

WEST VIRGINIA EXPOSITION AND STATE FAIR.

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WEST VIRGINIA STATE FAIR!

AT WHEELING, W. VA., SEPTEMBER 5, 6, 7, 8 AND 9, 1892.

ELECTRIC LIGHT RACES--ONE NIGHT ONLY--MONDAY NIGHT, SEPTEMBER 5, AT 7 O'CLOCK.

Grand Wedding will Take Place in the Judges' Stand, Tuesday, September 6, at 2 p. m.

12 Races by Miss Myrtle Peek Running Combination September 7, 8 and 9. Fine Exhibit of Live Stock, &c. 14 Trotting, Pacing and Running Races. Every Day a Big Day.

EXCURSION RATES ON ALL RAILWAYS.

NO RACES LAST NIGHT.

A Drenching Rain Yesterday Interferes with the Opening of the Annual State Fair Races

And they are Postponed until Wednesday Evening--The Prospects for To-day are Bright, and the Promise is Still Good for the Best Fair on Record--To-day's Programme.

"A bad beginning, but a good ending, is what we hope for," was the remark made by Secretary Hook, as he sat looking disconsolately out of the door of the secretary's office, at the steady down-pour of rain yesterday afternoon.

"The worst feature of all is the postponement of the electric light races, on which the public was counting so much, but they will not be disappointed, as arrangements have been made to give them on Wednesday evening, sure."

An INTELLIGENCER reporter, anxious to witness the opening of the tenth annual fair, donned a pair of rubber boots, mackintosh and umbrella, and made a tour of the grounds yesterday, to see that everything had not been floated away by the big volume of water that fell in the morning. Beyond several big pools on the race track on the lower end, everything presented a favorable appearance, which is due to the excellent system of drainage; and should no more rain fall this morning everything will be in good shape to-day for the opening races.

No horses were allowed on the track during the day, to prevent it from being cut to pieces. All were exercised on the outside, and the way they made the muddy fly was a caution.

The management relies on having a fast track to-day. It should dry off during the night with the breeze that is blowing.

The liveliest spot on the grounds was the racing stables, where the stable boys and jockeys were all busy scraping off the mud from horses and sulkeys that had been out exercising in the rain, preparatory to to-day's races. A number of spectators were present, lounging about all day, inspecting the horses and endeavoring to pick up "tips" on the coming races, which the touts were willing to give for a small recompense.

The most forlorn spot on the grounds was the lower gate, which some faction-friend of the association has labelled with a big sign, "Alley 40." The only life to be seen about this end was a few stable boys shooting craps. "Come seven" was the only sound that vied with the steady patter of the rain.

The gatekeeper kept hooped up all day to escape the elements, and quit business early in the afternoon, after carefully stowing away the receipts in several barrels kept for that purpose.

In the upper end of the grounds every thing moved along as though there was no such thing as rain. Booths were being erected and put in good shape, while all seemed to be in good humor and entertaining the most sanguine hopes of fine weather the next day.

The ladies have completed the display in horticultural hall, and it compares favorably with any former display.

The Wheeling Park Association also completed a very attractive display of flowers, foliage and shrubs, among which are some fig and banana trees laden with fine fruit. The display speaks well for the excellent taste of Superintendent Kreiger, under whose supervision it was arranged. The Hospital Association opened up their quarters in the restaurant building, and served a fine dinner, which was well patronized.

Almost all the exhibits in the main hall were completed yesterday, and it presents a very attractive appearance. Thirteen horses of the Myrtle Peek running combination arrived last evening by the American Express from Bangor, Maine, and will be on the grounds to-day.

The great drawing features to-day, besides the races, will be the marriage of Charles Sumner Chambers and Miss Rachel Virginia Fresse, which will take place at 2 o'clock in the judges' stand. The young couple have been the recipients of a great many handsome presents, besides the excellent offer made by the association, a number of which are on exhibition in the east wing of the main hall.

The programme offered to-day contains a large number of entries of good horses, and it promises to be one of the best days of the fair. The card is as follows:

- Three-year-old and under trot. 1. High Tait, s. s., Walter Sodgwick, Clarkeburg, W. Va. 2. Wildwood, Miss Ceila Willis, Parkersburg, W. Va. 3. Arnie Girl, b. f., L. S. Vale, Smithfield, Pa. 4. J. L. McChesnut, s. c., Meadow Lands Farm, Pittsburgh, Pa. 5. Frediet, ch. s., T. A. Miller, Hancock, Pa. 6. Central, ch. s., T. A. Miller, Hancock, Pa. 7. Merrilla, b. m., J. C. Collins, Pittsburgh, Pa. 8. Chittling, b. f., Seaford & Pease, Parkersburg, W. Va. 9. Bellona, b. f., J. K. Roberts & Son, Mountsville, W. Va. 10. Dlight, b. m., E. P. Austin, Pittsburgh, Pa. 11. Patron, b. h., J. A. Quay, Morgantown, Pa. 12. Trot. 1. Limber Jim, J. S. Stout, Parkersburg, W. Va. 2. Maud A. L. m., A. J. Trader, Grichsville, O. 3. Earle Lad, s. s., J. M. Carr, Sewickley, Pa. 4. Danvers L., ch. g., A. J. Trader, Grichsville, O. 5. Harry C. McNight, G. W. Hefner, Fairmont, W. Va. 6. Jim Riddle, ch. s., John Hines, Minerva, O. 7. Earl Laddie, b. s., W. H. Barian, Wellsville, O. 8. Leucartus, b. s., T. A. Miller, Hancock, Pa. 9. Harry Hylas, s. s., Henry Hoory, Minerva, O. 10. Australia, b. g., W. C. Baldwin, Washington, Pa. 11. Peter R., b. g., J. C. Collins, Pittsburgh, Pa. 12. Lamar, b. g., E. Hogan, Columbus, O. 13. Russell, b. g., C. D. Kennedy, Elm Grove, W. Va. 14. Bud Actor, b. g., F. E. Williams, St. Clairsville, O. 15. Fozgiman, b. g., R. H. Demarest, Baltimore, Md. 16. Edgewood, r. g., R. H. Demarest, Baltimore, Md.

Running, 5 m. mile heats, 2 in 2. 1. Great Scott. 2. Friday. 3. Merry Gale. 4. Mitchell. 5. Little Paul.

A number of pools were auctioned off

last night at McLaughlin & Co.'s pool room, on Twelfth street. All tickets sold for the electric light races last night will be good to-morrow night.

Representative Exhibits.

Three of the representative firms and leaders of their lines have shown their active enterprises at the State Fair this year by arranging jointly the most attractive display ever shown in the main hall. The exhibit, which is on the north side of the east wing of the main hall, will be the centre of attraction and interest the entire week. It consists of the handsome presents presented to the happy couple that are to be married to-day. The most noticeable are a handsome bedroom suite of furniture of antique oak, highly finished, from House & Herman, the large in-statement house on Main street; a large No. 8 New Valley Star cooking stove, the most complete and best equipped that is made, with an entire line of cooking utensils, all manufactured by Benj. Fisher's Star Foundry, which is the largest manufactory of this line of goods in the state. There is also a handsomely decorated china chamber set presented by John Friedel, the largest dealer in bric-a-brac, china and wall paper in the city. These presents give but a faint idea of the fine line of goods these firms handle. Everyone should not fail to see their individual exhibits after seeing this display, and gain some idea from the samples on exhibition of what fine goods they do handle.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and about the City.

"FINE 'fair' weather!" is a finable offense.

RACES on the State Fair ground this afternoon.

THE GRAND this evening--Turner's English Girls.

ALL the hotels are filling up with State Fair visitors.

YESTERDAY'S rains flushed the sewers and washed the gutters nicely.

ANOTHER of the electric cars burned out yesterday on the Island line.

"THIS puts a damper on the fair," is barred by the statute of limitations.

DAVE GARTLEY, a plain drunk, was run in by Officer Ritz yesterday afternoon.

REV. MR. EGLY, pastor of the German M. E. church, has tendered his resignation and gone to his farm in Ohio.

CAPT. DOVNER will meet with the Young Men's Republican Escort club to-night, and everybody is invited.

THE W. & L. E. station at Dillondale was robbed night before last, and the thieves are believed to be heading this way.

ED MILLER and Sam Slater were locked up by Officer West last night for fighting on Market street above Tenth.

THE new City Hospital will be open for inspection all this week. Strangers are invited to call and see a model institution of this kind.

A GIRL was taken in charge by the police yesterday by request of her family, to be sent to the House of the Good Shepherd, at Columbus. She was incorrigible.

THE public schools opened yesterday with a surprisingly large attendance, considering the rain. There will be no school to-day, in order that the pupils may take in the State Fair.

TRAFFIC on the Ohio River railroad was badly delayed yesterday by the destruction of a trestle down the river. It was all right again last evening, however. No damage was done except to the trestle.

MRS. CHARLOTTE BRANDPASS died yesterday at the home of her son, Mr. C. F. Brandpass, the well known cigar manufacturer, aged seventy-seven. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

TWO young Republicans desiring to join the Young Men's Republican Escort club will have their last opportunity of doing so at to-night's meeting. This is done so that all the members will be thoroughly drilled.

CLARA HOOK yesterday admitted to record a deed made August 31 by Margaret W. Wickam and Joseph, her husband, to Frank B. Morris, for \$500, a lot on the east side of Lind street, between Tenth and Eleventh.

THERE was some excitement on Thirteenth street. "My Jack, the rag man," a boy at St. John's Home, ran away, and the police got after him, but could not find him. Later some other boys captured him, but he again escaped.

A BOY who jumped on a moving Elm Grove motor last evening was caught by the conductor and turned over to the police, who locked him up for an hour or so. He was gay enough at first, but before he got out he was thoroughly sorry.

A BICYCLE rider from Wheeling performed a really wonderful feat yesterday afternoon in jumping from his wheel to prevent running over a little girl in the street, says the Bellaire Independent. He was going down hill very rapidly when the little tot became bewildered in the street. There are too many small children permitted in the streets of this city at all times, and it is a great wonder more are not seriously hurt.

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP was used for years as a prescription by a successful physician. It is in all respects the best cough medicine made to-day. Sold by all dealers on a guarantee of satisfaction. DAW

Attention, Horsemen!

The Naphtha Yacht Company will run one of their boats all night during the week. Regular tickets good until 9 o'clock p. m. only.

WHY allow bed bugs to keep you awake at night when a bottle of Bugine will destroy them in a minute. 25 cents.

To reach Fairgrounds in five minutes, take yachts foot of Twelfth street.

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In these days of talk about impure water, the problem what to drink becomes serious. Fortunately Wheeling has now a source of supply for pure, healthful beverages. The Cosgrave Brewing Co. is prepared to put on the market its superior cream and crystal ales and extra stout. These beverages are made of the purest and best materials, under the supervision of skilled ale makers. It is a well known fact that ale, properly made, is the most advantageous drink a man can take, and the Cosgrave ale is not excelled in the world. It is a new product of which this city ought to be proud. Encouraged at the start it will prove an industry of value to the community, which will increase the fame and prestige of Wheeling as a manufacturing centre.

The company comprises Mr. John Cosgrave, whose ales, brewed in Canada, took first premium at the Centennial exposition at Philadelphia and the Paris exposition, and Mr. M. Lally, a business man well known in Wheeling, where he has achieved success in every undertaking. The ale produced is pronounced by connoisseurs a rival to Bass's. Those who give it a fair trial will continue to use it.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

Mr. Thomas Green and wife, of New Martinsville, are, visiting Wheeling friends.

Hon. A. B. White, U. S. collector of internal revenue, came up from Parkersburg on official business last evening.

Mr. Jacob S. Hyer, of Braxton county, Republican candidate for auditor, is among the State Fair visitors in the city.

The Steubenville Star says: Miss Kate Astley, a charming young lady of Wheeling, is visiting her friend, Alice Meyer.

Miss Della A. Vandall, daughter of Mr. E. D. Vandall, will be married to Mr. Charles A. Hobstetter this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lasch celebrated their golden wedding on Sunday at their home north of the city. It was a most joyous occasion.

Jno. Larkin, of Detroit, C. E. Jones, W. Eminger and B. Armstrong, of Columbus, well known bookmakers, are quartered at the McLure.

P. B. Conn, proprietor of the Steubenville Herald, is here. He has a horse in the races. Mayor Seabright extended to him the freedom of the city.

W. A. Woodruff, of the Hall Safe and Lock company, will leave to-night for a trip through the state. Mrs. Woodruff is recovering from a long siege of typhoid fever.

Mrs. W. H. Crawford and daughters, Ella and Mary, of Parkersburg, and Miss Cora Harrington, of Independence, are visiting Mrs. W. J. Harrington, on the South Side.

Mr. H. L. Miller and Mr. Harry Farley will shortly visit New York and Europe and all parts of the old world on a tour for their health. They will stay away four months.

It has just leaked out that Mr. Joseph A. Dudley and Miss Tillie L. Oliver were married at the Zane street parsonage in July. Mr. and Mrs. Dudley are receiving congratulations.

Miss Mame Warner, of Wheeling, who has been a guest of the Misses Kinney on North Seventh street, returned home Sunday, accompanied by Harry Klapheck, of the same place. Steubenville Gazette.

Manager Alfred Rheinstrom, of the Wheeling Opera House, is in the city arranging for an excursion from this city next Saturday evening to witness the great New York success, "The Lost Paradise." Steubenville Star.

Cards were sent out yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sweeney for the marriage of their daughter, Sara Patterson, to Charles Ogilvie Roemer, on Wednesday evening, September 14, at half-past seven o'clock, at St. Matthew's P. E. church.

R. M. Sheats, of Grafton, D. O. Henderson, of Sistersville, J. R. Cunningham, of Mannington, John E. Leach and A. I. Boreman, jr., of Parkersburg, A. E. Lazier, of Morgantown, C. F. Skinner and John H. Hough, of Fairmont, are at the McLure.

Cards were sent out yesterday by Judge and Mrs. John W. Kennedy for the marriage of their daughter, Mary Willoughby, to Mr. Henry Clay Sincell. The wedding will take place Thursday afternoon, September 15, at 3 o'clock, at St. Matthew's P. E. church.

H. W. Zane, of Wellburg, William R. Armstrong, of Point Pleasant, A. B. White, Miss Grace and Miss Ethel White, W. C. Geatford, jr., A. B. Smith and Channing Smith, of Parkersburg, Hon. B. Wilson, of Clarksburg, and Mrs. Nannie Neely, of Parkersburg, were at the Windsor yesterday.

John Curran, of Parkersburg, Riley Shackelford, of Monongah, Ed. Braet, of New Martinsville, C. E. Lancaster, of Cameron, B. S. Morgan, of Shiloh, W. S. T. Johnson, of Long Beach, W. S. Boyle, of Sistersville, J. O. McCown, of Ravenswood, J. McMechen, and A. P. Booth, of Mannington, registered at the Behler yesterday.

N. J. Crooks and Thomas H. Davis, of Keyser, W. E. Cunningham, of Bingham, H. Lowther, of Oxford, J. E. Ross and wife, of Sistersville, J. I. Carpenter, G. H. Chambers and L. F. Wilhelm, of Cameron, Dennis and Marcella Coughlin, H. Bisset and wife, of Littleton, J. W. Ford, of Charleston, R. L. Mitchell, of Bellville, H. McDiarmid and L. K. Woolery, of Bethany, Miss Nichols, of Wellburg, Mrs. Carper, Miss Carper and Miss Crouch, of Buckhannon, registered at the Stamm yesterday.

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THE SANITARY INSPECTION

Of the City begun Yesterday--Everybody Willing to Co-operate.

The work of inspecting vaults, cess-pools, cellars and other places where disease-breeding filth might find a lodgment, was begun yesterday. City Health Officer Spragg appointed the following inspectors: First ward, J. D. O'Leary; Second, Frank Wagner; Third, Ed Weichell; Fourth, John Corkan; Fifth, Robert Mehan, jr.; Sixth, John Wilkie; Seventh, J. C. O'Hare; Eighth, James Flanagan.

All those went to work at once, except Wagner, in the Second ward. Somebody else will probably be appointed in his place. The inspectors reported some pretty foul places, especially cellars where decayed vegetables and the like were allowed to lie.

Dr. Spragg, accompanied by Officer Ritz, yesterday visited four Italian barracks and boarding houses in North Wheeling. They found them crowded and filthy. The proprietors were notified to scrub out with lye, wash and white-wash the walls, renew the bedding and boil the bed clothes. To-day the Doctor will visit other similar places in other parts of town.

There were a dozen complaints of neglect by the garbage collector yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon the water board held a regular meeting. The members were all of the opinion that the water works could furnish all the water needed to flush sewers and wash gutters. Last evening the council committee on fire department met and decided to lend what aid the department could to the work of cleaning up the city. Chief Healy was instructed to consult with the health department and arrange a plan of operation which will leave the city as little exposed to danger from fire as possible.

85 and Costs All 'Round.

There were eight cases in the police court yesterday, and every man of them was fined \$5 and costs. Somebody paid Jeff Davis's fine. The two Pittsburghers who insulted a lady paid their assessments, as did also Tom Hill, for disorderly conduct, and two young fellows who annoyed a colored woman Saturday night. Two Sunday drunks did not have the cash, and one was sent to the workhouse for thirty days, while the other, being an old fellow, was let off with ten days.

NOTES ON NAVIGATION.

Stage of Water and Movements of Boats. The River Interest.

The river last night was two feet ten inches and falling. The heavy rain of yesterday, if general, will doubtless check the falling.

The reports from above last night were as follows:

Warren--five-tenths of 1 foot; cloudy and cool.

Morgantown--5 feet and stationary; cloudy and cool.

Brownsville--4 feet 9 inches and stationary; cloudy and cool.

The Elaine got away for Parkersburg at 11:30 a. m. yesterday.

The Phillips resumed her trips in the Bellaire track yesterday after thorough repairs.

To reach Fair grounds in five minutes, take yachts foot of Twelfth street.

MACKINTOSHES and rain-proof suits for ladies at EMBREMER'S, Eleventh Street.

The Hospital Guild of St. Matthews church will serve dinner at the Fair every day this week.

The yachts, foot of Twelfth street, leave every minute for the Fair grounds.

MARRIED.

DUDLEY--OLIVER--At the Zane Street M. E. Church on Monday evening, July 25, 1892, by Rev. H. A. Moore, Mr. JOSEPH A. DUDLEY and Miss TILLIE L. OLIVER, all of this city.

DIED.

BRANDPASS--On Monday morning September 5, 1892, at 4:45 o'clock, Mrs. CHARLOTTE BRANDPASS, aged 77 years.

Funeral Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, from the residence of her son, No. 55 Fifteenth street. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery. Funeral private.

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