

ROSEBERY USES PEN

Manifesto on the Divisions Among Liberals.

GREAT BRITAIN FACES A CRISIS

"I Contend That This Is an Impossible Attitude and Spells Impotence."

London, July 17.—Lord Rosebery has issued a manifesto on the divisions in the liberal party. It is contained in a letter to the City Liberal club, which had invited him to deliver an address.

He disclaims any desire to re-enter politics, but speaks out "under the remarkable charter" agreed upon by liberal members of the house of commons of "hearty and undisputed allegiance to the leader and complete liberty of action to dissent with regard to one vital question before the country."

"The liberal party can become a power, he continues, only when it shall have made up its mind on the imperial questions, "which are at this moment embodied in the war."

After a short mention of the "emphatic rally to the war," he discusses the liberal party. "What is the liberal party?" he asks. "Neutrality and an open mind? Now I contend that this is an impossible attitude and spells impotence. No party can exist on such conditions."

He declares that the difference would not cease to operate when the war is over, because "statesmen who disassociate themselves from a nation in a great national question, such as the war in which we all strive to suffer together, disassociate themselves for much longer than they think."

He considers that the severance is a "sincere, fundamental and incurable antagonism of principle with regard to the empire at large and our consequent policy." As there is this "honest and irreconcilable difference of opinion on questions of the first importance," he can see no favorable issue.

Lord Rosebery concludes with a gloomy touch. "It is a matter of sorrow and anxiety," he says, "to see a weak government faced by a weaker opposition at a juncture of foreign hostility and international competition which needs all the vigilance, power and ability at our command."

He believes that Great Britain is at a crisis which may have unlimited effects upon its future.

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BOERS INVADE OKLAHOMA

DESPAIR OF LIBERTY AT HOME

Hundreds of Them Register for Homesteads in Uncle Sam's Dominions.

New York Sun Special Service

Guthrie, O. T., July 17.—Three hundred and fifty Boers, despairing of retaining freedom in their native land, trekked into Lawton, O. T., yesterday and registered for homesteads in the new country being opened for settlement. They arrived at New Orleans three weeks ago and declared their intention of becoming citizens. Those who don't secure homes by drawing will buy out of other settlers and a Transvaal in Oklahoma will be the result. Their head is Captain Joubert, a nephew of the famous fighting Piet. He speaks English fluently. Relative to their intentions he said:

We came on an early transport that had made its last trip to South Africa with mules. Its captain was under no further obligation to the British, and we easily made a deal with him. Only a few women came with us. The rest will come as soon as we locate. We believe our native country will be unable to wrest freedom from England. If we succeed in securing good lands, thousands of others who followed the fortunes of President Kruger will also locate here. We have received the kindest of treatment, and know we will love our new land.

SALMON COMBINE

Names of the Men Who Are Backing the Organizer.

Portland, Ore., July 17.—R. Onfray and the men who are associated with him in the Pacific coast salmon combine will leave New York for Portland on July 20. They will immediately close up the deal with the Puget Sound and Alaska plants, which have voted to go into the trust. New York lawyers are passing on the titles of the Puget Sound plant. A local trust company will report on the titles of the Alaska properties. Ever since Onfray undertook to form the trust there has been much speculation as to who were his financial backers. It is learned from excellent authority that the main men are Charles S. Flint, the head of the rubber trust, and Richard DeLafayette, J. P. Morgan and Seligman Bros., the New York bankers. Onfray's plan as now understood is to divide the fishing regions into districts, each to have a manager or managing director.

New York, July 17.—The salmon combination which has been food for rumor and counter rumor for several weeks, is now an assured fact, and to-day it will be incorporated under the laws of New Jersey. It will be called the Pacific Packing and Navigation company, and its capital stock is \$22,000,000, half of which will remain in the treasury for the purchase of additional plants and the erection of new ones.

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SHARK AND SOLDIER

Bad State of Affairs at Fort Sheridan.

MONEY AND WATCHES ARE GONE

Some of the Distressing Results of Pay Day Postponed and Canteen Abolished.

Special to The Journal.

Chicago, July 17.—When Secretary of War Root reaches Fort Sheridan next Saturday he will find that poverty and the pawnbrokers have struck the post.

Loose change and watches are scarce among the soldiers of the Twenty-ninth Infantry. A week and a half ago was pay day, but the government held up the money and now what little cash the soldiers left the men at the close of the celebration that followed the paymaster's June visit has disappeared. The saloonkeepers have refused credit and the men have taken to pawning. The loan shark, too, is after the soldiers.

Silver watches are bringing an even dollar in the saloons when placed in pawn, and a half dollar more when sold. Gold watches are valued at twice that sum, and there hardly is a saloonkeeper in Highwood who has not a quantity large enough to stock a store. Superfluous clothing has changed hands, and the men have gone so far as to sell their blankets and government goods, which the law prohibits, thus inviting court martial and punishment for theft.

"The trouble is that we cannot get beer and tobacco at the canteen," said Private White of Company D. "This makes us go to the saloons, and we have parted with all our cash. We dare not complain, for that would be mutiny; yet if pay day does not come soon there will hardly be a dollar left in the camp. The loan sharks are bombarding us with letters, and many of them have come out here and offered terms that some of them found impossible to refuse."

"It is hard on the men," said Colonel Van Horne, "but I think they will be paid next Tuesday or Wednesday. It must be done early in the week, and many of the boys will get a fair wage this month. In this way the suspension of the canteen is still causing us trouble, but I think, from all appearances, that the day has about gone by when a lot of cackling women can step in and cause such trouble. Of course, the men are suffering, but we cannot help it."

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BURN A MEXICAN'S BODY

AMERICAN TRAIN MEN IN TROUBLE

Tried to Conceal the Death of a Man Whom They Had Killed Accidentally.

El Paso, Texas, July 17.—An American train crew on the Mexican Central railroad has just reached this city, having fled from the republic to the north, in consequence of accidentally running over and killing a Mexican and throwing his body in the firebox of the locomotive, in hopes of concealing his death.

The accident happened below Torren, Mexico. A freight in an isolated spot ran over a peon, killing the man instantly. In Mexico, the death of a subject by a train is as much a crime as murder. Knowing this, the crew, to conceal the accident, threw the body in the firebox. A few days later the relatives of the dead man began to make inquiry as to his whereabouts. Some one had seen him at a certain point and one Mexican from a distance saw the train stop. The members of the crew were questioned, and fearing the truth would come out they resigned their positions and fled to the United States.

QUEEN PROSTRATED

Heat Compels Judge and Lawyers to Go Wiggins.

London, July 17.—It is unofficially reported that Queen Alexandra was prostrated by the heat and consequently arrangements for her visit to London were upset. The extreme weather affects even the dignity of the judges of the high court, who have been obliged to remove their ponderous wigs. Their example was followed by barristers, and for the first time the absence of wigs during court proceedings has shocked the more conservative visitors, while it has added greatly to the comfort of bench and bar.

FREE SILVER DEAD

This Sad Admission Is Made by Mr. Towne.

New York, July 17.—Charles A. Towne of Minnesota, thus sums up the situation in the former free silver states west of the Mississippi:

The free silver issue is absolutely dead in my mind. I do not believe it will be mentioned in the democratic platform or campaign of 1904. The feeling among democrats in the west is that they want to win, and they do not care a rap what kind of platform they have as long as it brings victory.

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Boys' 50c All Wool Knee Pants..... 29c
Boys' 50c Mexican Straw Hats..... 19c

PRESIDENT UNEASY Will Return to Washington and Re-tackle the Chinese Question.

New York Sun Special Service. Washington, July 17.—President McKinley is expected to return to Washington in a week or ten days to clear up business that has accumulated during his absence and to advise with the members of his cabinet about matters of policy in connection with the Chinese and Philippine situation. The hitch over the Chinese indemnity has worried the president somewhat, and he wants to consult with Secretary Hay about the general policy. Commissioner Rockhill will be directed to pursue in case any new complications arise.

Get Out of the Hot Weather Quick.

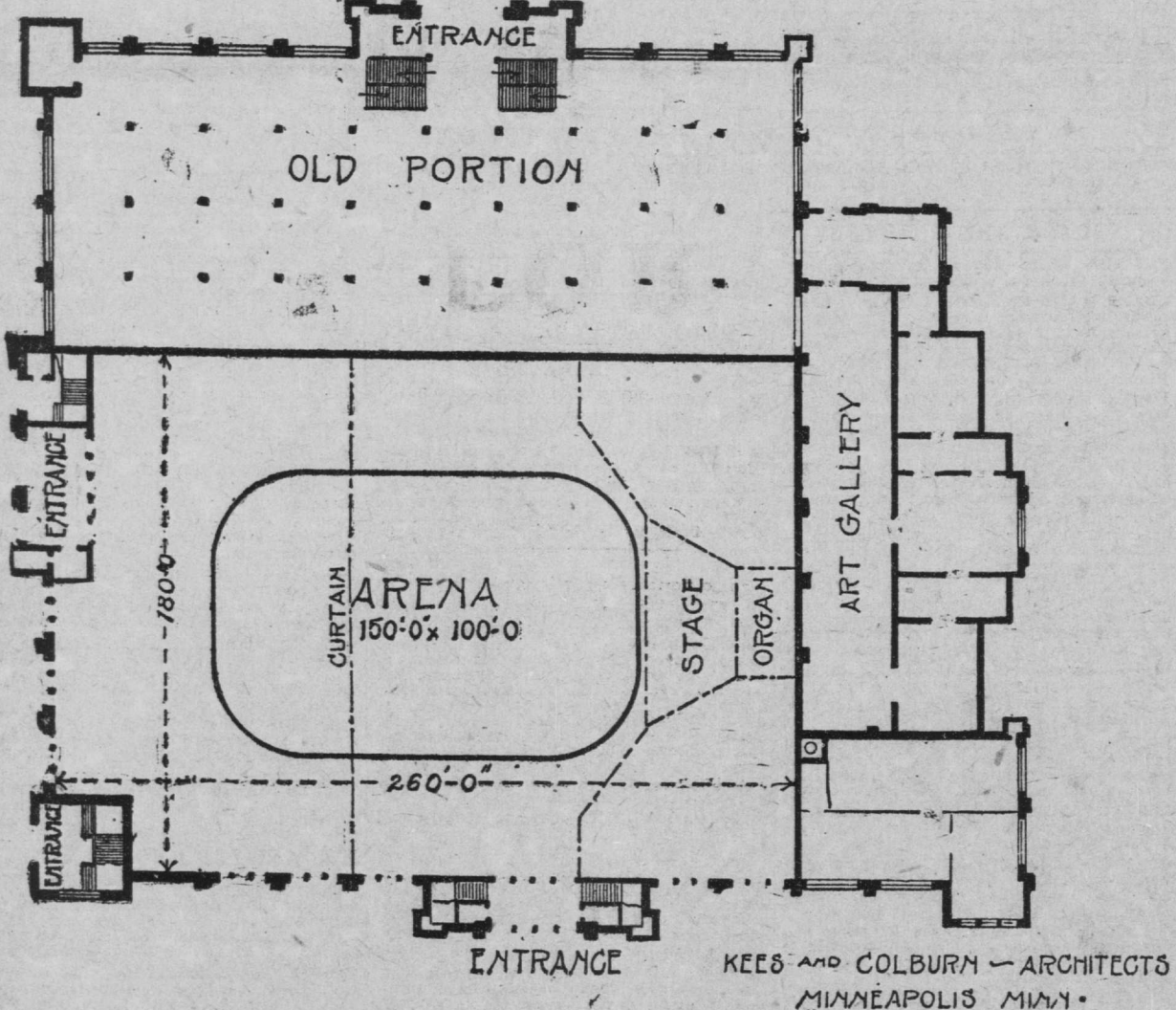
The quickest and best way to do that is to take the Northern Pacific railway's "Duluth Short Line" to Duluth and take a trip on one of the Great Lake steamers. All meals and berths are included in the ticket, and you can get as short trip or a long one as you desire.

BRYAN IN BAY STATE Democrats Consider Him Neither Supreme Leader nor Mascot.

New York Sun Special Service. Boston, July 17.—Free silver is likely to be knocked out of the platform of the Massachusetts democracy this year, for while the Massachusetts democrats allow that Mr. Bryan has every right to discuss principles and paramount issues, they do not longer recognize him as either a supreme leader or a mascot.

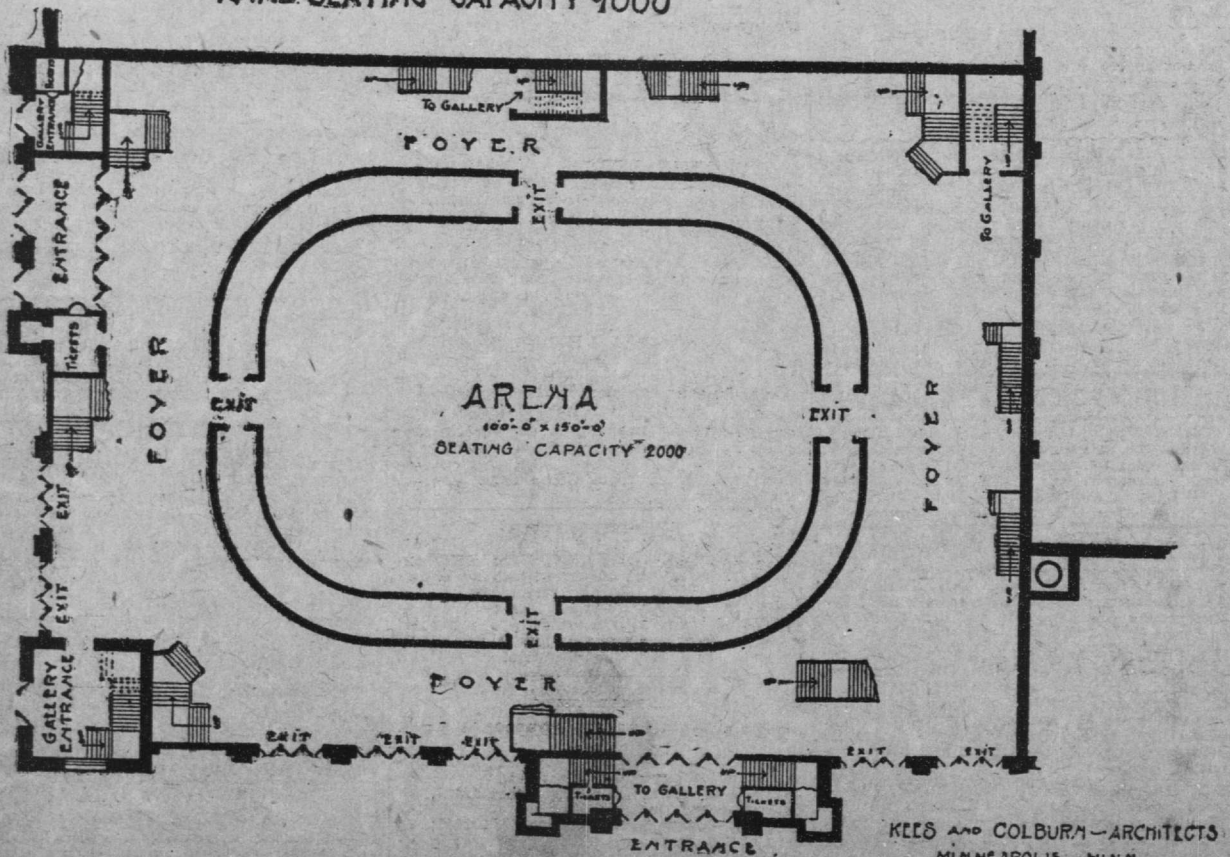
PLAN FOR AN UP-TO-DATE AUDITORIUM

Diagram of Changes Proposed in Exposition Building and Indorsed by the Commercial Club.



PLAN OF EXPOSITION BUILDING SHOWING ARENA

TOTAL SEATING CAPACITY 9000



PLAN OF ARENA

Plans for a big permanent auditorium are taking shape in something more than talk. Herewith is presented diagrams embodying the ideas of A. M. Shuey, the original having been prepared by Kees & Colburn and having been indorsed by the Commercial Club at its meeting last evening.

One of the great questions to be considered in connection with such a plan as that proposed is that of transportation. In this connection it has been suggested that a loop could be run around the building, connecting with the Central avenue line, and giving room for extra cars on streets not used largely for traffic, thereby insuring the prompt handling of large crowds.

Coming back to the hall proper, the main idea is to so construct the hall that it may meet the needs or requirements of all sorts of entertainments, thereby bringing it into frequent and general demand.

First, as a convention hall it must fill the bill for all sorts of conventions, large and small. The present art gallery consisting of two floors, provides space for numerous large rooms for committees, etc., connected with convention work, for retiring rooms for artists, or for choruses and orchestras in concerts and operas.

About two-thirds of the main building is given to the grand auditorium. The balance of the main building is to be held for future uses as may be found necessary or advisable. This space consists of three floors each 100x260 feet, and amply provides for any and all possible uses.

The Auditorium. The auditorium, according to the plan, is 150x260 feet in size, and from 65 to 70 feet high, without a single post or column to obstruct the view. The main floor is but one step above the sidewalk. The main entrance to the building opens into a grand foyer, extending around the entire hall and opening into the auditorium on each of its four sides through twelve-foot doors, the foyer occupying the space under the grand circle of balcony seats. On both Main and Bank streets a large number of exits open directly from the foyer to the sidewalk. The balcony seats are reached by numerous broad stairways from the foyer, and the gallery seats by stairways from the outside of the building.

The main entrance to the foyer is where the main entrance to the building is now. The arena occupies the center of the hall, 100x150 feet in size, the floor being level and cemented on the ground. This floor is surrounded by an enamel brick wall four feet high, on the top of which stands the rail for a series of boxes, seating 600, encircling the arena.

The Stage.

The stage will be provided with a curtain seventy-five feet wide, and appropriate scenery, which may be drawn up out of the way when not in use. When the stage is used with scenery, 1,200 seats at the sides will be shut off with drop curtains, leaving only such seats to be occupied as have a good view of the stage. When the stage is to be used for concert and other purposes these curtains will be drawn up leaving the hall open. The stage may be used for an orchestra and the 1,200 seats for a grand chorus; or for a smaller chorus, the curtains may be dropped and chorus may occupy the moveable seats on the stage with an orchestra platform extended in front.

A place for a grand organ is provided at the back end of the stage. The boxes on the front of the stage will be removed when the stage is in use. The arena will contain 2,000 chairs. The floor will be covered with a wood floor when used for dancing.

The Roof.

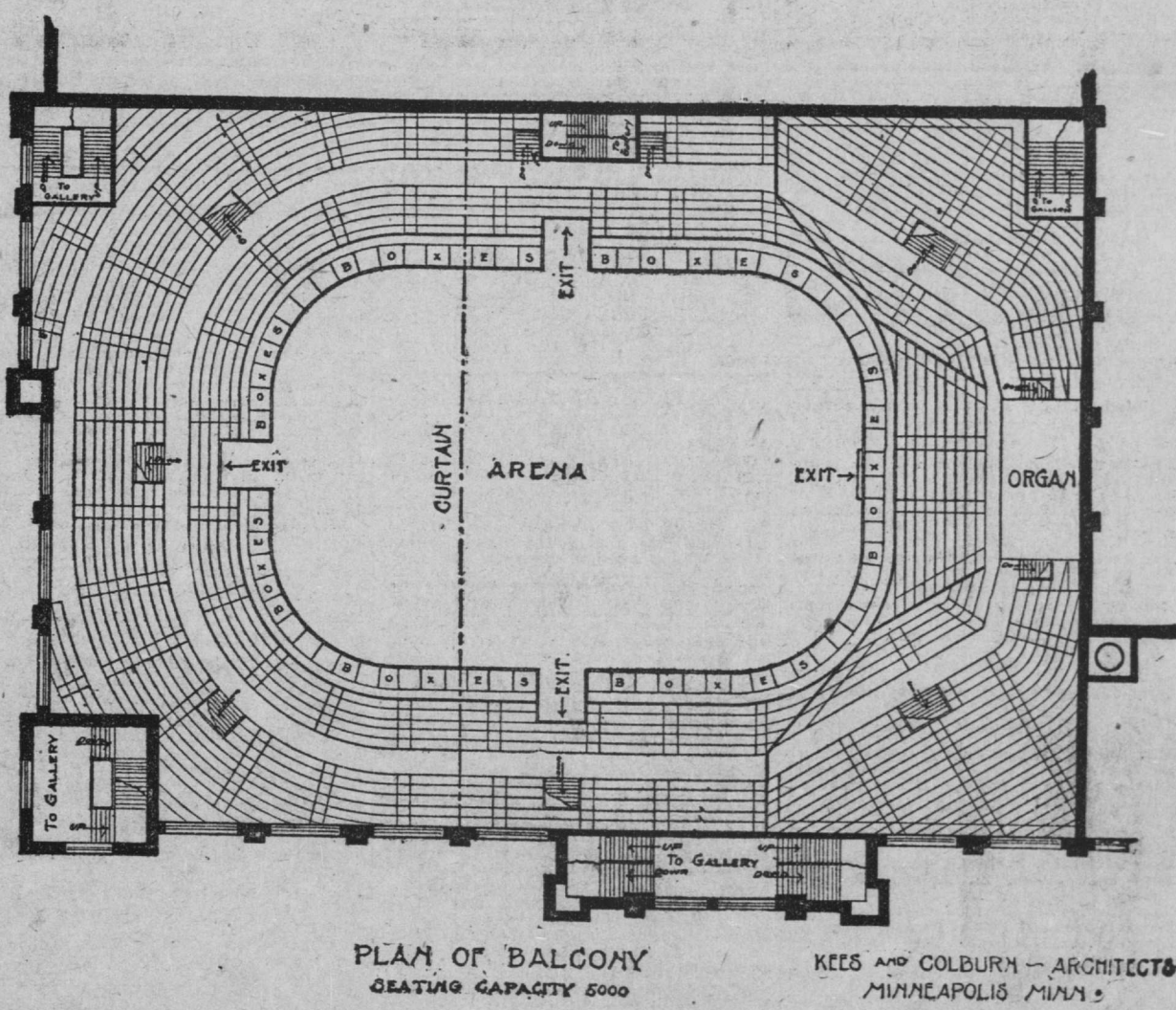
The roof will consist of steel trusses across the entire width of hall.

Seating Capacity.

The seating capacity is: Arena, 3,000; balcony, 5,000; gallery, 2,000; total, 9,000, or when the stage is curtained off for operas, etc., 7,000.

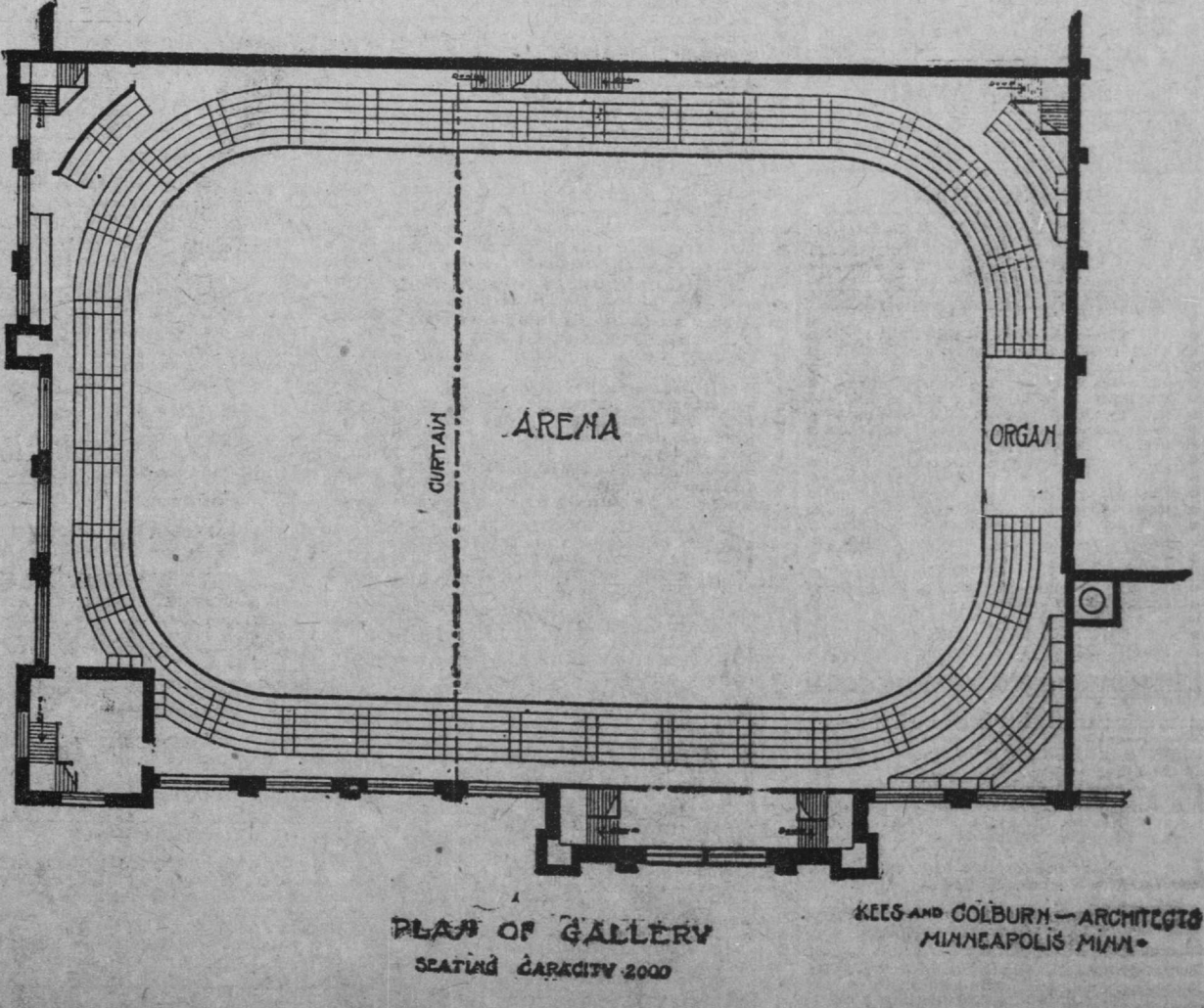
Arrangements are made for reducing the size of the hall, when desired, by dropping the curtains, reducing the seating capacity to 2,500 when the stage end is curtained.

One of the best features of the plan is



PLAN OF BALCONY SEATING CAPACITY 5000

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PLAN OF GALLERY SEATING CAPACITY 2000

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that the hall is capable of use for the greatest variety of entertainments,—conventions, grand opera, comic opera, concerts, lectures, political gatherings, balls, church fairs, horse shows, bicycle races, etc.

The Cost. Estimates by some of the best contractors place the cost of construction at \$125,000, and it is believed that it can be made to pay a fair return for the investment.