WORK FOR THE LORD

Sabbath Scholars in Convention at St. Louis This Month.

DELEGATES FROM EVERYWHERE

What Is to Be Done and Who Will Do It—Account of the Movement's Progress.

Never perhaps have the Sunday schools of the country more amply prepared for any event than for the seventh international Sunday school convention of the United States, the dominion of Canada and Newfoundland which is to be held in St. Louis, Mo., on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 31 and September 1 and 2. The affair is preceded by an informal gathering of field workers on Wednesday, August 30. The close of the international Sunday school convention marks the opening in the same city of the second world's Sunday school convention which is fixed for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 4, 5 and 6.

The sessions of the conventions will be held in the great music hall of the St. Louis exposition building, and the throngs expected to attend will therefore be fully provided for in the matter of seating capacity, for this structure has a vast frontage on Olive street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth, and extends back some five hundred feet to St. Charles street. The opening of the annual exposition season will follow immediately upon the close of the Sunday school conventions.

For some weeks the various committees having charge of the different departments of this work have been hustling at St. Louis and every advance arrangement is now completed. William Randolph, of the reception committee; E. H. Kellar, hotel, and John H. Roth, finance, authorize the statement that delegates and visitors will have the advantage of special rates and accommodations during the conventions, but no responsibility is assumed in that connection. Music Committeeman L. F. Lindsay and Hall Committeeman Elmer E. Lacey have arranged for morning sessions daily at nine o'clock, afternoon sessions daily at two o'clock and evening sessions at eight o'clock. These do not include Saturday. A special session will be held on Sunday afternoon.

The number of delegates from each of the states and territories is equal to four times the representation in both houses of congress, or four delegates for each one hundred and fifty thousand of the population, with a corresponding number from the provinces and territories of Canada and Newfoundland. The number from foreign lands is not limited, but membership is restricted to such as bear credentials from national and international Sunday school organizations, where they exist, such as the Sunday School union of London, Eng., the Scottish Sunday School association, the Sunday School association of France, Belgium and Switzerland and other European Sunday school organizations, and the Sunday School association of Australia and the union of India. The delegates from all over the world, including this country, are not, however, to exceed 3,000. Mr. Edward Towers, of London, marshals the foreigners to our shores, and Rev. B. F. Jacobs, of Chicago, takes charge of America's representatives.

The most distinguished men in the world's Sabbath work participate in this gathering. Rev. John Hall, of New York, is on the lesson committee, of which the chairman is Rev. John H. Vincent, of Buffalo, and Dr. Warren Randolph, of Rhode Island. From Toronto, Can., come Hon. S. H. Blake, Q. C., and Dr. John Potts, while the British committee includes Rev. J. Monro Gibson, Rev. G. H. Kelly, Rev. S. Green, Prof. Cave, of Hackney colleges, and Charles Waters, all of London. Alaska sends Dr. Sheldon Jackson, of Alaska, and British Columbia has a representative on the executive committee, Rev. M. L. Rugg, of Victoria. Manitoba is voiced by Rev. Hugh Podley, of Winnepeg, and Nova Scotia by Charles H. Longard, of Halifax.

Our own country has a distinguished list of participants from every state. New York's delegates are headed by Dr. W. A. Duncan, of Syracuse. Pennsylvania sends J. R. Caldwell, of New Hamburg; Rev. O. W. Smith, of Denver, Col.; William H. Hall, of Connecticut; Timothy Nicholson, of Indiana; Hon. T. B. Sweet, of Topeka, Kan.; Rev. George R. Bird, of Nevada, and Rev. J. H. Babbit, of Vermont, are a few of the other well-known Sunday-school workers. John H. Chapman is on an important committee, while Rev. Charles A. Dickey and Dr. Meredith, of Brooklyn, are to speak. Moreover, all foreign missionaries visiting the United States, duly accredited by their appointing boards, will be eligible to seats in the convention, and Committeeman Randolph has arranged with Sunday-school workers in St. Louis that the latter shall extend hospitality to duly-accredited delegates, provided the names of such delegates and their addresses are reported by the entertainment committee in St. Louis on or before August 31.

The Proceedings.

The Field-Workers' conference on the 30th will form one of the most attractive features of the convention. It was organized at Chautauqua a year ago and will be an important factor in the coming proceedings at St. Louis. President W. J. Shoemaker will open the exercises by calling for a prayer by Rev. Samuel I. Lindsay, of Des Moines, Ia., after which there will be an address by the president, reviewing the work since organization and outlining a plan of action during the year to come. It is hoped that John Wanamaker may be able to attend, as his work in Bethany Sunday school, Philadelphia, has made him and it celebrated wherever Sabbath instruction is a factor.

August 31 will witness the opening of the international convention in the music hall of the exposition building at nine o'clock in the morning. Chairman of the executive committe, B. F. Jacobs, will preside, unless W. H. McClain, chairman of the St. Louis convention committee, should be delegated. The opening prayer will probably be delivered by a member of the executive committee, and other devotional exercises will follow. Should nothing happen to frustrate the plan Dr. Hall, of New York; Dr. A. E. Dunning, of Boston, and others will take prominent parts in these exercises. The deliberative proceedings will be opened by an address on Sunday school questions of the hour, but it is designed that all remarks shall be brief and the programme will be general and skeletonized, that there may be no dull conventionality. Healthy debate and discussion will be encouraged so far as possible and participation in every event by all delegates is particularly desired. Authorities on special subjects connected with the convention's work will, however, be requested to give the members the benefit of their experience. Thus the western country and results in it will be told about by M. W. Messenger, of Phoenix, A. T., while the other end of the country will be treated in the same fashion by Rev. B. P. Snow, of Yarmouth, Me. Most of the first day will be taken up with the appointment of committees on building funds, foreign missions, school libraries and the like. When the convention takes its recess at about noon these committees will have an opportunity to organize.

The Two Conventions.

Saturday, September 2, will be a festival day. The adjournment of the international convention will come in time for a general participation in the programme of recreation arranged under the supervision of Hobart Brinsmade, chairman of the annual festival committee, who was appointed a member of the general convention committee, so that the festival might be thoroughly harmonized with the two conventions. The latter are designed to "bear the relation to each other of volume one and volume two of the same treatise, of which the field worker's conference, to be held August 30, will be the appropriate preface." From all states, therefore, except Missouri, one set of delegates is to serve through both the international and the world's conventions. This is in accordance with the recommendations of the international committee. Missouri, being the entertainer, has taken the liberty of having two separate delegations, giving each half the time, or one convention to each delegation.

Hence the Saturday and Sunday preceding the opening of the world's convention will be practically an interval for recreation and prayer. It is here that the woman delegate will become conspicuous. The river excursion, visits to the parks and places of amusement and instruction and general details connected with such matters will be largely in their hands. Prominent among the ladies are: Mrs. J. Wallace Ford, of St. Louis; Miss A. L. Clark, of Nevada; Mrs. R. E. Hitch, of Cuba, and Miss Cora Pacey, of Missouri.

On Monday, September 4, the first world's Sunday school convention ever held in America will be opened. Superfluous to say, its work will be along recognized lines of Christian education, and, being but a continuation of what went before, a detailed account of it is unnecessary. The last convention was held in London, England, in July, 1889, and was attended by over four hundred delegates from the United States and Canada alone. The present meeting will be on a far grander scale than the London gathering and over two thousand delegates will attend. The subjects of international lessons, organizations in the church, Christian literature and home influence will be among those discussed. Representatives from Paris will speak in the interest of the McAll mission. Signor Charanti will, it is understood, represent Italy, with numerous colleagues. Egypt and Palestine, Japan, China and Asia will not be neglected. Rev. Frederick J. Masters, whose work as a missionary in the celestial kingdom has given him great prominence in that line, has been asked to give his experiences.

ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION BUILDING.

RAGGED RELICS.

A Strange Custom of Invalid Visitors to France's Holy Wells.

The custom of fastening rags, shreds and such worthless votive offerings to bushes which grow near holy wells, and springs which were noted for health-giving properties, though now obsolete, once flourished in England and Scotland. Near to Newcastle, in the suburb of Benwell, a well which was once famous for such gifts still exists. The practice is not unknown in Ireland. Indeed, says Antiquary, it survives in all countries where Roman Catholicism flourishes, which is not surprising when it is borne in mind that the Romish church had a special prayer for blessing clouts for the cure of diseases. At Wherre Effroy, in France, where the water of St. Godeleine's well is esteemed efficacious for agues, rheumatism, gout, and all affections of the limbs, a heterogeneous collection of crutches, bandages, rolls of rag, and other rejected adjuncts of medical treatment is to be seen hanging upon the surrounding shrubs. These are intended as thank offerings and testimonials of restoration. Other springs, famous for curing ophthalmia, abound in the same district; and here, too, bandages, shades, guards and rags innumerable are exhibited.

Whatever may be the cause for keeping up the practice, its origin was unquestionably veneration for the dead, or a desire to render homage to some supernatural power. Whether men tore their clothes, broke their weapons, or rendered their domestic utensils useless, the object was the same. Thus fragments of ancient pottery, the debris of an African grave or a Manipuri cairn, and the rag which flutters upon a bush, as well as the candle which gutters before an image of the Virgin, are all links in the chain which connects the dead past with the living present. In the good times of old, men yielded to the impulse to make some offering, how trifling so ever, to the superior powers, as a mark of respect, an act of petition, or an acknowledgment of benefits received. Travelers far from home, with little about them that could be spared, would bestow some portion of their clothing at sacred spots, as representative of the complete garment. Poor but pious pilgrims, who might have journeyed over half a continent, either as an act of penance, or in search of blessing, might regard even a rag or thread as an acknowledgment of the favor shown, or representative of the offering due to the well or tomb from whence they expected deliverance. So, partly from the necessities of the case, partly from changes of fashion, and most, perchance, from the disposition of us all to give little for much, rag-bushes, with the whole religious tribe of leaden images, sacred hearts, and wax candles, sprang into vogue. So that in religion, as in ordinary life, shams took the place of the real.

DEFIED HIS FUTURE QUEEN.

An Island Tailor Who Was No Respecter of Persons.

Here is a little story that is vouched for by a clergyman from England, at present the guest of a brother preacher residing in Chicago:

Princess Victoria, now queen of England, spent some of her youthful days in Anglesey, where she seemed to enjoy herself very much, and she occasionally wore the sugar-loaf hat and a riding habit, and went among the descendants of the old Druids. This was before she took a fancy to the brown heath, and the tartan plaid, and the pibroch of Caledonia. In the neighborhood of the new palace in Nona, where she and the duchess of Kent were staying, was an old tailor named John Jones, who was a local preacher with the Wesleyans.

One Saturday afternoon Princess Victoria had the misfortune, while riding, to tear her riding habit, and on her return to the palace the local tailor was sent for by the house steward. John Jones went and asked for "the lord chamberlain," but was told there was no such functionary at the palace. He, in consequence, returned home. Sunday morning another message came from the palace requesting his immediate attention. He sent in reply that he could not go, that he was to preach that morning at Traethcoch, and away he went. On the following morning another message came from the palace, and this time he obeyed the summons.

Appearing before the house steward, that functionary appeared much displeased with the old preacher, and asked him angrily why he had not come when sent for the day before.

"I was preaching at Gorsmen chapel, in the morning, sir," replied John Jones, "and at Traethcoch in the evening."

"Chapel, indeed!" said the officer, "preaching, indeed! Do you not know that her royal highness, Princess Victoria, had sent for you to do some work for her?"

"Yes, sir," replied John, "but I don't work on the Sabbath and never shall."

"What," said the officer, "you refuse to do a small job for the future queen of Great Britain?"

"Well," said John, "I am now but a poor tailor of Lionfair, but I also expect to be a king some day in the next world, and it is better for me to lose the favor of princesses of the world than to forfeit my crown in the world come."

The officer laughed and gave John the habit to mend. When the task was finished, the officer informed Jones that the princess and duchess were much pleased with the manner in which he had done the work, and especially with his conduct, and expressed themselves willing to assist him when necessary.

EXPLOITS OF A FAKIR.

Marvelous Jugglery in India—A Skin That Defied Red-Hot Iron.

E. P. Evans, in an article entitled "Modern Miracles" in Popular Science, gives accounts of several astonishing feats performed by Hindoo jugglers. Among them were the following:

"In a short time the fakir had sufficiently recovered from his trance to stand up, and, when the shetk pointed to the brazier, he thrust his hand into it, seized some of the live coals, blew them till they emitted sparks, bit off pieces of them as one would bite an apple, and eagerly ate them up. He then went to a large prickly cactus, which was standing on the platform, plucked a leaf armed with strong spines, bit off a piece and swallowed it. With equal avidity he crunched and consumed thin sheets of glass. Fragments of the cactus and the glass were handed to the spectators, who examined them and convinced themselves that they were really the substances they were represented to be. An attendant brought in a shovel, the iron part of which was red-hot, so that a bit of paper thrown upon it flashed at once into flame. The fakir took the wooden handle of the shovel with his right hand, placed his left hand on the glowing iron plate, which he also licked with apparent relish, and then stood upon it with his bare feet until it became black. This last exploit filled the air with a faint odor of burned horn.

"A sword, so sharp that it cut a piece of paper in two when drawn across the edge, was handed to the fakir, who thrust it with all his force against his throat, his breast and his sides. The sword was then held in a horizontal position about three feet from the ground with the edge upward by the servant, who took hold of the point, which was wrapped in several folds of cloth for the protection of his hand, and by another 'Aissaui, who held it by the hilt. The fakir placed his hands on the shoulders of the two men and leaping up barefoot on the edge of the sword stood there for some seconds. He then stripped and resting his naked abdomen on the edge of the sword balanced himself in the air without touching the floor with his feet, the shelk meanwhile pressing down upon the fakir's back with the whole weight of his body."

Politeness in Sweden.

When a train leaves a platform in Sweden, says an exchange, or a steamboat a pier, all the onlookers lift their hats to the departing passengers and bow to them, a compliment returned by the travelers. If you address the poorest person in the streets you must lift your hat. A gentleman passing a lady on the stairs of a hotel must do the same. To enter a shop or a bank with one's hat on is a terrible breach of good manners. If you enter or leave a coffee-room you must bow to all the occupants.

Weights and Measures for the Kitchen.

Four teaspoonfuls of liquid, one tablespoonful; three tablespoonfuls dry material, one tablespoonful; four tablespoonfuls liquid, one wine-glass, one half gill or one-quarter cupful; two gills, one cupful or half-pint; sixteen tablespoonfuls liquid, one cupful; four cupfuls of liquid, one quart; four cupfuls of flour, one pound or one quart; two cupfuls of solid butter, one pound.

His Personal Experience.

Hon. James W. Husted, while serving his sixth term as speaker of the assembly of the state of New York, writes:

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FOR SALE.

No. 327 North Prospect street, between Fountain and Lyon street, beautiful mansion, with front, elegant shade, lot 64x172, can be divided into two lots; will sell part or all. This is worth investigating.

A no-to-open farm, 5 miles east of city on main road. Well improved, good soil, good water, will take house and lot in city as part payment.

FOR RENT.

$25, good house on North Ionia, near Bridge street, 10 rooms.

$17, brown house, modern, 7 rooms, good barn, on Crescent avenue near Prospect.

$10, house and barn, the old Patten homestead on Patten addition on East Fulton street, near car line, nice shade, splendid water, good healthy place for children, fruit and good garden spot.

MUST BE SOLD.

On account of the death of owner a splendid strong, full million pounds, factory grill; capacity 125 barrels per 24 hours; in splendid condition; running probably now. Fuel wood per cord $1.50; city of 6,000, sixty miles from Detroit. Originally cost $5,000; will sell at great sacrifice; sure chance. HOSTLER, 110 Beard block, Detroit.

LEGAL.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 16, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of Chestnut street, from Grandville avenue to Oakland avenue, is now in my hands and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 5 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 16, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer in Ionia alley, from Bank street to Lyon street, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 5 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 16, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer in Fleet street, from Pine street to Fremont street, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon, for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 5 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 16, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer in Fulton street, from Lafayette to Waldron avenue, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon, for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 5 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of Grandon street, from Veto street to Butterworth avenue, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 23 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 25, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for constructing a sewer in Third street, from North Line street to Fremont street, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 25 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of Bostwick street, from Lyon street to Park street, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 23 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer in Kendall avenue from 100 feet north of Hume avenue to Bridge street is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 24 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of North Division street, from Monroe street to Lyon street, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon, for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 24 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the opening, widening and extension of Bellowell street (now Eighth avenue) from Jefferson avenue to Madison avenue, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 23 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for constructing a sewer in Culver avenue from Cobb avenue to a point 100 feet west of Plainfield avenue is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. aug 24 M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., July 31, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer in Bostwick street, from Lyon street to Fountain street is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer. aug 10

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer in Union street from 40 feet east of North Union street to Julia street, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer. aug 10

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer in Bostwick street, from Lyon street to Fountain street is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer. aug 13

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of the alley between Bengal and Third streets, from Fremont street to Lyon avenue, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer. aug 19

Treasurer's Notice.

City Treasurer's Office, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 4, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of the alley between Fountain street and Julia street from North Union street to Grand avenue, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall. M. H. SORRICK, City Treasurer. aug 19