

APPALACHIAN EXPOSITION

Wright Brothers Aeroplane Flights Among Features For Coming Week.

"BATTLE OF CLOUDS"

Unsurpassed Pyrotechnic Spectacles Arranged—Magnificent Exhibit.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 19.—Success surpassing the most sanguine anticipations of the promoters has been achieved by the Appalachian exposition during its week.

The great enterprise, the largest and most comprehensive ever presented in the south, opened its gates last Monday at noon, with every detail complete. This fact alone made the Appalachian exposition an exception in the history of great fairs, and is largely responsible for the degree of pleasure the thousands of visitors within its gates have attained.

The coming week's program bids fair to surpass that of the first week, and the attendance will be correspondingly greater, if the present indications prevail. Among the stellar attractions booked for the week is the continuation of the aviation tournament, with the added feature extraordinary of the Wright brothers' aeroplanes. The Wright machine will make its initial ascension at a southern exposition or fair on Wednesday afternoon. Flights will be made daily for one week, and it is confidently expected that thousands will be drawn to the exposition solely for this feature. The daring solutions, which have made the Wright machine famous as a practical aerial craft, will be executed, and it will be an exhibition second to none that has ever been seen in the south. In addition to this, the Stroebel dirigible balloon, Coleman's triple parachute leaps from dual balloons, and the captive balloon "Illinois" will also make two or more ascensions each day. The aviation tournament is proving one of the best drawing cards, and is wholly unlike anything ever offered in this section. The Wright brothers' aeroplane has been secured at a very large expense, and it is held out as a prime feature of the exposition period.

"BATTLE OF THE CLOUDS"

The most spectacular of the many pyrotechnic displays contracted for the Appalachian exposition, will be offered during the coming week, beginning with Monday night, September 19, and continuing through Saturday night, September 24. This will be Pain's "Battle of the Clouds." Never has human mind conceived a more dramatic or more highly interesting creation in pyrotechnics. The "Battle of the Clouds" is devised as if it were a war between the planets Earth and Mars. The aerial fighting craft, which may not be an improbability of the future, are arranged against one another, and from the earth automobiles with fire-belching guns of great power are aimed at these airships, each of which is equipped with deadly fighting apparatus. The discharging of volleys, the falling of the airships, the explosion of the auto crafts, and the other features of the battle about terra firma are vividly portrayed in a spectacle that continues an hour or more. This fireworks conception has never before been seen in the entire south. It is an absolutely new creation, and it alone is worth a trip to the exposition. It has been secured at an enormous cost to the exposition company.

Coincident with the Wright brothers' machine's coming will be the opening of the bench show. This will present 1,000 or more fine ca-

nines. Dogs are registered from all parts of the south, and many fanciers in the north and east have also entered their dogs. The management asserts that this will be the best bench show ever planned and executed in the south, and men who are eminent authorities in matters canine are interested in it. This show will continue through September 22, 23 and 24.

In addition to these special features for the coming week, the large number of midway and other amusements will be in full blast, some new attractions having been added since the exposition's opening. The Midway Jungle is a constellation of places of entertainment for the pleasure seeker, beginning with the wild west show and continuing through the trained wild animal exhibition, goat and pony shows, Equimaux and villages, etc., etc. The collection of shows is high class and complete, and the Midway Jungle has been the scene of much amusement and merriment each day and night.

EXHIBITS OF INTEREST.

The exhibition buildings, which are magnificent testimonials of the commercial, industrial and social achievements of the Appalachian region are being visited by thousands daily. The exhibits are very representative, and even local people have marveled at their completeness and at the character of the great resources of this section, as set out therein. The federal government's exhibit is particularly creditable, and has never been equaled at a southern exposition of any character. The minerals and forestry displays set forth the rich possessions of this region in that class. The live stock exhibits present the best of Appalachian cattle and horses, etc. The negro building is an embodiment of the progress the colored race is making. The Woman's building offers displays of the feminine handiwork of the great Appalachian country, and is likewise the social center of the exposition. These buildings are open to all, free of cost.

The railroads report that traffic has been heavy during the first week of the exposition. They have put on additional trains, and have augmented their equipment on regular trains, so that all exposition travel will be adequately handled. The local hotels, boarding and apartment houses and private homes are equal to the task of housing and feeding the thousands of visitors, this being due largely to the efficiency of the public comfort department of the exposition, which has listed over 10,000 beds for each night of the exposition.

The street railway and shuttle train facilities are up to the demands for transporting people to and from the exposition grounds. In fact every detail has been carefully studied, with a view to making the exposition thorough and pleasing and altogether agreeable to visitors.

Eight Injured.

Eight persons, five women and three men, were more or less seriously injured when a Wright aeroplane, driven by Arthur Hoxey, swerved sidelong into a crowd at the State Fair at Milwaukee. None of the injured will die.

Three Largest Cities.

Washington, Sept. 18.—New York is easily the largest American city, with a population of 4,766,883.

Chicago comes second with 2,185,283, an increase of 486,708, or 28.7 per cent.

Philadelphia comes third with 1,549,008.

GOOD FARM

Purchased by Mr. John M. Major.

Mr. E. C. Radford has sold his farm near Edwards' Mill, known as the Sandy McRae place, to Mr. John M. Major, the consideration being \$8,700. There are 250 acres in the tract, the most of it being good land. The farm is a good one and is considered a bargain at the price. Possession will be given Jan. 1.

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Red Men of Kentucky Endorse National Indian Monument.

Washington, Sept. 18.—Added impetus has been given the movement to erect a suitable memorial to the North American Indian in New York Harbor by the hearty co operation of the various orders of Red Men throughout the country.

Red Men in Kentucky are in hearty sympathy with the movement and resolutions expressing their willingness to support it have been passed by many of the Tribes. Cherokee Tribe No. 8, of Louisville, at its last regular meeting, unanimously pledged its support and a resolution was passed donating from the "wampum belt" of the Tribe the sum of 10 "fathoms" (\$10). A committee of three has been appointed to open and conduct a popular subscription to aid the work, said popular subscription to consist of two inches from each individual Red Man and one inch from each "paleface" who may contribute.

The movement to erect this gigantic memorial to the Indian at the entrance of the nation, originated with Mr. Rodman Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, who, for years, has been a close student of the Indian on his native ground. The bill providing for the same was introduced by Hon. Joseph A. Goulden, of New York, at the past session of Congress, and has been favorably reported from the committee on library, to which it was referred. A similar bill was introduced at the same time in the Senate by Senator Depew. It is expected that the bill will become a law at the coming session, when work on the monument will begin at once.

KELLY--RODES

Popular Hopkinsville Boy to Wed a Lexington Girl.

Announcement is made through Lexington, Ky., papers of the 18th that Mr. Wallace Kelly, of Dallas, Texas, and Miss Louise Rodes, of Lexington, will be married October 26, at the home of the bride's mother.

Miss Rodes is a cousin of the Rev. C. H. H. Branch and that gentleman has been invited to officiate on the occasion.

Mr. Kelly is a son of Mr. Walter Kelly, of this city, and is one of the finest young men in every sense that Hopkinsville has ever "turned out."

LET BABIES DIE.

While They Were Being Exhibited For Money.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 19.—As a result of the death of three babies in the incubator show at the State Fair grounds, Dr. Douglas Snyder, of Pittsburg, who was in charge of the show, was arrested Saturday night in Jeffersonville, Ind., just across the Ohio river, by Chief of Police Wall.

Twelve warrants, charging a statutory offense, had been issued against Snyder by County Attorney Bullitt. The babies were on exhibition for four days, hence the twelve warrants one for each child each day.

At the coroner's inquest into the death of the babies it was said that death was due to inanition.

Mrs. Snyder was arrested at the fair grounds charged with being an accessory.

Triple Affliction.

Danville, Ky., Sept. 16.—Allene Kerr, the little deaf, dumb and blind girl of Covington, arrived this morning and entered the Kentucky School for the deaf. She is the first student so afflicted for whom the State has provided a way for an education.

Miss Sophia Alcorn, of Stanford, has been chosen as the teacher, and Miss Kerr is the only student.

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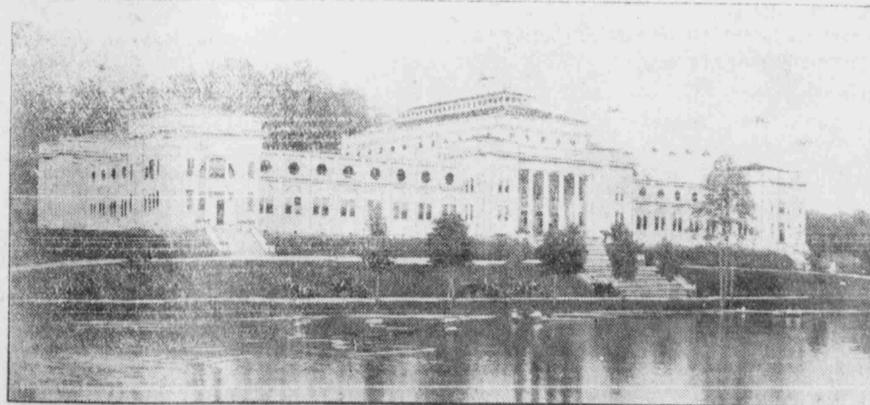
GREAT CROWDS DAILY!

120,250 Passed Through Turn Stiles First Week.

Wright Bros. Aeroplanes

Flight Begins Thursday, September 22

Stroebel's dirigible airship also makes two flights daily. Sensational aeronautical events. \$20.00 expended for aerial attractions.



Manufacturers' and Mechanics Building of Appalachian Exposition, Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 12 to Oct. 12.

This building is the largest Exposition building in the South and is completely filled with exhibits. One million dollars invested in the Exposition.

Pain's Great Pyrotechnic Display

"The Battle in the Clouds"

The Greatest Sensation of the Year

Every Night This Week, Commencing September 19th.

BAND CONCERTS by famous bands daily. Forty-five magnificent midway attractions.

Railway rates the lowest ever given an exposition. Coach rates from this city \$6.05 round trip.

LOST!

Two setter bitches—one white and lemon, other white, black and tan. Medium size. Reward for information or return to H. P. WARE, Hopkinsville, Ky., Route 2, Cumb. Phone 721.

First Electrocution.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 16.—Roger Warren, a negro was today convicted of the murder of Wm Ratcliffe and sentenced to be electrocuted. Warren and Ratcliffe were convicts in the State Penitentiary and the negroes became involved in a quarrel over five cents and murder resulted.

Cholera Spreading.

The cholera epidemic which, originating in Southern Russia, has a medal ready upward of 100,000 victims, is stretching its way across Asiatic Russia, and yesterday was officially declared to threaten the province of Amur in Southeast Siberia. Many deaths also are reported from Italy.

Positively Greater and Grander Than Ever Fall Agricultural Fair, Races and Horse Show

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