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ANNUAL CHAUTAUQUA



The Strollers.

The Strollers are all clean, many young fellows with a style and presence that immediately captures their audiences. They are "musical to their finger tips," and their

programs are all new with no tiresome waits. Their comedy encores with action are a feature of their programs, as are their vocal solos and stories in verse and song. But it is as a "Marimbaphone Band" and when rendering such selections as the "Poet and Peasant", "The American Patrol" or "The Light Cavalry" that the work of the company becomes sensational. The Marimbaphone in its present state is new to the world, and we feel sure will prove a strong feature to the programs of The Strollers. The Strollers will be with us for the first three days of our Chautauqua July 1, 2 and 3, closing with a Grand Sacred Concert on Sunday evening.

Thomas Brooks Fletcher.

Mr. Fletcher is one of the most brilliant lecturers on the American platform. He is filled to the brim with physical and mental energy. In thought, Mr. Fletcher is profound, keen and convincing. In delivery he is powerful, fascinating and dramatic. In personality he is cordial, refreshing and original. Mr. Fletcher will lecture on the afternoon of our opening day, Friday, July 1, on "The Martyrdom of Fools."



Edward M. Reno.

Mr. Reno stands to-day as one of the most finished magicians and entertainers. He has been all over the world, including India, Syria and Egypt, picking up secrets here and there and utilizing them in his entertainments. He enlivens everything he does by his running fire of comment and wit, and is delightfully original, marvelously clever and enthusiastically devoted to his art. Mr. Reno will give two entertainments, one on the evening of our opening day, Friday, July 1, and the other on Saturday evening, July 2.



Hon. Lawrence B. Stringer.

Senator Stringer has the distinction of being the youngest man ever nominated for Governor of Illinois. He was the youngest man ever holding a seat in the Illinois legislature, the youngest man ever elected to the State Senate and the youngest man to preside over the deliberations of an Illinois political convention. His first campaign speeches were made when he was a lad of eighteen and he has taken a prominent part as a speaker in every campaign since. As an orator, Senator Stringer is the peer of Bryan or LaFollette, and with all his remarkable talent is a model of simplicity and modesty. Senator Stringer will lecture on Sunday afternoon, July 3, on "Greater America" and on Monday, July 4, on "The Spirit of the Pioneer."



Ramos Spanish Orchestra.

The concerts given by the Ramos Spanish Orchestra are made up of classical and popular selections in sufficient variety to delight any audience. The playing of the Orchestra has been a revelation to the music world. Every instrument is controlled by a master hand, producing cloud-bursts of harmonious tones that make the blood tingle, quicken the pulse, stir the imagination and wield an irresistible influence on the emotions. Mr. Ramos, the director, has won distinction as a musician of the highest type. He has all of Creator's dash and spirit on the director's stand, with an abundance of fire and magnetism that is all his own. The Orchestra will also have with them a vocal soloist of great ability, which will lend a pleasing variety to their programs. The Ramos Orchestra will be with us for two days, July 4 and 5.

Adrian M. Newens.

On Tuesday evening, July 5, Mr. Newens will present "A Message from Mars." Mr. Newens depicts the characters of this great play, teeming with human conditions and problems, in a masterful manner, bringing out forcibly the great message it contains. His characters come and go with no apparent effort. The play "A Message from Mars", deals with the revolution of a selfish man, and it is difficult to state who deserves the greater praise: the author who conceived this unique comedy or the artist who interprets it. A reporter in one town described Mr. Newens and his work in a most apt way, as a "book in breeches".



Kellogg-Haines Singing Party.

A Kellogg-Haines Singing Party program is crisp, vivacious, different. There is nothing stereotyped in their repertoire. The party is composed of professional singers of exceptional merit, and it is doubtful if any other mixed quartet in America can approach them in that sinking of individuality and perfect blending of voices that realizes ideal quartet work. Much of their program is given in elegant and appropriate costumes. Some of these costume numbers are the best example of humor and wit that good musical literature has to offer. Other numbers are scenes from Grand Opera such as "Martha", and "Dolly Varden". Both types are given with equal good taste and artistry and commend the attention and approval of every good audience. The Kellogg-Haines Singing Party will be with us for two days, July 6 and 7.

Hon. E. W. Hoch, Ex-Governor of Kansas.

Gov. Hoch, with his "Message from Kansas," will be with us on Wednesday afternoon, July 6. Gov. Hoch is one of the few men in public office, who, by honest and faithful service to state and people, have been responsible for the vast improvement in civic sentiment and law during this decade. Few Governors have left behind such a record of worthy accomplishments, such as "The Standard Oil Battle", the enactment of Juvenile Court Law, The Prison Parole and Its Extension, The Anti-Pass Law, The Pure Food Law etc. Gov. Hoch is also a writer of strength and a forceful speaker with a charming personality.



DR. W. A. Colledge

Dr. Colledge needs no introduction to a Canton audience, and we feel sure our patrons will be glad to know that he will be on our program again this year. In Dr. Colledge, there is much to recommend. He has traveled widely, has done many important things, his associations have been high and his honors many. He is the author of Interpretive Studies of Scottish Authors, and "The Beginnings of The Modern Drama." He is a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, and was Head of the Department of English Language and Literature, Armour Institute, Chicago, until 1909. His lecture, "Second Fiddles," which he will deliver on Thursday evening, July 7, is a forceful presentation of the elements of success and is sparkling with rich humor.

Dr. Monroe Markley

Dr. Markley, a rare speaker, with an unflinching sense of humor, is gifted to an extraordinary degree with that intangible something called personal magnetism. He speaks with the authority of an expert, the judgment of long experience, the knowledge and sympathy of personal acquaintance and the critical acumen and graceful style of the scholar. Dr. Markley was for many years the pastor of one of the leading churches of Denver, Colo., and Judge Ben B. Lindsey, the world famous Juvenile Court Judge of Denver, has said of him: "No more powerful man than Dr. Markley ever occupied a pulpit in the west. Dr. Markley stands for ideals that he fearlessly maintains, regardless of consequence, with an eloquence that easily ranks with that of the very best pulpit or platform orators of this country. The subject of Dr. Markley's lecture on Friday afternoon, July 8, will be "Harpstrings and Heartstrings."



Dunbar Male Quartet and Bell Ringers.

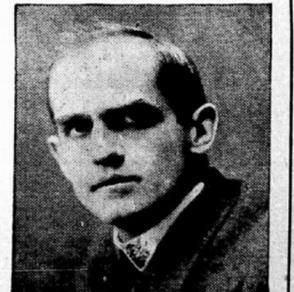
The history of The Dunbars is their strongest endorsement. They have given nearly two thousand concerts on tours carrying them more than three hundred thousand miles, far enough to encircle the globe twelve times, to every part of the union, Canada, Great Britain and the continent, and everywhere great audiences have been charmed with their programs. One hundred and twenty different Chautauqua Assemblies have heard them and approved, some returning them for the second, third and fourth consecutive year. Most of their music is in manuscript, not published, much of which is composed or arranged by members of the company. Their equipment is the finest money can buy, their present magnificent carillon of bells having been made under their personal supervision while abroad. Their programs in addition to their quartet work and bell ringing include 'cello solos, an instrumental trio and readings. The Dunbars will be with us for two days, July 8-9.

Lou J. Beauchamp.

Lou J. Beauchamp is a verbal cyclone, with a laugh and a cry in every minute. He is a great minister of the Gospel of Sunshine. He is doubly a philosopher. He has solved the problem of the happy life and also the more difficult equation of teaching it to others. His lecture, "Take the Sunny Side" which he will deliver on Saturday afternoon, July 9, has been given eleven times in one city, four times at one Chautauqua, three times in one course, and has been heard in practically every city from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Edward Amherst Ott.

Edward Amherst Ott, "the purposeful orator," will deliver his great lecture on Sunday afternoon, July 10. Some people would call this lecture a study of heredity. It is more than that. It is a study of the moral circumstances and social conditions that arise out of the great law of heredity. Mr. Ott has delivered this lecture more than 1200 times, and it is recognized by all competent critics as a masterpiece. Mr. Ott will close our Chautauqua on Sunday evening with his lecture, "The Haunted House," which some consider even a stronger and BETTER LECTURE THAN "SOUR GRAPES."



DON'T FORGET THE Canton CHAUTAUQUA July 1st to the 10 1910 MOVING Pictures July 3-4 Better Than Ever Coming!