

## INSTITUTE WORK COMES TO CLOSE

The Wayne County Teachers' Annual Session in Connection with the Chautauqua Most Valuable Ever Held.

## SUPT. JORDAN AND ALL THE TEACHERS PLEASED

Yesterday Afternoon Zueblin Continued His Tearing Down Process, Attacking Standing Army and Pension System.

### TODAY'S PROGRAM.

- 10:30 a. m.—Mind Lecture, Hon. W. H. Sanders.
- 2:30 p. m.—"Domestic Science," Mrs. Virginia L. Meredith.
- 4:00 p. m.—Reading—"If I Were King," Mrs. Ruth L. Hemenway.
- 7:30 p. m.—Concert.
- 8:00 p. m.—Stereopticon Lecture and Moving Pictures on Japan, K. Morimoto.

What undoubtedly was the most interesting, the most valuable and therefore the most successful institute the Wayne County teachers' Association has ever held, came to its conclusion at the Chautauqua grounds yesterday afternoon. The presence of two such able educators as Prof. S. D. Fess and Prof. Charles L. Zueblin, was responsible for the really intellectual feast that this year's institute proved to be. Not only did the teachers find the program one of unusual merit, but other Chautauquans, a majority of whom are probably patrons of the schools in city or county out side of the city, were given an insight into educational matters that pertain to the schools of today which had a most wholesome effect.

Teachers Well Satisfied. Supt. Charles Jordan was delighted with the institute and he also was greatly pleased at the warm words of commendation which came to him from the teachers themselves. There was a wide difference between the work of Prof. Fess and Prof. Zueblin. The former's excellent, practical and on the whole eloquent analysis of history was much like turning a search light upon an old and familiar building, the details of which had never been thoroughly understood until the light came. Prof. Fess gave a new meaning to much of the history that the teachers were already familiar with, and he certainly performed a most valuable service in his concise and thoroughly intelligent suggestions as to the proper methods of teaching history.

Prof. Zueblin led one into the realms of thought, whether they cared to agree with him or not in all that he had to say. His almost marvelous insight into every phase of society, his ability to uncover the flaws that most people have been wholly unconscious of, and his great sincerity and earnestness give him a place on the institute platform that probably cannot be filled by another educator in the country. Prof. Zueblin's utterances were in some cases sensational, it has been declared, but on the whole they were calculated to awaken people.

Prof. Zueblin on "Justice." Yesterday afternoon in his closing lecture, Prof. Zueblin's subject was "Justice," and he made at attack upon some of the political methods that the masses, he said, were led to believe were in the cause of justice. The "stand pat" policy in anything, Prof. Zueblin said, was the declaration of an immoral leader every time, for it showed a disposition to not permit an issue to be uncovered for investigation. The pension system was also taken up and pretty thoroughly shaken to pieces, Prof. Zueblin declaring that if the searchlight of honesty were thrown upon the pension system it would reveal a huge scandal—one which would show that there are thousands of men not entitled to a penny from the government who are drawing pensions. The speaker was careful

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## ENTHUSIASM IS LACKING

Democrats Couldn't Muster Enough of Party to Elect Committeemen and Delegates.

The meeting of Wayne Township Democrats to elect ward chairmen and precinct committeemen, which was called for last night, failed to be a mature success. In many of the wards no party members showed up and in others only two or three were on hand, so that business was postponed until a later date.

## Dr. Hoover Improving.

Dr. Hoover on South A street is able to be out and attend to his work again.

## THE WEATHER PROPHECY.

INDIANA AND OHIO—Fair Saturday; showers Sunday; light winds shifting to fresh southeast.

## A LYNCHING PREVENTED

BY OFFICERS OF THE LAW

Colored Man at Danville, Kentucky, Assaulted a Five-Year-Old White Girl and the Citizens Tried to Mob Him.

Danville, Ky., Aug. 31.—The quick run of officers from Somerset to this city, prevented the lynching of Perry Copenhaver, a negro who, it is charged, committed a criminal assault on the five-year-old daughter of Leonard Fairchild, of Wayne county. The negro was identified by the victim and a mob quickly gathered. He was hustled to Somerset, but the mob started to that city from Monticello, and an order from the county judge was given for the transfer of the prisoner to this city. Feeling is high in Wayne county and the officers here will take every precaution to prevent mob violence.

## PHILADELPHIA IS SEVERELY SHOCKED

Announcement that Late President Was Embezzler Causes a Sensation.

## RECEIVER EARLE'S REPORT

HE SAYS THAT HIPPE HAD STOLEN SECURITIES AND THAT HE MADE LOANS WHICH AMOUNTED TO THEFTS.

[Publishers' Press]

Philadelphia, Aug. 31.—The statement of Receiver Earle, of the Real Estate Trust company of this city, that Frank K. Hippe, the late president of the concern, had stolen securities valued at \$65,000, and that the lending of \$5,000,000 to Adolph Segal, on insufficient security, amounted to as much as theft, created a profound sensation throughout the city. The revelation was an especially cruel blow to his many intimate friends, most of whom are prominent in the Presbyterian church, either as clergymen or laymen. So high was their estimation of the man who abhorred tobacco and liquor and refrained from reading Sunday newspapers, that not only the various organizations in the Presbyterian church, but the trust company itself, made the trust company their depository, but hundreds of members of that denomination placed their money in his company. The number of pastors who used the bank to care for their savings was exceptionally large.

The criticism heretofore expressed by depositors of the failure of the directors of the company to discover Hippe's transactions, has increased and many of the larger creditors are angry at what they term the negligence of these men. There is now pending before the local courts an application for the appointment of a receiver, who shall directly represent the depositors and inform them of the true condition of the company.

It is alleged several of the directors had knowledge that some of Hippe's transactions were unsafe, but they had such confidence in his integrity that they did not suspect the true state of affairs or entertain the belief that his operations were irregular. It became known that the employees of the company were aware there was something wrong with the accounts. Several of them went so far as to leave checks with their fellow employees when they went on vacation, for an immediate withdrawal of their deposits if their suspicions were confirmed.

## CONTINUE THEIR EFFORTS

## TO PREACH ANOTHER YEAR

Colored Ministers Attending Wesleyan Conference Signify Their Willingness to Continue in the Ministry of God.

Yesterday the Wesleyan Conference was devoted to the final examination into the characters of the ministers. All the brethren expressed themselves as willing to contribute their efforts for another year in religious work. The remainder of the session was devoted to preaching. Miss Walker, matron of the Girl's Rescue Home, Indianapolis, gave an interesting talk upon her work in that city and the success she has met with in rescuing young girls from dangerous paths. Fourteen dollars was raised as a contribution to her work.

## SECOND BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HERE

Richard Carroll, Who Will Lecture at Chautauqua, Is Doing Great Work.

## HAS SCHOOL FOR ORPHANS

ELOQUENT NEGRO ORATOR AND EDUCATOR HAS VIEWS WHICH ARE PECULIARLY HIS OWN RACE PROBLEM.

Owing to it being necessary for K. Morimoto, the Japanese lecturer to fill an important engagement elsewhere, Richard Carroll has traded places with him on the Chautauqua program. Morimoto will take Carroll's place on the program tonight and Carroll will speak Monday night. Unusual interest attaches to the lecture of Mr. Carroll owing to the work he has done and his views on the negro problem. Himself a negro and having been engaged in the education of his race, Mr. Carroll is well qualified to talk on the most serious problem now confronting the American nation. Mr. Carroll is a second Booker T. Washington. At Columbus South Carolina he has an industrial school for destitute negro orphans, from the ages of one to thirteen years. This school and farm is supported and owned by Mr. Carroll. He now has fifty one children in his care.

Mr. Carroll made the Palladium a pleasant visit last night and some of the views to which he gave expression are both original and highly valuable. No one should miss Mr. Carroll whether he be black or white. The solution which Mr. Carroll will offer in his lecture for the race problem will bear the closest attention of all.

Few colored men are more pleasing to talk to and from the press notices no colored man is a better orator than Mr. Carroll. He comes North backed by recommendations of the leading white men of the South.

An interesting incident which occurred at Lafayette recently illustrates the character of Mr. Carroll. He was refused a glass of soda water in a confectionery conducted by a white man. A leading resident of the city was anxious to take up the matter and see that a colored man of Mr. Carroll's standing should get the treatment of a white wherever he went. But Mr. Carroll objected and went even farther by lecturing to a gathering of his own people in Lafayette and upholding the confectioner. He said that he hoped all white shop keepers would refuse to sell to the negroes and then colored people would start stores of their own.

## JACKSONS WILL REUNITE

Members of the Family Will Gather at Jackson Park on Friday, September 7.

Centerville, Ind., Aug. 31. (Spl.)—The annual reunion of the Jackson family will be held at Jackson Park on Friday, September 7. Captain C. B. Jackson is president. The first vice president is Caleb J. Harvey, of Centerville. Mrs. Sadie Jackson Brannen, of Anderson, is Secretary. All communications should be addressed to the secretary.

## JACKSON PARK POPULAR

Among the Many Picnics to be Held There Next Week is that of Centerville Rebekahs.

Centerville, Ind., Aug. 31. (Spl.)—Evelyn Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah and their families will have an all day picnic at Jackson Park next Tuesday, September 4. The members of Hoosier Lodge I. O. O. F. and their families are invited to be present.

## MOVED TO INDIANAPOLIS

Elliot Fisher Company Leaves Richmond—Charles Jameson to Accompany Them.

The Elliot Fisher Company, billing and adding machine agents which has had its main offices here for the past few years, has moved them to Indianapolis, from which point the future business of the concern will be directed. Charles Jameson, one of the attaches of the concern, living in this city, will accompany the firm to Indianapolis.

## Centerville Services.

There will be special services at the Friends' church for old people tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. The sermon will be by Folger Wilson of Richmond. Services will be held at the M. E. church tomorrow at 10:30 a. m., and at 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor, the Rev. E. B. Westhaver.



THINGS THAT COME WITH SEPTEMBER.

## A Dollar for a Good Piece of News.

Beginning tomorrow the Palladium will again offer a dollar each week for the best piece of news "tipped off" to it. The rules and regulations governing this offer are as simple as the A. B. C's. The Palladium wants the news. It realizes that no matter how big the reports of reporters it could not get all that was going on. Three thousand subscribers in all parts of the city and county can hear things the reporters would never learn. These are the things the Palladium wants to know. When you hear something that you think would make a news item call the Palladium by phone, write a postal, or get word in any manner to this office. You need not write the item, just give the "tip." Once having the "tip" the reporter will run down the story. If your "tip" happens to be the best one of the week, you will get the dollar. If you have an item and don't want your name used in connection with the prize, it will be withheld. The award of the prize will be made each week and published in the Monday issue. The contest begins tomorrow. Try to win the first dollar.

## CONTRACT LET FOR AUTOMATIC SYSTEM

Richmond Home Telephone Directors Held Important Meeting Yesterday.

## CONDUITS BEING LAID

IT IS THOUGHT THAT THE NEW SYSTEM WILL BE IN AND 'PHONE BUILDING ERECTED BY FIRST OF YEAR.

The Board of Directors of the Home Telephone company met yesterday afternoon and ratified the recommendation of the Citizens Committee for the installation of the automatic system. The Citizens Committee went to Columbus Tuesday and inspected both manual and automatic systems recommending the latter.

At once for closing a deal with a Chicago firm for supplying the automatic equipment.

Two car loads of conduits arrived in the city the first of the week, and work of laying them began Tuesday. It is estimated that when all of it is subterred there will be over 25 lineal miles in use. Twenty-five miles of cable, at a total cost of about \$25,000, is to be strung. The estimate of Supt. Bailey calling for \$68,000 worth of outside construction work, was approved by the board of directors.

The company sets the first of the year as the latest date when Richmond subscribers may have the opportunity of using the automatic system. It is expected that at that time they will be completely housed in their new building.

## Going East to School.

Miss Florence McGuire, of East Main street, will have this fall for National Park Seminary, where she will attend school. Miss Marie Campbell will return there again.

## NEW HAVEN HOME OF BRYAN LEAGUE

In Old College Town Boom of Great Nebraskan is Formally Launched.

## NOMINEE A THIRD TIME

HIS FRIENDS TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE PRESENT ENTHUSIASM TO SECURE HIS NOMINATION IN 1908.

[Publishers' Press]

New Haven, Conn., Aug. 31.—The boom of William Jennings Bryan for President in 1908 was formally launched at the Tontine Hotel today. The meeting was attended by Democrat politicians, including Ex-Governor Garvan, of Rhode Island. Mr. Bryan was present at the meeting and spoke for half an hour.

What will probably be known as the Bryan League was formed. Wm. Kennedy of Naugatuck was made President. Former National Committeeman J. J. Fitzgerald of Rhode Island, was elected secretary.

Dr. Crockett of Auburn, Maine, spoke on democratic conditions in the state. Ex-Governor Garvan of Rhode Island made a strong speech. He said that this time was a big improvement in democratic conditions in Rhode Island and the outlook for democracy was bright.

Mr. Bryan spoke on the various political issues and concluded by saying that it took courage to be a democrat in New England.

## SEVENTH ANNUAL REUNION

Hunter Family Will Gather Near Lynn Saturday, September 8—Rifle Shoot to Be Feature.

The seventh annual Hunter reunion of Randolph and Wayne counties will be held in R. T. Chenoweth's grove one mile East of Lynn on Saturday, September 8, 1906. One of the amusements of the day will be a rifle shoot. Norman Anderson is president and O. T. Lewis, secretary.

## LABOR DAY TO BE QUIETLY OBSERVED

Factories and Stores to Close and Picnic Is to Be Held at Beallview

## THE REV. KUHN TO SPEAK

GOOD STREET CAR SERVICE WILL BE PROVIDED AND A LARGE CROWD IS EXPECTED—BIG BASKET DINNER.

Monday is Labor Day. Richmond will observe the day well and every factory in the city, it is understood, will be closed. Most business houses will be closed throughout the day, though some will be open during the forenoon. The Labor picnic to be held at Beallview, under the auspices of the South Side Improvement Association promises to be a most interesting and successful affair. The committee in charge of the celebration have their plans well laid and only a stormy day can interfere seriously. There will be excellent provision made to accommodate all persons who desire to spend the day in the grove and a big basket dinner will be a feature. In the afternoon there will be an address by the Rev. T. H. Kuhn. The South Side Improvement Association desires the public to understand that everybody is invited. Good street car service will be provided. Cars may be taken at any part of the system, transferring at Main and Eighth streets for the south side.

## TALES ARE CONFLICTING

## IS CHILD A MURDERER

While Woman at Clay City, Ind., Was in Front of a Telephone Her Head Was Torn Away by Discharge of a Shot Gun.

[Publishers' Press]

Clay City, Ind., Aug. 31.—Mrs. Katherine Crass was instantly killed by the discharge of a shot gun, which tore away the back of her head. She was at the telephone and fell in front of the instrument, letting the receiver fall. Her 8-year-old son said he loaded the gun to hunt squirrels and that his mother took it from him and went into the room when she shot herself, but later declared that he was in the yard when the shot was fired and went inside and found his mother dead.

## Bond Will Teach.

Archibald Bond who graduated at Earlham last June will have charge of the science department at the Plainfield Academy this year. The academy which burned down last year has been entirely rebuilt at the cost of about \$12,000 and the coming year promises to be a fruitful one as an excellent corps of teachers has been engaged.

## STEPS ARE TO BE TAKEN TO PROVIDE PAVILION AT GLEN

Chautauqua Directors to Approach the City With a Proposition to Erect a Permanent Place for the Meetings.

## WET WEATHER HAS SHOWN THE NEED FOR BUILDING

Col. Shaw Thinks Fireproof Suitable, and Attractive Pavilion Could be Erected for \$10,000—Profitable Investment.

It is an assured fact that within the next week or so steps will be taken by the management of the Richmond Chautauqua to begin a movement that will result in the provision of a permanent Chautauqua building at Glen Miller, not only to house the Chautauqua, but to be used for public gatherings of other kinds. Every member of the board of directors of the local Chautauqua, and every person who has interested himself to the extent of having provided, recognizes the absolute need of a pavilion that will offer both comfort and protection to audiences during times of storm.

Supt. Jordan Favors It. Supt. Jordan, who has been active in the Chautauqua work by reason of his oversight of that part of the program devoted to the Wayne County Teachers' Association, said yesterday that there was no question that the assemblies could be a much greater success than now, if it were assured the audiences that no matter what the condition of the weather, they would be enabled to listen to the programs without suffering great inconvenience.

Richard Sedgwick, president of the Chautauqua, is also a strong advocate of a permanent building. The Association is turning approximately \$1,000 each year into the city's treasury for the use of the park. That sum represents all profits, for there is not a member of the association, who is paid a salary, nor does the organization itself retain any of the profits. The city, it is asserted, could well afford to build a pavilion at a cost of from \$10,000 to \$20,000 for the returns each year would net a handsome dividend on the investment.

Opinion of Col. Shaw. Col. Shaw, whose knowledge of such things is very extensive, is of the opinion that an attractive and altogether suitable pavilion could be built for \$10,000. The structure would be of steel, primarily, and therefore fire proof. The directors, it is understood, will take up the matter later on and will likely make a formal request of the city to build a pavilion for next season's assembly.

## IS CHARGED WITH THEFT

Charles Steele, of Richmond Avenue, Arrested Last Night on Charge of Stealing Chickens.

Charles Steele, 114 Richmond avenue, was arrested last night on information as to his having stolen two chickens, which were afterward sold to B. A. Kennepohl, proprietor of the Retreat Saloon on North D street. It was not known last night of whom the chickens were stolen, but on the information given by Kennepohl, Officer Bunday made the arrest. The case will come up this morning in City court.

## Ramsey Pounstone Home.

Ramsey Poundstone, who has been summering at Petoskey, has returned home. He will take a position in the editorial department of the Item.

## Labor Day Observance.

Mayor Zimmerman's Labor Day proclamation, issued yesterday, is as follows:

Whereas, The laws of the state of Indiana pronounce Labor Day as a legal holiday and the Governor of the state has seen fit to issue a proclamation setting forth the meaning of the day, I request that in as far as possible all business be suspended on Monday, September 3, and the day be given over to an observance of the importance of labor. Let labor be accorded all honors due it and it is proper that its sovereignty should be observed fittingly. Honor is due the toilers of the land, so let everyone pause during the cycle of the year to make public acknowledgement of the power it has been toward the upbuilding of the nation, state and city. W. W. ZIMMERMAN, Mayor.