

POLICE CARNIVAL TO BREAK RECORDS

Bigger and Better Than Ever, Says Committee Arranging Athletic Events

EXPECT TO GET LARGE FUND

"Bigger, better and more splendid than ever, an advertisement show, bubbling with athletic patrolmen engaging in games of skill and drills."

That, or something like it, is what the annual police carnival at Shibe Park on October 9 will be, according to those arranging the contests.

The proceeds of the games, which go to the Police Pension Fund, are counted on to be unusually large this year. The committee has worked with this object in view because of the big deficit existing in the fund.

Should the financial returns fall below \$50,000 nothing can save the fund except a special appropriation from City Council, which would be another burden for the taxpayers.

It is therefore the desire of the police officials that the public realize the dangerous position of the fund and respond to the call without any special invitation.

Two of the track events which promise to be hard fought are the 440-yard dash and the 880-yard run. In the quarter-mile race, the three chief contenders will be Denning, of the Reserves; Fonce, of the Twenty-ninth district; Joseph Schwab of the Seventh district; and Sergeant Freeman of the Forty-first district.

The half mile will again be a tussle between Koser, of the Reserves, Halgh, of the Twenty-seventh district, and Lender, of the Third district.

Koser won the event last year and the other two men finished in the order named. B. Frank Rodman, the athletic instructor of the Police Bureau, said yesterday that the class of men competing this year is better than ever and that record time is bound to be made by the speedboys.

Tickets for the games can be purchased at the main office of the PUBLIC LEDGER, other newspaper offices, Room 225 City Hall or at any district station.

Money orders for tickets may be sent to Captain George S. Tempest, secretary and treasurer of the pension fund. Single tickets are \$1 and box seats are \$5 each.

HOSPITAL AIDS HURT KITTEN

Mount Sinai Accident Ward Grants Plea of Little Boy

The Mount Sinai Hospital at Fifth and Reed streets has set a precedent for all similar institutions by doing away with the rule that only human beings in suffering shall be given treatment there.

Morris Ruf, twelve years old, of 618 Dickinson street, walked into the accident ward of the hospital yesterday crying, and tenderly carrying a kitten in his blouse. Between sobs he informed Doctor Ortzmann, who was in charge, that "kitty was run over by an automobile, and she's hurt, and she's crying, and I want her fixed up."

BIBLE CONVENTION TO OPEN

W. H. Foster Will Preside—Gregory Mantle a Speaker

W. H. Foster will preside at the opening session of the annual Bible and Missionary convention of the Christian and Missionary Alliance this evening in Hebron Tabernacle, Twentieth street above Spring Garden. The Rev. J. Gregory Mantle, formerly of London, will deliver the address. The opening session will be devoted largely to young people's work, and the names of five missionaries who are about to leave for the foreign field will be announced.

Doctor Mantle will preach tomorrow afternoon and on Sunday evening. The Rev. Paul Rader will conduct a great mass-meeting next Wednesday at noon in Arch Street Methodist Episcopal Church. He will preach on Thursday afternoon and evening in the Spring Garden Street Methodist Episcopal Church.

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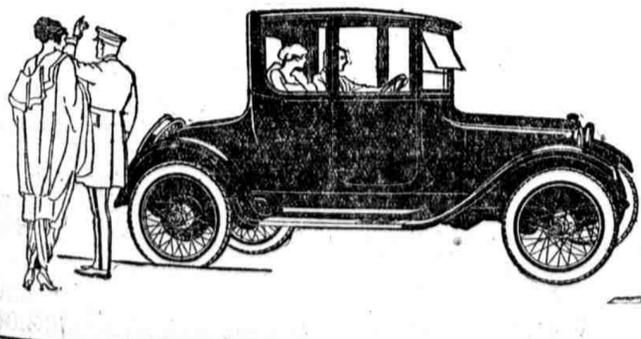
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