lifted by a mechanism something like a spiral. It will have the ability to rise without first giving it forward momentum and it will not imitate closely the flight of birds.

"With the helical lifting appliance, proved propellers and device for maintaining balance in the air the future airship will fly into the teeth of the wind, will rise to heights where favorable currents may be found, or skim the surface of the earth. Yes, navigation of the air will surely come. It is simply a question of applying mechanical knowledge in a new way."

CHICAGO FRATS BARRED.

Students Belonging to Secret Societies Suspended.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—The fight which the fraternity boys and sorority girls of Chicago high schools are waging against the board of education is scheduled to reach the civil courts Monday. The situation is complicated, as the only pupils actually suspended are the 24 from the Hyde Park school and it was pointed out that an order restraining the board of education from suspending them for failure to give up their societies would be of no avail now that they are already out. Orders have been issued to the various superintendents to not admit students who refuse to sign anti-society pledges and if all the belligerents stand fast there will be nearly 200 students barred from the schools Monday morning.

Stabbed to Death in Sunday School.

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 14.—A special from Newton says that Miss Bullinger, 19 years old, was stabbed to death by Lon Rader, aged 21, Sunday morning while seated at the organ, playing the closing hymn at Sunday school. Rader leaped suddenly across several benches, and with his pocket knife stabbed her once in the back and twice in the breast. She died almost instantly. Rader is now in the Newton jail. Recently he was discharged from the insane asylum as cured. Rader said he had killed the girl because she was a witch.

Maine Votes Monday.

Portland, Me., Sept. 14.—With the Republicans confident and the Democrats hopeful, and with clearly defined issues of local rather than of national importance, the voters of Maine will cast their ballots Monday for governor, congressmen, state auditor, members of the legislature and county officials. In addition they will also be asked to accept two proposed amendments to the state constitution, both dealing with initiative and referendum.

Australia Wants a British Fleet.

Melbourne, Sept. 14.—The Australian premier, Alfred Deakin, is taking steps to induce the British government to dispatch a fleet to Australia as soon as that can be conveniently done. In his communication to the British government the premier urges that the fleet should be as large as that which represented the United States at this port.

Budapest Socialists Riot.

Budapest, Sept. 14.—The Socialists Sunday created serious disturbances during the eucharistic procession which was held in connection with the Catholic congress now sitting here. The police used swords to restore order and 50 of the rioters were arrested.

Forest Fires Smoldering.

Detroit, Sept. 14.—Clouds and an absence of wind gave the Muskegon range a day of quiet Sunday. The forest fire ceased to be a menace in every locality. No rain has fallen and the situation will be serious until moisture puts an end to the smoldering fires.

Alfonso to Visit Austria.

San Sebastian, Sept. 14.—It is officially announced that King Alfonso and Queen Victoria will shortly make a visit to Munich, Dresden and Budapest.

Moorish Diplomat Dead.

Tangier, Sept. 13.—Mohammed El Torres who was chief of the Moorish delegation at the Algeiras convention died Sunday. He was former minister of foreign affairs.

MAY BEAT HUGHES

NEW YORK REPUBLICAN CONVENTION LIKELY TO DEVELOP BETTER FIGHT.

OPPOSITION IS NOT UNITED

More Than Enough Votes to Defeat the Governor for Renomination if They can Agree on a Candidate.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 14.—An idea that the Republican state convention, which will assemble here at 3 p. m. Monday would be a cut-and-dried affair was dispelled by the development Sunday of a situation which may provoke a bitter fight and end in the nomination not of Gov. Hughes for governor, but of any one of the several men about whom the opposition has been trying to gather.

The name of Secretary of State Ellhu Root was on many tongues late Sunday. Mr. Root arrived at the United States hotel Sunday afternoon. He is to act as both temporary and permanent chairman of the convention.

Chairman Timothy L. Woodruff of the Republican state committee went to Mr. Root's room and was in conference with him for an hour. As they left the room together Mr. Root was told of the rumors connecting his name with the nomination as the choice of the anti-Hughes forces.

At first he declined to say a word on the subject. Pressed for an answer to the direct question, Mr. Root at last said:

"Well, you know I am a delegate to this convention from Oneida county. The people up there are all for Hughes."

The situation on the eve of the convention is apparently accurately stated in the following words of a county leader bitterly opposed to the renomination of Gov. Hughes:

"There are more than enough anti-Hughes votes in the convention, pledged or otherwise certain to prevent his nomination and they will prevent it if they can be united for any one else. The leaders opposed to the re-nomination of the governor are trying to agree on some other candidate. It is possible that they will succeed. The trouble is that they are intensely jealous of each other, each fearing that some other may in some way gain from the agreement they are seeking some special advantages over himself. Such advantage might be of a local character, or it might be very important; for instance, it might materially affect for better or worse some candidate for the United States senatorship which will have to be filled by the next legislature."

Beyond a doubt the anti-Hughes forces outnumber those in the governor's favor and all that is lacking appears to be a combination in support of some one else. After a day of almost continuous conferences among the "allies" as the anti-Hughes leaders have come to be called, there was a marked increase early Sunday night in their show of confidence.

On the other hand there is an evident lack of organization if not of political acumen and experience on the part of the Hughes wing. Joseph H. Choate and ex-Governor Black have been mentioned for governor.

Monday's session is expected to be brief, consisting of preliminary and permanent organization and the speech of Secretary Root. Adjournment will probably be taken until Tuesday.

Watkins Speaks in Churches.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 14.—Aaron S. Watkins of Ohio, the vice presidential candidate of the National Prohibition party delivered three speeches here Sunday. At St. Marks Methodist Episcopal church in the morning Mr. Watkins discussed the issues of the campaign, delivered an address at the Reformed Presbyterian church in the afternoon and at night spoke at the Baptist Tabernacle.

"Country Life" Committee Ready.

Washington, Sept. 14.—The commission on country life, which President Roosevelt appointed a month ago, is fully organized and will hold its first meeting probably within a week in this city. Prof. L. H. Bailey, head of the New York state college of agriculture, has accepted the president's appointment as chairman.

Died at Sea.

New York, Sept. 14.—The steamer Caledonia which arrived Sunday from Glasgow, had a death among the cabin passengers on the voyage over. On Sunday, September 6th, David James, aged 70 years, of Chicago, was found dead in bed. His death is attributed to heart failure. His body was buried at sea.

Veteran Iowa Editor Dead.

Charles City, Ia., Sept. 14.—Benjamin Franklin Wright, the veteran editor of the Daily Press died here Sunday at the age of 71 years. Mr. Wright came here 51 years ago, and was known as the "father of Prohibition in Iowa." He was prominent as a writer and orator.

Absconding Banker Caught.

New York, Sept. 14.—Detectives Sunday arrested Parquale Caponari, an Italian banker, who is alleged to have absconded from the city a year and a half ago with about \$100,000 belonging to depositors.

FAST ERIE TRAIN WRECKED

THIRTY-FOUR PERSONS INJURED NEAR MEADVILLE, PA.

Chicago to New York Express Runs into Open Switch—May be Work of Wreckers.

Meadville, Pa., Sept. 14.—Thirty-four persons were injured early Sunday in the wreck of Erie train No. 4, Chicago to New York express at Geneva, Pa., a small station eight miles west of here. The wreck, railroad officials believe, was due to enemies of the company opening a switch shortly before the passenger train arrived.

The injured were brought to this city and 23 of them were taken to Spencer hospital. Five of them after having their injuries dressed, were discharged, while 18 still remain at the hospital. Thirty-one of the injured were passengers, and three railroad employes. A majority of the former were Italian and Greek laborers. It is not believed any of the victims will die.

The train is due here at 12:50 a. m., but was about one hour late and was running over 50 miles an hour. Upon striking the open switch the entire train left the track, the locomotive turning over upon its side. Two of the cars, a combination smoker and baggage and a day coach were demolished. A majority of the injured were riding in the combination car, being foreign laborers traveling second class. The two tracks were torn up a distance of over 100 feet and the work of repairing them was not completed until after mid-night. The property loss is \$20,000.

There were but 27 passengers on the train. The injuries consist chiefly of fractured limbs and cuts and bruises.

Railroad officials believe the switch was opened for the purpose of wrecking the train by persons having a grievance against the company and not for the purpose of robbery.

HIS SENTIMENTS APPLAUDED.

British Labor Leader Talks to New York Workmen.

New York, Sept. 14.—Keir Hardie, one of the leading representatives of labor in the British parliament, was applauded during his address before the Central Federated Union Sunday afternoon, when he urged American workmen to go into politics.

"In England," he said, "we found we were equally neglected after the election whether we helped conservative or liberal with our votes and then we sent direct representatives into parliament with so many good results that I would like you if I tried to enumerate them."

A reference to the presidential candidacy of Eugene V. Debs, on the Socialist ticket also brought applause and Mr. Hardie told his hearers that they should find a way, as had been done in England, to unite labor and Socialism.

Mitchell and Gompers Testify.

Washington, Sept. 14.—John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers who with President Gompers and Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor, is charged with contempt of court in the injunction case against the officials for boycotting the Buck Stove & Range company, testified in his own defense Sunday before Albert Harper, examiner. Mr. Gompers also was on the stand several hours, much of his testimony being a reiteration of the points developed during the examination of Secretary Morrison Saturday.

Bitten by Mad Squirrel.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 14.—Fred Peterson, 45 years old, who was bitten by a mad squirrel that attacked several persons in down town streets last week, died Sunday of carbolic acid poisoning. Fearing hydrophobia he is supposed to have swallowed the acid with suicidal intent, as he remarked Saturday that he would rather kill himself than die of rabies. Others bitten by the squirrel are in Chicago, receiving treatment at the Pasteur institute.

New York Democrats.

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Little or no progress was made Sunday toward a crystallization of sentiment in favor of any one of the many candidates whose names have been mentioned for the gubernatorial nomination to be made by the Democratic state convention which meets here Tuesday at noon.

Barney Oldfield Won.

Cincinnati, Sept. 14.—Barney Oldfield was the victor over Walter Christie in the final Sunday of the \$2,500 sweepstakes in which Oldfield, Christie and Charlie Soules competed at the Latonia race track. No records were broken, Oldfield winning the last race of the match from Christie in 1:04 2/5.

The Arkansas Election.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 14.—At the general election in this state Monday, state, congressional and township officers will be selected and the question determined as to whether liquor license shall be continued to be issued in the present "wet" counties.

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