

PREPARING FOR BANNER EVENT

Knights of Columbus Outing Tomorrow.

GOOD PROGRAM ARRANGED

Athletics and Other Entertainments Will Hold the Boards All Day at River View.

For years the Knights of Columbus have been endeavoring, with some success, to raise a fund to liquidate the indebtedness on their headquarters at 906 E. street, northwest, and the excursion which they give tomorrow to River View is for the purpose of aiding this project. This year, however, the funds raised by this means will not be used directly on the liquidation of the debt, but will be utilized to launch a monster fair next spring, if such time is hoped to be expected the required sum, with some additional amount, will be secured.

If the hopes of the Knights are realized, they will not only be able to clear off the indebtedness hanging over their home building, but will be enabled to enlarge and improve it very materially. It is proposed to hold this fair in the largest hall to be obtained in the city, and it will probably run for two weeks, or perhaps longer. The preparations for this event have gone quietly on for the past few seasons, and when the time comes to inaugurate it everything will be in readiness for it.

Entertainment for Orphans.

The feature of the excursion is, of course, the entertainment of the orphans. These annual outings are eagerly looked forward to by the little ones, and their every want is satisfied by the watchful and solicitous committee of the knights and its auxiliary committee of ladies, appointed solely to provide for the comfort and safety of the little guests. The committee of ladies which will have charge of the orphans, in addition of course, to the Sisters who accompany them, is as follows: Mrs. P. A. Tallon, chairman; Mrs. C. E. Welsh, Mrs. W. E. Patro, Mrs. A. J. Galeski, and Misses E. Crossfield, N. Moley, D. Dooley, A. Coughlan, M. Dooley, C. Moley, I. Kernan, G. Pellen, I. Carter, I. Moley, L. Kierman, I. Carter, N. Bradley, M. Carter, C. Fitzpatrick, L. Burns, A. Langsner, and M. Burns.

Clergy Their Guests.

In addition to the orphans, the Knights will have as their guests the Catholic clergy of the city, as well as those iden-

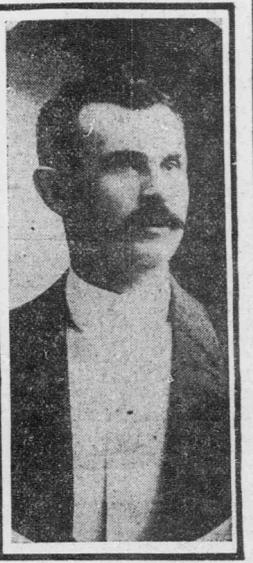
MEN WHO HAVE DEVOTED TIME AND ENERGY TO INSURE THE SUCCESS OF THE OUTING OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



DR. WM. D. PAIRO, Chairman of the Executive Committee.



DR. A. D. WILKINSON, Chairman of Committee on Invitations.



GEORGE T. KOLB, Chairman of Committee on Athletics

tified with the faculties and supervisory bodies of the Catholic charitable and educational institutions of the District. A gratifying number of responses to these invitations have been received so far, and it is expected that the excursion will see a notable gathering of local Catholic divines. Last year's excursion was an exceptional event in this regard, and it is proposed this season to make it even more memorable.

Knights of Columbus are familiar with the gentility and spirit of natural fun that pervades their outings, and this is given expression in one or two novel contests that are bound to attract immediate attention. One of these is a three-legged race in which the contestants, comprising the officers of the various councils, have already been paired, and are eagerly awaiting the chance to start down the troublesome track. The following will be hitched together and endeavor to secure first honors: State Deputy Sheehy and District Deputy Johnson, and Grand Knights and Deputy Grand Knights Malone and Koonce, of Washington Council; Callahan and Pairo, of Keane Council; Haltigan and Kolb, of Carroll Council; Ralph and McCarthy, of Spalding Council, and Barry and Myers, of Potomac Council.

Another novel event will engage the attention of the financial secretaries of the various councils, and entries will be closed to all but them. This is the finding of the hidden coins, and is supposed to have been originated in order to see who is the best money-

Small Contributions For the Playgrounds

Times Fund Swelling by Degrees--Something Less Than \$1,100 Yet to Be Raised. Great Thing for the Children.

If the citizens of Washington will respond to the efforts of The Times and follow its good example in the matter of contributing to the fund for the public playgrounds, said Dr. Henry S. Curtis, supervisor of the playgrounds, yesterday, "we will soon be on a safe footing and able to carry on the work which we believe to be essential to the good of the Nation's Capital."

The Times is doing a great work for the little children of the city whose parents are too poor to send them to the country during the hot weather. Every dollar we receive will lighten the burdens of some poor mother and increase the pleasure and happiness of some little child.

Small Donations Encouraging.

Several persons braved the rain yesterday to come to the business office of The Times to hand in their contributions to the playground fund. It is encouraging to note that the contributions were small ones, showing that there is no fear on the part of those who are able to give only small amounts that their subscriptions would be unwelcome because not large.

Dr. Curtis is a great believer in small contributions, as he deems them indicative of the interest of all classes

of persons in the work he is carrying on for the Associated Charities.

There remains now something less than \$100 to be contributed before the necessary \$5,000 can be made up.

One visiting any of the playgrounds when they are in use can but be impressed with two things: First, the enthusiasm with which the children enter into the games, and, second, the extreme orderliness with which they conduct themselves. Good temper prevails always, for one of the first lessons the children learn when they join the playgrounds is consideration for each other.

The following are the subscriptions so far received at The Times office: The Washington Times, \$50.00; M. D. A., 1.00; W. R. W., 1.00; Cash, 1.00; S. V. H., 1.00; J. E. S., 1.00; A. D. A., 1.00; Cash, 2.00; Cash, 2.00.

MOODY SPEAKS OF BEEF TRUST

Attorney General Explains Proceedings.

APPROVED BY PRESIDENT

Tells Boston Republicans That the Case Will Be Fairly Conducted When Time Comes.

BOSTON, Mass., July 22.—Boss Point, Nahant, was the scene of Boston Republicanism this afternoon, the occasion being the summer outing of the Lincoln Republican Club. Attorney General William H. Moody was the oratorical star of the occasion, and he proved a great attraction. All the big lights in the Republican party of the State were there, and many tried their hand at speechmaking.

Mr. Moody gave a resume of the Government's proceedings against the combination of beef packers, and said that his conclusion to review the situation was due to the "not unnatural misunderstanding as to the attitude of the Administration." He said also that it was done "with the approval of the President." He then reviewed the case from its beginning to the present time, told of just what the "Beef trust" was composed of, and why proceedings were instituted against it. In closing his address the Attorney General said:

"On the last day of July last, the grand jury returned an indictment with ten counts against various individuals and corporations charging various violations of the so-called anti-trust act, and another indictment against the managers and employees of one of the packing houses for a conspiracy to obtain rebates from the railroads, being common interstate carriers in the transportation of their products."

"It is my hope and belief that these indictments may be brought to trial during the current year. In the meantime, both principles of law and sense of fair play require us all to hold our judgments in suspense. The action of the grand jury was the result of an ex parte investigation. The accused have not yet been heard. They are each and all to be presumed innocent. That presumption follows them until the case has been passed upon by the trial jury."

"Let us hope that its verdict will be a declaration of truth in fact as it is in name."

\$36.35 to Denver, Colorado Springs, or Pueblo, Col., and return, August 29 to September 2, Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Consult agents for particulars.

TENTH STREET AGAIN READY FOR TRAFFIC

Tenth street between G and New York avenue, which has been closed for repairs for the last two or three weeks, was opened again yesterday for general traffic.

The street has been newly paved with asphalt, and the sidewalks are being paved with cement. The repairs are a great improvement to the general appearance of the thoroughfare.

SALVATION ARMY GIRL WILL HAVE TO DO TIME

CHICAGO, July 22.—Inga Hanson, the former Salvation Army girl, convicted of perjury in connection with a suit for personal damages against the Chicago City railway, will have to go to the penitentiary to serve an indefinite term, according to a decision given by Judge Kersten.

The decision denied a motion to vacate sentence in the case.

some of the entries in this event, and Lecturer Harrington is prohibited from discoursing on his "Trip to Ireland," and Dr. Daly from telling about how to raise money by the inauguration of prize contests. The other contestants will not be hampered by any conditions as regards their chosen subjects.

The chairmen of the various committees that have been selected to engineer the success of the excursion is as follows: Executive and reception—Dr. William P. Pairo; Press and advertising—Dr. A. W. Wilkinson.

Printing—Harry A. Harty; Tickets—H. Eaton Brooks; Boats—Robert E. Doyle; Athletics and amusements—George T. Kolb; Music and dancing—Thomas J. Trodden, sr.; Invitations—Dr. A. D. Wilkinson; Badges—George A. Young; Care of guests—Thomas B. Nolan.

\$1.00 Harpers Ferry and Return, Thursday, July 27, account Y. M. C. A. Baltimore. This R. R. station 5:30 a. m. Returning from Harpers Ferry 5:30 p. m. same day.



Clean Sweep

Now for the Second Week of the Greatest Stock Clearance This City Has Ever Known!

15c Will Buy Good Quality Silks.

Here's a wonderful offering for Monday, and, of course, there will be a crowd of buyers here promptly. Included in this surprising silk offering are 23-inch colored Japanese silks, colored China silks, corded bengalines, colored taffetalines, etc., in full pieces, half pieces, and dress lengths; none sold under 39c yard. To be closed out quickly at 15c yard.

29c Will tomorrow buy black, blue, and red mohair, the fabric so greatly in demand at present; very high and lustrous finish; it is full 36 inches wide. This very desirable quality mohair sells at 39c a yard everywhere.

39c Will tomorrow buy high grade silver bleached German damask, full 58 inches wide; in this lot are just six pieces, and it is extra heavy and rich finish; very neat polka dot effects; this damask sells at 59c regularly, but it goes in the big sale at 39c.

77c Will buy Bleached Muslin; full yard wide and best quality; the kind that retails at 10c always; it will go very quickly at 77c, so be here promptly.

72c Will buy Unbleached Sheetting, full 40 inches wide, for bed-wear and many household purposes; the regular price is 127c. In the big sale at 72c.

37c Will buy Bleached T-willed Tea Toweling, with red border; the best absorbent quality that sells at 5c yard; not more than one piece to a buyer, at the specially reduced price of only 37c.

And We've Determined Upon and Planned for a Six-day Sale That Will Surpass Even Last Week, Overwhelming Success That It Was! No Person Who Values Money Can Afford to Miss It

\$5.98 Will Buy Taffeta Silk Suits

THIS IS THE MOST SENSATIONAL OFFERING EVER made, for keep in mind that the beautiful suits are brand new and just received from the tailors; they are in finest and softest finish taffeta silk, both skirt and waist handsomely tucked and plaited and trimmed with fancy buttons; shades are blue, brown, garnet, and green; the values are positively \$15 to \$20.

YOUR UNRESTRICTED CHOICE FROM BEAUTIFUL All-over Bobbinet Lace Waists, made over white China Silk; also choice from absolutely all the richest and finest China Silk Waists, exquisitely designed with lace medallions, insertion, &c.; waists sold at \$8 and \$10. . . . \$3.98

ANOTHER VERY RARE OFFERING of the exquisite Marquise Shirt Waist Suits, in fine and sheer white India-Linons, etc., superbly trimmed; pleats and hemstitched effects; all the latest and smartest styles; values \$25 and \$30; at the very remarkable price of . . . **\$3.98**

WAISTS EMBROIDERING THE VERY newest and most up-to-date styles, and made of the finest quality China Silk; the designs are the richest and handsomest shown this season—exquisite patterns in silk-worked embroidery; finest Val. lace insertion, hemstitched pin tucks and clusters of tucks, lace-edged collars and cuffs, heavy lace insertion, etc.; the colors are white, cream, blue, and brown. Although worth as high as \$8, . . . **\$1.98**

CHOICE OF ANY WHITE SKIRT in the store; many styles and kinds; no matter how elegant or high priced. Take any you wish at . . . **\$1.98**

Those Marquise Waists Are the Big Attraction

In the entire big Clean Sweep Sale there's no offering proving so popular and crowd-bringing as are these matchless "Marquise" Waists, so well known as the acme of perfection in waist making. Here's the way they are selling—

48c Several hundred dozen very desirable White Shirt Waists, the renowned "Marquise" make, included are dozens of pretty patterns in lace and embroidery—trimmed waists and stylishly tucked waists. Not one is worth less than \$1; many of them are worth \$1.50; but for the gigantic clearance sale they will sell at 48c.

98c One of the best offerings in high-grade Waists we have ever been able to bring to pass; included are hundreds of dozens of choice and hand-some "Marquise" waists. These Waists are in all sizes, some in "Dutch" neck styles, some in high neck and short sleeves, elegantly trimmed with lace and embroidery. Not one worth less than \$1.98.

5c Will Buy Good Quality Mattings

This will be the last chance you'll have to secure the Wrapper-marked Mattings, being the last of the season's shipments of the mattings that have been slightly wrapper-stained in transit. It all goes in one clearance sale for Monday at these prices (although worth double)

One Lot 5c **One Lot 9 1/2c** **One Lot 15 1/2c**

Two Leaders in Hosiery
A very large lot of Men's Fast-black Half Hose, the seamless kind; sold everywhere at 15c pair. Priced for clearance tomorrow at . . . **7 1/2c**
Several hundreds of pairs of Women's Fast-black Seamless Hosiery that sells regularly at 15c a pair. To be closed out at . . . **7 1/2c**

3 Big Offerings in Neckwear

100 dozen Women's dainty and pretty Black Spangle Lace Collars; the newest patterns; the regular price is 15c. Clean-sweep price— **5c**

75 dozen fine Imported Renaissance Lace Collars that sell regularly at 25c and 39c; a rare bargain in the sale at **12 1/2c**

The newest Band Neck Ruchings, made of lace and embroidery; in neck lengths; the regular price is 10c and more. Sale price— **5c**

Infant's Caps.

For tomorrow we shall place on sale Infant's dainty and pretty lace-trimmed Lawn Caps at the little price of . . . **10c**

Sugar.

Best Granulated Sugar, in 2 and 5-lb. cotton sacks, not over 10 lbs. to a buyer; delivered only when other goods are purchased; 10 lbs. for . . . **50c**

Bone Casing.

Lot of Wholesome Casing of best quality; sold regularly at 5c apiece; in the clean sweep sale tomorrow at, per piece . . . **5c**

Crochet Buttons.

Large lot of Crochet and Velvet Buttons; various styles; have always sold at the and in dozens; to be closed out . . . **1c**

Tea-Chair Tea.

Famous Tea-Chair Tea, in 4-lb. tin-foil packages; sell at 10c; not more than two to a buyer at . . . **10c**

Hams.

The delicious Whitefield Smoked Hams, the choicest and daintiest ham in the market; 7 pounds each; 50 of them in the sale at . . . **9c**

Seam Binding.

White Silk Seam Binding, in all colors; the prevailing price is 10c apiece; to be closed out in the sale at only . . . **5c**

HECHTS' GREATER STORES, 513-515-517 7th St.