

UNDERWRITERS IN PLENTY KEY ARE ARRIVING IN LARGE NUMBERS. Meeting Place Changed to Century Hall Because of the Big Attendance—Buffalo Fight in the Fight for the Convention of 1899—Cincinnati and Indianapolis Also Want It—Minneapolis News.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 16.—The meeting place of the National convention in ninth annual session of the Century hall, Minneapolis, has been changed from K. of C. hall to Century hall. The change is deemed necessary by the committee of arrangements, owing to the large number of delegates who have arrived, and many who are expected this morning.

C. Jackson and E. N. Raul, the two clerks at the West hotel, were busy yesterday assigning the delegates to their apartments. The flow of arrivals began early in the morning and will continue at night. The most prominent arrival was President Thomas H. Bowles, of Milwaukee, accompanied by Mrs. Bowles. Mr. Bowles is the first to arrive from the west. Arrangements and escorted to the West hotel. He spoke upon the growth and prosperity of the organization, and stated that he would have much to say in this regard when he addressed a convention today.

NATIONAL SECRETARY E. W. Christy is also an early arrival, bringing with him stacks of literature which he told at a glance that his place was not a very easy one. G. Russell, official stenographer, accompanied by Mrs. Leonard, came in early for business. C. O. Viorst, director of the Intelligencer, Philadelphia, and F. L. Miner, Insurance Post, Chicago, were the advance guards of the pushers of whom there will be about twenty.

The man that came the greatest distance was F. A. Stolp, representing the Chicago Life and Accident Co., who is only delegate from the Golden West. Hon. Willard Merrill, first vice president, Mutual Life, Milwaukee, and C. N. Adams, superintendent of the Pacific, arrived last night. A great deal of amusement was created by the delegation from Western Wisconsin. They marched in the street wearing badges bearing the inscription, "Put me off at Buffalo, 99," thus giving out the fact that they were after the convention for the city of Buffalo. Several delegates, accompanied by their wives, arrived, and many of them brought their sons and daughters with them. The present convention is the first in the history of the organization, and it is expected that it will be the most successful yet.

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THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE OF THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT and served for many years as one of the chiefs of the largest divisions. In 1882 he received an auditor and controller. A widow and son survive him.

LITTLE FALLS, Aug. 16.—Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor Ayer, wife of Frederick Ayer, deceased, died yesterday morning at her home in Belle Prairie, aged 92 years and 6 months. Mrs. Ayer had been a resident of Minnesota since 1833. She was buried in the cemetery here.

IN HONOR OF LAFAYETTE. Patriotic School Children of America Will Build Him a Monument. CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—According to present plans, Lafayette, the French hero, who came across the sea in colonial days with word and money to aid the birth of liberty on American soil, will have his grave marked with a \$25,000 monument—a tribute from the patriotic school children of America.

President McKinley has concurred in the plan of the French-American committee, commissioner to the exposition of Paris, for the unveiling of this beautiful monument, in Paris, in July, 1900. It is to be the feature of the "United States day" at the exposition. At the commissioner general's office it is announced that the president will soon make an announcement, designating a date for the unveiling of the monument, for observance in every school district throughout the United States.

MISSING CASHIER. His Friends Unable to Account for His Disappearance. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 16.—Friends of George Himmel, cashier of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., Kansas City, Mo., have as yet been unable to explain his mysterious disappearance. J. H. Schumacher, superintendent of the Pinkerton's local branch, today said there was no reason to believe that Himmel had been kidnapped.

Situation at Pana Unchanged. PANAMA, Aug. 16.—A large force of armed deputies and special police were on guard at the mines today, and the union miners were congregated on the highways, waiting for the following day. The situation is unchanged, and the union miners are still on strike.

Wants to Be Well Paid. SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 16.—Amanda P. Austin has sued the estate of Millionaire coffee broker, her uncle, for \$15,000. She claims that her uncle had promised her \$15,000 for her services in his business.

Violent Electric Storm at Nellisville, Wis. NEILLSVILLE, Wis., Aug. 16.—The most violent electric storm ever witnessed here occurred last night. The flashes of lightning were constant, and the thunder was deafening.

Beckjord to Preside. Chosen Master of Ceremonies for Labor Day. The Labor day committee met last evening, and elected President Beckjord, of the Trades and Labor assembly, to the post of master of ceremonies for Labor day.

DROWNED IN ST. CROIX JOHN S. MOULTON LOSES HIS LIFE SUDDENLY. Fell in While Walking Along the Shore—Nobody was Near When He Was Drowned—Thresher Breaks Through a Bridge Near Belview—A Young Man Is Caught Under Timber and Neck Broken.

STILLWATER, Minn., Aug. 16.—(Special)—John S. Moulton, a well-known resident of Lakeland, was drowned in Lake St. Croix Sunday evening, but just how the drowning occurred will never be known. It is believed that Moulton was walking along the lake shore and fell in. Rescuers arrived at the scene of the accident at 10 o'clock, and although they were unable to see anything when they arrived at the lake, the supposition arose that some one had been drowned. Yesterday Mr. Moulton was missed from his accustomed haunts, and his disappearance gave rise to the impression that he had been drowned.

The new library board met yesterday at the home of Mrs. S. A. Murdoch and organized by electing the following officers: president, Mrs. S. A. Murdoch; vice president, Mrs. M. T. Torinus; secretary, Mrs. J. F. Purke; treasurer, Mrs. J. F. Purke. The board will meet again on Monday next.

STEAMER FOUND IT DIFFICULT TO BREAST THE GALE. CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Lake Michigan was lashed to fury by the storm which swept over Chicago early this morning. The gale blew at the rate of seventy-two miles an hour for five minutes, and for over an hour its velocity was above sixty miles. At the top of the gale the rudder chains of the steamer City of Chicago, coming to the city from the west, parted.

MEET AT THE ABERDEEN. Committee of Chicago Lines to Consider Certain Rates. A committee meeting of the Chicago-St. Paul lines will be held at the Aberdeen today to consider the withdrawal of through rates.

FORECLOSURE SALE. Union Pacific Will Bid for Branch Lines to Be Disposed Of. OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 16.—W. D. Con'ah, first vice president of the reorganized Union Pacific, will represent the company at the foreclosure sale of branch lines this week.

PARISH FULL OF VISITORS. This Is the Best Time of Year for Sight Seeing. General Freight Agent S. L. Moore, of the Northern Pacific, returned from his vacation yesterday. He visited the Yellowstone park with his family and had a most enjoyable time.

RAIL AND RIVER EXCURSION. St. Paul to Maiden Rock and Return. An excursion to Maiden Rock, Wis., will leave the St. Paul union depot via the Burlington Route, Thursday, Aug. 18, at 8:15 a. m.

NEWS OF THE RAILROADS NEW HAVEN & HARTFORD OFFICIAL IN ST. PAUL. C. H. Platt, Superintendent of the Western Division, Tells About the Prosperity of His Line—The Only Road in the Country Carrying More for Passenger Than Freight Traffic—Local Notes.

C. H. Platt, general manager of the Western division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, and F. H. Crane, superintendent of the parlor and sleeping car service, left for New Haven yesterday morning. Mr. Platt and his family visited Minneapolis, but Mr. Crane called upon friends in the North and West. They are on their way to Portland and down the coast to Los Angeles and then back by way of Salt Lake city, Denver, Omaha and Kansas city. They will return to New Haven, Conn., in about two months.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIVITIES. SAN FRANCISCO—Creditors of the estate of the late Adolph Suto have been busy for several days making an investigation as to the total indebtedness of a trustee who had the appraised value is more than three times that of the estate.

THE TERMS OF THE PROTOCOL Do Not Prevent the Port Arthur Excursion. Only \$300 to Port Arthur, Ont., and return on cool, blue Lake Superior. Meals and berths included on the first-class steamer.

Summons. You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled matter, and to file your answer to said complaint on or before the 22nd day of August, 1893.

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GEORGE PULLMAN WEDS. Married in New York to a Miss Letch Fernald. NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—George M. Pullman, the son of the late sleeping car magnate, and Miss Letch Fernald, were married this evening in this city. The match is said to be of the nature of an elopement. Miss Fernald has been staying at the Detmold hotel in New York. Mr. Pullman has been at the Elberon for some time.

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