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## THE FAIR DEDICATION

**SUNDAY CLOSING ASSURED AT THE CHICAGO EXPOSITION.**

Vice President Morton and Ex-President Hayes arrive in the Exposition City, as does also Governor Flower and many other distinguished Dedication guests.

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—The hum of conversation, the footsteps of arriving delegations, the glitter of military uniforms lent to the hotel lobbies a brightness, bustle and activity which strongly contrasted with the dismal downpour of dripping rain which greeted what is practically the first day's prominent arrivals for the World's fair dedication. It is questionable if ever on the occasion of the largest conventions—political, social and religious—the chief hotels experienced such a steady influx of guests.

To the Grand Pacific must be assigned the honor of receiving the first of the distinguished visitors. These were Ex-President Hayes and his daughter.

Mr. Hayes had arrived with Vice President Morton, who was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Redmond, a friend of the family and Private Secretary Chilton. Mr. Morton and party were driven to the home of President Higginbotham, of the local territory.

Colonel Elliott F. Shepard, of the New York Mail and Express and of Sunday closing fame, was also accompanied by his daughter, who came on the same train. Governor Rountt and staff, of Colorado; Governor H. H. Markham and staff, of California, and Governor Allen Wrey and staff, of Washington, also arrived and are quartered at the Grand Pacific. Governor Burleigh, of Maine, and staff are quartered at the Victoria.

Governor Flower and staff arrived over the Michigan Central. The party was met at the depot by the reception committee and escorted to the Auditorium. Mrs. W. R. Halsey, niece of Governor Flower, was a member of the party. Governor B. J. Reynolds and staff of Delaware, are at the Leland. The members of the cabinet of the city of Philadelphia are at the Leland. Governor Frank J. Brown and staff, of Maryland, are at the Palmer House.

Four companies of marines, accompanied by their celebrated band, arrived from Washington and New York. Three hundred and five boys from the Carlisle Indian school are also here to take part in the grand pageant.

**The Sunday Question.**  
There was a large attendance of national commissioners when President T. W. Palmer called that body to order in the city council chamber. The present session of the commission is to be one of considerable importance. The session was opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. McPherson, which reports were made by President Palmer and Secretary Dickinson.

The Sunday closing question then came up, and the most important action of the commission at the session was a decision to hear an argument for or against the opening of the fair on Sunday. They regard the action of congress as a final settlement of the controversy. Tomorrow had been set as the date for hearing arguments, and numerous pleaders on both sides of the question will be disappointed in not having an opportunity to air their views.

General Miles and the local directory were then placed under fire. Ex-Governor Waller, of Connecticut, led the malcontents in an attack on the arrangements for a military parade. The troops, he said, were brought here to parade the streets of Chicago, not to be kept locked up in the World's fair grounds. Resolutions were introduced ordering that arrangements be made for a military parade through the principal streets of Chicago, but after a long discussion the whole matter was finally laid on the table.

**New York's Dedication.**  
The following is the programme for the dedication of the New York State building at the exposition grounds Oct. 22:  
Music, orchestra; music, quartet; prayer, Rev. John Brown, D. D., St. Thomas church, New York; music, orchestra; formal assignment of buildings to exposition uses, Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, president of the board of general managers of the exhibition of the state of New York; acceptance of the building on behalf of the exposition authorities, Hon. George R. Davis, director general; music, orchestra; address, Hon. Russell P. Flower, governor of New York; address of his grace, the archbishop of the state of New York; music, quartet; dedication poem, W. H. McElroy, music, orchestra.

**Cleveland Will Not Participate.**  
CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Ex-President Cleveland will not participate in the Columbian exposition dedicatory exercises this week. In a letter received by the committee on ceremonies from him Mr. Cleveland declined the invitation which the exposition officials had sent him to take part in the festivities, giving as a reason that he did not wish to gain any political advantage over an opponent who is detained by so sad a circumstance as that which keeps President Harrison from attending the exercises. "I may be oversensitive or even morbid on the subject," read the letter, "but I cannot allow myself to take political advantage of the opportunity afforded in the sad sickness that keeps President Harrison away from Chicago."

**Graves May Go Free.**  
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 18.—The famous Graves murder trial at Denver has just come before the courts again on appeal. Private information received here goes to show that the condemned will be granted a new trial and that Dr. Graves will be liberated on bail, which means his ultimate liberty.

**Racine's Ossified Man Dead.**  
RACINE, Wis., Oct. 19.—Curtis Hicks, Racine's ossified man, died at his home last night. His feet, toes, ankles, legs, knee joints and even the hips were perfectly ossified. There was not a joint in his body that was not solid as bone.

## COUNCILMEN MEET.

**Quite a Lot of Business Done at a Special Meeting Last Evening.**

The members of the borough council met in special session last evening, with Messrs. Doors, Williamson, Fritzing, Rutter and DePiero present. The meeting was called to order by President Doors, who stated that a communication was received from the committee on Columbus Day parade, asking the council to take part in the exercises.

A motion was passed that owing to previous engagements by many of the councilmen, the secretary was instructed to notify the committee that they regret not being able to accept the invitation.

The street commissioner presented a petition from property holders on Ridge street requesting that a crossing be placed at the northern intersection of Ridge and Chestnut streets. The matter was laid over until those already under way are disposed of.

The street commissioner was instructed to clean up all loose stones on the streets and deliver them at the park, then finish the crossings.

A committee, consisting of the secretary, Owen Fritzing and E. W. Rutter, was appointed to see the trustees of St. Luke's church, and request permission to have a drain laid through their ground to Rev. Schmidt's residence on Washington street.

The question as to the collection of bills for shoveling snow was discussed, and it was agreed that they be placed in the hands of C. O. Stroh, J. P., for collection. A bill for sharpening tools, amounting to \$2.40, was presented and ordered paid.

**Re-opening To-morrow.**  
The building of the Tigers Athletic Association, which has been in the hands of the carpenters for the past month, will be re-opened at 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Besides the addition of another story the building has been entirely remodeled, and is better adapted to the needs of the members than heretofore.

Although considerable work is yet to be done in the line of painting, etc., it is far enough advanced to open, and the association extends an invitation to the public to be present to-morrow or at any future time.

The parlor, reading room and gymnasium will be fitted up in elaborate style, and presents a most inviting appearance to visitors. At 3.30 P. M. to-morrow the St. Patrick's cornet band will attend and give a musical entertainment.

A large flag-pole is being erected on the building to-day, and a handsome new American flag will float there early to-morrow morning. The entire building will be decorated, and underneath the stars and stripes will be seen the flags of Italy, Spain and Ireland.

**From Beaver Meadow to Shenandoah.**  
At the state department yesterday a charter was granted to the Beaver Meadow, Hazleton, Mahanoy and Shenandoah Railway Company. This company is chartered with a capital stock of \$150,000. It proposes to build an electric road twenty-five miles long and will operate in Luzerne, Carbon and Schuylkill counties.

Hazleton capitalists are largely interested in this road which will connect with the Hazleton and South Side and the Hazleton and North Side roads.

The directors are A. Markle, J. J. McGeehin, N. C. Yost, Hazleton; A. P. Blakeslee, Delano, and P. J. Ferguson, Shenandoah.

This will furnish quick transit to the Schuylkill region.—Sentinel.

## HIGHLAND DOTS.

On Tuesday afternoon at 2 P. M. the wedding of Patrick Quinn and Miss Mamey Wackley, both of this place, was celebrated in St. Ann's church. Rev. M. J. Fallhee performed the ceremony. The bridesmaid was Miss Ella Devenney, of Hazleton, and the groomsmen, James Quinn, a brother of the groom. A reception was held in the evening at which much pleasure and enjoyment was had by the guests. The bride and groom received the congratulations and best wishes of all present, and the whole neighborhood joins in wishing the young couple a happy journey through life.

The teachers and scholars of the public schools here will celebrate Columbus Day in the morning by rendering a well selected and arranged programme, consisting of recitations, select reading, singing, etc. The teachers are doing their utmost to have their pupils make a creditable display. In the afternoon the schools will take part in the parade at Freeland.

Wm. Kester has an unusual pleasant smile this last few days. It's a boy. A new engine house is to be built shortly for the purpose of hoisting the No. 3 coal on the breaker. This will save a great deal of unnecessary bridge work, which is very slow and annoying.

John Kringe made a business trip to our village on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul, of Hazleton, spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends. Mrs. Robert Oliver is visiting friends in Lackawanna county this week.

Al. Seitz and wife were visiting friends in Hazleton on Sunday. The measles have made their appearance in town and are spreading at a rapid rate. While it is not dangerous, if care is taken, still, a number of children are laid up with it.

The fair bank is still kept at the old stand running in full bloom. For several nights last week it had been closed owing to the dealer being out of town.

John Boner and wife, of Oneida, were visiting at the residence of Tebald Wackley for several days this week. Last week the work was a little steadier than usual, but whether we work full time or half time the result is about the same at New Year, so far as wealth is concerned.

**The Literary Entertainment.**  
The entertainment to be given at the opera house to-morrow evening under the auspices of the C. Y. M. Literary Institute and the Daughters of Mary Sodality will be witnessed by a full house. There are only a few reserved seats vacant on the diagram, and these will no doubt be sold before this evening.

The programme, which has already been published in these columns, will commence promptly at 8 o'clock. All who will take part in the exercises have prepared themselves with great care, and the prospects are that it will be a fine illustration of what home talent can do.

**Grand Ball To-night.**  
Everything is ready for the grand ball to be held this evening at the Freeland opera house by Local Assembly No. 355, Knights of Labor. As all the colliers in this vicinity will be idle to-morrow it is a certain fact that the hall will be crowded with a merry throng.

The floor will be in good condition for this ball. It has been thoroughly cleaned and waxed, thereby preventing the dancers from being annoyed with dust. Refreshments and eatables of all kinds will be sold, and the committee extends a cordial invitation to the public to be present.

**Excursion to Scranton.**  
The excursion of the Italian societies of lower Luzerne to Scranton will take place to-morrow. They will be accompanied by the Freeland P. O. S. of A. band and the Hazleton Liberty band. The fare and time of trains is given in another column.

Those who wish to spend the day at Scranton will never have a better opportunity to get there at so cheap a rate. The unveiling of the monument to Columbus will be preceded by a monster parade and will be attended by all the prominent officials of the state.

**Democratic Rally.**  
The Democratic county committee intended to hold a meeting here on Saturday evening and had made arrangements with speakers for that date, but as the opera house was engaged they decided to postpone it until Saturday, October 29.

Wm. F. Boyle, one of the fourth district members of the county committee, is making arrangements to procure one or more speakers from the national committee, in addition to those supplied by the county.

## READY FOR TO-MORROW.

**Favorable Prospects for a Large Parade and a Fine Celebration.**  
The committee in charge of the Columbus Day celebration met last evening, and the reports from the sub-committees show that all the work laid out had been completed. All that is now necessary for a good celebration is fine weather.

A rumor was current on the streets last evening that some of the operators would try to run their colliers to-morrow, but this was not believed by many.

Garfield Commandery, No. 5, Knights of Malta, decided on Monday evening to take part in the parade, and they have been assigned a position in the first division, following Freeland Company, No. 29, Military Rank, Knights of the Mystic Chain.

In the order of parade published on Monday the St. Ann's T. A. B. Pioneer Corps were unintentionally omitted. This society will lead the fourth division. Grand Marshal Hanlon requests that every division be in its proper position at 1 o'clock sharp, and any societies that have accepted the invitation and not yet made plans will form after the Knights of Malta in the order they arrive at Ridge and Luzerne. There has been no changes in the programme since Monday except those noted above.

The exercises at the borough schools in the morning will be unusually fine. Music will be supplied by the St. Patrick's cornet band. The Foster schools will also observe the day in a most creditable manner.

**School of Instruction.**  
The Democratic county committee has made arrangements to open a school of instructions for the Democratic voters and election officers of this section, and asks, as a special request, that all members of the party will be present and test the new ballot law.

The school will be open at tax collector Given's office, corner of Centre and Carbon streets, Five Points, on Monday and Tuesday evenings, October 24 and 25. Sample ballots and all the apparatus used in the new system will be there. Don't fail to vote and listen to the instructions that will be given. It costs nothing but a little time, and it may save you from casting an illegal vote on election day.

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## BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

**PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE REGION.**

**Little Ones of Interest About People You Know and Things You Wish to Hear About—What the Folks of This and Other Towns Are Doing.**  
Counterfeit nickels are in town. Remember the ball this evening. Bartenders are in demand for to-morrow.

Take a look at the "Pleasure Calendar" in another column. A scarcity of water is reported at the colliers throughout the region. Drifted colliers were idle Tuesday afternoon owing to a scarcity of cars.

John F. Collier, a well-known young man of Pittston, died at that place on Monday. Services will be held at St. Ann's Catholic church to-morrow at 8 and 10.30 A. M.

Washburn's celebrated flour is the finest in the world. You can buy it at B. F. Davis' store. Ladies, call at Neuberger's and see the handsome stock of jackets and reefers they have just received.

The Hazleton Liberty band celebrated the thirty-third anniversary of its organization on Tuesday evening. George Rickert, of Hazle Brook, has begun preparations for the erection of a dwelling on Birkebeck street.

When you need boots and shoes it will pay you to take a look at Neuberger's large stock of footwear. They sell them at the lowest prices. Rilly Jones will give a boxing exhibition at Wilkes-Barre to-morrow evening. All the prominent pugilists of the state are on the programme.

John Devinyne, of Hazleton, and Miss Mamey O'Donnell, of Eckley, were married at the latter place on Monday by Rev. Thos. Brehony. The Schuylkill operators will get a taste of taxing land values. The revision of the coal land assessment of the county places the total at \$20,000,000, an increase of 100 per cent.

Robert Hamilton, aged 17, missed his footing while attempting to board a coal train at Plymouth and fell under the wheels. One foot was cut off and it may be necessary to amputate the other.

So great have been the ravages of diptheria in Norwegian township, Schuylkill county, that the directors closed the schools. There is hardly a family that has not one or more children down with it.

"Quick sales and small profits" is Philip Goff's business motto. He has always the largest and best assorted stock of watches, clocks, rings and jewelry of all kinds. Sulphered jewelry a specialty.

Costiveness is the cause of the intolerable "bad breath" of multitudes. Dr. Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters remove the cause and prevent the evil, and cost only 25 cents. Sold by Dr. Schilcher.

Bryan McNulty, of Philadelphia, who was a visitor at the residence of J. J. Gillespie recently, died at his home on Monday, aged 67 years. The funeral took place this morning. He was formerly a resident of Buck Mountain.

At the Scranton cathedral on Sunday, Father O'Reilly took occasion to condemn severely the elopement craze raging here for several months. He entered an emphatic protest against the young people of his congregation going out of the state to be married without consent.

FOR SALE—Two lots situated on east side of Washington street, between Luzerne and Carbon streets, Five Points. Apply to Patrick McFadden, Eckley, or T. A. Buckley, Freeland.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY.

**BETHEL BAPTIST.**  
Rev. C. A. Spaulding, Pastor.  
Sunday School.....10:00 A. M.  
Gospel Temperance.....2:30 P. M.  
Preaching.....6:00 P. M.

**HEAVENLY RECRUITS.**  
Centre Street, above Chestnut.  
Rev. Charles Brown, Pastor.  
Morning Service.....10:00 A. M.  
Sunday School.....2:00 P. M.  
Love Feast.....3:15 P. M.  
Preaching.....7:30 P. M.

**JEDDO METHODIST EPISCOPAL.**  
In charge of Rev. E. M. Chilcoat.  
Sunday School.....2:00 P. M.  
Preaching.....7:00 P. M.

**ST. ANN'S ROMAN CATHOLIC.**  
Rev. M. J. Fallhee, Pastor; Rev. F. P. McNally, Curate.  
Low Mass.....8:00 A. M.  
High Mass.....10:30 A. M.  
Sunday School.....2:00 P. M.  
Vespers.....4:00 P. M.  
Mass on Weekdays.....7:00 A. M.

**ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL.**  
South and Washington Streets.  
Rev. J. P. Buxton, Pastor.  
Sunday School.....1:30 P. M.  
Prayer and Sermon.....7:00 P. M.

**ST. JOHN'S REFORMED.**  
Main and Washington Streets.  
Rev. H. A. Benner, Pastor.  
Sunday School.....9:00 A. M.  
German Service.....10:30 A. M.  
Praise Meeting.....7:00 P. M.  
English Sermon.....7:30 P. M.  
Prayer and teachers' meeting every Saturday evening at 7.45 o'clock.

**ST. KASIMER'S POLISH CATHOLIC.**  
Ridge Street, above Carbon.  
Rev. Joseph Mazotas, Pastor.  
Mass.....11:00 A. M.  
Vespers.....4:00 P. M.  
Mass on Weekdays.....7:30 A. M.

**ST. LUKE'S GERMAN LUTHERAN.**  
Main and Washington Streets.  
Rev. A. Beimler, Pastor.  
Sunday School.....9:00 A. M.  
German Service.....10:00 A. M.  
Catechetical Instruction.....5:00 P. M.

**ST. MARY'S GREEK CATHOLIC.**  
Front and Fern Streets.  
Rev. Cyril Gulovich, Pastor.  
Low Mass.....8:00 A. M.  
High Mass.....10:30 A. M.  
Vespers.....4:00 P. M.

**TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL.**  
Birkebeck Street, South Heberton.  
Rev. E. M. Chilcoat, Pastor.  
Preaching.....10:00 A. M.  
Sunday School.....2:00 P. M.  
Prayer and League Meeting.....7:00 P. M.  
Epworth Class meets every Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

**WELSH BAPTIST.** (Donop's Hall)  
Walnut and Ridge Streets.  
Sunday School.....10:30 A. M.  
Prayer Meeting.....6:00 P. M.

**The Delaware, Susquehanna and Schuylkill R. R. Co.**  
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