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ELKS PROHIBIT FUTURE CARNIVALS

Decide That Their Law Will Per-
mit No More After Jan-
uary First.

KNIGHTS HAVE ROYAL TIME

California Furnishes Pythians
With Pleasure—Hold Regu-
lar Election of Of-
ficers.

SALT LAKE, Aug. 14.—The grand lodge of Elks today adopted the recommendation of the committee on rules and laws, absolutely prohibiting the holding of street fairs or carnivals under the auspices of Elks lodges. As a number of lodges throughout the country have already made arrangements for fairs or carnivals, to take place in the next few months, the law will not go into effect until January 1. The debate over the question was quite spirited, but the feeling among the members of the grand lodge that such fairs and carnivals were not in accord with the fundamental principles of the order was evidently very strong, and the committee's recommendation was overwhelmingly adopted.

The grand lodge had a busy session on this, the final day of the annual reunion. Considerable routine business remained to be disposed of, as well as the installation of the newly elected grand lodge officers, and final adjournment was not looked for before late this afternoon.

Today's outdoor programme consisted of the prize drill contest of uniformed marching clubs. The large body of visiting Elks gave the day over to excursions to Coe-ten and its pleasure resorts, Salt Air and the nearby mining camps. Tonight the homeward movement will begin. Many of the sport-loving Elks will remain over Monday to witness the Jack Root-George Gardner contest at the Salt Palace.

The prize drill was somewhat of a disappointment, the Denver lodge being the only one taking part.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—At 9 o'clock this morning Major-General Carnahan and a strong detachment of the uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, crossed the bay to participate in a parade of the order at Oakland. Several thousand men were in line, and the streets along the line of march were crowded with spectators.

In this city the morning hours were devoted chiefly to business by the Knights of Khorassan and the supreme temple of the Rathbone Sisters continued their sessions and transacted considerable business. There were also competitive drills between companies of the uniform rank at the Presidio and in the Mechanics' Pavilion. The provisions made for the pleasure of the visitors continue to excite their surprise and gratification. During the day there were band concerts, a free exhibition at the famous Mark Hopkins Institute of Art, and numerous excursions to points of interest in the neighborhood of San Francisco. By tonight all of the delayed Knights from the East will have arrived in the city, and will participate in the closing events of the convalesce.

PYTHIANS ELECT OFFICERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—The supreme lodge Knights of Pythias will hold the next triennial session in Louisville in 1904.

The following officers were elected: Supreme chancellor—Tracy R. Bangs, of Grand Forks, N. D.; supreme prelate—George F. Church, of Fresno, Cal.; supreme keeper of records and seals—R. L. C. White; supreme master of exchequer—Thos. D. Neares, of Wilmington, N. C.

PRINTERS' CONVENTION.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 14.—The fight between the American Federation of Labor and the American Labor Union was brought before the convention of the International Typographical Union today by a letter to President Lynch, from H. L. Sholdice, of the Laundry-workers' Union at Denver. Sholdice wanted the printers to restrict their members strictly to printers, and not to include printers who are also members of the Machinists' Union or other unions. The proposition was voted down, as was also a proposition to exclude married women from membership in typographical unions.

Among the letters of greeting today was one from President Campers, of the American Federation of Labor. When it came to voting for the next place of meeting, Salt Lake was with-

drawn and the ballot resulted in the selection of Washington.

A proposition was discussed at length that the practice of foremen of selecting their forces from day to day, or not having any regular situation be prohibited. It was regarded as doing away with the phalanx system, and was finally recommended for reconstruction, after numerous amendments.

A proposition that was made a law provides that a strike or lockout may be declared off by a majority vote of the union involved, while a three-fourths vote is necessary to declare a strike or lockout.

After a long discussion no change was made in the law for foremen to observe priority in giving out positions. The matter was left to enforcement by local unions.

BRYAN INSISTS HE IS NOT A CANDIDATE.

Desires That a Loyal Candidate Be Chosen Who Will Stand by the People.

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 14.—William J. Bryan has written a letter to the editor of the New Orleans Times (Democrat) in answer to the question whether he was a candidate for president in the next campaign. Bryan said in part:

"I shall not be a candidate for the presidency in the next campaign, and have no choice beyond the desire to see nominated one who was loyal, not only to the ticket, but to the platform of 1896 and 1900, and who, if elected, should be trusted to stand by the people in the struggle against organized wealth.

"While no one can look very far ahead or foresee the contingencies that may arise I have no plans looking to a renomination at any future time."

ARRIVE IN ENGLAND IN THEIR 30-FOOT LAUNCH.

Father and Son Left New York, July 9—Suffered Many Hardships.

FALMOUTH, England, Aug. 14.—Captain Newman and his son, Edward, arrived here tonight in their 30-foot launch, Abel Abbott Low, in which they sailed from New York City, on July 9.

Captain Newman said: "The launch has proved herself a noble boat, but we have experienced some awful times since we left New York.

"My boy became ill and homesick, and I suffered greatly from exposure and long sitting in one position."

KILLS HUSBAND AND INJURES WIFE.

Prominent Cuban Is Attacked by Husband and Shoots in Self-Defense.

TAMPA, Fla., Aug. 14.—Charles J. Allen was killed and his wife fatally shot today by Manuel Chevez, one of the wealthiest and most prominent young men of the Cuban colony here. The account generally believed is that Allen returned home unexpectedly and found Chevez in his house, and that he assaulted the Cuban. Chevez drew a pistol and began to fire. One bullet entered the body of Mrs. Allen, who had rushed between the men. The shooting of Mrs. Allen is believed to have been accidental. Chevez surrendered to the sheriff.

BELIEVE THOMPSON TO BE THE MURDERER.

Police Are Still Trying to Connect Him With the Bartholin Murder.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—The police are still trying to connect Oscar Thompson, who roomed at Mrs. Bartholin's house with her murderer and also with that of Minnie Mitchell. Witnesses have been produced who will testify that Thompson, John Claffyn and the third man, supposed to have been young Bartholin, were in the street with a horse and wagon at daylight the morning after the disappearance of Minnie Mitchell.

GOVERNOR ODELL A WILLING CANDIDATE

OYSTER BAY, Aug. 14.—Governor Odell was the president's guest at a luncheon. An interview between the president and the governor proceeded on the basis that Governor Odell will be a candidate to succeed himself in November. "If I am nominated," said the governor, "I shall be simply an ordinary candidate and will not attempt to dictate what the platform shall contain."

He did not know what the platform would contain but he would endeavor to adopt himself to it.

DISTRICT GOVERNOR OF TUTUILA IS DEAD.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Captain Sobree, naval governor of the island, has advised the navy department from Tutuila, that Tutuila, one of the chiefs who held the position of district governor since the United States assumed sovereignty of the island, died on June 15.

WILL LAND FORCES IF SUCH IS NEEDED

Rebels of Venezuela in Full Control—No Attempt to Retake Town.

TOPEKA READY FOR BATTLE

Commander Nickels Will Prevent Bombardment Without Due Notice—Matos Has the Ports.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—A dispatch has been received from Commander Nickels, of the Topeka, at Porto Cabello, stating that the revolutionists were in control and that there was no danger of an attempt to re-take the town by the government forces. Nickels stated that the necessity for landing a force has not arisen. In official circles the control of Porto Cabello by the revolutionists is considered a signal victory for that party as it is the place of strategic importance.

The Topeka is looking after the interests of Americans in that section of the country, and Commander Nickels was given full directions to land a force if necessary and also to prevent bombardment without due notice. Nickels' dispatch is the first official information that reached Washington that the revolutionists have secured control of Porto Cabello.

According to the information in possession of the officials here, Castro is being hemmed in from three sides at Caracas.

No further steps have been taken towards sending additional ships to Venezuela and no fresh instructions have been sent to the commanders of American ships there.

TO RELIEVE NEW YORK POLICE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Avery D. Andrews, one of Mayor Low's commission of three to suggest a plan for the reorganization of the police force, will sail for Europe today on the steamship Grosserfurt and will return in September with settled views relating to the police systems of London, Paris and Berlin. Mr. Andrews is especially instructed to look into the hours of labor of policemen in the great cities of Europe and to report on the advantages if any, of the so-called five platoon system of London. It has been determined by Mayor Low to give the men more time off duty and the statistics of both foreign and American cities are to be obtained in regard to the platoon system.

While Mr. Andrews is obtaining information in Europe, Commissioner Partridge and Mr. Philbin will go deeply into the subject here, so that a comprehensive report can be made to Mayor Low in October.

DEATH OF ALBERT NETTER, THE PROMOTER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The death of Albert Netter, formerly of Cincinnati, is announced in a cablegram to the World from London. He died of Bright's Disease, aged 55.

Mr. Netter came prominently before the American public at the time of the greatest success of Ives, "The Napoleon of Finances," in connection with the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railway deal. Mr. Netter left America in 1891. After that he lived in Brazil and England. He was in Rio de Janeiro at the time of Dom Pedro's overthrow, and had obtained a valuable railway concession from the emperor the day before the revolution. He backed the Palace Theater Music Hall in London and brought out several more or less successful companies. His last scheme was the projected Columbia Club.

WALES' MINERS ASSIST AMERICAN STRIKERS.

CARDIFF, Wales, Aug. 14.—South Wales miners' fraternity has adopted the recommendation that the federation districts contribute \$50,000 to assist the striking miners in the United States on the ground that they are contending for principles of international importance.

CHICAGO'S NEGRO EXPOSITION OPENED BY ROOSEVELT

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 14.—President Roosevelt will press a button in the library of his summer home at Oyster Bay tonight, at 8 o'clock and the signal will open the first negro exposition ever held—the Middle States and Mississippi Valley Exposition—which will occupy the First Regiment armory until September 14. The ex-

position will show the progress of the negro race in this country from the abolition of slavery 40 years ago. Over 30 states and territories are represented. The exercises attendant upon the opening will consist of addresses by Lieutenant-Governor Northcott, Mayor Harrison and Rev. John W. Bowen, president of the Gammon Theological Seminary.

TO RECOGNIZE SCIENTISTS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Prof. J. McKean Cattell, of Columbia University, has been selected by the Carnegie Institution to compile a directory and biographical dictionary of the men of science of the United States. Prof. Cattell is now sending out blank forms with pertinent inquiries. Among the heads on which information is desired from the recipient are: Department of study, honors conferred, books with publishers; chief subjects of research and researches in progress. The institution which was formed by the trust deed of January 28, 1902, has thus far been attempting to define a line of action and the operations of many scientific men have been sought to determine these initial steps. The coming autumn is likely to show further activity and definite results on the part of the trustees, who have \$500,000 a year to disburse.

MARQUIS HAD APPENDICITIS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Marquis di Rudini, the Italian commissioner to the St. Louis Exposition, who underwent an operation for appendicitis last Friday, is making a very satisfactory recovery.

GENERAL FUNSTON ABLE TO BE IN HIS OFFICE

DENVER, Aug. 14.—General Frederick Funston was in his office today for the first time in more than a week. There have been two operations on his hip for an abscess, caused by a bullet wound received in Cuba.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT TO BE HELD IN OCTOBER.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Commander in Chief Torrance, of the G. A. R., accompanied by S. H. Fowler, adjutant general, arrived in Washington today and will maintain their quarters here until the close of the annual encampment of the G. A. R. in October.

TELEGRAPH SUPERINTENDENT IS DEAD.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Aug. 14.—Jas. B. Bonner, superintendent of the telegraph of the entire Harriman system of railroads, died here today, aged 35 years. He came to San Antonio five weeks ago from San Francisco for the benefit of his health.

SOUND'S PACK AMOUNTS TO 2,000,000 CASES.

SEATTLE, Aug. 14.—Serious deficit in the fish pack of the North Pacific waters is this early apparent. The supply, it is now evident, will be 1,488,912 cases short for Puget Sound and British Columbia with a total deficit of about 2,000,000 cases.

NO PAPAL CONSISTORY PROBABLE BEFORE FALL.

ROME, Aug. 14.—The correspondent of the Associated Press has been authoritatively informed that no papal consistory is probable before November.

MOGVERN AND CORBETT TO MEET AT LOUISVILLE

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Terry McGovern and Young Corbett will not meet in New London August 29, as originally arranged. They will fight before the Southern Athletic Club at Louisville, September 15.

FARMERS HAVE FORMED COMBINE

Will Build Their Own Elevators to Hold Crops for a Better Price.

PLAN FOR HIGHER PRICES

Have Organized a Corporation With Capital of \$50,000,000 and Will Operate in Twenty States.

PIERRE, S. D., Aug. 14.—The Farmers' National Co-Operation Exchange Company has incorporated with a capital of \$50,000,000. The purpose of the corporation is to buy, sell and deal in grain, provisions, livestock and all kinds of produce on commission and otherwise, and for the purpose of building and equipping grain elevators, warehouses, cold storage plants, stockyards and whatever may be necessary to carry on the business of the corporation.

One-fourth of the capital stock will be used for building the elevators, yards, branch offices, etc., and another fourth will be made a cash fund for the purpose of dealing in cash grain and provisions on the Board of Trade. The remaining half of the capital stock will be left virtually with the farmers in various banks where the money has been raised to enable them to carry their crops for a more favorable market.

This will give the farmers \$25,000,000 back of their interests to help them in securing better prices for their produce through 20 states.

KILLS HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW.

Result of a Quarrel Over an Alleged Blackmailing.

PERRY, Kas., Aug. 14.—J. W. Colley shot and killed his brother-in-law, L. P. Simmons, here tonight. The trouble resulted over an alleged blackmailing of the Colley's family by Simmons. The latter was recently found guilty of the offense charged and was fined \$500.

OFFICIAL ESTIMATE OF HUNGARIAN WHEAT.

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Aug. 14.—Official estimate of the Hungarian wheat yield based on the returns up to August is 164,122,000 bushels. The estimate made to July 30, placed the crop at 144,500,000.

BASEBALL

NORTHWEST LEAGUE.

At Portland—Portland, 7; Spokane, 2. At Butte—Helena, 7; Butte, 4. At Tacoma—Seattle, 9; Tacoma, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Boston—Boston, 2; Chicago, 1. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 4; Detroit, 3; second game, Philadelphia, 5; Detroit, 1. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 5; Cleveland, 7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 5; St. Louis, 4. At Brooklyn—Chicago, 6; Brooklyn, 2. At Boston—Pittsburg, 6; Boston, 1. At New York—Cincinnati, 6; New York, 3.

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