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## THEIR CONFERENCE ENDED

Meeting of Attorneys General of Various States Finishes Its Work at St. Louis.

### RESOLVE TO MEMORIALIZE CONGRESS

A Committee Appointed to Draw up Papers on Question of Harmony Between Federal and State Governments Relative to Court Jurisdiction—Regulation of Public Utilities.

St. Louis, Oct. 1.—The National Conference of attorneys general held its final session Tuesday. The programme for the day comprised papers by Attorney General Wade H. Ellis, of Ohio; Attorney General Dana Malone of Massachusetts; and Attorney General W. S. Jackson of New York, followed by general discussion of the topics presented in the papers.

The convention opened Tuesday with a continuation of discussion on the paper read Monday by Attorney General Edward T. Young of Minnesota, on the topic "Conflict between the State and Federal Courts." The discussion was led by Attorney General A. M. Garber of Alabama, and was participated in generally.

The first set address of the day was the paper by Attorney General Dana Malone of Massachusetts, on the topic "Capitalization of Public Service Corporations."

In the absence of Attorney General Wm. S. Jackson of New York his paper on the subject "State Regulation of Public Utilities" was read by Attorney General W. H. Dickson of Colorado. The paper is part follows:

"At this particular time no economic subjects are of such vital concern to the people as the regulation and control of what are known as trusts and of what are commonly called public utilities and the question of the state regulation of public utilities is of peculiar interest at a time when the limitations and functions of state and federal government seems to be almost as vaguely comprehended and as widely misconstrued as in the beginning of our constitutional history.

"Yet in the evolution of public sentiment in relation to civic affairs the problem of the fundamental right of government to regulate and control its public utilities fortunately has passed beyond the stage of mere academic discussion.

"It is an encouraging evidence of an aroused public conscience and intelligence that in nearly all of the states efforts are being made to insure effective and intelligent regulation of public utilities, without regard to legal quibbles or absurd precedents.

"Many of the remedies proposed seem worse than the evils which they seek to overcome and this will be true in degree of any remedy that violates the principle of home rule.

"Whatever may be the ultimate solution of the public service corporations problem—whether it shall be private ownership with public regulation and control or within their respective limits, federal, state, municipal ownership of all utilities, which in their nature are essential monopolies—the obligation devolves upon the attorneys general of all the states vigorously and efficiently to enforce the laws now existing for the curtailment of corporate aggrandisement and the protection of public rights."

The concluding paper of the convention was read by Attorney General Wade H. Ellis of Ohio on the subject "The Standard Oil Trust."

Upon motion of Attorney General E. T. Young of Minnesota the attorneys general authorized a memorial to congress from the various states on the question of harmony between the federal and state government relative to the question of jurisdiction in the courts. A committee was appointed by the chairman, Attorney General Hadley of Missouri, to memorialize congress consisting of the following members: Attorneys General E. T. Young of Minnesota; Dana Malone of Massachusetts; A. M. Garber of Alabama; W. T. Thompson of Nebraska and H. S. Hadley of Missouri.

### Killed by a Farm Roller.

Great Bend, Kan., Oct. 1.—Moses Brack, the nine-year-old son of Phillip Brack, near Otis, was rolling a field of wheat and in some manner fell under the roller. It is believed that as he fell he called to the team to stop, as when he was found his head was under the roller. He evidently had died from suffocation, as the ground was soft. His head was not crushed. If the roller had passed over his body he probably would not have been injured severely.

### Elks and Eagles Raided.

Arkansas City, Kan., Oct. 1.—The Eagles' and Elks' clubrooms were raided under a district court search and seizure warrant Monday night by Sheriff Day. Nine members of the Elks and eight Eagles were arrested. A small quantity of liquor was found in each place and shipped to the county seat. The bonds were fixed at \$500 each.

### He Embezzled Trust Funds.

Kenton, O., Oct. 1.—Former Mayor T. B. Black pleaded guilty to forgery and embezzlement and was sentenced by Judge Bohroth to serve five years in the penitentiary. He was charged with embezzlement of \$50,000 trust funds of Columbus city.

## KANSAS STATE NEWS.

### Must Care for the Spaniard.

That the Spanish war is over, and a Spaniard in Kansas, who is in need is entitled to the same treatment as a native Kansan, is the burden of an opinion issued by the attorney general for the information of the county attorney of Ellis county. A Spanish laborer fell under a train in Tullon, Ellis county, and his foot was crushed. The Union Pacific physicians are giving him medical treatment and the county attorney wanted to know who should pay for his care, especially when he was convalescent. The attorney general said that the county should pay the expenses and see that the stranger was given good care, and that when he decided to move that the county should see that he was not in need, as the state was rich enough to help the destitute.

### A New Pipe Line Begun.

Eleven cars of gas pipe has been unloaded at the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway depot at Gas City and a gang of workmen will begin the construction of a new pipe line 20 miles long from the Kansas Portland Cement plant, northeast of Gas City, to a new gas field. This is supposed to be the beginning of the pipe line which is to be constructed to Cleveland, Ok. The cars of casing were billed from Youker, Ind. One hundred and thirty-nine more cars of this casing will be unloaded at Gas City before the shipment is completed.

### Suits Against Parker Grain Company.

Suits amounting to \$267,000 have been filed at McPherson against the H. Parker Grain company and individual members of the Parker family. The National Bank of Commerce of Kansas City filed suit for \$58,322.97, the Santa Fe Railway company for \$80,000 and the People's State bank of McPherson for \$14,000. The H. Parker Grain company is engaged in buying and selling grain and operates six elevators in that part of the state. It also has a connection in Kansas City under the name of the J. F. Parker Grain company.

### Fifty Counties Good.

Fifty counties in Kansas sent no prisoners to the state penitentiary during the past fiscal year, according to the report of expenses for the conveyance of prisoners to Lansing. The total cost per day for expenses, guards and board of prisoners was \$4,700. A total of 207 prisoners were sent to the penitentiary during the year. Wyandotte had the largest number, 20; Montgomery was next, with 15; Geary third, with 10. Riley sent but one.

### The Militia Praised.

The Kansas troops participated in the biggest problem they were ever engaged in during any maneuvers at Ft. Riley and the officers were enthusiastic over the work that was done by the troops and the officers as well as the enlisted men of the Kansas National Guard were everywhere complimented by the regulars for their work in the final attack upon the redoubt.

### Inspecting the Routes.

Congressman D. R. Anthony and V. M. Price, chief engineer of the office of public roads of the department of agriculture at Washington, passed through Topeka on a tour of inspection of the proposed routes for a military road connecting Fort Riley and Fort Leavenworth. A meeting was held by the Topeka commercial club in which indorsement was given the project.

### Reed and Bassett Bound Over.

John T. Reed and T. J. Bassett of Ravanna have been bound over to the district court of Finney county for trial for the alleged murder of William H. Browning.

### Stocking Streams with Bass.

By the direction of State Fish Commissioner Thavis, 6,000 big, mostly black, bass raised at Saddler's private hatchery in Butler county were put in the Walnut, West Branch and Fall river. They were fine specimens of that famous family of bass. Mr. Travis is now engaged in stocking the Kansas streams with black bass and catfish and in a few years, if the present work is kept up, Kansas streams will be filled with game fish. Mr. Travis will also put out a number of pairs of Hungarian partridges in the state this winter as an experiment. The Chinese pheasants put out last fall are multiplying rapidly.

### Knights of Honor Officers.

At a meeting of the grand lodge of the Knights of Honor for Kansas, held in Topeka, the following officers were elected: Grand dictator, William Dill, Leavenworth; grand reporter, S. B. Riggs, Emporia; grand treasurer, William Cunningham, Humboldt; vice dictator, Newman Waring, Ottawa; assistant dictator, Willis Edson, Topeka; grand trustees, George Marsh, R. D. Thomas and J. T. Black.

### Anti-Trust Law Attacked.

In the supreme court attorneys for the International Harvester company attacked the Kansas law providing that corporations must answer questions submitted when ordered by the supreme court. The attorneys contended that the information gained might incriminate the company and that no witness could be forced to give incriminating evidence against himself. The questions had been filed by the attorney general in connection with the ouster suit pending against the company.

### THAT INCUBATOR BABY CASE.

Grandmother of Infant Files Suits Against Kidnapers For \$20,000 Damages.

Sedan, Kan., Oct. 1.—Suits were filed in the district court here Monday by Mrs. Ora Thompson, grandmother of the incubator baby, for \$10,000 damages against each of the three persons accused of trying to kidnap the child recently. They are Mrs. Stella Barclay, who claimed the child and sued the mother for it; Thomas McAnany, a detective, and Eugene Mayes, a wealthy cattle man of this place. Mrs. Thompson asserts that she was beaten and badly injured by the three in defending the child from them.

At the same time Mrs. Thompson was filing her suit here Mrs. Barclay and McAnany were found guilty in Elgin, near here, of disturbing the peace. They were fined \$50 each. The charge also grew out of the alleged attempted kidnaping of the child. Several weeks ago McAnany was prosecuted on the kidnaping charge, but the case was dropped. After he had been fined the county attorney, J. W. Merts, revived the kidnaping charge and McAnany will be tried.

The baby and its mother are not here. They disappeared after the kidnaping attempt and it is not known where they went. It is believed, however, that they are in the Indian territory.

### A REMARKABLE BALL GAME.

Only Darkness Put An End to the Play—40,000 Persons Saw the Contest.

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—In one of the greatest baseball games ever seen in this city, Detroit and Philadelphia, who are making a sensational fight for the American league championship, Monday played each other to a standstill. The game went 17 innings and was called by the umpires because it was too dark to play any longer. Both teams were worked up to a high pitch and going strong, and neither side wanted to quit, although the street lamps surrounding the grounds had already been lighted.

It was a remarkable contest in many ways and the crowd that saw it was probably the largest that ever gathered in a ball grounds in this city. It is estimated that fully 40,000 persons were packed in and outside the grounds. The gates to the grandstand were closed before 1 o'clock and the crowd became so great that the police for a time lost control and hundreds gained admittance over the fence. The roofs of surrounding houses were crowded to the danger point, the thrifty householders charging from 25 cents to a dollar for standing room on their roofs.

### Receiver for New York Street Railway.

New York, Oct. 1.—The Metropolitan Street Railway company was placed in the hands of a receiver Tuesday upon petition of its own attorneys that it be made a party defendant to the receivership recently ordered against the New York City Railway company. The latter is lessee of the lines of the Metropolitan Railway company under a guarantee of the lessee to pay seven per cent dividends on the Metropolitan's stock. The Metropolitan did not earn this dividend and the New York City Railway company lost in excess of \$6,500,000 through the lease.

### The Moran Murder Case.

Moran, Kan., Oct. 1.—Dr. D. W. Reid, coroner, Dr. James Reid and Dr. S. A. Coffman finished the second autopsy upon the parts of the body of Miss Fay Sapp at Iola Monday without learning anything that sheds any light on the mystery of the girl's death. Miss Sapp was found dead in the back yard of her home here last Friday night with her throat cut. The coroner said that there was nothing wrong with the young woman's condition. This will obviate the necessity of a further examination of the body.

### For a Negro Colony.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 1.—Governor B. B. Comer has sold his plantations in Barbour and Bullock counties, consisting of 18,000 acres to Internal Revenue Collector O. F. Thompson of the Alabama district for \$162,000, who, it is understood, is acting for Booker T. Washington. It is said to be Washington's intention to establish colonies of negroes on the land, nearly all of which is under a high state of cultivation.

### Cholera Epidemic in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 1.—The epidemic of cholera which broke out early in August is spreading rapidly, and already 12 provinces are affected. The disease is reported mostly along the Volga. The deaths already reach into the thousands and it has been found impossible to check the scourge. Every day it is appearing in new provinces.

### Moffett Before Grand Jury.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—James A. Moffet, president of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, went before the federal grand jury Tuesday to explain his public statement that other concerns besides the Standard Oil company had been guilty of rebating with the railroads at Whiting, Ind.

### China a Constitutional Monarchy.

London, Oct. 1.—A special dispatch from Peking says the dowager empress has issued a decree declaring the government of China to be a constitutional monarchy.

## Frisco Time Table.

NORTH BOUND.	
No. 118 for Kansas City departs at	12:11 am
No. 110 for Kansas City via Cherokee departs at	2:35 am
No. 116 for Kansas City via Pittsburg departs at	9:55 am
No. 120 for Kansas City via Pittsburg departs at	3:55 pm
No. 324 for Kansas City via Joplin departs at	9:05 am
SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 109 for Oklahoma City via Afton departs at	1:05 am
No. 125 for Oklahoma City via Afton departs at	7:20 am
No. 147 for Oklahoma City via Afton departs at	9:45 am
No. 115 for Oklahoma City via Afton departs at	5:15 pm
EAST BOUND.	
No. 316 for Joplin departs at	5:55 am
No. 149 for St. Louis via Joplin departs at	3:00 am
No. 324 for Kansas City via Joplin and Pittsburg departs at	9:05 am
No. 310 for Joplin departs at	9:45 am
No. 320 for Joplin from Kansas City departs at	4:50 pm
No. 318 for Joplin from points south departs at	6:40 pm
No. 308 for Joplin and St. Louis from Wichita departs at	7:40 pm
WEST BOUND.	
No. 301 from St. Louis to Wichita and west departs at	12:01 am
No. 180 from St. Louis to Wichita and west departs at	8:40 am

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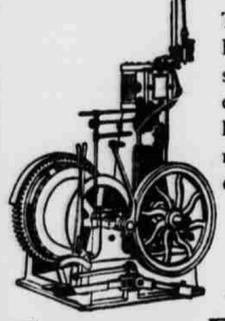
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