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playing the merry old game "passing the hot potato around," the hot potato in this instance being the senatorial nomination made vacant by the resignation of Prof. Merrill. First it was passed to ex-Mayor John S. Bransford, then to W. J. Halloran, then to George H. Dern, then to others. The definite statement is made now that Mr. Dern has finally consented to accept the nomination. He is a first-class fellow, and will give the combination ticket a character which it now lacks, namely, strength, but we are sorry to see him become the recipient of empty honors, and marked for the slaughter.

THIS YEAR'S FAIR

Utah's greatest exposition of the fruits of man's labor on the farm and orchard, in mines and mills and factories the length and breadth of Utah's valleys and mountains, will open Saturday next week, October 3, in Salt Lake.

Never in Utah's history have the fair grounds of Salt Lake presented so beautiful and entrancing a spectacle. The buildings are a blaze of red and yellow coloring; the great coliseum is livid with color, inside and out; the interior of the horticultural building shows high banked walls, heavy laden with the richest products of Utah's farms and orchards; the manufacturers' building is a long series of astonishing surprises, and on through every other building and department of the fair there are new and novel exhibits.

Utah's state fair opens two days earlier this year than formerly. Everything will be in readiness for the formal opening Saturday morning, and Irwin brothers give their first Wild West show Saturday afternoon. There will be no amusements on Sunday, but all of the educational exhibits of the fair will be open, and in the evening there will be a free band concert in the coliseum. This is expected to be one of the finest features of the fair, and no admission will be charged to the coliseum on Sunday.

It is said that nothing to approach the carnival of the counties' pageant will ever have taken place in Utah. In richness, splendor and beauty the parade of the queens and maids of honor from the various counties will form the greatest spectacle of fair week. The most elaborate prizes ever secured for similar events have been obtained for the beauty contest between the queens and maids of honor which will take place Wednesday evening in the coliseum. To the girl selected as the most beautiful queen a \$400.00 piano will be given. The second most beautiful will receive a gold watch, set with rubies and diamonds. Its value is \$110.00. The other prizes range from \$75.00 down to \$10.00 in value.

Every department is ready and waiting for the opening crowds. These include the departments of horses, cattle, sheep and swine, poultry, agricultural and dairy products, horticulture, manufactured products, fine arts, educational and minerals, women's works, agricultural machinery and implements, the speed department, the better baby contest, and others.

Every amusement program will be given each day of the fair, rain or shine. ..

A guide was exclaiming on the Egyptian Pyramids to a party of tourists. "It took hundreds of years to build them, and—" "It must have been a government job!" said one of the tourists, sotto voce.—San Francisco Argonaut.

It was a soiree musical. A singer had just finished "My Old Kentucky Home." The hostess, seeing one of her guests weeping in a remote corner, went to him and inquired in a sympathetic voice: "Are you a Kentuckian?" And the answered quickly came: "No, madame, I am a musician."—Boston Post.

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