

N. E. A. VOTERS SEEM EAGER TO HONOR PRESIDENT ELIOT

Harvard's President the Leading Possibility for President of the Big Association—Sup't Foshay of Los Angeles, Has Something of a Following—Attendance Registered Is 8,000 With Many Who Are Unofficial and Unrecorded Visitors—Minneapolis Industrial Exhibit Attracts Warm Commendation.

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The gratifying report comes from Dr. Breadst's sickroom that he is steadily improving, but all hope has been given up that he will be able to meet the members of the association at any of the meetings this week.

The suggestion of Charles W. Eliot, president of Harvard university, as a National Educational association presidential possibility has proved so popular that his name is likely to sweep the nominating committee away from any other thought.

There is little convention talk about other officers than the president, for the vice presidents are parcelled out to different sections of the country whose turn it is to be honored, this work being done almost wholly in the nominating committee.

NATIONAL COUNCIL PLACES

Of really greater interest is the question of filling the ten vacancies in the national council, as membership in this small and select body is much esteemed.

PLANS WORKING WELL

To Minneapolis has been awarded the palm for successful National Educational association convention. This is the verdict of officers and members from which there is no dissent.

A FINE INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT

One of the most important surprises to the visitors is the exhibition of the work of the Minneapolis schools in drawing and industrial work for the first four grades.

The attendance at the meetings has been excellent, but this has not prevented the hospitality of all of the Minneapolis people.

TO MAKE NOMINATIONS

The committee will meet at nine o'clock to-morrow. Meetings of all of the state delegations were held yesterday afternoon to elect the members of the general nominating committee.

The following are the members appointed on the convention: E. H. Mark, superintendent of schools, Louisville, Ky.; Alfred Bayless, state superintendent, Springfield, Ill.

FIGURES ON ATTENDANCE Secretary Shepard Says 8,000 is a Conservative Estimate. Eight thousand is the estimated number already enrolled as attending the N.

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TOO MANY FOR HIM.

The Minneapolis Small Boy—Ten thousand school teachers in town? It's time I was taking to the woods!

FLOOD ON FLOOD

Situation in Iowa Worst Known in Ten Years—One Life Lost.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 9.—The flood situation in Iowa is more serious than at any time in ten years. The Des Moines, Iowa, Racoon, Cedar and Skunk rivers are from seven to fifteen feet above low water mark and the lowlands are submerged.

CRASH AT SEA

Steamer Powhattan in Collision With the Fall River Liner Priscilla.

Newport, R. I., July 9.—The Fall River line steamer Priscilla is at her pier in this city with a big hole in her port bow, and one of her crew dead, as a result of a collision with the steamer Powhattan in Narragansett bay last night in a fog.

NEW CONSUMPTION CURE

Marvelous Result of Treatment of Fred Hamon by Vienna Specialist. New York, July 9.—Fred Hamon, a patient with hasty consumption, selected by the New York Journal at the Van derbilt Clinic, from 175 other cases, and sent at the Journal's expense to Professor Hoff, the eminent specialist at Vienna.

WAR'S WASTE

Argentine and Chile Sign a Convention to Stop It. Buenos Ayres, July 8.—Argentina and Chile have signed a convention defining more precisely the objects of their recent treaties providing for arbitration and the limitation of armaments, with the view of averting the possibility of future complications.

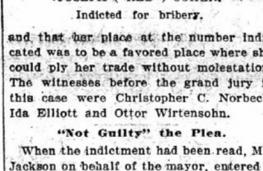
MORE INDICTMENTS FOR THE AMES BROS. AND FOR "RED" COHEN

The Mayor Arraigned on Two Formal Charges of Receiving Bribes From Abandoned Women—The Chief of Police Also Charged With Bribery—Cohen Is the Alleged Go-Between Indicated by Testimony in Previous Bribery Trials as the Successor of Gardner in the Role of "Collector."

Mayor A. A. Ames draws two new indictments. Warrants are also out for Fred W. Ames, chief of police, and "Red" Cohen, the alleged "collector." The latter is said to be out of the city.

The mayor and his secretary, Thomas R. Brown, appeared in Judge Harrison's courtroom shortly after 2 o'clock to-day, accompanied by their attorney, A. B. Jackson, to plead.

In one indictment Mayor Ames is accused of "receiving a bribe" on Dec. 8, 1901. The charge is that he was paid \$15 by Ida Elliott as "protection money" for her bawdy at 257 Third avenue S. It is alleged that she is a common prostitute.



JOSEPH "RED" COHEN. Indicted for bribery.

Another indictment accused the mayor of receiving a bribe. The complaining witness is the notorious Addie Mills, who maintains a place of evil repute at 309 Third street S. In this indictment it is alleged that the defendant, received \$15 from Addie Mills on Dec. 31, 1901.

HOW AMES JURY VOTED

Story of Deliberations of Jury in Fred Ames' Case. One of Them Tells How Verdict of Acquittal Was Reached.

WHAT FOREMAN HEWITT SAYS Chief Ames was acquitted, because there was no evidence other than that of a crook to show that he was guilty of the offense charged in the indictment. I believe every man on the jury was prejudiced against the chief and still is.

Most of the Fred Ames jurors who, strangely enough, appear to have excluded from their consideration every bit of evidence, save that relating to the specific charge of accepting a bribe, have so far adhered to the time-honored custom of keeping quiet. With two exceptions all decline to talk, in view of the pledge of secrecy which they took before entering from the jury room.