

NEW LIGHT FOR CITY'S STREETS

Mayor Lea Says Ideal Light Has Been Found and Will Be Installed.

That the city has definitely decided on a new and more effective system of lighting the streets was announced Saturday morning by Mayor Tom Lea.

The city has been too long the victim of inadequate street lighting, Mayor Lea said, and the council has decided to make a change.

The change in the street light system is but the first step in a sweeping campaign to bring about better conditions in gas and electric rates.

BLUEJACKET COURT-MARTIALED FOR SPURNING WOMEN'S GIFT

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 22.—Because of his refusal to accept a gift proffered him by women of the national service school at Lake Geneva, Wis., George T. Higgins, a bluejacket, was today given a court-martial trial.

Higgins, who aided training of the women, created a considerable amount of discontent among his superior officers and the women of the camp by casting aside the present, with the remark that "an insult to the uniform of the bluejacket is an insult to me."

The alleged insult was declared to be the women's failure to invite Higgins and his comrades to a dance given on the last night of the camp.

Officers of the camp were invited. Counsel for Higgins indicated that his defense would be that Higgins and his comrades were called upon to perform duties not required by naval regulations.

Secretary of agriculture Higgins is an ardent tennis player.

COUNTRY CLUB CONTRACT LET

Members Approve the Dual Club Plan and President Potter Signs Contract.

Members of the El Paso Country club voted some time ago to build the new club house in the valley, and a site eight miles above the city was finally selected.

Mr. Potter today signed the contract with Handette & Crossatti for the building, at a cost of \$21,500, and work will start Monday, the site having already been cleared.

It was reported by the golf committee that the clearing of the land for a golf course had been completed. Further work was postponed until satisfactory adjustment had been made as to a claim of L. M. Crawford for a portion of the upper river tract.

ROBBER BANDS AGAIN BEGIN RAIDS IN POLAND

Warsaw, Poland, Sept. 23.—The bands of murderers and robbers which were suppressed a year ago are again becoming active in Poland.

The militia commander, instead of opening the door, fled to the roof with his son, a boy of 17 years, and prepared to defend himself, but the robbers discovered his father before he was ready to fire.

The murderers carried off all valuables they found in the house and disappeared before the police and a small detachment of German soldiers stationed in the neighborhood arrived.

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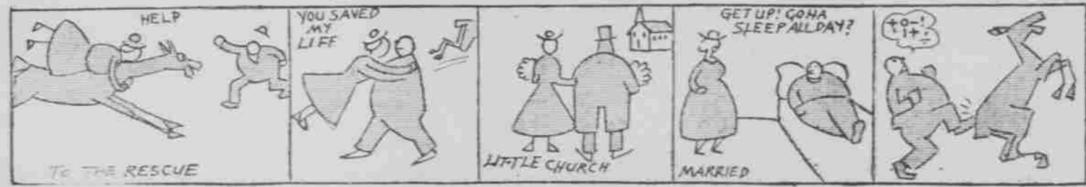
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exposition is concerned, are of secondary importance. Work on the buildings is progressing rapidly and according to H. K. Hanaford, the director of the exposition, they will be finished so that all exhibitors may have their displays placed by the opening day of the exposition.

OFFICER OF QUARTERMASTER CORPS COMING TO EL PASO. Lieut. Col. Alexander M. Davis, of the quartermaster corps, has been ordered to El Paso. Capt. George P. Thorne, of the same corps, will report to Fort Huachuca for temporary duty.

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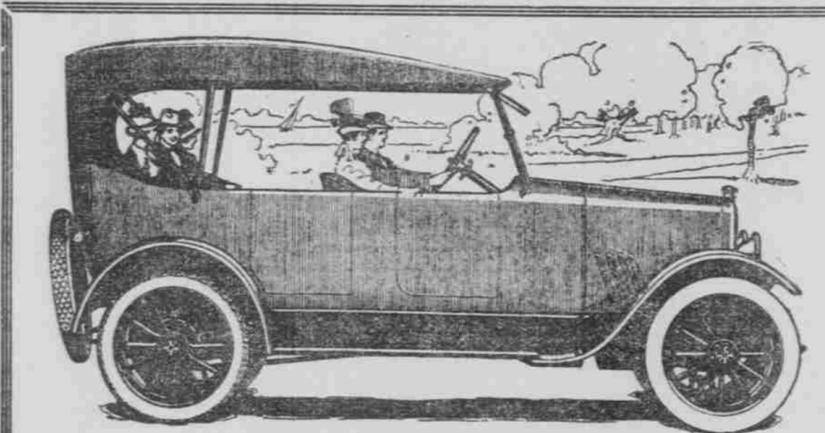
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MANY NOTABLES AT FARM MEET

First Outline of Program For Congress Here Given Out By Chairman.

W. E. Drummond, chairman of the board of governors of the International Farm congress and the International Soil Products exposition, started work Saturday on the program for the Farm congress, having received assurances from enough of the notables who will attend to outline an interesting three days' session.

The men who will speak at this year's session rank among the country's leading men and the foremost of the agricultural experts and scientists, said Mr. Drummond. "We will have probably the most comprehensive program ever given at any of the farm congresses. Besides the value to the agriculturists there will be combined with the scientific part of the sessions addresses on subjects of worldwide interest by the layman as well as the farmer."

Among those who have given assurances that they will take part on the program are Dr. Henry J. Waters, president of the Kansas Agricultural college, and a noted lecturer and author; Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture, and congressman W. E. Smith. They will share honors on the program Thursday, the opening day. The congress will be in session October 19, 20 and 21.

Among others who are to take part are Dr. W. E. Taylor, well cultivated for Deere & Company; D. E. Youngblood, director of the Texas experiment station; L. D. Swasey, the most successful breeder and commercial grower of potatoes; Denver; R. H. Forbes, director of the Arizona experiment station, and E. G. Peterson, president of the Utah Agricultural college.

University President Coming. Another speaker will be Dr. Johnson Wilds, president of Utah university and the author of a number of authoritative books on dry farming, farming by irrigation and other agricultural subjects. A. H. Laidigh, agronomist at the Texas experiment station, and W. L. Carlyle, director of the Oklahoma experiment station, also will have a place on the program.

Two men who are recognized as having the greatest record as dry farmers of wheat in the country, with average yields to the acre 100 percent greater than that obtained under the usual methods, will tell how they have reached preeminence in this field. They are Philip Held, of Arroyo, Colo., and E. H. Crim, of Texas.

Former Governor a Headliner. Congressman F. W. Mondell, of Wyoming, past president of the International Farm congress, and W. H. Suttles, former governor of Kansas, will be the "headline" attractions at the session Friday.

Among the interesting subjects to be discussed will be an address by Mrs. W. A. Warner, of Claude, Texas, "The Farm Woman," and a lecture by W. H. Motherwell, minister of agriculture of Saskatchewan, Canada, who will talk on "The Effect of the World War on North American Agriculture."

of El Paso should understand that subjects of general interest will be taken up. The speakers who will address the sessions would attract immense crowds in any city. I hope El Paso will show its appreciation of their presence here."

MAY NOT HAVE FORMAL DEDICATION EXERCISES The dedication of the buildings of

the International Soil Products exposition, set for Saturday night, is still indefinitely postponed. In fact, it is possible that there will be no formal dedication exercises, according to W. L. Drummond, chairman of the board of governors. The dedication ceremonies depend upon the completion of the main arches and other decorative features, which so far as the practical side of the

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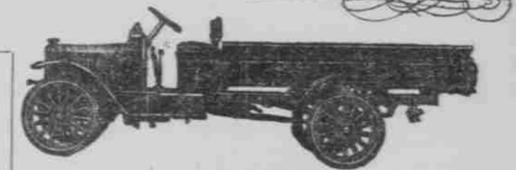
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