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J. F. O'MEARIA,
President-elect International Association of Distributors.



Levyn's Letter.

Editor "Billboard":

Dear Sir—In the past three weeks I have received a great many letters from bill posters, whose communications led me to believe that they consider my statements regarding small towns exaggerated. The bill posters herein mentioned are ones who have never had the misfortune to try to deal with their more "penny brethren," and, therefore, they can not give credence to my statements, but in this letter I am going to try and ram it down their throats.

Mr. Editor, I am going to take that much-revered State of Iowa for an example: This State has fifty nine members. Besides the towns in which there are members I wanted to send out posters in about fifty others, ranging in population from 500 up. Let us come to Decorah, Ia., tabulated 5,000 inhabitants. Mr. R. Donaldson associated bill poster. There was an order sent to this bill poster on May 29, and the paper was shipped the day before, but up to this hour I have had no reply. In the meantime I tried to communicate with the Postmaster, and again could get no reply. The last appeal I made was to the editor of their newspaper, and now I am going to sleep and await results.

The same trouble occurred with the following cities: Clermont, Elgin, Harrisville, Edgewood, Estherville, Guttenberg, Jessup, Monona, Strawberry Point, Waukon, Waucoma, Knoxville, Trippola, Hawk Eye, Anamosa, Ackley, Belmond, Chariton. And so I could go along down the list, but what is the use of taking up this space.

Here is a proposition. I will send posters to any city in the State of Iowa that will put them up. And that goes! Address me in care of Clarence E. Runey, Official So-Helton, 127 East Eighth street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Iowa Association is doing all it could possibly do in rendering me assistance, that assistance coming from Mr. Chas. Nichols, of Council Bluffs, who sent me thirty cities, and in these cities I was to communicate either with a painter, distributor or the manager of the open house, and that was the best that he could do. With all due respects to Mr. Nichols, and thanking him in advance for his kindness, one can readily see that there is something wrong when the State association allows such conditions to exist. I do not hold Iowa up particularly as an example of discredit, for all States have been tarred with the same brush. I merely say that it is a shame that an advertiser can not spend his money in small cities, and I have a proposition right now which will amount to as much as 5,000 \$-sheets, if I can place posters in the small towns of the South and Southeast.

I was informed by one of the largest so-helters, some time ago, that he had to turn down an order on the State of Iowa, because he could not place the paper in the small cities. To take an advertiser's money and send out express packages to the bill posters of the association is pie, for it is generally done with one communication, but it is the small towns where we run against it. It is involved upon the associated members to bring in their small cities, as it is necessary in securing work for themselves. The solicitor that I mention, that had to turn down the Iowa order because he could not place posters in the small cities, of course, could not get the advertiser to post in the large cities alone. Now, this is just an instance where the associated members have lost.

Here is another poser. The bill poster at Iowa City is J. N. Coltron. He is the manager of the opera house and has, besides, a very large lumber yard. A man of strict business integrity and, for the past six years, a personal friend of mine. When I first met this gentleman I convinced him whereby it would be to his advantage to become a member of the association. In my presence Mr. Coltron made application for membership and then communicated with the "Billposter Display Advertising," enclosing \$1 as a subscriber. I bid him good bye, impressing upon him the returns he would get for the "trouble" this had caused him. A year after that I shook him by the hand again and, with much chagrin, was informed that no attention had been paid to his application for membership for subscription. Ditto next year. I don't know how it has turned out now, but Mr. Coltron is still posting bills, still has his lumber yard and is just the same congenial fellow as ever, although he is not a member.

Here is another one. On or about May 22 there was a package of paper sent to W. P. Conventry, Marengo, Ia., who is the associated member, and up to date we don't know whether he is alive or not. In the meantime we have sent out communications to five different people, consisting of painters, Postmasters, wall paper hangers and such like, and at last we got communication

with a liveryman, stating that he belonged to the bill posters' union (whatever that means).

Some "know-it-all" has caused a great deal of dissatisfaction in the Des Moines situation by publishing a scandalous article in the Des Moines Register, "reviewing" the situation. I want to let this article wind this whole thing up for evermore, for "Uncle Billy" Moore and the Chamberlin Syndicate have had all they could do to take care of their business, aside from any interference of busybodies.

It sometimes takes quite a while for rival interests to see that their best ends may be obtained by harmony in action, and the entire removal of friction by the present day great bad consolidation, and that's what has happened in Iowa's capital city.

Old "Uncle Billy" Moore, than whom no bill board promoter in this country is more favorably known, took a day off to consider a proposition from the Iowa Posting Service, and then drafted up a form from ideas of his own, submitted it to general Charlie Kindt, of the Iowa Posting Service, and the two of them struck a bargain in short order. So now, W. W. Moore, manager, is handling the Moore Advertising Co., and the Iowa Posting Service consolidated, with a plant of nearly 15,000 feet of all galvanized steel boards, and furnishing the greatest service in Des Moines of any city of its size in America. Good luck to the combination.

Yours truly,

M. L. LEVYN.

Probationary Membership.

According to the present by-laws, no franchise can be granted unless the applicant owns and controls a plant in the town, I suggest that a system be adopted by which a member may be elected on probation for a term, say six months, with the proviso that if, at the end of that time, his plant is not worthy of the town, the franchise be revoked.

In case there is a bill poster in the town who is not a member of the association, and will not join, the new applicant under the conditions named above, has six months time in which to equal the plant of the old bill poster.

The above, I think, would encourage good people to put in good plants and good service where service can not be obtained, and would stir up the slow-pokes.

It is of course well known that under the present conditions a bill poster can hold off from membership indefinitely, leaving the man who spurred him on to action to suffer complete loss.

I suggest that these probationary members be placed in a list by themselves in the official organ until they had satisfied the Executive Committee that their plant and service are worthy of full membership.

SAM W. HOKER.

Richmond, Ind., Passes New License Laws.

At Richmond, Ind., on July 22, the City Council passed an ordinance which will be of interest to the circus people and bill posters. The section applying to license fees shows the charge to circuses or tent shows charging admission fees of 50 cents, \$15 for the first day and \$25 for two days. Circuses charging 25 cents are licensed for \$10. All other shows, concerts, minstrels and theatrical entertainments are charged \$5 for the first day, \$8 for two days, \$10 for three days and \$2 a day for any time additional.

All bill posters and distributors must apply to the City Clerk for license. For bill posting the fee is \$25 a year; for distributors \$15 a year. And all bill posters and distributors must wear badges. The tacking of bills or cards in the city limits is not permitted at all. All bills distributed must go in paper or letter boxes or in doors. Bill boards must be kept in good order, and any paper coming off must be removed. The distribution of bottles or packages of medicines is absolutely prohibited.

The penalty for violation of these ordinances is a fine from \$5 to \$50 for each offense, at the discretion of the Council.

Reading, Pa., Letter.

The semi-annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Bill Posters Association will be held at Wilmington, Del., Thursday, August 15.

John D. Mishler attended the annual convention of the National Association, at Buffalo, and was much edified and interested in the spirited proceedings. He says the amalgamation will be a big success.

The Reading Billposting Company controls over 5,000 linear feet of boards and many "as-chance-may-offer" locations. They now have on their boards: Merseal Biscuit, Fairlawn's Gold Dust, Ziegler's Soda Water,

Hire's Root Beer, Hershey's Chocolate, Salpolo, Moxie Nerve Food, Tanniana, Pierce's Medicines, Adams and Beeman's Gum, Mennen's Powders, Kid Hee Kure, Gold Rope Tobacco, Sub Rosa Cigars, Cheroots, Locomotives, and much local work. The locations of the boards are kept entirely free from grass and weeds, and the sidewalks are swept each week. Inspectors are full of praise for this company. This is the most successful billposting summer Reading has ever had.

LONG-HANDLE.

Sunbury, Pa., Notes.

We have been very busy the last month posting for the following firms: Hire's Root Beer, Adams' Gum, Mennen's Toilet Powder, Sub Rosa Cigars, White Knight Cigar, Hershey's Cocoa, Dr. Pierce and Gold Rope Tobacco, besides doing the country route for Gold Rope Tobacco. We have plenty contracts ahead to keep us busy for awhile, as all the advertisers seem to want our city at once.

The new opera house, a long felt want, will be completed by September, and will be one of the finest in central Pennsylvania. It is opened by "Way Down East" company, on Sept. 12, followed by "Puddin' Head Wilson."

Island Park is in good running order now and doing a good business.

The large circuses this summer have given Sunbury the shake on account of the high license. Welsh Bros. did a \$10,000 business on June 19 last. They are always welcome visitors in Sunbury.

S. J. CANDRILL.

From Williamsport, Pa.

Business here is the same as the weather—good and warm, and lots of it. Every one on the jump since my return from the big meeting at Buffalo. It is no sight at all to see several big lights in front of a bill board at night, and the bunch displaying a different lot of posters on each location. Twelve of the old people now on the boards will remain for another month.

Mr. B. H. Drew, of the American Cigar Co., was a pleasant caller the past week, and, after inspecting his paper, renewed for another month.

Mr. H. H. Whittier, agent for the Welch Bros. Circus, dropped in the office the past week and had his shirts and collars sent to the laundry, then departed for Canton, Pa., to see his old friend thus Lee. After spending a day at Canton he returned and contracted for space on the boards in this city.

Mr. Ira M. Rutter, of Lebanon, Pa., stopped off and left a bundle of paper for the Mt. Gretna fair.

The Philadelphia & Reading R. R. used the three-sheet boards in boating their Atlantic City excursion the 19th.

Mr. W. C. White, of the New York Sunday World, contracted for a display of one-sheets.

Just completed a thorough distribution of 15,000 books for Mrs. Keran & Kennedy.

Just closed the largest contract for one firm ever made for this section. After billing this city for the A. Bauer & Co. I received a letter asking to bill the country from here. They contracted for 200 eight-sheets and 500 two-sheets, all setting forth the merits of Dan-Lana.

The C. G. Phillips Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., under canvas, did a fine day's business at Roaring Branch, July 23.

Buckmont and Star Island Parks are certainly getting other people's money these days.

Yours for success,

GEORGE H. BURB.

From North Carolina.

To the Editor of "The Billboard":

It has been several weeks since your valuable paper contained anything from Greensboro, N. C.

Advertising business is booming. My bill boards have been full all summer, and paper is on hand and on the road to fill them for another month. The distributing department is also tested to its full capacity. I have on my bill boards at present: American Beauty and Duke Cigarettes, "Flame Gun," Adams' Vaseline Gum (three months' contract), Old Virginia Cheroots, Lemon Seltzer, Hotel Nicely, Pint-in-Bay, O.; Hire's Root Beer; N. & N. Shampoo, San Francisco, Cal. Have distributed for Dr. Miles, Perfume, Lydia Pinkham, Boston Medical Institute and N. & N. Shampoo.

I am preparing to increase my capacity to meet the demand for the fall business. The advertisers are just now realizing the superior advantages I have been offering them to reach the people in this, one of the coming States in the Union, and the leading town in the Piedmont section. I have a number of local firms who are investigating the advantages in cost, etc., offered by bill board display.

I see in some sections the capacity of boards has been tested by the many different shows on the road. Strange to say, I haven't had but one small show this season, and is well, too (for them), as the business is not good in this section until the fall, when the crops are harvested and marketed. It is then that our people have the money and will spend it. Barring bad weather, shows then fare pretty well. For a number of years past the license tax has been about prohibitory, but the writer made a strong effort before our last legislature and succeeded in reducing the license almost one-half, and, as it is now, shows can survive, and I hope some of the larger

ones will visit us before the season is over.

The new theater is about completed and is said, by those who know, to be the best arranged theater in any part of this section of the South. It has not been decided yet when the season will open, nor who will open it. Will keep you posted on these matters.

I was very much disappointed in not being able to attend the billposters' convention at Buffalo. It was impossible for me to leave my affairs at that time. I feel my loss very keenly. Experience teaches me it is a great benefit to be present at these conventions and meet the craft and learn their many ways of doing business. My heart is in the business, and I need all the information I can get to help me keep abreast of the times. But I find the satisfaction of feeling that those in whose hands the cause was would do what was best and most beneficial to the largest number.

Wishing "The Billboard" success,
Yours truly, J. W. GRIFFITH.

Daubs.

S. W. Scott, bill poster at New Philadelphia, O., is overrunning with work.

"The Billboard" is as necessary to the bill poster and distributor as a hymn book in a church.

Grand Rapids Lodge of Elks won the first prize at Milwaukee and George Leonard wears a large smile these days.

Posters scattered around town are like blossoms scattered 'round a peach tree—they will bear fruit after a while.

P. F. Schaefer, vice president, American Posting Service, Chicago, is spending his vacation with his family at their summer home, Fox Lake.

The poster is a good and faithful servant. It never demands more wages, is satisfied with its hours of work, never sleeps and never goes on a strike.

The Palace Chemical Company contracts the boards at Liberty, Ind. When they are not using them for others they keep them covered with their own stuff.

William H. Ingram, of Monongahela, Pa., has gone out of the bill posting and distributing business, and desires all advertisers to take cognizance of the fact.

The many friends in the bill posting profession, of William H. Tibbits, at Coffeyville, Kan., will regret to hear of the death of both his father and his wife, which occurred within a period of two days.

Harry Stoops, Chattanooga, Tenn., made a business trip to Cincinnati last week, purchasing machinery for his firm, which has developed a seven-foot velu of asphalt. Later on Mr. Stoops will drill for oil.

W. P. Hunter, the city bill poster at Carrollton, Ill., writes that business is good, with fair prospects for continuance. He has now on his boards Prickly Ash Bitters, Christendom Remedy Company, and paper for the White County (Ill.) Fair, and also for Wallace's Show.

The poster works twenty-four hours a day. The newspaper works, on an average, about twenty-four minutes per day. The ratio of usefulness of the poster to the newspaper is as 40 to 1. The ratio of usefulness of the poster to the newspaper is as 40 to 1, cost of advertising considered. That's why the newspapers fight the bill boards.

W. E. Holland, manager of the Southeast Texas Bill Posting & Advertising Company, at Beaumont, Tex., writes that the local work through the season has been exceedingly good, and that he has had to increase his force of labor; that the local merchants are wide-awake and beginning to realize the necessity of open air advertising. The company is now posting in Beaumont alone 300 sheets for one local firm, in addition to quite a lot of distributing and card tacking. Last week they had more than 10,000 pieces for distribution, and other work is reported coming in every day.

Sidney E. Bell, bill poster at Dubois, Pa., has been overrunning with work the last two months, among other contracts he has posted being 15 12-sheets for the "Old Virginia Cheroots," 25 2-sheets for Herriay Chocolate, 10 9-sheets, 6 8-sheets and 10 2-sheets for Hire's Root Beer; 3,500 sheets advertising the race meeting and 30,000 heralds for the DuBois Driving Association. He has on the boards at the present 10 8-sheets for Mennen's Talcum Powder, 10 8-sheets and 50 2-sheets for Sub-Rosa Cigars, 5 8-sheets, 15 2-sheets and 75 1/2-sheets for Gold Rope Tobacco, 30 3-sheets for the South Sharon Land Co., and 10 12-sheets for Lion Coffee.

A. H. Jones, bill poster and distributor at Fitzgerald, Ga., under date of July 15, enclosing subscription for "The Billboard," writes as follows: "I have in the past month tacked 375 signs for War Eagle and Old Glory Cheroots, through H. C. Tuggee, 28 sheets for Glave Fitting Corset (local), posted 10 8-sheets through A. Van Buren & Co. for Mennen's Baby Powder, thirty days; through Edw. B. Bridger's Advertising Agency, 100 Coca Cola signs, 1,000 Linen Tea samples, 1,200 booklets for Dr. Tabers, 1 samples Red Liver Oil, 3 samples Dr. Taber's Pepto Bismol Compound and 1,200 Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. books; 8 8-sheets Lucke's Imports, J. H. Lucke & Co., Cincinnati, O.; 1,500 books Dr. Miles Malleable Co., Elkhart, Ind.; 32 2-sheets Durham Cigar, Hetterman Bros. & Co., Louisville, Ky.; 50 1-sheets Cassette Oil Co., Nashville, Tenn.; 500 blotters for Actua and Sun Insurance Companies; 1,000 booklets and 100 cards tacked for S. R. Fell & Co., Cleveland, O.; 500 samples for Brown Manufacturing Co., Greenville, Tenn.; 8 8-sheets and 20 2-sheets Sub-Rosa, through S. D. Kyle, Atlanta, Ga., and also put out 12,700 pieces for local people from the 1st of June to date. Business has been fairly good with me last month, and expect to have my boards full before the 1st of August."

SCIENCE OF ADVERTISING

It Reaches Them.

To the Editor of "The Billboard":

Dear Sir—As an advertising medium "The Billboard" is far-reaching. I inserted an ad of a few lines in your paper for the sale of a ring carb, matting, band uniforms, etc. Received letters from the City of Mexico, Havana and the most remote parts of the United States. I disposed of the band uniforms to a show in Pennsylvania, and the ring carb and matting to a manager in Michigan. I am pleased to congratulate you upon the wide circulation of your paper.

Very respectfully,

A. G. FIELD.

Advertising Tips.

The bill poster posted a poster up. Ten thousand people stopped to see; the man who paid the bill poster to post the poster up is now enjoying prosperity.

The Import Cigars are not using posters during July.

The Carlstadt Medicine Company, of Evansville, Ind., is reported slow.

Haus Bros., Cincinnati, will use a lot of posters this coming fall.

Berning Bros., 126 E. Pearl street, Cincinnati, contemplate the use of posters.

Franklin Soap Co., Cincinnati, are figuring on eight, twelve and two-sheet posters.

Hecklin Spice Co., 135 Second street, Cincinnati, are good subjects for poster advertising.

Stadeker Hoevel Co., 116 E. Pearl street, Cincinnati, O., will enter the poster field again this fall.

Chas. Mosher & Co., manufacturer of palms, Cincinnati, O., are figuring on an eight sheet poster.

The "Unceda Biscuit" advertising, from first to last, has been literally unexampled in point of excellence.

The bill poster helps the advertiser, and the advertiser helps the bill poster, but the advertiser gets the best of the bargain by a whole lot.



Excerpts from the New By-Laws.

The following are some of the most important articles of the new constitutions and by-laws of the Associated Bill Posters and Distributors of the United States and Canada, the successors to the Associated Bill Posters of the United States and Canada:

Article 1. This organization shall be known as the Associated Bill Posters and Distributors of the United States and Canada, with power to make and amend its constitutions and by-laws for the government of all matters pertaining to bill posting, distributing and display advertising. It is a supreme body and the source of all authority, whose decisions on matters taken to it from subordinate associations and from members shall be absolute and final.

Article 2. The objects of this association are mutual protection, proper adjustment of all differences, the general advancement of the business interests of the members and their patrons, to keep the members advised of matters effecting their interests and to take action thereon, to promote harmony in business and to secure the mutual benefits of organization. The jurisdiction of this association shall be confined to the United States of America, its Territories and Dependencies and the Dominion of Canada.

Article 3. There shall be seven territorial districts: Section 1. New England District, consisting of the States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut. (The first Board of Directors elected for this territory for the ensuing year are E. C. Donnelly, of Boston, Mass., and Maurice Callahan, of Pittsfield, Mass.)

Section 2. Eastern District, consisting of the States of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and the District

of Columbia. (The Board of Directors elected for the ensuing year are: Samuel Pratt and D. J. Gude, of New York; Barney Lutz, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; E. A. Stahlbordt, of Rochester, and J. F. O'Meara, of Jersey City.)

See 3. Central District, consisting of the States of Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin and Illinois. (The Board of Directors elected for the ensuing year are: Chas. F. Ryan, of Cleveland, O.; Al Bryan, of Dayton, O.; W. H. Walker, of Detroit; R. V. Campbell, of Chicago, and P. H. Haber, of Fort Wayne, Ind.)

See 4. Western District, consisting of the States of Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Montana, Wyoming and Colorado. (The Board of Directors elected for the ensuing year are C. A. Philley, of St. Joseph, Mo., and Mike Breslau, of Minneapolis, Minn.)

See 5. Pacific Coast District, consisting of the States of Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho, Utah, Nevada, Arizona and New Mexico. (The Board of Directors elected for the ensuing year is L. D. Owens, of San Francisco, Cal.)

See 6. Southern District, consisting of the States of Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas. (The Board of Directors elected for the ensuing year are: Chas. Bernard, of Savannah, Ga.; H. E. Stoop, of Chattanooga, Tenn.; J. D. Burbridge, of Jacksonville, Fla., and J. H. Ramsey, of Louisville, Ky.)

See 7. Dominion of Canada District.

Article 5. Section 1. The Associated Bill Posters and Distributors of the United States and Canada shall be composed only of employing bill posters and distributors, actually engaged in the business of bill posting and distributing. All members of the Associated Bill Posters of the United States and Canada shall, on the adoption of these articles, immediately become members of this association.

Sec. 2. Membership in this association is a franchise to do business and entitles the member to all the benefits and privileges of the association. Not more than one franchise shall be granted in each city or town, but where the city boundaries have been, or may be, increased by consolidation or otherwise, the member who held the franchise before the boundaries were increased shall retain his original territory intact in precisely the same manner and under exactly the same conditions as before the boundaries were increased. A franchise is not transferable without the consent of the Board of Directors of the association.

Sec. 3. Members of the association shall have but one vote for each franchise held in the association.

Sec. 4. Members unable to be present at any meeting may have the right to be represented by their partner or private secretary.

Sec. 5. Applications for membership shall be made in writing and endorsed by two members and referred to the Board of Directors for investigation, to be acted upon at any regular meeting of the association or by the Board of Directors in the interim between meetings.

Sec. 6. All applications for membership must be accompanied by such initiation fee as may be required by the laws of the association. Rejected applicants shall have their initiation fee returned.

Sec. 7. No employee of any member shall be present at any meeting, except as appears in the requirements of Article 5, Section 4.

Article 6. The officers of the association shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer and Board of Directors, composed of twenty-one members, of which the President shall be a member.

Article 10. Section 1. Apportionment of contracts to each district shall be as follows: New England District, 2 contracts; Eastern District, 5 contracts; Central District, 5 contracts; Western District, 4 contracts; Pacific Coast District, 1 contract; Southern District, 4 contracts; Canada District, 1 contract.

Sec. 2. The Board of Directors shall hold regular meetings at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the second Tuesday in January, the second Tuesday in April, the second Tuesday in July (which shall be the annual meeting) and the second Tuesday in October.

Sec. 3. Eleven members of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum for the discussion of business, and a majority vote shall decide all questions. Each member of the Board of Directors is entitled to only one vote at the directors' meetings.

Sec. 7. The actual expenses of railroad fare only, of directors in attendance at the directors' meetings (except annual meetings) shall be paid by the association.

Article 11. Section 7. In order that officers and members may be kept in close touch with the association, on matters of importance, the Secretary shall furnish to

all members, on the fifteenth of each month, a printed circular containing the development list and condensed report on such other matters as may be of general interest to the craft. [Ed. Note. A resolution was also passed instructing the Secretary to furnish all members with blank daily reports, for the purpose of furnishing advertisers with their report of the distributing done during the day. The object of this resolution was to secure uniformity in reports bearing the seal of the association.]

Article 12. Section 1. The authorized minimum scale of prices for bill posting by members of the association for National service shall be in proportion to the population, census of 1900 to govern, as follows:

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| 2,000 to | 5,000 | 5 cents for 30 days. |
| 5,000 to | 10,000 | 6 cents for 30 days. |
| 10,000 to | 50,000 | 7 cents for 30 days. |
| 50,000 to | 100,000 | 9 cents for 30 days. |
| 100,000 to | 500,000 | 12 cents for 30 days. |
| 500,000 to | 2,000,000 | 14 cents for 30 days. |
| Over 2,000,000 | | 16 cents for 30 days. |

One week's listed service in all cities of 100,000 to 500,000, 4 cents per sheet.

In cities of 500,000 or over, 5 cents per sheet.

The above rates are for listed, protected and renewed service, and include the cost of renewal.

See 2. The above rates are the minimum rates of the association for National service and must be strictly adhered to by every member of the association. In every instance, Every member found guilty of quoting lower rates or doing any work directly or indirectly at lower rates than the minimum of the association will have committed a gross breach of faith and shall subject himself to suffer the swift, sure and final forfeiture of his franchise.

See 3. When a member finds it expedient, after careful reflection, and feels fully warranted in advancing the National rates in a town or city which he represents, he may do so, provided he gives ninety days' notice of his intention to advance the rate, said ninety days notice to be sent to the Secretary and to all official solicitors and the publication of the advanced rates in the official organ at least sixty days prior to the set date for which the advanced rates are to take effect.

See 4. Local rates, for local service, are at the discretion and best judgment of each member, but every member shall strive to make his local rate as regular and uniform as possible, in the hope that at some future time the association may be able to adopt a regular set rate for all local work throughout the jurisdiction of the association.

See 5. Rates for distributing advertising matter: Distributing in cities

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| 1,000 to | 5,000 | \$2.00 to \$2.50 |
| 5,000 to | 10,000 | 1.75 to 2.50 |
| 10,000 to | 50,000 | 1.75 to 2.50 |
| 50,000 to | 100,000 | 1.50 to 2.50 |
| 100,000 and over | | 1.50 to 3.50 |

Special rates may be made for suburban service, country routes and when matter is bulky or when special service is required.

Card Tacking:

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| 4x6 up to | 5x14 | .70 sq. in., 1 cent each |
| 5x14 up to | 6x24 | 144 sq. in., 1 1/2 cent each |
| 6x24 up to | 6x30 | 180 sq. in., 2 cents each |
| 6x30 up to | 12x18 | 216 sq. in., 3 cents each |
| Mastin signs: | | |

7x6 up to 14x11, 154 sq. in., 2 cents each

14x6 up to 21x28, 586 sq. in., 3 cents each

Larger sizes same rates as bill posting. Special rates may be made for extra sizes and for country routes, tacklings to be furnished by the advertiser.

Article 13. Section 5. Dues shall be in proportion to the population of the towns and cities, in accordance with the following scale:

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| Less than | 5,000 | \$.50 |
| 5,000 to | 10,000 | 10.00 |
| 10,000 to | 30,000 | 15.00 |
| 30,000 to | 50,000 | 20.00 |
| 50,000 to | 75,000 | 30.00 |
| 75,000 to | 100,000 | 40.00 |
| 100,000 to | 200,000 | 50.00 |
| 200,000 to | 300,000 | 75.00 |
| 300,000 to | 500,000 | 100.00 |
| 500,000 to | 1,000,000 | 150.00 |
| Over 1,000,000 | | 200.00 |

Sec. 6. Any member failing to pay annual dues within three months after proper notification shall be suspended from all rights and privileges of the association. Upon payment of the dues the delinquent member may be reinstated.

Article 14. Section 1. One of the objects of this association is to promote harmony in business and thereby prevent ruinous competition, and to this end every member is expected to enjoy in peaceable possession his franchise in this association. Therefore, any member of this association found guilty of opening or maintaining a bill posting or distributing plant in opposition to a brother member shall be adjudged as having violated one of the cardinal principles of this body, for which the punishment shall be expulsion.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of every member of this association to constantly strive to build up the business of bill posting and distributing, and aim to make it the best medium of commercial advertising on earth, which can be done by good service and clean business methods, and to this end every member must keep his plant in good condition and do all work properly and in full conformity with every contract.

Sec. 3. The display of paper on bill boards, alley walls, or other territory controlled by a member, advertising medicines for venereal diseases, or distributing same, house to house, is degrading to the business and has a direct tendency to discourage commercial advertising on the bill board. Therefore, all members of this association are prohibited from accepting such paper, directly or indirectly, under any circumstances or conditions.

Sec. 5. The violation of any article, rule or agreement of this association shall subject the offending member to a fine, not less than \$5 or more than \$200, or to suspension or expulsion.

Article 16. Sec. 1. It is the intention and fixed purpose of this association to protect advertisers against irresponsible parties in the distribution of advertising matter and of conducting the business of distributing on absolutely business lines, and to this end no distributor shall be admitted to membership in this association unless he is also an employing bill poster.

Sec. 2. Advertisers must be furnished with daily reports every evening, showing the total amount and character of distributing done and the territory covered during the same day. Blank reports for this purpose shall be furnished by the Secretary, f. o. b., Secretary's office.

Article 17. Section 1. A State or subordinate association shall assemble in its charter and form its laws in conformity with the laws, rules and edicts of this association.

Article 18. The regular commission allowed to authorized solicitors, or each member to the other, on all orders for National bill posting or distributing, shall be strictly 16 2/3 per cent, and all straight three months' consecutive contracts 5 per cent additional, or on all straight six months' consecutive contracts 10 per cent additional. These commissions are absolute in every instance, and the three-months and six-months contracts must be based on three consecutive months or six consecutive months, respectively, or the extra discount shall not be allowed under any circumstances or conditions.

Section 5. Any solicitor found guilty of violating any of the laws, rules or requirements of this association, or who rebates, reduces rates or in any manner divides the commission with the advertiser, or any part of it, or the obligation and honor, shall have his appointment revoked forthwith by the Board of Directors.

Article 27. Section 1. The service rendered by advertisers by this association is guaranteed to be absolutely reliable by the members at large.

Sec. 2. In the event of a member being detected in violating his obligation to this association, by reason of dereliction of duty, or non-performance of any stipulation of contract or agreement which he has entered into with any advertiser, and it shall be proven, upon investigation, that said advertiser has sustained a loss at the hands of the aforesaid member, this association shall take immediate steps to reimburse said advertiser for said loss.

Sec. 3. The President shall require the advertiser to file a claim, duly sworn to, with the Secretary, which shall set forth the true value of the advertising matter entrusted to the offending member, together with the amount of freight or express charges and the sum paid to said offending member for his service in that particular case.

Sec. 4. The Board of Directors having satisfied itself that the claim is reasonable, true and just, shall, through the Secretary, immediately notify the member clearly concerned to send the amount called for in the claim to the Secretary, who shall remit said amount to the advertiser to whom it may be due.

Sec. 5. In the event of the member failing to comply with the demand within thirty days after it is issued, the Secretary shall so inform the Board of Directors, who shall declare his name to be dropped from the roll of membership and publish the fact.

Sec. 6. When a member fails or refuses to make restitution to an advertiser when so ordered, the President shall order the Treasurer to pay the amount out of the general funds of the association, and shall at once take up the matter with the bondsman of aforesaid member.

Distributors' Notes.

A distributor is not always a man of fashion nor a society prince, but has entrance into the best homes, just the same; at least far enough for the advertisers needs.

Distributor S. J. Burgess, of Pontiac, Mich., writes that he has his hands full of work, with good prospects for a continuance for the season. His service is guaranteed, and patrons who have employed him have invariably been given satisfaction.

The circular is a newspaper—it contains the news which the advertiser wishes to present for the consideration of the household. It is partisan to the extreme—partisan in the interests of the firm whose advertising "news" appears therein.

A prominent attorney in Cincinnati says that the Pennsylvania law prohibiting sampling is unconstitutional. He further says that the legislature may properly surround the practice with safeguards, but in seeking to prohibit it altogether it exceeded its powers.

Under the new constitutions and by-laws the Board of Directors will meet four times a year—at 10 o'clock, a. m., the second Tuesday in January, the second Tuesday in April, the second Tuesday in July (which shall be the annual meeting) and the second Tuesday in October—subject to the call of the President.

The ordinary advertiser's purse is limited to a comparatively small space in the newspapers, thereby limiting his "conversation" with the prospective customer. But there is hardly any limit to the "conversation" he can carry on by means of circular distributing. A large ad in a newspaper reading: "We sell shoes. Come to us. Prices, 20¢ to \$3.50," won't sell shoes like a circular which goes into detail describing each kind and its price. Distributing helps business, and is cheap.

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The editor can not undertake to return unsolicited manuscripts; correspondents should keep copy. When it is necessary to wire us the instructions and copy for advertisements, great saving in the matter of telegraph tolls may be had by recourse to the Donaldson Cipher Code.

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Saturday, August 3, 1901.

Ketcham's Crescens, the equine racing wonder of the world, beating the record for both sexes with a trotting score of 2:02%, stands without a peer in the trotting world.

Let every member of the great show profession in this country remember that C. A. Davis, the old circus man, is making a strong fight for his life away down in Arizona. In the days of his prosperity, Davis always had a glad hand for a brother in adversity. Now, when the clouds are around him, and a friend in need to him is a friend indeed, do not hesitate to administer to his want. Every dollar contributed to the Davis fund will perhaps add a day to the life of a sterling good fellow. "The Billboard" will acknowledge receipt of and forward all funds.

The Gunning Display Advertising System, of Chicago, have brought suit against the city of Chicago, to test the validity of an ordinance recently passed by the Council, restricting the operations of the System. The proceedings are being treated in a breezy and refreshing manner by the local papers, and the master in the court referred to the case as "summer vanderville," some of the evidence submitted being farcical in the extreme, claiming that the psychological effect of the advertising was injurious to the public, and that the potency of suggestion was deleterious. The case has not been settled.

The States comprising the Middle West have been for weeks past subject to a continued drought, a parallel of which has not been known for years. In an extended territory no rain has fallen for months, and in many States the entire corn crop will be a failure. County fairs in numerous sections have been called off, and the farmers generally are disconsolate over the prospects. The early spring opened with flattering prospects for a most successful agricultural season, but the chances are now that the year of 1901 will mark a disastrous period in the agricultural history of Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri. Should generous rains even now visit these sections, not one-third of a crop could be harvested. There is only one consoling fact connected with the agricultural season of 1901, and that is that in those States which are now so severely stricken, for the past few years there have been grown and harvested wonderful crops, and the farmers have enjoyed several years of unprecedented prosperity.

Frontispiece.

J. F. O'Meara, whose picture adorns the front page of this week's "Billboard," was made the recipient of the highest honor in the gift of his conditors, at the recent convention of the I. A. of D., at Buffalo, being elected president for the ensuing term.

Mr. O'Meara is a man who deserves all of the success that he has attained. Of a modest, retiring disposition, but with business ability of the highest order, from a humble position in life he has secured an enviable place in the business world. Mr.

O'Meara commenced business in a small way, with limited capital, at Jersey City, and has, in the course of a few years, extended his enterprises to Hoboken, Weehawken and Nahassket, and in the association, with which he early allied himself, has always occupied a prominent position. His sociable, genial manner wins friends for him everywhere, and with the bill posters and distributors of America he is universally popular.

To Be No More C. E. National Conventions.

"There will never be another International Christian Endeavor convention." This was the startling statement made Monday night by Rev. A. M. Dawson, vice-president of the 1901 Christian Endeavor convention, at an Echo meeting of the Presbyterian ministers at the First Presbyterian Church, Cincinnati, O. Rev. Dawson gave as his reason for the statement that too much time was lost, money expended and the distance too great for a successful international gathering. As a remedy he suggests a division of the world into districts and separate conventions and prominent speakers for each.

Testimonial Fund for C. A. Davis.

That prince of good fellows, Charley Davis, is down at Arizona, fighting for his life. He is suffering from consumption. He has a chance to live if he can continue to stay in the dry air and sunshine of the desert. But it costs money. His funds, none too strong at the outset, are now exhausted, after eighteen months' battle with the dread disease. He must either have assistance or give up the struggle. "The Billboard" has been asked to inaugurate a testimonial fund in his behalf, and does so most cheerfully herewith. C. A. Davis is a deserving man. We invite subscriptions. All will be acknowledged.

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| "The Billboard" | \$10 |
| W. H. Donaldson | 5 |
| Frank O. Miller | 5 |
| H. A. Mann | 2 |
| W. W. Cole | 25 |
| E. D. Colvin | 5.00 |
| W. H. Gardiner | 5.00 |
| W. E. Franklin | 5.00 |
| A. McPhail | 5.00 |
| E. H. Macomur | 5.00 |
| J. D. Barton | 5.00 |

Trenchant and True.

(Life.)

Everybody knows that at Buffalo there are exhibitions of manufactures, jewels, steam engines, electrical contrivances and other products of human industry and talent. Likewise, there is a very satisfactory and instructive collection of pictures by modern American artists, besides the most impressive gathering of American sculpture ever shown. The buildings are a marvel of coloring, and Buffalo also has an exhibition its delightful summer climate. Everybody knows it because it is matter of record. Everybody has read that such things are there, and enough persons have seen them and borne testimony to their existence to make belief in them general and confident. But so far as one may judge from the discourse of persons who have been to the fair, all these things bear very much the relation to the Pan-American that the big squashes and fat steers bear to the agricultural horse-trot at a country fair. What one hears about from returned visitors is the Midway and its shows, the electrical illumination, and a certain German restaurant where persons who have all their money with them can revile their energies with palatable food. Contemporary Americans taste in fairs seems to be very much like contemporary taste in literature. "Give me something that is easy and entertaining!" That is the cry, and Buffalo seems to have heard it in time and made a satisfactory response. St. Louis, which has planned to have a big world's fair presentably, keeps close watch, of course, of the Pan-American. What will be the issue of her observations? Will she think it worth while to have any industrial exhibit at all, or will she find her chief glory and her chief profit in offering the nations the most fun for the money they ever had?

Good Memory.

A party of old-timers were chatting in the Southern Hotel, Columbus, a few evenings ago, the routes of shows forming the basis of their conversation. The memories of several of the parties were put to severe tests. The argument arose over the fact that in a late issue of "The Billboard" was printed an article regarding a show playing the town of Liberty, Casey County, Ky. The article stated the show was the first that had appeared in Liberty in twenty-five years. Al. G. Field quoted a route of the Wallace Show from memory, which was substantiated by a route-book later on, and proves that the Wallace Show appeared in Liberty during the season of 1881. Mr. Field went back further to the days of the Sells Show on wagons and recalled that they played Liberty in '75 and '76.

This argument led to other tests of memory regarding routes. Al. G. Field began on the first day of the Wallace Show's route in 1885 and quoted it from memory until the closing day of the season, not missing a single town and only making the mistake of transposing two stands. In the matter of dates, receipts, etc., Mr. Field

is known to have a wonderful memory. He can quote the route of his show for any season, backward if necessary, and give you the receipts of any night's performance in any town the show has played in late years, the capacity of the house, facilities for advertising and almost anything else of interest that has a bearing on his business. Peter Sells is the only other showman who can compare with Al. G. Field in the matter of memory. Mr. Field claims his memory is a matter of business and not a gift, as his memory is very deficient in many things. He rarely remembers the name of a street in any city or the number of any establishment. He loses an average of an umbrella a week, and frequently leaves his overcoat in a theater or opera house when the thermometer is at zero.

A good story is told of him. During the races in Columbus a short time ago he took his wife and daughter, placed them in the grand-stand and wandered down into the paddock. Toward evening a companion suggested that they go into the city and have lunch, as the next event on the card would not be interesting. They drove to the hotel. While seated at luncheon Mr. Field remarked: "It seems to me I have forgotten something." A half hour later Mr. Field suddenly sprang up, grabbed his hat and started for the door. He ran out to his trap, yelling back as he ran: "I forgot my wife and Pearl," and drove off like mad. When he got to the race track the grounds were deserted, excepting by a few stragglers. He hasn't got matters squared up yet with his wife. At the races next week he will be found in the grand-stand very close to his wife, as she won't forget her experience going home on the crowded street cars. A. X. Y.

Want It but at Their Own Price.

There is no question but that the cigar end of the great American Tobacco Company want the bill posting franchises in New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston. The representative of this Trust has been endeavoring to make a purchase of these plants, and is still hard at work, but as yet nothing definite has materialized. A very fancy price has been placed on some of the plants, and, to the astonishment of the owners, the same has been accepted, but with the acceptance of the proposition there was a request for signed statements relative to the business, etc. This naturally was refused until a bonus had been paid; that bonus is not yet in sight. It seems that there is a wheel within a wheel, and that interests inimical to the American Tobacco Company may be the power behind the throne. The object of the representative of the interests opposed to the American Tobacco Company is an immense dividend on original investments, and at the same time a closing up of desirable avenues of publicity for the American Tobacco Company. In the event of any war, there are many capitalists outside of either syndicate who are ready to stretch out eager, hungry hands to grasp the bill posting privileges in many cities other than the ones mentioned; but it is safe to say that in the bill posting fraternity, and in control of the greatest interests, there are men of such pronounced executive ability and financial acumen, that it will require more wisdom than has yet been displayed to bar them from an honest quid pro quo. It is said that the D. J. Gude Co. put a price of \$500,000 on their plant, and same was accepted in twenty-four hours. Rumors of all kinds are rife, but it is hard to confirm them.

Billboards Make Chicago People Sick.

Billboards are responsible for the sore eyes, the hunger, the indigestion and the liver troubles, as well as a multitude of other ills with which the people of Chicago are afflicted, according to evidence introduced before Master in Chancery G. Fred Rush this morning. Dr. Sarah C. Buckley, who was a witness in the suit of the Gunning system for an injunction to restrain the city from interfering with its signs, declared that she had known people when they saw the advertisement or the sign of an eye specialist to become immediately afflicted with eye trouble and come to her for treatment.

"The same thing is true of advertisements for all kinds of medicine," she insisted. "People become convinced that they are afflicted with a disease when they see its remedy advertised. The process of suggestion is responsible for this, and the bill boards are the cause of it."

In regard to the effect of health destroyers upon herself, Dr. Buckley said that they had the same effect as bad taste in her month or an unpleasant sound.

Lorado Taft, Ralph Clarkson and other artists also denounced the bill boards. Arguments will be made next Thursday.

Thinks It Indispensable.

From Aberdeen, Wnsh., under date of July 12, came the following letter:

"Don't think because I did not send to you my subscription that I am not a reader of 'The Billboard.' On receipt of your sample copy I at once ordered it through our local newsdealer. I consider it an indispensable publication to all bill posters.

Will say in regard to the business at this point it is excellent. I have every inch of space posted, and lots of paper on hand. Posted last month 24 8-sheets for 'Virginia Cheroots,' 8-sheets for Straus Overalls, Hires Root Beer, Sun Cure Tobacco. Three

kinds of local 8-sheets—root beer, Virginia cheroots and local 2-sheets; 1-sheet for local cigar. Have the harbor loaded with two kinds half-sheets, two kinds 1-sheets and a special litho. 3-sheet for Elk's Carnival at Tacoma (which, by the way, is not in your list of carnivals). Tacked last month banners for Horse Shoe, Battle Ax, Star, Lime Kiln and Sun Cure Tobacco and 'Hesperiad Hair Tonic.'

Distributing—Warner's pamphlets, Dr. Miles' books, Hesperide, 16-sheets, four kinds for Elks, beside the buttons. Had a great visit with the Campbell boys, who showed here June 27. They had two big houses, and deserved them. They have an excellent ring show. They made me at home around the show. Their success has not "swelled" them a bit. They are the same social bunch as in "days of yore," when the show consisted of four or five tea-bitten ponies and a "kid top." They have a swell band, and simply "eat it up." Kindly let me know where to get a copy of "The Billboard March," if not too much trouble. I gave every copy of "The Billboard" to the boys with the bill car, and the ad, concerning the march was in one of the papers. The late papers have nothing to say about it.

Answers to Correspondents.

C. L. S.—1. Yes. The position of assistant secretary has already been tendered to Mr. Steinbrenner. He has accepted it conditionally. He wants \$2,000 a year, instead of \$1,000, the sum offered. 2. We do not know. Under the constitution and by-laws an applicant must be an employing poster to be eligible.

P. T.—If you can not find a route in our lists, you may rest assured that even if we are not allowed to divulge it, we can forward letters and telegrams, but that is all.

W. S. T.—No. The opera house at Perry, Ia., was destroyed by fire in September, 1899. The only public hall of any size in the city is the Armory. It is outfitted with small stage and has a seating capacity of 200.

Query.—Yes. We forward all letters addressed care "The Billboard" without charge, immediately on receipt of application for same.

Dixie.—We never give the address of any performer. Write him care of "The Billboard" and we will forward the letter.

Ernest.—The show is now in the Northwest. A letter written care of "The Billboard" will reach the party you want.

T. H. W.—"King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba" is the spectacular opening feature with the Robinson Ten Big Combined Shows this season.

F. H. R.—1. The (new) Buckingham Theater at Louisville, Ky., was opened Aug. 20, 1899. 2. No. Wm. Young adapted the play of "Ben Hur" from Gen. Lew Wallace's story, and it was originally produced at the Broadway Theater, New York City, Nov. 29, 1899.

A. U. T.—No. Frank Bostock is still living, and in good health. It was a young man, an employee of Bostock, who was killed by a lion at the Indianapolis Zoo.

Auditions Young Man.—Our advice is: Remain on the farm, where the work is a diurnal picnic compared to the life of an actor or performer.

Letter Box

Our readers and subscribers in all lines are invited to avail themselves of "The Billboard's" new mail scheme. We have an experienced clerk in charge of this department. He keeps track of people and forwards their mail wherever possible, the moment it is received, thus avoiding delay. Letters are only advertised when we do not know the whereabouts of the persons to whom they are addressed. Letters advertised for four weeks and unclaimed will be returned to the post-office. Circulars, postal cards and newspapers excluded. Letters are forwarded without expense.

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

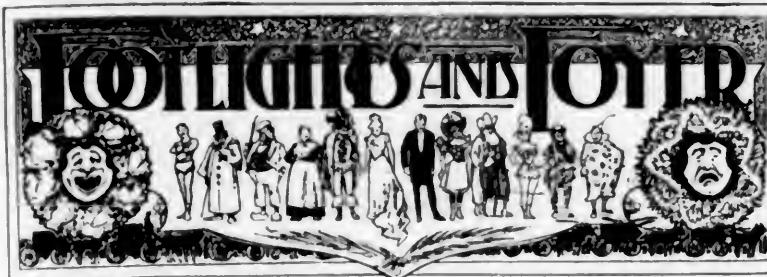
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| Bunch & Bowers. | Palmer, John Fay. |
| Cronin, S. | Phillips, Prof. M. H. |
| Dennell, Phillip E. | Phillips & Belmont |
| Dale, Harry P. | Balloon Co. |
| Downs, Martin. | Rice, M. E. |
| Duglass, Prof. John L. | Schiffers Bros. & |
| Elder & Olson's Clrs. | Orr's Show. |
| Fryvoyle, Mr. | Selp, A. C. |
| Grimes, Big Joe. | Sparks, John A. |
| Gautier, the Great. | Stetson's U. T. C. Co. |
| Hines, Ralph T. | Stont, Willie. |
| Hope, Billy. | Taylor, Parson. |
| Ireland, Owen. | Teets Bros. Circus. |
| Junker, W. A. | Wallace, Capt. III. |
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| Lorenzo; Ida Turner. | Walters, Julie. |
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| Lynch, the Great. | Watts, Geo. A. |
| Larid, E. C. | Young Bros. |

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Death of Lillian Green.

Behind the death of Lillian Green, actress, which occurred at Roosevelt Hospital, New York, of typhoid fever, last week, there is a romance with which the son of a notable Cincinnati family is connected, for Miss Green was once the wife of Charles Flamen Ade, whose grandfather, Flamenc Ball, was a law partner of Salmon P. Chase and one of the founders of Clifton. The old sign of "Chase & Ball, Attorneys at Law," is still preserved on the door jamb of the little building on Third street they occupied way back in the early fifties, and it was one of the places to which, as to a shrine, Kate Chase went during her last visit to this city in 1897, when she made her pathetically futile attempt to borrow \$5,000 from Ohio friends of her father to save from the auctioneer's hammer the family home at Washington.

A daughter of Mr. Ball was the mother of young Ade by her marriage to a Cincinnati banker. After his death she married Frederick Linkus, a large linen importer of New York, with great wealth.

Young Ade's position was thus one of assured affluence and social position. His family connections in Cincinnati and elsewhere are of the best, and as prospective heir to some \$2,000,000, he was regarded by his family as qualified for a marriage arrangement of some importance.

Miss Green, beautiful of form, full of vivacity, and with a voice that thrilled and captivated one by its pleading tones, was less than 20 years old when young Ade first saw her in New York, six years ago. She had been successful, having appeared in the companies of DeWolf Hopper, E. E. Rice, A. M. Palmer and others. Ade saw her dancing behind the footlights at the Casino, and her charms so appealed to him that he began an ardent wooing. One night she signified her acceptance of him by wearing a jeweled garter he had sent her. A secret marriage occurred at the Little Church Around the Corner, June 30, 1896, and for some time the young couple appeared to be happily mated. In 1898, however, their disagreements resulted in a separation, and last January Miss Green secured a divorce on the ground of non-support of herself and child.

Then she returned to the stage, and was singing at the Victoria in "My Lady" when Henry W. Savage engaged her for "King Dodoo." When she started for Chicago she was really ill, symptoms of typhoid fever being present, and she was advised to take a rest. Her devotion to her profession and to her ambition to make a name for herself were so strong she refused to be idle. As a result she broke down while appearing at the Studebaker Theater in Chicago. She was sent home to her mother, in New York, where her condition was pronounced so critical that she was removed to the hospital, where her death occurred ten days later. Her friends declare she sacrificed herself to her ambition and her art.

Theatrical Gossip.

Charles Frohman controls five London theaters.

H. E. Phillips is summering at Reynoldsburg, Pa.

H. P. Lorraine is at the Grove Hotel, Cincinnati, O., organizing an "Uncle Tom" company.

Guy Standing will be assigned by Mr. Frohman to part with John Drew in "The Second in Command."

Mrs. McKee Rankin is to be in the cast of "The Marriage Game." She was with Sadie Martinot in "The Turtle."

The La Junta Theater, at La Junta, Col., with Frank Bellan manager, opens about September 15. The house is a new one and cost \$10,000. Attractions are wanted for the opening.

John H. Young, the well known New York scene artist, is getting up an entirely new production upon an elaborate scale for "In Old Kentucky." This is the fifth production Mr. Young has built for this play, which has now had nine years of phenomenal success.

Eleanor Innes and Gabriel D'Annunzio have settled their lovers' quarrel, and will star together next winter under the management of the Leichling Theatrical Company. As both Innes and D'Annunzio are hard up financially, it is thought the liberal offers made by Manager Tyler was the means of bringing them together.

At Greenville, Pa., July 24, the Laird Opera Block was set on fire shortly after midnight by firebugs, and for a time the whole block was threatened. The flames were confined to the room occupied by Merchant & Metzger, grocers. Two frenzied women overcome by smoke and were rescued with difficulty. The loss is \$7,000.

At Benovo, Pa., July 24, Svengali, the hypnotist, who is endeavoring to solve the Bohemian mystery, said: "I visited the scene

of the supposed murder, near Lock Haven, hypnotized three of the suspects, an idiot, a negro and a son, and gained such information that I now believe we can land the guilty one in a short time with evidence enough to convict him."

Oliver L. Hagan, once a well-known theatrical manager, died of heat prostration at his home, No. 3119 Laelde Avenue, St. Louis, July 24. Mr. Hagan had been ill for more than a month. On the morning of his death he attempted to leave his house, but had hardly left the front door when he recovered and fell to the ground. He recovered sufficiently to return to his bedroom, where he expired a few minutes later.

A new play depicting life in the anthracite coal region, called "Pennsylvania," will be produced in September for several weeks in Philadelphia, and afterward will thoroughly tour the State. The authors are Daniel L. Hart and C. E. Callahan, of this city. Mr. Hart has recently put forth successes in the "Parish Priest" and "Melbourne," and Mr. Callahan is the author of the play in which Minnie Maddern originally starred, "Fogg's Ferry," and of "Toon Hollow," both plays still keeping the road.

H. W. Rosenthal, of Cincinnati, is no longer manager of the Rosenthal Stock Company, and the name of the company will be changed within a few days. Lawrence Barbour is at present manager of the company and will continue to be for the present. Gus A. Forbes, leading man; Marle Van Tassel, leading lady; Gavin Harris, Alfred Bowland and Edythe Harcourt will leave the company in a few days to begin their rehearsals for the winter season. Their places will be filled at once, but their successors have not yet been selected.

Will A. McConnell, the theatrical manager, who will play himself in support of Peter F. Darley in "Champagne Charlie," was asked why he had turned actor. "Financial ambition," he responded. "I have been working for several seasons as a manager at \$7,500 per week. On my recent visit to London I learned that Joe Cartwright was receiving \$9,250 per week in support of Alice Nelson, and that Harry Davenport was getting \$12,500. When Frank McKee offered me \$23,500 to play with Darley I could not resist the temptation. I think I'm on the right side now. I'll get the money and will be able to fulfill a long-cherished ambition to do something toward elevating the stage."

Dramatic.

Kathryn Kildare is considering a revival of "Mme. Sans Gene."

Rice's "Evangeline" will be the opening attraction of the Columbia Theater, Boston.

The announcement is authoritatively made that Sir Henry Irving and Miss Ellen Terry will make a 22 weeks' tour of this country during the coming season.

The Nina Repertoire Company opens the season Oct. 7, and is booked through the South. Bruns and Nina, in their specialties, are featured between the acts.

"The Price of Peace" is considered the heaviest melodrama ever brought to this country. When it goes to McVicker's Theater, Chicago, in November, the entire stage of that big theater will have to be reconstructed.

The Crescent Opera House, at Fond du Lac, Wis., wants a good attraction for the week of Aug. 26, which is the date of the street fair, Kite Park race and grand carnival. Address for information P. B. Barber, manager.

The LaBelle Park Stock Company presented at Paducah, Ky., recently "A Kentucky Romance," a three night's engagement, reported one of the successes of the season. The company will next present "David Garrick."

Willis Granger writes that he has signed a five years' contract to star under the management of Mart Hanley, of Harrigan and Hart fame, but more recently manager of Robert Mantell. "A Secret Warrant," "The Marble Heart" and "Hamlet" are the plays in which Mr. Granger will appear.

"The Lord and Master" is the title of the play written by Martha Morton for Herbert Kellee and Eddie Shannon. It is a story of modern society life, with the scenes laid in England and America. Kellee will play the part of an English lord, and his wife that of an American heiress. The company will include Morton Selton, Perry Brooke, Ida Waterman and Isabel Waldron. The tour opens on Sept. 3, at Columbus.

Miss Middleton, known to the theatrical world as Grace Raven, has renounced the stage and entered an Ohio convent. She was just entering upon a promising career, and a bright future was before her, when she suddenly left the stage, and the next heard from her was when she took the white veil as the beginning of the novitiate in the Sister's order. The only explanation she has given for her act is that she did not find complete happiness in the theatrical world.

The Feenberg Stock Company, managed by the youngest manager in the business, Geo. M. Fenley, enters upon its second season Aug. 26, at Cortland, N. Y. (fair week). The company this season will number 20 people, dramatic and vaudeville. Mr. Feenberg believes in the continuous, and certainly gives them their money's worth. Mr. Fenley has been spending the past four weeks at his cottage at Lake Blanchard, Endicott, O. He is now in New York, getting things in shape for the big show.

The Brothers Byrne Eight Bells Company was completed yesterday. The following persons have signed contracts: Charles F. McCarthy, Harry E. Baker, Tom Sawyer, Harry Bardell, Eddie Bardell, James A. Harris, Larry Vondale, Al and Art Griner, Seaton and Gonzales, the brothers Delmore, Schrack and Rie, the sisters Clayton, Maud McCarthy, Grace Euler, Alice Montunde, Harry Kremer, Clyde Luther, William Dale, Val Denton, M. Monahan, Ralph Roote, W. J. Hand, M. J. Byrne, James Byrne, Andrew Byrne and the Byrne troupe of acrobats.

Vernona Jarbeam has consented to give vaudeville the frigid frown and to delight audiences as Mazeppa. Never did Fanny Herring, in her palmiest days, dream of such a production of the favorite drama as M. B. Leavitt has promised Miss Jarbeam. She was a bit shy at first about such an old timer, but Learl proved to her that the public was just yearning to see Miss Jarbeam in tights, bound to a horse's back and dashing wildly across the yawning chasm of "prop" mountains. What made Blanche Bates such a hit in "Under Two Flags"? It was that Mazeppa ride, of course. At this point Jarbeam yielded, and the contract was signed.

Lieder & Co. will put out two "Christian" companies next season, the one for the larger cities, in which Mr. Edward J. Morgan will be starred, supported by Miss Leslie Leslie as Glory Quayle, and the second for the smaller cities, in which Miss Little Vane who played Glory Quayle in the Eastern "Christian" companies last season, will continue in the role. The cast of this company will be made up largely of the members of last season's company, Mr. Charles Rowan, who has won distinction in the role of Lord Robert Ure, continuing in the part, Frank A. Lyon playing Archdeacon Wealthy, J. R. Furlong, Father Lamplight; Helen Wealthy, Polly Love, and Carrie Lee Stoyle, Mrs. Calender.

The cast for "In the Palace of the King," in which Miss Viola Allen will tour the larger cities of the country next season, will include W. E. Bonney as Phillip II, Benjamin Howard as Don Juan of Austria, Walter Hitchcock as Cardinal Luis de Torres, L. Leslie Allen as Antonio Perez, Arthur T. Hoyt as Adonis, J. H. Benrimo as Captain de Mendoza, Eugene Sweetland as Don Lopez Zapata, Edgar Selwyn as Don Manuel, Miss Adelaide Warren as Doma Inez, Miss Sue Van Dusen as the Duchess of Alva, Miss Blanche Montfort as the Dowager Duchess, and Miss Lida Hall as Doma Monica. It will be noticed that the cast includes a large proportion of the members of last season's company.

Knoxville, Tenn., July 25—(Special)—Sheppard Camp, well known as actor, composer, playwright and former Atlanta journalist, was married to Miss Ottie Chenault, of this city, yesterday, the wedding occurring at Bristol, Va., in the court house, Rev. A. G. Musiek, officiating. The young couple met in this city three weeks ago, while Mr. Camp was acting at the Chilhowee Park summer theater. The acquaintance dates from a dance given after the evening performance, in which actors and actresses participated. Miss Chenault is in her twentieth year, while Mr. Camp is but five years older. She is beautiful, graceful and accomplished. Mr. Camp is a well known writer of popular songs and sketches for the stage. The wedding was a surprise to the bride's friends, as, when she left here Tuesday, she stated she would visit Greenville friends, but instead went to Bristol.

Word comes from Portland, Ore., that Hope Booth, the actress, last seen at Cincinnati, O., in "War on Women," at the Walnut, is seriously ill at Peaks' Island, where she has been staying for three weeks past. Miss Booth's illness is largely due. It is said, to worry over losses in two theatrical ventures in which she embarked as a star during the season just closed. She first appeared in a play called "A Wife in Pawn," and her backer is said to have lost \$13,000 through the non-success of the piece. He afterward "starred" Miss Booth again in a play called "War on Women." The latter company came to grief in Milwaukee in December last. Miss Booth had canceled many profitable vaudeville engagements in her ambition to strive in the higher realm of the drama, and the failure which obliged her to return to "statusque poses" disheartened and greatly worried her.

Vaudeville.

The Casino and Farm, at Toledo, O., are both doing a phenomenal business this season.

Look at our list of Chautauquas. Tell your friends about it. This is the first list ever published.

The Bruns and Nina Vaudevilles are at the Railroad Park, Columbia, S. C., the week of July 29.

James Curran, of Curran and Austin, has joined hands with Chas. Yorke, of Grand Rapids, Mich., in a new enterprise for the coming season.

And now it is Eugene Cowles that will receive the largest salary ever paid a vaudeville artist. The press agent says it is \$1,500 per week.

Miss Grace Wilson and little Gladys, after a pleasant visit to the Pan-American,

are busy at Toledo, O., rehearsing a new turn for the coming season.

Remember "The Billboard's" list of Parks, Pleasure Resorts and Summer Gardens is revised weekly. It is the most complete and reliable ever published.

At Toledo, O., on the evening of July 23, Mr. Frank Bennett, of the team of Bennett and Gardner, while reaching for his coat at the head of a pair of stairs at his hotel, tripped and fell the entire flight, sustaining injuries which caused his death the next day.

At Chester Park, Cincinnati, O., last week, Mr. J. Bernard Myllyn, "the man with the big voice," made quite a hit with his songs and parodies. Among others on the bill were May Walsh, Powell, the magician, and the Garnett Family of negro-bats. The bill was a strong one and drew large crowds.

Maud Huth, the vaudeville actress, has just recovered from a rather delicate operation. She injured an ear drum last March, after a violent fit of sneezing. A short time ago she felt a pain in her right ear. She went to a hospital for treatment, and was informed that she had an abscess. An operation for its removal was successful, and she will soon resume her engagements.

Burlesque.

Harry Semin does dig up some of the cleverest titles of any one in the business. Here is his latest: "The Pan-American Girls; direct from the Midway." The title alone ought to carry the show through the season.

Billie Van and Miss Nellie O'Neil are playing an engagement at the Court Street Theater, in Buffalo, N. Y., and scoring one of the positive successes of the Pan-American season. They are featured in the extravaganza, "The Devil's Daughter," and have scored a tremendous hit.

Richard P. Anthony was shot and probably fatally injured one night last week, in Chicago, by his wife, who was Martha Plawas, and a member of one of Sam T. Jack's burlesque companies before she married and began singing in a church choir. Anthony is a Pullman conductor past middle age. His wife encountered him with another woman on Third avenue and shot him three times while he was running away from her.

Farce-Comedy.

L. Lyle, Box 167, Leavenworth, Kan., wants to procure the manuscript of "Our Flats."

"Levyle" Lewis is to be starred by "Al" Arons in a broken-German farce, "Caught With the Goods."

Members of Richard Golden's "Old Jed Prouty" company have started for Halifax, N. S., where rehearsals will begin.

Miss Laura Eastlake will again head her own company next season. Her new vehicle will be a comedy, entitled "When the Cat's Away."

Olive Irich has been engaged by Manager William Warrington to play the title role in "The Girl From Paris" company he will send on the road next season.

A firm of confectioners in Syenmore, Ill., are making the "Zeko" brand of candies. It is named after the well known character in Fred Raymond's "Missouri Girl."

Louis Peters will try to follow the path laid out a few years ago by William Collier in "The Man From Mexico." Peters signed to take the leading part.

Little Tich, the eccentric English dwarf comedian, did not go home after his shortened term in New York, but is in Washington for a role in a revival of "A Milk White Flag."

Hattie Williams, who plays Maizi Mahon in Klaw and Erlanger's "The Rogers Brothers in Washington," made a hit last season in "The Girl from Maxim's." Naturally comic, as well as very pretty, she is considered a very promising comedienne.

Gracie Emmett, who made a hit last fall in the character comedy, "Mrs. Murphy's Second Husband," has been engaged for James Hyde's company next season. Miss Emmett is spending the summer between Boston and her farm in New Hampshire.

Willie Gerdes, the good natured 510-pound son of the well-known hotel proprietor of Cincinnati, O., is to return to the stage the coming season. Young Gerdes has been engaged by Manager Gus Hill and will play the part of the policeman in Mr. Hill's comedy, "Happy Hooligan."

Augustus Thomas' comedy, "On the Quiet," which has made fame and fortune for the comedian, William Collier, has been bought by Jacob Litt, who assumes the management of Mr. Collier, beginning September 1. Mr. Collier will present it in the large cities where it has not been seen, and in February will have a new play.

Musical.

Silivinski, the Polish pianist, last heard in this vicinity in connection with the Leipzig Orchestra, will make another tour of this country, beginning in November.

Frederick C. Whitney, who for the last week has been in search of a prima donna for the Luis Glaser Opera Company, has signed a contract with Estelle Wentworth. She is the soprano who succeeded Hilda Clarke with the Bostonians when the latter, thanks to a broken kneecap, was, last winter, compelled to retire from that company.

At the banquet in Balbreth, July 24, in connection with the quarter-centennial of Wagnerian opera, Frau Cosima Wagner invited all the singers and musicians now living who participated in the performance of the "Nibelungen Ring" at Balbreth in the summer of 1876. Among those present

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were, Herr Niemann, Eugene Guera, Frau Materina, Hans Richter, the conductor, and several members of the orchestra. Speeches were made by Siegfried Wagner and Herr Richter.

Gustave Kerker will remain in New York until the middle of August in order to complete the score of the musical comedy upon which he and Harry B. Smith are collaborating. Mr. Kerker will then sail for England. He will be accompanied by the American performers still in this country who the first week in September are to take part in the production of "The Whirl of the Town" at the Century, formerly the Adelphi, in London. He will conduct the orchestra the first night.

A cablegram appeared in a New York paper recently, stating that Alice Neilson had decided to enter the grand opera field, and had, therefore, declined "a shower of offers" from various managers to direct her future career, among them a proposition from Klaw & Erlanger. This firm denies having made any proposals to Miss Neilson. On the contrary, they state in an open letter to this paper that Miss Neilson's attorney, A. H. Hammel, some months ago desired them to take the management of his client, but they declined to do so.

A pleasant romance of the stage is connected with the initial production at Terrace Garden of "The Robber Baron." It was given a cordial reception, and in answering the congratulations of his friends, Wilhelm Schaeffer, the composer, announced his engagement to Miss Ellie George, a contralto with the Columbia Opera Company, now in Kansas City. The wedding will occur in about two weeks. The couple waited patiently for the production of a new opera, and Schaeffer has laughingly remarked that his fiancee declared she would not marry him if it were a failure.

In order to reach the goal of his ambition—to be a violinist of the first order—Herbert Saylor has submitted to a most peculiar and painful surgical operation, having had a piece of flesh removed from the tip of each finger. During the healing period there will be from four to six stitches in each finger. Many surgeons believed the operation would destroy the sensitive feelings of the tips of the fingers, but young Saylor thoroughly believes that it will be of great benefit to his work. He is gifted as a musician, having studied under this country's best tutors. The operation was performed at the Hahnemann Hospital, in Philadelphia.

George A. Blumenthal, the theatrical manager, who was in charge of the American Theater's roof garden at its disastrous close some weeks ago, will to-morrow bring suit for \$20,000 damages against the Mutual Protective Association. The sudden closing of the roof garden was in a measure due to the secession of the orchestra, which marched out one night, leaving only the piano player in charge of the musical part of the programme. Mr. Blumenthal alleges that by the terms of his lease with Weiss and Greenwall, of the American, he was, therefore, obliged to relinquish the lease, "thereby losing fine, reputation and profits" to the extent of \$20,000.

St. Louis, Mo., July 24.—(Special)—When the curtain is rung down at Thrig's Cave Saturday will mark the end not only of the Berri-Monahan run, but probably will bring to an end the career of the Cave, St. Louis' most famous and historic resort, as a place of entertainment. A syndicate composed of St. Louis and Eastern capitalists has secured an option on the Cave, and a company is now in process of formation to erect a thousand-room million-dollar hotel. The option runs until Sept. 15, and Manager McNeary said to-day that Saturday night's performance will probably be the last ever given at the Cave. Thrig's Cave probably is the most famous home of light opera in the United States. The first production of "The Mikado" in the United States was given at the Cave. "Patience" also had its premiere in this country at the Cave. The Cave as a resort dates back to 1852. It was not until 1874 that it became popular. From that year until the McNearys assumed control, in 1881, it was owned by Christopher Nantz. Band concerts were the only attractions.

Minstrels.

Al. G. Field and family were badly poisoned from eating ice cream. All recovered.

William H. West opened his season recently atimer Park with his minstrel jubilee.

Al. G. Field was elected Esteemed Leading Knight of the World at the B. P. O. E. convention in Milwaukee last week.

Have you noticed that we publish more real minstrel news in this column than you can find in all other papers combined? Have you told your friends about it?

Richards & Pringle's Big Minstrel Festival, owned by Russo & Holland, and under the personal direction of Harry Ward, will be one of the strongest attractions ever controlled by the above stable management. The company has been on tour all summer, and will enter the South in early September bigger and better than ever. Of course, Billy Kersands is the big feature, but the other specialties are extraordinarily strong, and the band is the best musical organization extant.

Newton Bassett, a promising Cincinnati baritone, has been engaged by Al G. Fields for next season. Mr. Bassett is a younger brother of Edna Bassett Marshall, the talented vaudevillian, whose untimely death a year ago cut short a bright career. Mr. Bassett made his debut last year with Burt and Chase. With the Flebbs Minstrels he will sing, among others, a song, "Eloise," of which the words are original with him, and to which music has been set, by Harry M.

Tizer, of New York. The Fields show will open at Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 15.

William S. Cleveland, known to the theatrical profession and the amusement-loving public for many years as "Billy" Cleveland, is to re-enter the field as a fun producer within the near future. And this in the face of "billdilities, \$550,000; assets, nothing," to which he confessed in the Federal Court at Chicago last week. A string of playhouses on the Pacific slope and in the East caused Cleveland to give up the financial ghost, and, incidentally, there were numberless actors who claimed they had good cases against him for salaries that were blanks. But all of this is of the past, and the bankrupt law dispelled the gloom of creditors which pervaded the atmosphere in Mr. Cleveland's erstwhile vicinity. And now, undaunted, untamed and as full of witty sayings and funny ideas as ever in his prime, Cleveland is going to put on a novel continuous show under canvas. The idea is said to be to have various "departments" of vaudeville, minstrelsy, comic opera, burlesque and acrobatics combined under one great canvas dome. There will be "one entrance and one admission," and the spectators will see "eleven great shows in one."



AL. G. FIELD.

Elected Esteemed Leading Knight of the World, B. P. O. E. Grand Lodge, Milwaukee, July 24.

Speaking of Harrison Bros.' Minstrels the Battle Creek (Mich.) local paper has the following to say concerning the brothers, who visited that city lately: "We doubt if any company traveling will please our people as well as Harrison Bros.' Negro Minstrel Company, the new and ancient South, did. The company this year numbers 70 people, and there was not a dull moment in their entire program. In "New and Ancient South," genuine darkey life and pastime is depicted as it really was back in the fifties and up to the present hour. There was a novelty about the whole show that made it enjoyable. The main program was one of music, singing and dancing, though several fine specialties were introduced. The singing of "The Holy City" by the cathedral choir was a pleasing number. The cake-walking was decidedly the best ever given here. All in all, the show was clean and up to date. The 70 performers, male and female, are all colored, and selected from various Southern States. A magnificent private Pullman and an immense baggage car transports the company. The parade and cake-walk in the streets at noon, and the magnificent paper used to advertise the show, materially assisted in drawing the tremendous crowd. The Harrison Bros. are Kentuckians, and the "New and Ancient South" is an original idea of their own, as well as the manner in which the show is presented. The two brothers who were with the show here are both high Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Elks, Eagles and Red Men. The show and its owners deserve the large patronage they are receiving, and Battle Creek will always welcome the big minstrels.

New Plays and Sketches Copyrighted.

Washington, D. C., July 27. (Special)—The following new plays and sketches have been copyrighted:

"Caroline, the Caddy," a lyric comedy in 2 acts; written and copyrighted by John Walker Harrington, New York, N. Y.

"Between Love and Duty;" a tale of old Manila. A drama in 4 acts; written and copyrighted by Theo. Percy Bayer, San Francisco, Cal.

"Feudal Knights," A play in 4 acts; written and copyrighted by Albert Wertheim, New York, N. Y.

"His First Start in Business," A sketch; written and copyrighted by Neil Twomey, Chelsea, Mass.

"Just a Man; or, the Mulberry Bend," A farce play, comedy drama, by Carroll Fleming; copyrighted by Edgar L. Davenport, New York, N. Y.

"Lorna Doone," A play in 5 acts; written and copyrighted by Mildred Dowling, Melrose, Mass.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Denver Letter.

The Elks will hold a street fair for one week, opening July 29 in Colorado Springs. The Elks' Street Fair at Cripple Creek has just closed, and was a great success.

Mr. Campbell, of Campbell Bros.' Circus, was in to see us the past week, and they were going to show Denver, Pueblo and Colorado Springs, but upon learning that the Ringling Bros. were in the near vicinity, Mr. Campbell canceled these places, as he did not want to run against the Ringlings.

Business at Elitch Gardens and Manhattan Beach still continues good.

The Elks of Denver have started a proposition to build an auditorium, and they would like to hear from all good attractions over the country, or any other ideas or suggestions that will be successful. They have engaged Bellisted's Band, which will be the first attraction, and will open at Arlington Park Aug. 1. There has been in the neighborhood of \$8,000 of tickets sold at the present time.

Mr. W. J. Silverstone, the bill poster of Homestead, Pa., spent three weeks in Denver and Colorado, and has now left for his home. J. A. C.

Chicago Chat.

"The Billboard" is a great favorite with the Buffalo Bill Show. I was out at the lot on Friday, and in every department was one or two "Billboards." One employee said they all read it, whether they bought it or borrowed it. He also said that there was 100 "Billboards" around the show to 10 of the "Clipper."

The American Posting Service has stands on its boards for three Chicago daily papers—the Chronicle, the American and the Record-Herald. The Booster Cigar Company are putting up an eight sheet stand. This makes about the twenty-fifth cigar stand that the American Company has put on their boards this season.

The parks are all doing well in the point of attendance, especially the Chutes, where the turnover railroad is attracting a good patronage on account of its novelty. The concessionaires at the different parks complain of the lack of patronage, no matter how large the crowds are.

The Chicago Art League is trying to have the American Posting Service and the Gunning signs removed from around the parks and boulevards. One of the witnesses before the Master in Chancery declares that some of them gave him paresis; another one said the sight of them made her sick. If they took a ride on the elevated railroad and took notice of the number of old cloth banners on the rear end of the houses, stables and sheds facing the railroad, it would paralyze them. Some of the banners have been up over a year, and no matter how nice-looking the front of the building is, the rear of the premises look like a ruin with the old mildewed banners hanging, half off. At the same time, what a saying to their nervous system it is to have those handsome signs and bill boards, which shut out from their view so many unsightly back yards and buildings.

The Bijou is the first of the 20c and 30c houses to open for the season. Opened Sunday, July 28.

Louisville Linings.

Interstate Fair—The executive committee of the Fair Association has departed from the usual practice, and instead of contracting with carnival or Midway people to furnish the shows, they will put up their own shows. A contract has just been closed with Will S. Heck of Cincinnati, by whom he becomes manager of the Midway attractions. He will contract with performers, and superintend all of the acts. The Midway will be placed in the infield at the Jockey Club grounds, and will be arranged in horseshoe fashion, with the main entrance facing the grand stand. Every feature or performance will have to stand a very rigid examination, as nothing will be allowed that would prove offensive to any person. Mr. Heck is already making contracts, and advises the management that he has engaged Hadji Selyan and La Belle Sultana for the Turkish Theater.

The Zoo—This resort is doing a phenomenal business during this hot weather. The capacity has been taxed every night. The management is very liberal, and is putting on a first class vaudeville show, and the public is showing its appreciation. On Friday night a good display of fireworks drew a larger crowd than usual. Manager Sheehan is doing wonders with the appearance of the grounds, and promises to make the park the most beautiful one in the city.

A Winter Zoo—While the writer was at the Buffalo Exposition he heard from good authority that steps have already been taken for the opening of a menagerie in this city during the coming winter. No formal announcement of the plans can be made, but if they are carried out as shown there is no doubt of the affair being very successful.

Menter Barnes—One of the best trombone players in the country, as well as one of the best noted bassos, has drifted to one of the many beer halls in the local "red light" district. He traveled with Gilmore's band for many years, but whisky got the better of him, and he drifted from bad to worse, until he reached his present level. He recognizes his condition, and advises all

young people to let whisky alone. His wife has not forsaken him under the conditions, and recently appeared here to try to induce him to reform. He claims that he is doing the best he can to do this, having dropped whisky, but for what length of time can not be told.

Jeffersonville Street Fair—The management of this event is working hard upon the details of the affair. Two-thirds of the booth spaces have already been taken, and they apprehend no trouble in disposing of the balance. The Elks of Louisville and New Albany have promised them their aid in every way, and will do all in their power to work up a large attendance from those places. They are anxious to hear from performers for their Midway attractions, which will be run under their own management and control. Only the best attractions are desired.

Knights Templars' Conclave—The work of erecting the arches and reviewing stands for this event has already been started, and will be pushed from now until the conclave begins, next month. From present indications accommodations will be limited at that time, and intending visitors should secure their accommodations in advance.

J. W. BRIDGMAN.

A Big Blow at Georgetown, Ky.

On Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, one of the heaviest wind and rain storms in the history of that section of the State suddenly broke forth. The air was filled with poles and canvas, and a panic among all who was on for twenty minutes. No one knew which way to turn, and it was everyone shift for himself. Of the fourteen shows on the Midway, all were completely wrecked, with the exception of the trained animal tent of Frank Van Varkens, which furnished shelter for the few that found their way inside its walls in the blinding rain. Only a few were in the German Village at the time, the writer being one of them. Miss Hilda was preparing for her act, and when the storm broke she became hysterical, and it was only by quick action on the part of a gentleman standing near that she was saved from the falling center pole.

As the tops fell they were cut into shreds by those caught underneath, in their efforts to escape. The storm had spent its force inside of an hour, and repairing began. Everyone worked all night, and Friday morning new tents were up and open for business.

There were calls for "The Billboard" on all sides and long faces were drawn when none were to be secured.

We would especially recommend to fair secretaries, Lunette, the Flying Lady; the Wild Man, Frank Van Varken's Animal Show and Miss Hilda and Zavo.

CHAS. W. JELE.

From Atlantic City.

Toyle's, Frank Goldie, Manager—Topnek and Steel, Edna Topack, the Zollers, Dawson and Booth, Katharine Miley, Norwood and Be Vare, Mabel Guyer and Mabel Wellington, Carroll and Larkin, Edna Murrill, three Martinelli Bros., Etta Franchette, Terrill and Simon, Sully and Phelps, Alexander and Finn, Phil and Carrie Rossell, Harry Courtland, W. A. and Little Boheme, Goldie, St. Clair and Goldie, and Doyle's Big Stock Company.

Governor's, John B. Wills, Manager—Three Caspary Brothers, the Gregsons, the Great Richards, Eugene Mack, three Duodes, Mayers, Carroll and Mayers, Eddie Devoe, the Whirlwind Lavalls, Professor McNamee, Woodward, Kitty Holston and company, Kennedy and Quartella, Littlefield and Lane, Burt and Burt, Green Sisisters, George and Laura Lewis.

Auditorium Pier, W. L. Dockstader, Manager—Miss Lillian Burkhardt and company, the Misses Delmire and company, Miss Dorothy Neville, Miss Jennie Yennans, Meeker Baker Trio, Gus Scholkes, Howe Scott, Holmes and Vidoon.

Fortescue's, A. T. Nichols, Manager—Taggart and Cole, Irene De Vaughan, Short and Edwards, La Serida, Billy Cole, Edward Menden, Ira Remonda, Bentreford and Jennings, and the Shaw Sisters.

Academy of Music, J. B. Frattinger, Manager—A diversified bill of vaudeville, headed by the celebrated artiste, Charminie. Next week, Wm. H. West's Big Minstrels.

Steel Pier, Wm. Bothwell, Manager—Same bill as reported last week holds good at this theater.

Young's Ocean Pier Theater, J. R. Dickson, Manager—"The Dairy Farm" continues to draw big crowds. All other attractions on the pier are doing a large and prosperous business.

Roxey Frank's Gypsy Camp, Frank Hubin, Manager—Continues to draw the crowd, and seems to be the most popular place of amusement on the Boardwalk for ladies and children.

W. P. Burt, the bill poster of Aberdeen, Wash., writes that his business is booming; that he has just placed 414 sheets for Gilmore's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company. His boards are so full that he declares that he has not room for a postage stamp before Aug. 24. The Opera House in his town is dark and will be until the local managers put fire doors in each side of the building, in accordance with an ordinance lately passed. Beach & Bowers are booked for date early in August, but if the owner does not return from the East they stand a chance of losing the date, as the city fathers say "no fire doors, no show." Mr. Burt has placed a contract for an addition to his plant of twenty new, special 8-sheet boards, mounted all around and to be built of three-inch flooring.



Notes from Campbell Bros. Great Consolidated Shows.

We are now commencing our thirteenth week, and I must say business has been splendid from the opening date to the present time. At Kalispel, Mont., we packed them both afternoon and night. Archer Booket gathered the F. O. K. at Havre, Mont. We will put in a few more at Helena, Mont., the 27th. We now have eighteen Eagles and fifteen K. Ps. with the show. Zora, the snake charmer, is doing a dancing snake act in the side show, which goes big. She has a den of sixty large snakes.

L. N.

Notes from Barlow's Refined Show.

We are still doing a fine business, Republic, O., being the banner house in the history of the show, Biting Sun being next. We learn our reputation is a leader in Ohio. Ed. P. Barlow added a pair of young horses to the show July 22 at Green Spring, which have proved up to expectations. Our winter quarters at South Milford are now being arranged, and we expect to be into them about Oct. 15.

Regards to friends, and when they wish to learn of us, read "The Billboard."

Ed. P. BARLOW.

Bailey's "Uncle Tom" Show.

We receive "The Billboard" every week, and as yet no one has ever sent you our route. So from this time we have concluded that you shall hear from us regularly. We are now in our eleventh week out and doing our share of business. We are playing through Indiana.

Route: Centerville, Ind., July 26 to 31; Fountain City, Aug. 1 and 2. We will close the tenting season about Sept. 5, when Manager Gilek organizes for the regular season, and in addition to Bailey's Big "Uncle Tom" Company, he will also put out his "Trapper's Daughter" company, and is now booking both companies. They will both be ready for the road by the 1st of September. Wishing you continued success, etc.

GEO. B. CASH, Agent.

The Great Melbourne Show.

Business continues good with us. Mr. and Mrs. Alterbury spent Sunday at Des Moines, where they were royally entertained by Robert Westendorf. Mr. Westendorf visited us on Monday, entertaining us with the recital of reminiscences drawn from an experience dating back over 40 years. Among the recent visitors was A. V. Klarkhart and Fred Buchanan. Rob Alterbury and wife spent Sunday with us. At Adair we found located Lew F. Johnson, for several years a follower of the white tents. He is spending a few days with us, renewing old acquaintances and forming new ones. Pete, our trapeze pony, who also took part in the pony drill, died last week. So far we haven't seen the paper of any show larger than the Great Melbourne except that of the Gollmar Bros. at a couple of towns in the early spring. But Iowa has had its full share of small ones. At New Hartford no less than six of them were ahead of us.

Poking Fun at the Circus Adjectives.

"Phew!" ejaculated the circus proprietor, as he slanted his resplendent plug hat at an equable angle, "that press agent of mine has got a head on his neck. He's a boorish, that guy! We had gone up against it and bounced back so many times that it looked like we had a hoodoo on us for keeps. Biz fell sick and died. We got down to cuttin' the market reports out of the newspapers and feedin' 'em to the animals, and the whole damn aggregation was all ready to fall to staves, when this guy comes on the carpet."

"Said he didn't know anything about the show business, but was willin' to learn. He'd just graduated from a village acad'emy and wanted to broaden his horizon by seein' the world and all that, and as I hadn't nothin' to lose, I trooped him out."

"Well, blamed if he didn't whirl in and christen the old drag, in addition to its regular trio of museum, menagerie and circus, a 'Moumnesque and Giganteum Equestrienne and Hypopynoid' in two foot letters on every bill board. And at every stand the jays threwed up their hands and mort-

gaged their cook stoves, and fought to beat each other up to the ticket wagon. We've been on velvet ever since, and it's that bong-hatted gee's vocabulary that done it for us."

Robinson-Stickney Show.

When it became known that the Hobbin Stickney Show had sold at receiver's sale for a little over \$1,000, something like a gasp of astonishment went up from the knowing ones in and around Cincinnati. Curiosity was rampant. No one could understand why the property was so cheap. Under the vigorous questioning that followed the facts soon came out.

It was all due to a quarrel between Bob and Trix. Starting over nothing the flame was fanned until the spark of misunderstanding became a conflagration of rage. They literally burned the show up in their wrath.

Mr. Chas. Robinson, under ordinary circumstances, would have stepped in and saved the property, but he has taken his daughter's marriage match to heart. He broods over it constantly, and will not be reconciled. In his present state of mind he refused to be bothered about the show. That is why \$7,000 worth of property was virtually thrown away.

Gollmar Bros. & Schuman.

We are back in Indiana again, after a tour through Michigan. Business still continues good, in spite of opposition in the past two weeks, of Forepaugh, the Rollin Son and the Wallace Shows.

Visitors the past week were numerous, among which were B. E. Wallace, of the Wallace Show; Mr. Geo. S. Cole, advertising solicitor for the Robinson Show; also Mr. Julius Falk, clothier, and Mr. F. H. Webb, the candy and popcorn man, both of Peru, and both well known to the profession, spent the afternoon with us.

Mr. Emil Haas, strong man, joined us at Grand Rapids, Mich. Mr. Haas certainly has a strong act in every sense of the word.

Marty and Adair are pleasing their audiences every day with their neat and dished acrobatic act. Beam, flying perch and contortion, is making good at every performance. Mr. Beam, who expects to play fairs and carnivals this fall, is already booked for a number. The Alpine family of acrobats find it easy to please, as also does Miss Maude Hoenni with her graceful riding.

Mrs. Hattie Adair is making a hit with her new cake walk on the wire.

The Barlows, doing a revolving ladder act, joined at Indiana City. They also do a boxing turn that is particularly interesting to the band, as they are sometimes treated to a real knock-out. "The Billboard" reaches us every week (12 copies), and is read with increasing interest. Everybody is looking for rain and cooler weather.

Flaming Acrobat Climbs for Life.

Huge in the air, his body enveloped in flames, George Devan climbed, hand over hand, forty feet of wire cable, at Saubury, Pa., July 23, while 3,000 men, women and children alternately prayed, screamed, cried or faltered at the sight. When he did reach safety he was burned so that his recovery is doubtful.

Devan is a traveling aerialist, and goes about the country giving exhibitions for the money he can collect in a hat from the crowd. His feat is to make a long slide down an inclined cable, holding on to a trolley wheel by his teeth, and then make a high dive into a pool of water. It is ordinarily inspiring and exciting to the beholder, but last night he determined to add to it in a spectacular way. He advertised that he would make a human torch of himself when the dive was made.

An immense crowd gathered at the spot and beheld Devan enveloped in petroleum-soaked cotton from head to foot. He had fastened 60 feet of heavy wire cable, 50 feet high in the air at one end and 30 at the other. Over this ran the trolley wheel.

When the time came to perform his act Devan climbed to the highest part of the cable, placed the trolley in his teeth, and just as he launched forth touched a lighted match to his costume. As he swung off the flames shot up and nothing could be seen of him. For 40 feet he slid with lightning swiftness, and it would all have been over in a second if, within 20 feet of the lower end, the trolley had not caught in three broken strands of cable. They held the little wheel, while Devan swung to and fro 10 feet above the heads of the crowd, the cotton blazing fiercely. Men called upon him to jump, while the screams of the women were above everything else. But this would have meant sure death upon the

rocks, and it looked as if the man would burn alive, when he reached up, grasped the cable and began to go to the starting point hand over hand. The ascent was slow.

To the staring, breathless crowd below it seemed as if it would last forever. Several times it appeared as if he was weakening, as the flames began to eat into his flesh and the fumes of the kerosene got into his lungs. But he was plucky, and at last managed to gain the little platform from which he started. Here he braced himself and tore away the fragments of the cotton still unburned, and then climbed down to the ground, where he faltered. He was at once removed to a hospital.

Circus Gossip.

Mr. Peter Sells spent July 26 in Cluehn-
urt.

Pawnee Bill is building a fine band wagon at Peru.

The Orton Family will join Teets Bros. Shows shortly.

Joe H. Dodge is general agent of Tuttle's Olympia Shows.

H. W. Link and wife are visiting relatives at Hastings, Mich.

The W. L. Malm Show is doing a big business on Long Island.

Send in your subscription to the relief fund for Charlie Davis.

Norris & Rowe will put in a week each in St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Pawnee Bill is getting 50 cents this year, and pleasing his audiences.

Mrs. W. E. Franklin is visiting her mother at Terrace Park, O.

H. W. Link got the money called for by his note from the Buckskin Bill Show.

Charlie Day, the veteran circus agent, is going into business in New Haven, Conn.

The order of Eagles is fast becoming to the circus business what the Elks are to the theatrical profession.

The Martin Ratter Consolidated Shows was levied on by the sheriff at Harrisburg, Pa. Salaries were back, and the performers attached.

If there is a tent show anywhere in the United States the movements of which are not recorded in "The Billboard," it doesn't amount to much.

Warren A. Patrick, treasurer of the Sells & Gray Shows, was made the recipient of a novel present by the members of the Eagles at Baker City, Ore., Monday night, July 15.

H. W. Link visited the Pawnee Bill Shows at Galesburg July 24. He writes that the performance this year is a fine one, and that the concert is the best he ever saw with a tent show.

B. P. Jannette has closed with the Wallace Show to assume the management of the Alhambra Theater at Chicago. C. H. Adkins will succeed Mr. Jannette as special agent of the Great Wallace Shows.

C. A. Hudson, bill poster at Albuquerque, New Mexico, writes that the Campbell Bros. Show will play his town Aug. 12. They have 18 men in the advance, and they are putting out as much as the biggest circuses.

The employees of Robinson's Circus, while exhibiting in Peru, Ind., recently made up a purse of \$50, and presented it to the widow of Henry Hoff, the Wallace Circus elephant man, who was killed by "Big Charley" in April.

Capt. Ivanovich, the Russian lion tamer, has severed his connection with the Robinson's Ten Big Shows Combined, and joined the Boston Ferrari Carnival Company. The captain is said to be one of the best tamers in the business.

Norris & Rowe say they had to put up with six canvasmen at Grand Forks, N. D., the rest having quit to go into the wheat fields, where they get from \$2.50 to \$3 per day and cakies. That does not look as if the wheat was all burned up.

Our correspondent with the Sells & Gray Shows, now catering to the good people of Oregon, reports a run of most gratifying business. The weather in the mountains is cool and pleasant, and there seems to be a dead ready money in circulation.

There are fifty-one members of the fraternity of Order of Eagles, connected with the Sells-Gray Circus force. At Baker City, Ore., lately, the local order entertained the Sells-Gray Eagles with a royal banquet. Treasurer Patrick, of the show, presided.

The Harris Nickel Plate Show, at New Philadelphia, O., on July 24, played to tremendous business. The performance was a real old fashioned one-ring show, and the people were packed to the ring bank. The performance gave the very best of satisfaction.

Mr. Oliver Scott, the general agent of Robinson's Ten Big Shows Combined, has been with that company in the neighborhood of 25 years. Mr. Scott is considered by all competent show people as one of the best judges of country and territory in the business, and probably commands as large a salary as any general agent in the circus business in this country.

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Its fair season Aug. 20 at Beloit, Wis. This has been the most prosperous season this show has ever known, having played not a losing week. Mr. Hall will have out two of the largest fair ground shows on the road, and will use the animals, including Pearl, the baby elephant, for his Midway show.

Mr. George Hicks, a member of the Sells & Gray Show, was presented with a beautiful Eagle button the other day by his brothers with the organization. Of the 23 who joined the F. O. E. at Rocky Ford, Colo., July 7, Mr. Hicks was chosen to "ride" the goat, and he "did his little turn" in such a graceful manner that his brother members decided to show their appreciation in a substantial manner.

We are indebted to Mr. Lew Nichols, with Campbell Bros.' Show, for a photograph of the interior of the express car which was robbed at Wagner, Mont., on the Great Northern Railroad, the 1st of July. "Kid" Utray, the notorious Western train wrecker, was the instigator of the robbery. The car was wrecked with dynamite, and the picture sent by Mr. Nichols shows the terrible force of the explosive.

The Sells & Gray Shows made a remarkably quick run from Walla Walla, Wash., to Hepner, Ore., on the night July 18. Hepner is on the end of a branch of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Co.'s line, 156 miles from Walla Walla. The show train left the last named city at midnight, and was placed for unloading at Hepner at 7:30 the following morning, and "Dutch" Dorsey, the master of transportation, said: "Tell 'The Billboard' about it."

Mr. Geo. W. Aiken, the railroad contracting agent of the John Robinson's Ten Big Shows Combined, has been in the show business 33 years, and during that time has served only five different employers—the John Robinson Show, Malin's, Barnum & Bailey's, Sells Bros. and Pawnee Bill. Mr. Aiken is now only in his fiftieth year, and after thirty years of practical experience is recognized as one of the leading railroad contracting agents in the show business.

The Sells & Gray Show did an enormous business at Portland, Ore., Monday, July 21. Sunday afternoon there was a light sprinkle of rain, the first the show has experienced in forty-three days. The Portland press are unanimous in their approval of the ring performance. There is a world of ready money in circulation in the far West, and Western folks are always eager to see the circus. Isaac V. Strobl, railroad contractor, was a visitor Sunday and Monday.

On the evening of July 24, while Harris' Nickel Plate Show was performing at New Philadelphia, O., Dan Castello, the equestrian director, suffered a terrible accident in the loss of an eye. He was talking with a clown and in cracking his whip the lash came back, striking him in the eye and cutting it entirely out. Mr. Castello ran from the ring and a doctor was immediately summoned and treated the wound. It will probably be some time before Mr. Castello will resume his duties.

The bill posting brigade of Harris Nickel Plate Shows arrived in Canton Thursday night, but instead of the big white advertising car owned by this attraction, the men were carried in an ordinary baggage car. Their special coach was being carried on a fast freight train which figured in a collision Tuesday night on the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad. The accident occurred near Homeworth and the circus car was so badly damaged that it had to be taken to the Wellsville shops for repairs. W. S. Freed has charge of the bill posting gang.

While performing at Walla Walla, Ore., with the Sells & Gray Circus, during its recent engagement there, Miss Rose Eddy, one of the famous Eddy family of acrobats, met with a painful accident. She was attempting to turn a back somersault from the shoulders of one of her big brothers. She intended to alight on her feet, but there was a miscalculation somewhere, and she fell, striking the ground on her head and shoulders. She was assisted from the ring and the performance continued, and physicians were called to attend Miss Eddy. Painful though the accident was, she was able to appear at that evening's performance.

At Pueblo, Colo., Sells & Gray's Circus tent was entirely inadequate for the large crowd which thronged the show grounds in the afternoon. It was a case of "standing room only" long before the performance commenced, and the same was true at night. The show gave most perfect satisfaction, and Warren A. Patrick, the general treasurer, was enthusiastic over the excellent deportment of the crowd. In spite of the fact that the canvas was literally packed to suffocation at both exhibitions, every individual seemed to be in the best of humor, and the show went through without a hitch.

The twelve-piece band of the Marlettia United Railroad Shows, under the leadership of Prof. W. W. Jeffers, dedicated their new band wagon with "Trooper's Triumphal March," by Victor Anthony, at Huntington, W. Va., July 24, 1901. Roster: Adams, baritone; W. C. Clavenger, trombone; Joe McCarney, trumpet; Dave Boyer, alto; Will Leon, alto; Frank Haney, concert; Al Reece, cornet; Lynn Wiley, clarinet; Charley Raymond, clarinet; Bert Anderson, drums; Geo. Zaro, bass drum. The

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THE BILLBOARD

Zaro brothers joined Monday. J. W. Maxwell, in capacity of general agent, is certainly the right man in the right place. "The Billboard" is a regular visitor, and grows more newsy each week.

While Buffalo Bill's Show was being loaded onto cars at La Salle and Root streets, Chicago, July 23, fifteen soldiers from Fort Sheridan attempted to pique a quarrel with some canvassers, when the latter set up the cry of: "Hey, Rube," which brought several score of the showmen to their aid, and a free fight ensued, in which the soldiers were worsted. No arrests were made. While several delivery wagons during the afternoon were loading up the chairs used in the reserved section of the show the cry of "fire" was raised. Then there was a race for water. Directly to the north of the grand stand a fire had started in the dry shavings. In a minute the flames were shooting twenty feet into the air. No one seemed to think of sending in a fire alarm, but all made a rush for bats, tubs and bottles of water. In five minutes fully half a hundred citizens were fighting the flames. In ten minutes the fire was put out. In the meantime four wagonloads of chairs had been driven out upon the car track for safety, and one toppling over blocked traffic for twenty-five minutes.

The Hartford (Ind.) Times, of recent issue, described the appearance in that city of the Wallace Circus, uses the strongest adjectives in the editor's vocabulary. In his description he says: "The actors were efficient, horses beautiful, the aggregation one that pleased the eye in every amusement sense. All the numerous new acts astonished the old timers, that thought they knew all that could be done in a modern circus tent. The Nelsons and the Starks did their well known acts with grace and ease, the riding in the rings was excellent, the juggling and acrobatic feats never have been surpassed, and the aerial acts were truly wonderful, and the clowns the best ever seen in Hartford." And furthermore, finishes with the statement that "the Wallace Show is undoubtedly the best that has ever exhibited in Hartford." Speaking of a personal acquaintance with Mr. Wallace, the writer says that the elrus man is credited with being the best judge of horseflesh in Indiana, and that "looking at his horses in the parade the Times was perfectly willing to endorse the statement."

At Union, Me., on Saturday evening of last week, Prof. Haddock, of the Haddock-Thurston Balloon Company, had a very narrow escape from a terrible death. At the Union Trotting Park, on the afternoon of that day, his balloon, which measured 87 feet from the bottom to the top, was inflated, and everything seemed to be all right. The order to cut loose was given just at sunset, and the bag arose, with Prof. Haddock clinging to the trapeze bar. The balloon went up nearly 3,000 feet before the professor cut loose. The lines of his chute had become entangled in some way, however, and he dropped like a shot for nearly 2,000 feet before it opened. Spectators estimated that when it did open it was not more than 350 feet from the ground. When he struck he was thrown against a great stump fence covered with barbed wire, and was painfully but not seriously hurt. The balloon he used is said to be one of the largest in the country, and was designed and built by Mr. Haddock himself. There was 1,800 yards of cloth required to make it.

While Gentry's Dog and Pony Show was at Stillwater, Minn., on the 15th, after the afternoon performance, a number of the employees went bathing in the St. Croix River. In the party was Wm. Johnson, a young colored lad, whom Mr. Gentry had brought with him from his farm in Bloomington, Ind. The boy was a valuable employee, and was thought much of by his employer. William could not swim, and hence would not venture into deep water. While he was standing on a raft, moored to the shore, he was approached by another colored show employee, called "Yellow Watkins," who declared his intention to throw Johnson into the stream. "Don't," cried Johnson, "I can't swim." But Watkins sprang and hurled him into the water, and then sprang in himself, but was unable to rescue the boy. Watkins immediately left the scene, making his way to the bluff, followed by the crowd of excited and mad-dened friends of the murdered boy, swearing vengeance. He finally succeeded, however, in escaping. "Yellow Watkins" was a tramp, who had joined the show a week before at Sheldon, Ia. Mr. Gentry gave directions for the undertaker to take charge of the body when it should be found, and have it shipped to Bloomington, the home of the parents of the boy.

The Kokomo (Ind.) Despatch bewails the fact of the town being seemingly under a boycott by the big elrus shows, and in a recent issue says: "The woods are full of them hereabout, but none will spread its seed of canvas in this good town, where the coin of the amusement-starved populace is burning holes in its pockets. The Ringling Shows have played Muncie and Anderson, and are at Marion to-morrow. The Sells-Forney combination is 'cutting in' in this territory and inviting war. The Buffalo Bill Congress of everything on horseback is billed at Bluffton, Huntington and elsewhere around us. The Wallace Shows are announced at Elwood and Noblesville. An advance car of the Old John Robinson Shows passed through the city last night and—oh, the humiliation of it!—posted bills asking Kokomo to drop in and see them at Tipton or Peru. Wherefore is it thus? And guess again, and still again. On the last visit of the Ringlings to Kokomo the tents were packed until the people hung on the quarter-poles as high as the storm peaks. Last season the Robinson Shows, with no great provocation that can be recalled, had a business that would make millionaires of

every son of the ancient Cinelmatian if it could be kept up everywhere." There must be some very good reason or Kokomo would not be blacklisted.

Tent Show Routes.

We have many routes in our possession which we are not permitted to publish, but which enable us to forward mail promptly—See our mail forwarding scheme under "Letter Box" in another column.

AHIL'S ELECTRIC THEATER—Akin, Ill., July 31 to Aug. 4.

AMENT'S; CAPT. W. D. BIG SHOW—St. Louis, Mo., indefinitely.

BARLOW'S MINSTRELS—Mt. Vernon, O., July 31 to Aug. 3; Kalumazoo, Mich., Aug. 4 to 6.

BARLOW'S REFINED SHOWS—Nova, O., July 31; Sulavlin, Aug. 1; West Salem, Aug. 2; Burbank, Aug. 3; Creston, Aug. 5.

BARNUM & BAILEY'S CIRCUS—Altenstein, Germany; July 31; Insterburg, Aug. 1; Tilsit, Aug. 2; Königsberg, Aug. 3 to 6.

BAUGHMAN'S SHOW—Montgomery, Ind., July 29 to Aug. 3.

BONHEUR BROS. BIG SHOWS—Clifton, Kans., July 31; Morganville, Aug. 1; Clay Center, Aug. 2; Miltonvale, Aug. 3; Manchester, Aug. 5; Verdell, Aug. 6.

BUFFALO BILL'S WILD WEST—West Union, Ia., July 31; Waterloo, Aug. 1; Iowa Falls, Aug. 2; Emmetsburg, Aug. 3.

COYLE'S MUSEUM CO.—Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, July 29 to Aug. 3.

ELY'S; GEO. S. TWO BIG SHOWS—Custon, O., Aug. 2; Lombardville, Aug. 3; Putnam, Aug. 5; DePue, Aug. 6.

FOREPAUGH & SELLS BROS. CIRCUS—Indianapolis, Ind., July 31; Wabash, Aug. 1; Van Wert, O., Aug. 2; Bryan, Aug. 3; Toledo, Aug. 5; Adrian, Mich., Aug. 6.

HALL & LONG'S BIG CITY SHOW—Fairmount, Ind., July 29 to 31; Alexandria, Aug. 1 to 3; Elwood, Aug. 5 and 6.

HARRIS' NICKEL PLATE SHOWS—Crestline, O., July 31; Bueyrus, Aug. 1; Delphos, Aug. 2; Van Wert, Aug. 3.

HARRISON BROS. LARGEST MINSTRELS—Howard City, Mich., July 31.

HART, HYPNOTIST—Wilmington, N. C., indefinitely.

HERRMANN, HYPNOTIST—Troy, N. Y., indefinitely.

JONES BROS. BIG CITY SHOW—Elkins, W. Va., July 31; Beverly, Aug. 1.

KEMP SISTERS WILD WEST SHOW—Hannibal, Mo., July 31 to Aug. 2; Madisonville, Ky., Aug. 6.

KENNEDY BROS.' WILD WEST SHOW—Rochester, N. Y., indefinitely.

LOWERY BROS.—Pittsburg, Pa., indefinitely.

LONG BROS. REFINED SHOW—Okolona, Miss., July 31; Shannon, Aug. 1; Tupelo, Aug. 2; Saltillo, Aug. 3; Guntown, Aug. 5.

LUCKY BILL'S SHOW—Sherburne, Minn., July 31; Alpha, Aug. 1; Jackson, Aug. 2; Lake Field, Aug. 3; Wilder, Aug. 5; Ilion Lake, Aug. 6.

MAIN'S; WALTER L., CIRCUS—Islip, L. I., N. Y., July 31; Babylon, L. I., N. Y., Aug. 1; Flushing, L. I., N. Y., Aug. 2; Far Rockaway, L. I., N. Y., Aug. 3.

MAQUIRE'S EDUCATED HORSES—Touring West Indies.

MARION & PEARL'S TWENTIETH CENTURY MINSTRELS—Washington, D. C., July 31.

MELBOURNE; THE GREAT, CIRCUS—Minden, Ia., July 31; Portsmouth, Aug. 1; Earling, Aug. 2; Irwin, Aug. 3; Manilla, Aug. 5.

MORRIS & BLITZ SHOWS—Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, week of July 29.

NORRIS & ROWE'S TRAINED ANIMAL SHOW—Pembina, N. D., July 31; Crookston, Minn., Aug. 1; Brainerd, Aug. 2; Little Falls, Aug. 3.

PAWNEE BILL'S WILD WEST—Aurora, Ill., July 31; Woodstock, Aug. 1; Seymour, Aug. 2; Beloit, Wis., Aug. 3.

PERRY; FRANK L., SHOW—Columbus Junction, Ia., July 20 to Aug. 3.

PUBILLONES' CIRCUS—(Santiago Pubillones, Manager), Havana, Cuba, indefinitely.

PUBILLONES' CIRCUS No. 2, (Anton Pubillones, Manager)—Touring West Indies.

RINGLING BROS. CIRCUS—Sterling, Ill., July 31; Princeton, Aug. 1; Macon, Aug. 2; Burlington, Ia., Aug. 3.

TANNER'S; COL. DICK, MUSEUM—Hastings, Neb., Aug. 6 to 9.

TREVINO'S MEXICAN CIRCUS—Touring Cuba.

WELSH BROS. SHOWS—Cambridge Springs, Pa., Aug. 1; Franklin, Aug. 2; Oil City, Aug. 3; Warren, Aug. 4.

PARKS.

An Honest Opinion.

Louis H. Baker, amusement manager of the Electric Park and Exposition, at Arlington, Md., writes from Baltimore, under date of July 14, as follows:

Gentlemen—You certainly have a winner in "The Billboard." It's the first time I got my optics on the same. I don't know of any sporting paper, theatrically speaking, that can take its place in the United States, if not in the world. I am a showman of 35 years, and know a few things, but still willing and open for tips that get the dollars. I am located here my second season at Electric Park as amusement manager and general publicity. Our season closes on Sept. 13; then our race season begins. This is the finest park in the United States for amusement purposes, having a large enclosure, club house on deck, and grottoes, swimming pool, sunken garden, race tracks, cycle motor and auto, and locomotive tracks, base ball grounds, etc., playing

the best of this world's goods. In September I associate myself with Oliver Ziegfeld, cousin of Ziegfeld of Anna Held fame, and intend opening an amusement bureau and general advertising, promoting gigantic amusements of all sorts. Have you a correspondent here? If not, we would be pleased to take care of you, and help "The Billboard" to expand its circulation. With our best wishes,

LOUIS H. BAKER.

Notes.

Laura Harris, the beautiful and vivacious dancer, made good with the audiences at the Roof Garden, Lancaster, Pa., week of July 22 to 27. Her work is of the best, and was highly appreciated by the audiences.

Bogart's Hymngarden Orchestra closed at the Roof Garden, Lancaster, Pa., July 17, and returned to New York. Their musical numbers were not appreciated by the audience, and the management were compelled to close them.

Congestoga Park, Lancaster, Pa.—Edward Reist, manager, Columbia Opera Co., attract large audiences nightly. The opera, "Rip Van Winkle," week July 22 to 27, was well staged, the chorus strong. Production was well received.

At Oxford Lake Park, Birmingham, Ala., business is reported phenomenally good. The manager writes that the vaudeville bill last week was especially fine, and that the general public showed their appreciation by giving the resort crowded attendance.

Williams and Walker scored such a decided hit during their first week's engagement at the Roof Garden, Lancaster, Pa., that the management immediately secured them for a second week, which was even more successful than the first. Their presentation of "My Zulu Babe" was well received with rounds of enthusiastic applause.

Woolworth Roof Garden, Lancaster, Pa.—Capt. John B. Peoples, manager, The All Star Vaudeville Company, with Williams and Walker as special feature, delighted crowded houses nightly week of July 22 to 27. Company fair, with the exception of Williams and Walker, who were very warmly received at every performance. Company includes J. McNamee, Tommy and Laura Harris, Lulu Theis, Edward and Josie Evans, M. T. Needham, Frederick Brothers and Jessie Burns. W. B. Milliett, musical director.

Last week at Chester Park, Cincinnati, O., a splendid bill was given the patrons of that popular resort. The headliners were J. C. Nugent and company in a comedy sketch. These clever entertainers were last seen here as headliners at the high-priced theaters, and it was quite a stroke of enterprise for the management to secure them for the park. The others on the bill: John Zimmer, comedy juggler, the three Dancing Dawsons, and Wright A. Campbell in a silence-and-fun act.

Coney Island, near Cincinnati, O., is doing a tremendous business during this hot season. The healthful river breezes, beautiful green grasses and the shady groves draw thousands of mothers and children from the hot streets of the Queen City. Manager Clark is putting on a splendid vaudeville bill, among the artists appearing this week is Kralloff, the comedy juggler; Whistling Phil Williams, character vocalist; Conley and Green, singing and dancing artists; Maybell Gage, vocalist and comic shouter, and the Bernards, sketch artists. The First Regiment Band gives Sunday afternoon and evening concerts.

We are in receipt of a beautiful booklet, descriptive of the Cascade Park, located at Newcastle, Pa. The views it contains are exceedingly handsome, and the Cascade has the reputation of being one of the prettiest places in America. An artificial 10 acre lake has lately been constructed, at a cost of \$25,000, and among the attractions is a high-class vaudeville theater, afternoon and evenings. The park is enjoying its fifth season, and the local attendance, together with the excursions from all points within a hundred miles of Newcastle, gives the resort an attendance of about 400,000 per season. Mr. E. E. Hamilton is the secretary and Mr. C. C. Robinson is the excursion agent.

The young society people of Cincinnati, O., have made it the proper thing to get up Ludlow Lagoon parties, leaving the city early in the evening for that popular resort, giving them several hours to thoroughly "do" the place. A splendid show at the amphitheater is one of the feature attractions. One of the big hits at this resort last week was Laurence Crane, the clever Irish magician, who, without any especial hurrah, does tricks of which the more widely advertised slight-of-hand men make especial boast. Another headliner, when it comes to applause, is Miss Grace Mantell, the winsome singer, whose handsome gowns have been the envy of the women. The musical Rackets and several other clever vandevillians complete a bill that in itself was worth going quite a distance to enjoy.

Commencing last Sunday Prof. Brookes, of the Chicago Marine Band, placed before the patrons of the Zoological Garden, Cincinnati, a decided novelty. During the second part of the program, each night, was introduced "The Anvil Chorus" from "Il Trovatore," with original electrical effects. Each anvil and hammer is connected with an electric circuit, and during the rendition of the music the garden is in total darkness. At the tap of the anvils hundreds of electric sparks are thrown out, and at intervals the booming of electric cannon, located on the island in the lake, is heard. The professor has also arranged eleven more numbers for each night, and the immense crowds which attend is the best evidence of the popularity of the resort. Every Sunday night a magnificent display of fireworks is also given at the garden.

Fair Department.

State Fair Races.

The trotting, pacing and running races at the Missouri State Fair, to be held at Sedalia, Sept. 9 to 13, will be one of the most interesting features of the first annual fair.

There will be three races each day over the best and fastest regulation mile track west of the Mississippi, and a splendid view of each race, from start to finish, can be obtained from the handsome and capacious steel grand stand. One hundred and thirteen trotters and pacers alone, representing the speediest harness horses of fourteen States, have been entered for these races, the purses for which aggregate \$6,500.

Aside from the racing features of the fair, the agricultural and horticultural displays will be the largest and best ever seen in the State, while the exhibition of stock of all kinds will equal and probably surpass those of the fairs of other States, and the exhibition of cattle, sheep and swine will contain some of the most noted herds of the United States and Canada.

Fair Notes.

The Shakopee Fair Association, of Shakopee, Minn., intends to make a feature of the carnival end of the affair.

The following are the department managers of the Barke County Fair at Greenville, O., viz.: Horse, Albert Harter and M. L. Welsberger; cattle, Frank Plessinger; swine and sheep, Norman Teigford; agriculture, Ira York; fine arts, T. C. Maher.

The Tuscarawas County Agricultural Society is improving its fair grounds and track, for its exhibition, which holds at Dover, O., Sept. 24 to 27. E. O. Shaffer has been elected secretary, in place of Henry Strub, who has held the office for several years past.

"The Billboard" is indebted to the Muskegon (Mich.) Union Agricultural Association for complimentary tickets to their big fair, which holds Sept. 10 to 14. The pass is neatly gotten up, in four colors, and its mechanical neatness reflects credit upon both the printer and the association.

At Stockville, Neb., the Agricultural Society will hold its fifteenth annual fair September 24 to 27. The grounds have been put in excellent shape, and a number of feature attractions secured, which, in addition to the speed contests, will make the occasion a very enjoyable one. The cash premiums and splendid speed ring purses will draw large crowds.

The Hartford (Cal.) Fair Association will hold its exhibition Oct. 21 to 26, with five days of racing. The track is being improved. It is to be a half-mile track, sixty feet wide, and so arranged that next year it can be made a mile track. The secretary, Mr. A. E. Miot, writes that some first class attractions are wanted, but that no "bum" or "fake" concerns need apply.

A. W. Buell, secretary, writes from Hamiton, Conn., that the forty-fourth annual fair of the Agricultural Society will be held October 8 to Sunset Hill, near the town. This is a free fair, no admission being charged and no entrance fee on general exhibits. For support the society depends on the sale of eaters' privileges and the tax on side shows and other privileges. The official reported attendance last year was 12,000 daily.

The Stevens County Agricultural Association will hold its fair at Angola, Ind., from Oct. 8 to 11. Trotting and pacing races will receive good purses. There will be \$3,000 altogether in purses hung up in the speed ring, and \$4,000 cash given away in premiums. Extensive improvements are being made on the grounds and track, which will be made one of the best half-mile tracks in the State. Mr. E. S. Croxton is the secretary.

At Germantown, Ky., the Germantown Fair Company will hold its forty-seventh annual fair, from Aug. 28 to 31. It is to be purely an agricultural occasion, and one of the features will be the spreading of long tables under the shade trees at noon each day and a general invitation to everybody to attend the public dinner. A feature is J. Cook's Hippodrome. Mr. John R. Wilton, secretary, writes that all conditions point to a record breaking fair.

In spite of the drouth, Madison, Neb., is making big preparations for the Fall Fair, which begins Sept. 10 to 15. A. L. Ryerson, the secretary, writes that the grounds and track have been much improved, a new amphitheater and large dining hall built, and all houses newly painted. Will have a number of new attractions, and a large attendance is anticipated. Mr. Ryerson writes that a big crop of small grain is assured, and that the corn in his section is doing well, although badly in need of



STREET FAIRS AND CARNIVALS.

Portland, Ore., Letter.

The Jabour Oriental Carnival, Circus and Menagerie, opened July 4 at Missoula, Mont., to enormous business. The aggregation boasts of 125 actors and performers of high class. The shows repeated their success at Great Falls and Butte, where they appeared as the chief attraction at street fairs. Manager G. A. Hutchins has signed contracts for the Jabour shows to number to appear this season, besides Missoula, Great Falls and Butte, at Vancouver, B. C.; Tacoma, Spokane, Salt Lake, Denver and other prominent cities. Mr. Hutchins is authority for the statement that Mr. Jabour is making arrangements to transform his monster Midway at the close of the season into a mighty circus and menagerie, to play the winter circuit of South cities.

The trans-Pacific transportation companies have offered Mr. Jabour handsome inducements to take his aggregation to Honolulu for a short season, and the feasibility of the proposition is now being seriously considered by Mr. Jabour and Manager Hutchins. Yours truly,

ELBEGON LEGLAND.

Georgetown, Ky., Letter.

The Georgetown (Ky.) Elks have eclipsed the efforts of their brothers at Lexington in their former fair, and it would certainly be a hard proposition to find a more loyal lodge than the one located in this city. The fair has been a brilliant success from the first turn of the stile at the big gate. The stock fruit and floral exhibits were the best your correspondent has had the pleasure of witnessing this year.

The Midway is par excellence. On entering the enclosure we found one of Conderman's wheels, the first attraction to meet the eye, and the patronage it received was far above the average running from 9 a. m. to 11:30 p. m.

The Wild Man of Louisiana was one of the best attractions on the ground, from a point of patronage; and Taseo, the snake eater, was viewed by thousands with interest.

In the "Streets of all Nations" we found many familiar faces, and my friends met me with the "glad hand," and put forth their best efforts to amuse the "retired one" and their performance is always greeted with rounds of applause.

The Paris Exposition and the Theatre Comique came in for their share of business, but the man that is getting the money is Frank Van Varkins, and he deserves every cent that drops into his box. The work of his twelve dogs is by far the best performance of its kind in the country.

His diving donkey is equally as good, but the bright star is "Forrest Tempest," the educated horse. Jim Keys was a wonderful animal, but Forrest Tempest goes him one better. It is awfully hard for us to say as much after he had picked your correspondent out as the ugliest man under the sun, from an audience of 300, and, not satisfied with this, our name was spelled out with large blocks in order that the audience could make no mistake as to the "homely man," but the kiss that he offered me wiped away the sting of humiliation that he had worked me with.

Frank McNamee is secretary with this attraction, and they have nine weeks' booking from this point.

The Phillipine girl and Gay Paris were both well patronized.

The acts of Mand Hilda and Zavo, in the enclosure of the German Village, were with out equal. Encore always followed, and both were compelled to return several times.

Lunette, the flying lady, was the mystery of the Midway. The act is clean and puts all to thinking as she sails far out into the audience and returns by a different route to the stage.

W. R. Mack, of Nashville, Tenn., furnished the aerial performances. On Wednesday he took into the clouds with him three dogs, a monkey and a goat, landing them all safely, but his own parachute struck a current, and he was fully thirty five minutes in landing.

Every one on the Midway was wanting "The Billboard," but were unable to secure it. All the credit for the excellent attractions is due solely to Mr. John R. Bowing, and all vote him the prince of good fellows.

C. W. JELE.

Successful Street Fair.

Have just closed a very successful carnival at Wheeling, W. Va. Crowds, all that could be accommodated. Weather perfect, and all did well. We had a record-breaking Mardi Gras Night parade, a floral parade any city could be proud of, an industrial parade that was representative to a degree, a fraternal parade, five miles in length and full of new features; a bicycle parade, the like of which was never seen, and a burlesque parade that simply capped them all. Added to this were river battles, court scenes, etc.

You will readily see I believe in parades and free spectacular features; I do most firmly, and results will bear me out.

I guess, none will dispute the record-breaking success of Benson's carnivals. Shows always do their very best business at them, people are always more than pleased, and plenty of free features is the key to it all.

The main streets will be arched and draped in this district, culminating in one

grand central arch of staff, covered while groups of satyrs and fountains. \$10,000 will go for one Box night pageant. Large sums will be expended upon a feature new to this country, the Idol Fire Worshippers' parade, being an Oriental fire parade, given in Paris last season.

A pure food exhibit will be a feature, besides the many usual features and parades. \$5,000 has been set aside for military, and the floral features will excel even last year's. Shows are all crazy to come, and why not, when they took in some \$30,000 last season. Could talk more, but beg to be excused, as I am very busy. Very truly yours,

G. E. D. B.,
Director General.

An Interesting Decision.

Justice Andrews, of Columbus, O., has just rendered a decision which will be interesting news to the showmen who make the many street fairs and carnivals, as well as hunters who love the sport.

During the mid-summer carnival held in Columbus in the week of July 15 to July 20, Neil Van Doorman, a showman well known throughout the country, was arrested by Deputy Game Warden Graham while giving a performance and charged with having in his possession and offering for sale squirrels for sale. He was hustled off in the patrol wagon to the station and was about to be booked up when Mr. Clark C. Doughty, the promoter of the carnival, put in his appearance and demanded the release of Mr. Van Doorman, which was done upon him putting up bond for his appearance for trial. Of course, the trial was set for the following week, when the foxy Game Warden knew well that the showman would be gone. Mr. Doughty, not wanting to see any one of the profession held up and robbed in this way, secured the services of Attorney Clarence M. Addison, one of the best attorneys in the Capital City, and at once filed a motion to dismiss the case, which was argued on last Friday, July 25, and the case dismissed by the Justice.

The part of the statute on which Mr. Van Doorman was arrested is as follows:

"Killing, selling or transportation of game." Whoever shall, at any time, catch or kill any quail, wild turkey, ruffed grouse or pheasant, prairie chicken, woodcock, squirrel, Mongolian pheasant, or English or ring-neck pheasant, for the purpose of conveying the same beyond the limits of this State, or for sale in the markets of this State, or shall transport or have in possession with intent to procure the transportation beyond the limits of this State, or for sale in the markets of this State, any quail, wild turkey, ruffed grouse or pheasant, prairie chicken, woodcock, squirrel, Mongolian pheasant, or English or ring-neck pheasant, killed within this State, shall be fined as provided in Section 13908.

Although Mr. Van Doorman was in Canada and not able to appear when the case was called, the same was dismissed, and now Attorney Addison will at once bring suit for damages against the Game Warden for the damages done the showman, and for the loss of his pets.

The decision will, no doubt, be the means of the law being declared unconstitutional, and all on account of a showman.

Another Success.

The mid-summer carnival that opened in Columbus, O., on July 15 and closed July 20 was a success. The weather was fine, excepting the extremely hot weather that prevailed during the mornings and afternoons. In this account the attendance in the daytime was not as good as was expected. The attendance in the evenings was great, and it is estimated that, on the week, upwards of 150,000 people passed through the streets. The carnival was in charge of Mr. Clark C. Doughty, who has promoted several successful fairs and carnivals in the West. The following shows were open and doing business: Akoni's "Beautiful Orient" and "Streets of Cairo"; Dietrich's "Snake Oil"; Morris' "Statue Turning to Life"; John T. Beckman's glass blowers, Earl and Richards' "War of Nations"; Howard James' United Shows; J. Frank Hatch's Gay Paris Burlesque; Coll's Museum; Siegfried, the man with the hundred faces, with his "French Theater"; Donavin and McGlynn, dancing girls; Robert Lewis with his "Jumbo" snake; Neil Van Doorman with his "Bobo"; Sturgess, with "Electric Theater"; Faccett's wild girl; Olympia den; the wild man; Mlle. Delano; Mlle. Orlotta, fortune telling; Mlle. Zelka, gypsy camp, and the Conderman Ferris wheel.

An injustice was done Neil Van Doorman, who has the show called "Bobo," and who was exhibiting some trained squirrels. Count Graham, the Game Warden, arrested Van Doorman and charged him with having squirrels in his possession, contrary to the State law. Mr. Van Doorman was hustled off in the patrol wagon and taken to the jail. As soon as Mr. Doughty heard of it he went to the station and demanded the release of Mr. Van Doorman, which was done. The squirrels were turned loose by the officer, and now Mr. Van Doorman has requested Mr. Doughty to bring suit against the Game Warden for damages, which will be done at once. The law has been looked into, and it is found that squirrels may be kept in captivity between July 4 and December 15. When the case comes up for trial there will be some "hot shot" poured into the Deputy Game Warden. Mr. Van Doorman was not compelled to stay for trial, as the case will be fought for him, just the same as if he was present, by Mr. Doughty, who says he will not see any of the profession get the worst of it if he can help it.

The shows made big jumps. Morris' "Statue Turning to Life"; Coll's Museum,

Siegfried, Lewis' "Jumbo Snake" and Conderman jumped all the way to Brandon, Manitoba, Canada. "The Streets of Cairo" went back to the exposition grounds, at Buffalo. The rest of the shows went to Georgetown, Ky.

The following shows did the "banner" business: Beckman's Glass Blowers, "Statue Turning to Life"; Siegfried's French Theater, Lewis' "Jumbo Snake"; Dietrich's "Snake Eater" and Coll's Fat Girl. The rest of the shows did fairly well.

Mr. Doughty was handicapped in his undertaking, as the committee was composed of all young men who have not had any experience whatever in that line and were therefore unable to render him any assistance. Considering all these things, the carnival was a tremendous success. Mr. Doughty's next carnival will likely be held in some large city of the West, to be determined in a week or so.

The Toronto Exhibition, to be held from August 26 to Sept. 5, announces that its principal characteristic will be the adoption of New Century Ideas. The phrase might be considered a bit indefinite but for the fact that contemporaneously the statement is made that there will be daily and nightly displays of all the new weapons of war as well as recent developments in the arts of peace. The pom-pom will be on view, wireless telegraphy will be shown in practical use off the shore to passing vessels, magnificent displays of illuminating effects will be made, recently announced developments in electricity will be shown. An international Military Tattoo will be the feature of the opening night, when a large body of troops will be utilized. A strong exhibit of the French-Canadian cattle, as well as of Pan-American live stock, is to be made. In fact, in the live stock, dairy products and manufactures, Toronto Exhibition never promised so well as this year. Greatly reduced rates on the railways and steamboats have been arranged for, and no better time for visiting both Toronto and the Pan-American, or the former alone, could be desired than between August 26 and Sept. 7. When it is stated that this year Toronto will distribute upwards of \$35,000 in premiums and spend \$30,000 in special attractions, all of which can be seen from the grand stand for 25 cents, the magnitude of Canada's greatest exhibition will be appreciated.

Street Fair and Carnival Notes.

Glen's Falls, N. Y., is going to have a big street fair. F. C. Huffman worked it up. The Elks of Maysville, Ky., have a good catch line, i. e., "4 red letter days with purple trimmings."

The Montpelier Driving Association, at Montpelier, Ind., has decided not to hold a street fair, as advertised in "The Billboard." Mr. C. L. Smith has notified us to cut out his ad.

Sinclair & Carlisle, with their dog circens and comedy wire act, will close their Eastern fair dates at the Nahant Carnival, Nahant, Mass., this week, and open the Western fair dates at the Greensburg, Ind., Elks' Carnival, Aug. 12.

At Flushing, O., during their engagement last week, the Robinson's Ten Big Shows combined played to immense crowds both afternoon and evening. The local paper, in speaking of the features of the show, says that the troupe of performing elephants are the best ever seen in that city.

The Knights of Ak Sar Ben (Neb-raska spelled backwards), of Omaha, Neb., are not a bit backward, except in name, as is evidenced by the fact that they are to spend \$10,000 on their illuminated parade this year. By the way, Cincinnati also has a backward-spelled club—the "Itan-nie-nle."

The street fair at Jacksonville, Ill., this season, was one of the most successful in the State. Thousands of people were in attendance, and Mr. H. L. Leavitt writes that the results both to the promoters and the committees were entirely satisfactory. He also says that Hannibal last week was the scene of the biggest open street fair in the history of carnivals. 50,000 people were present the first day.

On July 22, while making a balloon ascent at Liberty, Neb., Prof. Dan Rice's cut-off knife refused to work, so that he could not detach his chute from the balloon. He was compelled to ride the bag down, and landing, suffered three fractures of his left leg and had his left arm and right ankle thrown out of joint. His injuries were quite painful, but the professor will be ready in a short while to continue his work. Meanwhile, he has made arrangements to continue his bookings.

The big free Midway circuit company under the management of A. Jahn, who is also manager of the big free Midway at the Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, N. Y., advise in this issue that they are prepared to furnish refreshment and money-making shows; also acts of every kind to promoters of fairs and street shows this fall. Mr. Jahn has made the big free Midway the talk of the country, and it is one of the successes of the Pan, and it is one of the successes of the Pan American, financially and artistically. He invites a visit, if possible, to all interested, and calls especial attention to the Streets of Cairo, Turkish Theater, Idols of Art, German Village, All Nations Theater, or address as above.

The city of Mishawaka, Ind., will hold a street carnival and jubilee the week of Aug. 12. This should be one of the largest street fairs ever held in Northern Indiana. The town is supported by large manufacturing plants located here, and is only four miles from South Bend, nine miles from Elkhart, and twelve miles from Goshen, Ind. These cities, as well as many smaller ones, are connected by trolley lines. Most of our billing, which will be heavy, will be placed in the above mentioned towns. Ten thousand sheets will be used to advertise this fair, as well as a great deal of small

stuff. Two big boom trains will be run one of here the week before the fair. Manufacturers and business men have taken hold of this project with a will; in fact, in all my experience, have not seen more enthusiastic workers. F. W. Gaskill's Canton Carnival Company has been engaged to furnish all the free attractions and shows for the Midway.

Georgetown, Ky., July 25.—We are here attending the carnival, and the following shows are here: Pierce's Linnette, Philippine Village, Van Franken's Animal Show, featuring "Forest Tempest," Babe Brown's Burlesques, Hutchinson's "Tasco" Snake Show, Dwyer's Wild Man, German Village, Tremont & Kennedy's "Streets of All Nations" and Theater de Coquille" and Conderman's Ferris Wheel. Prof. Latt, the sensational high diver, as a special attraction, is making two high dives daily, and certainly holds the crowd; the contortionists, Zavo and Mlle. Hilda, the Fire Dancers, are putting on one of the best acts I have ever witnessed. At 3:30 p. m. a severe rainstorm and tornado leveled all the shows on the Midway to the ground, with the exception of the Wild Man's Show; but all hands turned in and helped one another and got ready to open for the evening. Messrs. Albert and Fleck have done considerable hustling in promoting and managing this carnival, and we hope to close with a successful week. Received "The Billboard" all at K., and of course had to pass it around. I hope to be able to see the time when this "roasting" among showmen, promoters and men that follow the road will be no more, and more courtesy and sociability shown one another. I think it should all be cut out, and "The Billboard" refuse to publish any more "roasts." It is a well known fact who the progressive and prosperous carnival companies are. Give them the credit; don't interfere in their business and all will be well. So hoping this will be a successful season to all, and regards to friends, I remain yours truly,

H. J.

Mt. Gretna Park, Pa., Farmers' Encampment.

Mt. Gretna Park is owned and controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. It is here, every year, that the farmers hold an encampment, the attendance ranging from 25,000 to 50,000 daily. This year the date is fixed as Aug. 19 to 23. Here the manufacturer of farming implements makes a display of his wares the same as at the county fairs, except no charges are made at the gates. Then there is an exposition hall, agricultural and horticultural displays. This year will be added a Midway of high-class, strictly moral attractions, under the direction of "yours truly." Some free attractions will be added, and three bands will discourse music daily. The outlook for the show is good. The event at Buffalo does not seem to be affecting this vicinity any. They have not had a show of any kind here in a long while, and it is predicted by those who should know that the shows will all do well at Mt. Gretna. The line that catches one is, "225,000 people 9 miles in the country, and nothing to spend their money for except the shows and attractions I may bring." The attendance has run over 200,000 on the week. I want to hear from all good, clean shows.

Yours truly, FRANK M. WHITE.

Buffalo Midway.

The Pan-American season runs of the different prices at the theaters makes theatrical news rather dull. "The Devil's Daughter at the Court Street Theater, July 24, has had a run of 100 performances, something unheard of in this city, and souvenirs will be given to each patron. "Everything Falls on Patsy" is a new song sung by Billy Van, and is a big hit. Nellie O'Neill, Flo Perry, Jessie Villars and Lillian Talvert all lending excellent support. Pearl Van Ness is introducing a clever dancing specialty. Business is excellent, and the show is up to date.

Shea's Garden Theater, July 22 to 27, had a great bill in "Fiddle-dee-dee." Some changes have been made. The Swiss scene has been eliminated, and burlesques on "The Gay Lord Quex" and "The Royal Family" substituted. Tom Nawn and company, the Musical Johnsons, the Young American Quintette are the vaudeville parts of the triple. Tom Nawn scoring away up for his clever work. Crowded houses.

The Academy Popular favor is being gained at this resort. Manager Robinson's hit, "A Trip to Buffalo," is a big drawing card. Arthur Drago, who has the part of the showman, is winning favorable comments; also Mildred Stoller, Nellie Beaumont, Sallie Randall and Emma Kemble contribute to the cast in a favorable way. Since the place has been whipped into shape and more glitz added it goes with a rush, being well staged and costumed.

The Tech Theater has "Constantinople," its ninth week of the season, to profitable success. Managers are after it for runs in different cities, but it goes to London, Eng., after closing here, the only city in America that will enjoy the sensation. It being far ahead of "America" at Chicago during the World's Fair.

Star Theater opens with "Way Down East," July 29. Lyceum Theater closed.

August 3 will be Midway Day at the Pan-American, and the Midway people will have a day that will be long remembered, if present schemes are carried out. They will show the exposition people how to draw a crowd, and will use all the circus ideas in advertising throughout the country.

RICHARDSON.



The World's Wonder.

With a frictionless, machine-like stride, Crescens, the trotting stallion, on the afternoon of July 25, electrified 10,000 people at the Glenview track, at Cleveland, O., making a new record for both sexes in the trotting world, doing a mile in 2:02½. This remarkable performance was on a track soaked with rain. The trotter was accompanied by two runners, and the tempo was reached in 1:31¾. The animal seemed sustained by indomitable courage and almost human intelligence, and was not once touched by a whip. He was driven by Ketcham, his owner, and when the score was announced he was made the hero of an ovation. Crescens now not only holds the world's trotting record for both sexes, but at the Detroit Grand Circuit meeting, last week, secured the world's record for the two fastest heats ever trotted in a race. How long will Crescens hold the record?

Notes.

The Stockton Driving Club, of Stockton, Cal., has decided not to give a fair this fall, as had been contemplated.

T. C. McDowell is the latest person tipped who will train for W. K. Vanderbilt when he establishes a stable in America.

In the Western Circuit races at Des Moines, Ia., Sandy P. in the first heat of the 2:13 pace, lowered his record from 2:12½ to 2:08½.

Jockey Henry Burgiss, a well-known steeplechase rider, was thrown from a horse on the Gravesend (N. Y.) track July 20, and had his neck broken.

The Abbot (2:03½), the world's champion trotter, has been secured by Secretary P. M. Campbell, of the Oakley track, to meet all comers during the Grand Circuit meeting to be held at the hilltop course, September 16 to 21.

Pink Coat was scratched out of the Great Western Handicap, not because he was not in the fittest condition in which a trainer of Captain Franklin's great ability could get him, but from inability to secure a first-class rider for him.

Jockey Willie Beauchamp has gone to New York City to visit his sister. Beauchamp, while in the East, will have a talk with several well-known owners, and it is quite likely that he will remain in the East during the remainder of the season.

On July 17, at Colorado Springs, Colo., during a heavy thunderstorm Charles L. Smith's well-known racing mare Arline B., valued at \$1,000, was struck by lightning and killed. During the storm three horses were struck, but no human life was lost.

The Kinloch Park races, which opened in St. Louis July 22, will continue until August 26. The club will then begin September 30 and continue until October 26. Kinloch is a new organization, has a fine track and begins under favorable auspices.

A match has been made in Australia between the Australian bred horse, Osterly (2:25, Australian record), and the California-bred stallion, Digitalis, (2:25%, American record), to trot mile heats, best two in three, at Melbourne in July next for \$500 a side.

"There's a very peculiar thing connected with the meeting just closed," remarks a Newport official. "In the eighty-one days' racing many hundreds of thousands of dollars were handled in the betting ring, but only one bad piece of money was taken in. It was a very well made counterfeit half dollar."

Alana Dale's stride is of the daisy-cutting order, much like that of the Suburban winner, Troubadour. And yet he may not prove so good a mud horse as was the great son of Lisbon. Those who have seen him work, including his popular young owner, claim that he is at his best on the top of the ground.

The rich Hyde Park Stakes, the Futurity of the West, was won over a heavy track at Chicago, Ill., July 18, by Clay Bros.' grand-looking and good Sir Dixon colt, Sir Oliver. Pat Dunn's speed marvel Memnon was second, and Abe Frank, King of Western two-year-olds and King still in defeat, was third.

The stallion William Penn (2:07½), after making a successful season in the stud at Paris, in charge of Douglas Thomas, was shipped last week to his owner, W. D. Althouse, of Philadelphia. One of his fillies, Penn's Sister, was also shipped with him. They were in charge of Henry Porter, Mr. Althouse's trainer.

The jockeys riding at Butte, Mont., are Ruiz, Stuart, Hear, Tuberville, Ellis, Russell, Prior, Holmes, Tulliet, Burke, Bassard, Beaton, Miller, Collis, Feary, McCarty, Brodien, Sutherland, Gouin, Van Camp, Ennis, Dingley, Evans, Cairns, Morrison and Peters. Stuart, Ruiz and Russell have been landing most of the winners.

S. C. Hildreth has sold The Lady, b. f. (4), by Kingston-Seville, to Clarence MacKay, the New York turfman. The sale was

made several days ago and the price paid is said to have been \$5,000. The Lady was regarded as the best three year old filly in the West last year when owned by L. H. Ezell. Tod Sloan bought her, and later sold her to Sam Hildreth.

Steward Frank Hitchcock, at the next meeting of the Jockey Club, will offer an amendment to one of the rules as follows: "In case of the absence of a steward abroad, his place may be temporarily filled by a majority vote of the remaining members present. A temporary steward, during the absence of the regular steward, shall have all the powers of the latter, etc."

Cleveland, July 26.—Among the enthusiastic cheers of nearly 10,000 people, Crescens, the world's champion trotting stallion, again demonstrated that he is the peer of all trotters by trotting a mile this afternoon over the Glenview track in 2:02½. This establishes a new world's trotting record for both sexes, replacing the former world's record of 2:03½, held by The Abbot.

A grand card for the opening day of the Seaside meeting of the New York Trotting Association will be a special race between the great pacers Joe Patchen (2:01½) and Anaconda (2:02½), for a purse of \$1,500, which will take place on Monday, August 12, at Brighton Beach track. This event will be especially pleasing to the race-going public, and the two crack horses will afford a lot of great sport.

Chicago, July 17.—(Special).—Endurance by Right, John W. Schorr's grand filly, signalized her last public appearance of the season in the West by winning the feature event at Washington Park this afternoon in her characteristic impressive style. It was a handicap for two year olds at five furlongs, the first and only handicap for the youngster division in the Washington Park Club's program.

In the free-for-all pace at the Grosse Pointe track, at Detroit, Mich., July 17, Coney, the favorite, went the fastest mile ever traveled in a contest on the track, going the distance in 2:02, which is three-quarters of a second better than the gelding's previous record. The race, however, went to Anaconda, who won second and third heats. Coney got second money, Tonner third and Indiana fourth. No other starters.

Long Island is to have another race track. It is to be within seventeen miles of Island City. Senator Timothy D. Sullivan is the originator of the enterprise, but his is to be the controlling influence of the jockey clubs that will be organized to conduct racing there. Work upon the new track will be under way in a few days, and a promise has been given that everything will be in readiness when the racing season opens next season.

Crescens, the chestnut stallion owned and driven by George H. Ketcham, of Toledo, in winning the free-for-all trot on the Detroit Driving Club's track at Grosse Pointe, July 18, went the second heat in 2:05 flat, the fastest time ever made in a trotting race. Charlie Herr, the brown stallion owned by David Cahill, of Lexington, Ky., and driven by Kelly, was the only opponent in this race, and he was a slow second. Crescens won the first heat by five lengths in 2:03½, the fastest heat trotted this year until he broke the world's record for trotters in the next heat.

Many needed improvements are being made at the Saratoga race track, where Frank Clark, Superintendent of the Coney Island Jockey Club, now is. The clubhouse will be placed nearer the track proper, and at more decided an angle than heretofore. The brick pavement in front of the grand stand has been taken up, and a turf walk is now in its place. The wooden passage which was used some years ago when passengers were carried to the track by the electric railway has been torn down. An effort will be made to keep the pad dock as free from dust as possible, so that ladies can visit it without injury to their costumes.

Ten thousand people saw Electa, a four-year-old black mare, bred on the Palo Alto Farm, in California, and owned by ex-Senator Frank Jones, of New Hampshire, win the \$10,000 Merchants and Manufacturers' Stake for 2:24 class trotters at the Grosse Pointe track, Detroit, Mich., July 16, and lower the record for the race from 2:10½ to 2:08½. In the early auctions Electa brought \$11 to \$200 for the field, but when the first heat was called she was bringing \$50 to \$85. Neva Simmons was second choice in the betting, but could not get better than third place in the race. Another record was broken in the 2:08 trot, when The Monk forced Boraluna to go to the last heat in 2:07½, lowering his mark three-quarters of a second.

Ground for the new race track promoted by Senator Timothy D. Sullivan, and in which a number of Tammany politicians will be interested, is now definitely located. All deals for the desired ground are concluded. The real estate acquired comprises 110 acres, situated about a mile and a half from Jamalca, on the old Southern Railroad, a part of the Long Island Railroad system that has been almost abandoned. Locust Station will be the name of the track depot. In its present condition the track is quite level, and is called one of the prettiest spots on Long Island. The work of transforming the place into a first-class racing plant will begin in thirty days, and plans agreed upon provide for completion by March 1, 1902.

Tod Sloan will return here from France the first week in August. The crack American jockey will be accompanied by Charon, the famous French chauffeur, and by M. Fournier, who recently won the great automobile race from Paris to Berlin. All three will go to Buffalo, where they will participate in the great automobile races to be held at the Pan-American Exposition. Sloan and the two Frenchmen are reported

to have made a great deal of money betting on the races at Paris. They evidently expect to make a coup on the Buffalo races. Fournier is the leading automobile racer of the world, while Charon has always pushed him hard for first place. If they ride in this country as they have ridden at home they will have little difficulty in sweeping everything before them at Rufus.

Since Alana Dale has convinced Eastern turfmen that he has the making of a champion in him the question of the best two year old becomes more perplexing. The title of champion now lies between Blue Girl and Nasturtium. How Alana Dale compares with these youngsters has yet to be decided. An Eastern critic says of Alana Dale: "He appears to possess all the qualities a good race horse should have. He is fast, game and sweet tempered, and he won under adverse circumstances. His victory was tremendously popular. No turf man from the Blue Grass region is as well thought of as the Lexington man. The colt's success was particularly gratifying to his owner because he bred the colt. He is a much better looking colt than Batten ever was and has accomplished more in this, his first, season, than the Haydon Edwards colt did in his."

The Concord (N. H.) State Fair is only two years old, but it has already taken its place as the biggest and best of all the fairs held annually in Northern New England. It has expended \$10,000 on its grounds, which are connected by trolley with the surrounding country, and gives \$10,000 a year in premiums and purses. Ex-Governor Frank W. Rollins is the president of the association. Hon. Nahum J. Bachelder, national lecturer of the Patrons of Husbandry, is secretary, and Hon. William E. Thayer, president of the First National Bank of Concord, is treasurer. The association makes a special feature of its Midway, which is almost a mile long, and is called one of the best money winners on the Atlantic coast fair circuit.

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| Atlanta, Ga. | Oct. 16 to 26 |
| Brighton Beach Racing Ass'n., July 5 to Aug. 3 | |
| Brooklyn Jockey Club, Sept. 16 to Oct. 5 | |
| Butte and Anaconda, Mont., June 29 to Sep. 7 | |
| Coney Island Jockey Club, Aug. 31 to Sept. 14 | |
| Doverington, Ky., Oct. 28 to Nov. 9 | |
| Erie, Ont., July 4 to Aug. 31 | |
| Harlem, N. Y., Aug. 5 to Aug. 17 | |
| Harlem, N. Y., Sept. 2 to Sept. 14 | |
| Hartford, Conn., Oct. 7 to Oct. 26 | |
| Hawthorne, N. J., Aug. 19 to Aug. 31 | |
| Hawthorne, N. J., Sept. 16 to Oct. 5 | |
| Kinloch Park, (St. Louis), May 11 to Aug. 17 | |
| Kinloch Park, (St. Louis), Sept. 30 to Oct. 26 | |
| Lakeside, (Chicago), Oct. 28 to Nov. 13 | |
| Queens County Jockey Club, Oct. 28 to Nov. 9 | |
| Saratoga Association, Aug. 5 to Aug. 30 | |
| St. Louis Fair Association, Aug. 26 to Sep. 28 | |
| Washington Jockey Club, Nov. 11 to Nov. 30 | |
| Westchester Racing Ass'n., Oct. 7 to Oct. 26 | |
| Worth, (Chicago), Nov. 14 to 30 | |

Trotting Meetings.

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| Akron, Ohio | Oct. 1 to 4 |
| Albany, N. Y., July 30 to Aug. 2 | |
| Alledo, Ill., Sept. 17 to 20 | |
| Amherstown, Pa., Sept. 23 to 28 | |
| Amerton, Pa., Sept. 23 to 28 | |
| Anna, Ill., Aug. 21 to 23 | |
| Adamont, N. Y., Sept. 9 to 12 | |
| Adamont, N. Y., Aug. 26 to 29 | |
| Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Anna, Ill., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Anderson, Ind., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Anderson, Ind., Sept. 3 to 6 | |
| Angola, Ind., Oct. 8 to 11 | |
| Antigo, Wis., Sept. 9 to 14 | |
| Antigo, Wis., Sept. 12 to 14 | |
| Ashland, O., Sept. 4 to 6 | |
| Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 16 to 26 | |
| Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 2 to 5 | |
| Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 2 to 5 | |
| Avoca, Ia., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Avoca, Ill., Sept. 3 to 6 | |
| Baltimore, Md. (Electric Park), Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Baltimore, Md. (Prospect Park), Sep. 10 to 13 | |
| Baltimore, Md., Sept. 17 to 20 | |
| Baltimore, Md. (Ge's Dr g 1/2), Sep. 24 to 27 | |
| Bambridge, Ind., Aug. 16 to 17 | |
| Baucroft, Mich., Oct. 2 to 4 | |
| Bardstown, Ky., Sept. 3 to 7 | |
| Barton, Vt., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Batavia, Ill., Sept. 16 to 19 | |
| Batavia, N. Y., Aug. 6 to 9 | |
| Bay City, Mich., Aug. 20 to 23 | |
| Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Bellevue, O., Aug. 20 to 23 | |
| Belvidere, Ill., Sept. 3 to 6 | |
| Bethlehem, Pa., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Black River Falls, Wis., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Bloomington, Pa., Oct. 8 to 11 | |
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| Booneville, Ind., Sept. 9 to 14 | |
| Boswell, Ind., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Bowling Green, O., Sept. 24 to 28 | |
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| Brighton Beach, N. Y., Aug. 12 to 17 | |
| Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 12 to 17 | |
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| Bucyrus, O., Oct. 8 to 11 | |
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| Bushnell, Ill., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Butler, Pa., Sept. 3 to 6 | |
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| Carmago, Ill., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
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| Cincinnati, O., Sept. 16 to 20 | |
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| Cleveland, O. (Newburg), Oct. 1 to 4 | |
| Clinton, Ill., Aug. 5 to 9 | |
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| Columbus, Mo., July 30 to Aug. 2 | |
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| Columbus, O., Aug. 26 to Sept. 5 | |
| Columbus, O., Sept. 2 to 7 | |
| Columbus, Ind., Sept. 10 to 14 | |
| Columbus Junction, Iowa, Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Corydon, Ind., Sept. 2 to 5 | |
| Crawfordsville, Ind., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Crown Point, Ind., Sept. 3 to 6 | |
| Dalton, Pa., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Danville, Ind., Aug. 7 to 9 | |
| Dartington, Wis., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Davenport, Ia., Aug. 13 to 16 | |
| David City, Neb., Aug. 28 to 30 | |
| David City, Neb., Sept. 17 to 20 | |
| Dayton, O., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Delaware, Ill., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 27 to 31 | |
| Dodgeville, Wis., Sept. 3 to 6 | |
| Douglas, Ia., Aug. 20 to 30 | |
| Dover, N. H., Aug. 6 to 9 | |
| Dubuque, Iowa, Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| East Enterprise, Ind., Sept. 10 to 12 | |
| Eaton, O., Sept. 17 to 20 | |

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| Elwood, Ind., Aug. 20 to 23 | |
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| Erie, Pa., July 30 to Aug. 2 | |
| Erie, Kan., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Evansville, Wis., Sept. 3 to 5 (W. E. Speed, superintendent) | |
| Evansville, Ind., Sept. 24 to 27 | |
| Fairbury, Neb., Aug. 14 to 16 | |
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| Farmers City, Ill., Aug. 26 to 30 | |
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| Frankfort, Ind., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
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| Franklin, Ind., Aug. 27 to 31 | |
| Franklin, Ind., Sept. 11 to 13 | |
| Franklinville, N. Y., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Franklinville, N. Y., Sept. 10 to 13 | |
| Frederick, Md., Oct. 8 to 11 | |
| Frederick, Kan., Aug. 20 to 23 | |
| Frederick, N. Y., Sept. 17 to 20 | |
| Freeport, Ill., Aug. 6 to 9 | |
| Fremont, Neb., July 30 to Aug. 2 | |
| Friend, Neh., Aug. 13 to 16 | |
| Fronda, Ia., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Fronda, N. Y., Sept. 9 to 12 | |
| Galesburg, Ill., Aug. 20 to 23 | |
| Glen Hills Falls, N. Y., Aug. 12 to 17 | |
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| Grand Rapids, Mich., July 30 to Aug. 2 | |
| Great Bend, Kan., Sept. 16 to 21 | |
| Green Bay, Wis., Aug. 27 to 30 | |
| Greenfield, Ind., Aug. 5 to 9 | |
| Greenup, Ill., Sept. 10 to 14 | |
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| Hagerstown, Ind., Aug. 6 to 9 | |
| Hagerstown, Md., Oct. 15 to 18 | |
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SOUTH WOODSTOCK, CONN.—Fair. Sept. 16 to 18. H. H. Davenport, pres.; L. H. Healey, N. W. secy.

STAFFORD SPRINGS, CONN.—Stafford Springs Agricultural Society Fair. Oct. 1 to 3, 1901. C. E. Beckwith, secy.

SUFFIELD, CONN.—Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 21 and 22, 1901. A. N. Graves, secy.

WALLINGFORD, CONN.—Fair. September. M. E. Cook, pres.; G. T. Jones, secy.

WATERBURY, CONN.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. O. G. Camp, pres.; N. W. Heater, secy.

WEATHERSFIELD, CONN.—Fair. Sept. 24 to 26. S. F. Willard, pres.; C. C. Harris, secy.

WILMINGTON, CONN.—Fair. September 4 and 5, 1901. H. E. Remington, cor. secy.; J. H. Gray, supt. of grounds; M. E. Lincoln, treas.

WOLCOTT, CONN.—Wolcott Agricultural Society. Oct. 16. E. M. Upson, secy.

DELAWARE.

WILMINGTON, DEL.—Fair. Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. J. H. Gould, Jr., secy.

FLORIDA.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Florida State Fair. Nov. 19 to 22, 1901. G. Healy, general manager.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, GA.—Southern Inter-State Fair. Oct. 9 to 26, 1901. T. H. Martin, secy.; W. A. Hemphill, pres.; J. K. Ottley, treas.

SAVANNAH, GA.—Georgia State Fair. Nov. 6 to 16. G. W. Owens, pres.; J. C. Shaw, secy.

VALDOSTA, GA.—South Georgia Fair. Oct. 28 to Nov. 3, 1901. A. T. Moor, manager; M. V. Calvin, secy.; W. S. West, treas.

IDAHO.

LEWISTON, IDAHO.—Lewiston Interstate Fair Racing Association. Oct. 7 to 12. C. M. Mount, secy.

ILLINOIS.

ALEO, ILL.—Mercer County Agricultural Association. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. G. E. Thornton, pres.; W. D. Emerson, secy.

ANNA, ILL.—The Southern Illinois Fair. Aug. 27 to 30. M. V. Eaves, secy.

ATLANTA, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 3 to 6. W. B. Strand, Jr., secy.

AVON, ILL.—The Twenty-ninth Annual Avon Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. D. R. Bowton, pres.; E. C. Woods, treas.; Julian Churchill, secy.

BATAVIA, ILL.—Kane County Fair Association. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. H. T. Hunter, secy.

BELVIDERE, ILL.—Boone County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. Myron D. Perkins, secy.; 10 N. State st.

BUSHNELL, ILL.—Bushnell Fair Association. Aug. 27 to 30. G. D. Bell, pres.; D. C. Neff, vice pres.; James Cole, treas.; J. H. Johnson, secy.

CAMARGO, ILL.—Douglas County Agricultural Association. Sept. 10 to 13. Geo. A. Haines, secy.

CAMBIDGE, ILL.—Henry County Fair. Aug. 19 to 23. Theo. Bollenstern, secy.

CAMP POINT, ILL.—Adams County Fair. Richard Seaton, secy. Sept. 3 to 6.

ARLINVILLE, ILL.—Macoupin County Fair. Oct. 8 to 11. Geo. Castle, secy.

CARMI, ILL.—White County Agricultural Board. Sept. 3 to 7, 1901. W. A. Raglin, pres.; R. L. Organ, secy.; F. E. Pomeras, treas.

CARROLTON, ILL.—Green County Fair. Oct. 15 to 18. G. W. Witt, Kane, Ill., pres.; S. C. Simpson, secy.; R. W. Greene, treas.

CARTHAGE, ILL.—Hancock County Fair. Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. H. A. Cutler, pres.; J. F. Scott, secy.; A. N. Cherrill, treas.

CHAMPAIGN, ILL.—Champaign County Agricultural Board. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. H. H. Harris, pres.; J. M. Clark, treas.; J. N. Beers, secy.

CHARLESTON, ILL.—Coles County Fair. Sept. 17 to 21. W. O. Glassco, secy.

CLINTON, ILL.—DeWitt County Fair. Aug. 5 to 9. Frank McCuddy, secy.

DAMASCUS, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 13. S. M. Mullins, secy.

DELAVAL, ILL.—Tazewell County Agricultural Society. Sept. 10 to 13. J. W. Crabb, pres.; P. F. Johnson, vice pres.; J. O. Jones, secy.; Daniel Reardon, treas.

EFFINGHAM, ILL.—Farmers' Fall Fair Association. Oct. 1 to 5. W. W. Austin, pres.; J. Naparro, vice pres.; H. O. Adams, secy.; Theo. Groenhorst, treas.

ELMWOOD, ILL.—Elmwood Fair Association. Sept. 17 to 20. T. J. Orton, secy.

EL PASO, ILL.—Woodford County Fair. Sept. 9 to 14. Geo. R. Crutiss, secy.

FAIRBURY, ILL.—Fairbury Union Agricultural Board. Sept. 2 to 6, 1901. J. W. McDowell, pres.; A. D. Westerwelt, secy.; L. B. Dowling, treas.

FARMER CITY, ILL.—Farmer City Fair Association. Aug. 27 to 30; D. L. Fuller, pres.; J. R. Robinson, secy.; Abe Evans, mgr.

FREEPORT, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 13. S. M. Mulnix, secy.

GALENA, ILL.—Galena Fair. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. Chas. Scheerer, pres.; J. J. Gray, treas.; W. Barner, secy.

GOLCONDA, ILL.—Pope County Fair. Oct. 3 to 6, 1901. A. H. Floyd, secy.

GREENUP, ILL.—Cumberland County Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. James W. Holt, secy.

GRIGGSVILLE, ILL.—Illinois Valley Fair. July 30 to Aug. 2, 1901. C. M. Simmons, pres.; J. S. Feimney, treas.; L. W. Parker, secy.

HIGHLAND, ILL.—Highland Madison County Fair Association. Sept. 5 to 8. A. H. Schott, pres.; Timothy Gratz, secy.; F. Seegrist, treas.

THE BILLBOARD

HOMER, ILL.—The Homer Fair. Sept. 10 to 13. J. Bennett, secy.

INDIANOLA, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. J. H. McMillan, secy.

JOLIET, ILL.—Will County Fair Association. Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. J. C. Baker, pres.; R. T. Kelly, treas.; T. J. Kelly, secy.

JONESBORO, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. W. J. Musselman, secy.

JOSLIN, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 12. F. J. Whiteside, secy.

KANKAKEE, ILL.—K. K. Fair Association. Sept. 9 to 13. Len Small, secy.

KEWANE, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 9 to 13. A. E. Huckius, secy.

KNOXVILLE, ILL.—Knox County Fair. Sept. 3 to 6. C. S. Russell, secy.

LA HARIE, ILL.—The La Harpe District Fair Association. Aug. 19 to 23. E. A. Wilcox, Durham, Ill., pres.; J. R. Roberts, secy.; C. H. Igraham, treas.

LE ROY, ILL.—The Le Roy Fair. Aug. 20 to 23. Oscar Bonnett, secy.

LIBERTYVILLE, ILL.—Lake County Agricultural Society. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. W. E. Miller, pres.; E. W. Parkhurst, treas.; O. E. Churchill, secy.

MACOMB, ILL.—McDonough Stock, Agricultural and Mechanical Association. Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. W. O. Blasdel, pres.; Geo. Gadd, treas.; F. R. Kyle, secy.

MARION, ILL.—Williamson County Fair. Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. W. H. Bundy, secy.

MAINTINSVILLE, ILL.—Clark County Agricultural Association. Edgar Summers, secy. Oct. 1 to 5.

MONMOUTH, ILL.—Warren County Fair. Sept. 9 to 13. Geo. C. Rankin, secy.

MONTECELLO, ILL.—Fair. Aug. 12 to 16, 1901.

MORRISON, ILL.—The Morrison Fair. Sept. 3, 4, 5 and 6, 1901. A. R. Lewis, secy.; E. A. Smith, pres.; Wm. Boyd, treas.

MT. CARROLL, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20.

Geo. C. Kenyon, secy.

MT. STERLING, ILL.—Fair. Aug. 6 to 9. C. E. Henry, secy.; G. R. McDannold, pres.

MURPHYSBOURG, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 3 to 6. J. J. Penny, secy.

NEWTON, ILL.—The Jasper County Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. H. A. Faller, secy.

OLNEY, ILL.—Richland County Fair. Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. Bert R. Tally, secy.

OREGON, ILL.—Ogle County Fair. Sept. 10, 11, 12 and 13. Benj. Chaney, secy.

PARKS, ILL.—Forty-seventh Annual Fair of the Edgar County Agricultural Association. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. Wm. H. Moss, pres.; S. B. McCord, secy.

PRINCETON, ILL.—Bureau County Agricultural Board. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. S. P. Clark, pres.; A. J. Bracken, treas.; C. L. Trimble, secy.

PRINCETONVILLE, ILL.—Perry County Agricultural Society Fair. Oct. 1 to 4. R. J. Rusling, secy.

ROCK CREEK, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. ROCKFORD, ILL.—Winnebago County Agricultural Society. Sept. 2 to 6, 1901. E. S. Bartholomew, pres.; A. F. Graham, vice pres., Harrison, Ill.; J. B. Whitehead, secy.; Chandler Starr, treas.

SANDWICH, ILL.—Sandwich Fair Association. Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. W. G. Beveridge, pres.; F. S. Masher, treas.; C. L. Stilson, secy.

SAYBROOK, ILL.—McLean County Fair. Aug. 13 to 16. Frank Wooly, secy.

SIABNEETOWN, ILL.—Gallatin County Fair. Aug. 27 to 31, 1901. C. Carroll, pres.; Marsh Wisheart, secy.

SHELBYVILLE, ILL.—The Shelby County Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. Geo. A. Roberts, secy.

SRINGFIELD, ILL.—Illinois State Fair. Sept. 30 to Oct. 5, 1901. W. C. Garrard, secy.

STERLING, ILL.—Mineral Springs Park Association. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. J. T. Williams, pres.; J. F. Keefer, vice pres.; J. H. Lawrence, treas.; W. S. Kilgour, secy.

WARREN, ILL.—Union Agricultural Society. Sept. 10 to 13. C. F. Taylor, pres.; J. L. Graham, vice pres.; W. L. Gale, secy.; R. C. Cullen, treas.

WAISEKA, ILL.—The Iroquois County Fair. Sept. 2 to 6, 1901. H. H. Hotaling, Leonard, Ill., pres.; W. A. Coney, treas.; L. F. Watson, secy.

WATSON, ILL.—Effingham County Fair. Sept. 24 to 27. L. P. Mantz, secy.

WENONA, ILL.—Evans Grange Agricultural Fair. Sept. 11 to 13, 1901. Ette Thelma, secy.

WHEATON, ILL.—DePage County Fair. Oct. 10 to 12. W. E. Matter, secy.

WOODSTOCK, ILL.—McHenry County Agricultural Society. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Fred Hatch, Spring Grove, Ill., pres.; C. Harrison and J. Greyc, Ringwood and Barrely, vice presidents; F. G. Arnold, secy.; F. Hoy, treas.

WYOMING, ILL.—Central Agricultural Society. Aug. 27 to 30. J. W. Smith, pres.; W. G. Snyder, secy.

YORKVILLE, ILL.—Kendall County Fair. Sept. 3 to 6. C. S. Williams, secy.

INDIANA.

ANDERSON, IND.—Anderson Fair Association. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. T. B. Orr, pres.; C. A. Eastman, vice pres.; C. K. McCullough, secy.; Wm. Bohand, treas.

ANGOLA, IND.—Steuben County Agricultural Association. Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. J. A. Woodhull, pres.; C. C. Carlin, vice pres.; E. S. Croxton, secy. and mgr.; H. Linder, treas.

BAINBRIDGE, IND.—Fair. Aug. 18 to 20. J. C. Bridges, pres.; A. R. Allison, secy.

BEDFORD, IND.—Bedford Agricultural Fair. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. Frank Pittman, secy.; A. C. Voris, pres.

BOONVILLE, IND.—Fair. Sept. 9 to 14. C. Pelzer, pres.; J. F. Richardson, secy.

BOSWELL, IND.—Fair. Aug. 26 to 30. H. Bright, pres.; W. H. McKnight, secy.

BOURBON, IND.—Bourbon Fair Association. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. C. W. Shakes, pres.; Fred Schroeter, vice pres.; B. W. Parks, secy.; Dr. L. Johnson, treas.

BRAZIL, IND.—Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. J. Daugherty, pres.; F. W. Schromyer, treas.; W. P. Zimmerman, secy.

BREMEN, IND.—Fair. Oct. 8 to 11. J. Gravison, pres.; Edward Heckaman, secy.

BRIDGETOWN, IND.—Fair. Aug. 24 to 30. J. W. Adams, pres.; F. M. Miller, secy.

CAYUGA, IND.—Fair. Sept. 4 to 6. M. B. Hosford, pres.; Dan Conaway, secy.

CHRISNEY, IND.—Speaker County Fair Association. Sept. 30 to Oct. 5. J. C. Hailes, Lake, Ind., pres.; Bayard Taylor, vice pres.; J. P. Christy, secy.; D. Jones, trees.

COLUMBUS, IND.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. F. T. Crump, pres.; Ed. Redman, Jr., secy.

CORYDON, IND.—Fair. Sept. 3 to 6. C. L. Huston, pres.; Emery H. Breedon, secy.

COVINGTON, IND.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. Mont Board, pres.; Wm. H. Miles, secy.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.—Fair. Sept. 9 to 14. M. B. Waugh, pres.; W. F. Mule, secy.

CROWN POINT, IND.—Lake County Fair. Sept. 3 to 6. J. A. Beattie, pres.; Fred Wheeler, secy.

DANVILLE, IND.—Fair. Aug. 7 to 9. C. F. Bowen, secy.

EAST ENTERPRISE, IND.—Switzerland and Ohio Counties Agricultural Association. Sept. 10 to 13. J. C. Morgan, Morefield, Ind., pres.; J. R. Elder, Bear Branch, Ind., secy.; H. Anderson, Bear Branch, Ind., treas.

ELWOOD, IND.—Fair. Aug. 26 to 30. N. J. Leisure, pres.; F. E. De Hority, secy.

EVANSVILLE, IND.—Fair. Sept. 27 to 30, 1901. John Brodie, pres.; J. W. Halladay, secy.

VINCENNES, IND.—Fair. Sept. 23 to 26. M. J. Niinack, pres.; J. D. Williams, secy.

WINCHESTER, IND.—Randolph County Fair. Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. A. C. Green, pres.; Taylor Green, treas.; Perry Learned, secy.

RAMELTON, IND.—Fair. Aug. 20 to 24. J. B. Craven, pres.; C. S. Campbell, secy.

RICHMOND, IND.—Fair. Sept. 24 to 27. W. W. Zimmerman, pres.; J. Stevenson, secy.

ROCHESTER, IND.—Fulton County Agricultural and Mechanical Association. Sept. 23 to 28, 1901. John Black, pres.; Kewana, Ind.; J. Dawson, treas.; F. Moore, secy.

ROCKPORT, IND.—

THE BILLBOARD

GRUNDY CENTER, IA.—Grundy County Fair, Sept. 10 to 12, 1901. H. N. Dilly, pres.; E. A. Crary, treas.; E. G. Ensminger, secy.

GUTHRIE CENTER, IA.—Guthrie County Agricultural Association, Sept. 23 to 26, 1901. D. J. Cowden, Adair, Ia., pres.; J. T. Wasson, Panora, Ia., vice pres.; J. H. Rogers, Guthrie Center, Ia., treas.; A. H. Grisell, Guthrie Center, Ia., secy.

HAMBURG, IA.—Hamburg Fair and Racing Association, Aug. 6 to 9, 1901. J. A. Vyse, pres.; C. E. Doyle, secy.

HAMPTON, IA.—Fair, Sept. 11 to 13. D. C. Mallory, secy.

HARLAN, IA.—Shelby County Fair Association, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. J. H. Louis, pres.; G. H. Miller, vice pres.; M. K. Campbell, treas.; W. E. Cooper, secy.

HOLSTEIN, IA.—Holstein District Agricultural Society, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. J. C. Kuchel, pres.; F. Indorf, treas.; W. F. Bluton, secy.

INDEPENDENCE, IOWA.—Fair, Oct. 1 to 4. A. H. Farwell, secy.

INDIANOLA, IA.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20. E. R. Dowell, secy.

IOWA CITY, IA.—Johnson County Agricultural and Mechanical Society, Sept. 3 to 6. S. H. Thompson, pres.; Ed. Switzer, treas.; Bruce Moore, secy.

KEOSAUQUA, IA.—Van Buren County Fair, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. H. L. Meek, pres.; H. E. Duckworth, secy.

KNOXVILLE, IA.—Fair, Aug. 20 to 23. T. G. Gibson, secy.

LA PORTE CITY, IA.—La Porte City District Fair, Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. Jos. Husman, pres.; B. L. Maxwell, secy.

LE MARS, IA.—Plymouth County Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. G. A. Sammies, pres.; C. L. Trexner, vice pres.; Martin Schafer, treas.; J. R. Shaffer, secy.

LYONS, IA.—Clinton District Fair, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. Geo. D. McDonald, Clinton, Ia., pres.; W. F. Conrad, Bryant, Ia., vice pres.; C. D. May, Clinton, Ia., treas.; C. L. Root, Lyons, Ia., secy.

MALCOM, IA.—Poweshiek County Central Agricultural Society, Aug. 21 to 23. G. W. Royce, pres.; W. J. Johnson, treas.; J. Hall, vice pres.; J. Novak, secy.

MALVERN, IA.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901.

MANSION, IOWA.—Fair, Sept. 4 and 5. C. R. Nicholson, secy.

MAPLETON, IA.—Maple Valley Fair Association, Sept. 2 to 5, 1901. Alex. Rogers, pres.; J. E. Jerome, secy.; Edw. Quick, treas.

MANCHESTER, IA.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 27. Jas. Bishop, secy.

MAQUOKETA, IA.—Jackson County Fair Association, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. Hon. A. Hurst, pres.; M. Mahoney, treas.; Adam Ringler, secy.

MARCUS, IA.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 12. H. B. Robeson, secy.; W. N. Fry, pres.

MARENGO, IA.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. F. B. Colson, secy.

MARION, IA.—Interstate Fair, Sept. 11 to 13, 1901. W. A. Dohson, pres.; E. E. Parsons, secy.

MECHANICSVILLE, IOWA.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13. A. F. Falchid, secy.

MILTON, IA.—Milton District Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20. C. C. Smith, pres.; E. O. Syphers, secy.; J. D. Rowland, treas.

MISSOURI VALLEY, IA.—Harrison County Agricultural Society, Sept. 24 to 27. Sam Baird, pres.; G. W. Graybill, treas.; W. S. Kelley, vice pres.; W. H. Wlthow, secy.

MONTICELLO, IA.—Jones County Fair, Aug. 20 to 23. H. L. Fairbanks, pres.; C. T. Bates, treas.; H. A. L. Bigley, secy.

MT. AYL, IA.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. Thos. Campbell, secy.

MT. PLEASANT, IA.—Henry County Fair, Aug. 13 to 16, 1901. Henry Traut, pres.; C. M. Clark, secy.

NASHUA, IA.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. C. H. Bander, secy.

NEVADA, IA.—Story County Agricultural Society, Aug. 13 to 16. W. K. Boardman, pres.; F. H. Greenwald, treas.; J. F. Martin, secy.

NEW HAMPTON, IA.—Chicasaw County Fair, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. H. H. Bailey, pres.; Paul Brorby, secy.

NEWTON, IA.—Jasper County Agricultural Society, Sept. 9 to 12. H. D. Parsons, pres.; C. Grelbelling, treas.; H. C. Korf, secy.

NEW SHARON, IA.—New Sharon District Agricultural Association, Aug. 20 to 22. J. A. Kisson, pres.; J. G. Hammond, treas.; J. W. Irwin, secy.

NORTHWOOD, IA.—Fair, Sept. 13 to 14, 1901. Scott H. Lilley, pres.; Bert Hamilton, secy.

OGDEN, IA.—Boone County Agricultural Society, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. A. J. Gardner, secy.

ORANGE CITY, IA.—Sioux County Agricultural Society Fair, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. A. Van Der Melde, pres.; F. J. Lohr, secy.

OSAGE, IA.—Mitchell County Agricultural Society, Sept. 10 to 13. Byron Leighton, pres.; James Sweney, treas.; W. H. H. Gahle, secy.

OSKALOOSA, IA.—Mahaska County Fair Association, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. D. A. Illinois, pres.; R. M. Boyer, treas.; C. E. Munroe, secy.

PELLA, IA.—Lake Prairie District Fair, Sept. 24 to 27. T. D. Lee, pres.; Chas. Porter, secy.; H. Rietveld, treas.

PERRY, IA.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 5. Josiah Petty, secy.

RED OAK, IA.—Montgomery County Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. Theo. G. Haag, secy.

RHODES, IA.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20. B. Richards, secy.

SAC CITY, IA.—Sac County Fair, Aug. 13 to 16, 1901. Frank E. Briggs, secy.; Eugene Criss, pres.; T. G. Kelr, treas.

SEYMOUR, IA.—Seymour District Agricultural Society, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. J. T. Lorwy, pres.; Geo. Elmore, treas.; R. E. Lowry, secy.

SHELDON, IA.—Sheldon District Fair, Aug. 23 to 26, 1901. W. B. Bowne, pres.; A. J. McKeever, treas.; J. R. Mitchell, secy.

SHENANDOAH, IA.—Fair, Aug. 13 to 16. Chas. Aldrich, pres.; Geo. Jay, secy.; O. I. Rankin, mgr.

STRAWBERRY POINT, IA.—Strawberry Point District Fair, Sept. 4 to 6, 1901. A. Cooper, pres.; H. A. Harrington, secy.

SUTHERLAND, IA.—O'Brien County Fair, Sept. 4 to 6, 1901. L. J. Price, secy.

TIPTON, IA.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. Chas. Swartzender, pres.; H. Platt, secy.; L. J. Rowell, treas.

TOLEDO, IA.—Tama County Fair, Sept. 21 to 27, 1901. A. G. Sulth, secy.

TRAER, IA.—Traer District Agricultural Society, Sept. 3 to 5. D. E. Baker, pres.; T. J. McGuire, secy.; R. H. Moore, treas.

VICTOR, IA.—Victor District Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 19. J. M. Gross, pres.; J. Steffy, treas.; J. F. Schulte, secy.

VINTON, IA.—Benton County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20. Matt Gausch, pres.; G. D. McElroy, treas.; J. E. Marlotta, secy.

WAUKON, IA.—Allamakee County Agricultural Society, Sept. 3 to 5, 1901. Carl M. Beeman, secy.

WEST LIBERTY, IA.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13. H. N. Macdonald, secy.; J. L. Nichols, pres.; F. E. Thomas, treas.

WEST POINT, IA.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13. J. Walljasper, secy.

WEST UNION, IA.—Fayette County Agricultural Society, Sept. 3 to 6. G. D. Darwall, pres.; E. B. Shaw, treas.; G. W. Van Atten, secy.

WHAT CHEER, IA.—What Cheer District Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. J. M. Stephenson, pres.; T. C. Legoe, secy.

WILTON JUNCTION, IA.—Fair, Aug. 20 to 22. W. D. Harris, secy.

WINFIELD, IA.—Fair, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. Wm. Carden, pres.; S. B. Harrison, treas.; Theo. Russell, secy.

WINTERSET, IA.—Madison County Agricultural Society, Sept. 3 to 6. W. E. Anilberg, pres.; T. J. Hudson, secy.; Chas. Polk, treas.

KANSAS.

BURLINGAME, KAN.—Osage County Fair Association, Sept. 3 to 6. Chas. Lyons, pres.; H. D. Shepard, treas.; C. H. Curtis, secy.

WURLINGTON, KAN.—Coffey County Fair, Sept. 10 to 13. A. L. Hitchens, secy.

CEDAR VALE, KAN.—Hewitts Park and Fair Association, Sept. 25 to 28. N. G. Marsh, secy.

CHIARATE, KAN.—Chanute Agricultural Fair, Park and Driving Association Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. A. E. Timpane, secy.

CLAY CENTER, KAN.—Clay County Fair, Oct. 8 to 11. E. E. Hoopes, secy.

COFFEYVILLE, KAN.—Fair, Aug. 13 to 17. R. Y. Kennedy, secy.

COUNCIL GROVE, KAN.—Morris County Exposition Company, Sept. 24 to 27. M. F. Amrine, secy.

EL DORADO, KAN.—Bentley County Fair Association, Oct. 8 to 11. H. M. Balch, secy.

ERIE, KAN.—Fair, Aug. 27 to 30.

FRANKFORT, KAN.—Frankfort Fair Association, Sept. 17 to 20. J. D. Gregg, secy.

FREDONIA, KAN.—Fair, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. C. H. Pierce, pres.; T. C. Singleton, treas.; J. T. Cooper, secy.

GARDEN CITY, KAN.—Flinney County Agricultural Society Fair, Aug. 21 to 23. D. A. Muns, secy.

JIAWATHA, KAN.—Brown County Fair Association, Sept. 17 to 20. G. W. Harrington, secy.

HOLTON, KAN.—Jackson County Agricultural Fair Association, Sept. 24 to 27. D. W. Stanley, pres.; J. Orr, treas.; S. B. McGraw, secy.

HUTCHINSON, KAN.—Central Kansas Agricultural Fair and Live Stock Association, Sept. 2 to 7, 1901. Ed. M. Moore, secy.; A. L. Spangler, pres.; W. H. Eagan, treas.

IOLA, KAN.—Allen County Fair Association, Sept. 10 to 13. L. E. Horville, pres.; C. H. Wheaton, secy.; M. F. Jacobs, treas.

MANKATO, KAN.—Jewell County Agricultural Fair Association, Sept. 17 to 20. C. F. Horne, secy.

MULVANE, KAN.—Mulvane Agricultural Society, Sept. 27 and 28. J. A. Reed, secy.

NESS CITY, KAN.—Ness County Agricultural Association, Oct. 2 to 5. H. C. Taylor, secy.

NEWTON, KAN.—County Fair, Sept. 24 to 28. Dr. J. T. Axtell, secy.

NORTON, KAN.—Norton County Fair, Sept. 18 to 20. J. L. Miller, secy.

OSKALOOSA, KAN.—Oskaloosa Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. Edwin Suyder, secy.

OTTAWA, KAN.—Franklin County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20. R. B. Pedder, Willmarburg, Kan., pres.; B. C. McQuesten, secy.; John Halloren, treas.

PAOLA, KAN.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 27. W. H. Bradbury, secy.

RILEY, KAN.—Riley County Agricultural Society Fair, Sept. 24 to 26. R. T. Worboys, secy.

ST. JOHN, KAN.—Stafford County Fair Association, Aug. 28 to 30, 1901. G. W. Grundy, pres.; O. B. Sheppard, treas.; John W. Lill, St. John, Kan., secy.

STERLING, KAN.—Rice County Agricultural Association, Sept. 11 to 14. C. Hawkins, secy.

STOCKTON, KAN.—Rooks County Fair Association, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. Incisive, O. H. Higgins, pres.; Geo. O. Farr, treas.; Oliver Adams, secy.

TRIBUNE, KAN.—Greeley County Fair, Sept. 6 and 7. J. C. Newman, secy.

WICHITA, KAN.—Wichita State Fair, Oct. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. H. G. Toher, secy.

KENTUCKY.

ALEXANDRIA, KY.—Campbell County Agricultural Society, Sept. 3 to 7, 1901. J. F. Shaw, California, Ky., pres.; J. J. Wright, Alexandria, Ky., secy.; John Todd, treas.

BARKERSVILLE, KY.—The Knox County Fair, Sept. 3 to 5. W. W. Tinsley, secy.

BARDSTOWN, KY.—Bardstown Fair, Sept. 3 to 7. James Drulen, secy.

BODIMHEAD, KY.—Rock Castle County Fair Association, Aug. 21 to 23, 1901. J. T. Cherry, pres.; Mrs. S. B. Cherry, treas.

DANVILLE, KY.—New Central Ky. Fair Association, Aug. 6 to 9, 1901. H. C. Bright, secy. and treas.

ELIZABETHTOWN, KY.—Harrison County Agricultural and Live Stock Association, July 31 to Aug. 3. A. S. Ashbrook, pres.; Jas. McMurry, secy.

EWING, KY.—The Ewing Fair, Sept. 11 to 14. S. H. Price, secy.

FERN CREEK, KY.—Jefferson County Fair, Aug. 13 to 16. W. P. Hays, secy.

FLORENCE, KY.—North Kentucky Agricultural Association, Aug. 28 to 31, 1901. B. F. McGlasson, Ludlow, Ky., pres.; A. B. Rouse, Burrlington, Ky., treas.; Alvin Perry, Independence, Ky., secy.

GERMANTOWN, KY.—Fair, Forty-seventh Annual Exhibition, Aug. 28 to 31, 1901. J. E. Bouldin, pres.; Mr. Wallingford, treas.; J. R. Walton, secy.

HARTFORD, KY.—Ohio County Fair, Oct. 2 to 5. T. L. Griffin, pres.; W. G. Hardwick, secy.

LA GRANGE, KY.—Olham County Fair, Aug. 21 to 23, 1901. C. W. Smith, secy.

LAWRENCEBURG, KY.—Lawrenceburg Fair Association, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. W. T. Bond, pres.; Monroe Walker, treas.; T. W. McKee, vice pres.; G. Speer, secy.

LEXINGTON, KY.—Colored Fair, Sept. 10 to 14, 1901. T. J. Wilson, pres.; A. L. Harlan, secy.

LEXINGTON, KY.—Lexington Fair, Aug. 12 to 17. S. T. Harbinson, pres.; E. W. Shanklin, secy.; W. T. Warren, treas.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Fifth Annual Fair, (Colored). July 30 to Aug. 3. Dr. S. Stone, pres.; Prof. W. H. Perry, secy.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Louisville Inter-State Fair, Sept. 23 to Oct. 5, 1901. M. B. Bowden, executive director, 3 and 4 Board of Trade Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

MAIDISONVILLE, KY.—Hopkins Fair Association, Aug. 6 to 10, 1901. C. C. Givens, pres.; C. O. Osburn, treas.; H. H. Holman, secy.

MAYSVILLE, KY.—First Annual Fair, Sept. 4 to 7. T. A. Davis, pres.; J. D. Dye, treas.; H. L. Hamilton, secy.

MIDDLEBOROUGH, KY.—Middlesborough Fair Association, Aug. 29 to 31. G. W. Albrecht, secy.

OWENSBORO, KY.—Owensboro Fair Company, Aug. 13 to 17, 1901. J. A. Fraiser, pres.; J. H. Small, vice pres.; L. Freeman Little, secy. and treas.

OWENTON, KY.—Owen County Fair Association, Sept.

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NORTH ADAMS, MASS.—Hoosac Valley Fair, Sept. 2 to 4. Geo. H. Keam, secy.; W. W. Sherman, treas.

NORTH ATTLEBORO, MASS.—Sept. 10 to 12. S. O. Bigley, pres.; W. H. Pond, secy.; W. W. Sherman, treas.

NORTHAMPTON, MASS.—Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden Fair, Oct. 2 and 3. C. A. Montgomery, secy.

OXFORD, MASS.—Oxford Agricultural Fair. Sept. 5 and 6. H. H. Sigourney, secy.

PALMER, MASS.—East Hamp. Agricultural Fair, Sept. 17 and 18. A. E. Pitcher, secy.

PEABODY, MASS.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 19. F. Appleton, pres.; J. M. Dauforth, secy.; G. L. Street, treas.

PITTSFIELD, MASS.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 12. Chas. H. Wright, secy.; Wm. P. Wood, treas.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH, MASS.—Weymouth Agricultural and Industrial Society, Sept. 26 to 28, 1901. Gordon Willits, pres.; Wm. C. Earle, East Weymouth, Mass., vice pres.; E. J. Pitcher, treas.; T. L. Terrell, secy.

SPENCER, MASS.—The Spencer Farmers' and Mechanics' Fair, Sept. 19 and 20, 1901. H. H. Capen, secy.

STURBRIDGE, MASS.—Worcester South Agricultural Society, Sept. 12 and 13, 1901. W. B. Melvin, pres.; C. V. Corry, secy., and treas.

TAUNTON, MASS.—Taunton Fair, Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. C. F. Sauford, secy.

UXBRIDGE, MASS.—Fair, Sept. 10 and 11. Samuel B. Taft, pres.; A. Story, secy.; I. A. Seagrave, treas.

WAKEFIELD, MASS.—Middlesex East Agricultural Association, Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. Hon. F. P. Bennett, pres.; C. A. Loving, treas., Reading, Mass.; Chas. Talbot, Monroeville, Mass., secy.

WEST TSBURY, MASS.—Fair, Sept. 17 and 18. B. T. Hillman, pres.; F. A. Look, secy.; G. H. Luce, treas.

MICHIGAN.

ADRIAN, MICH.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. ALBION, MICH.—Fair, September. A. L. McCutcheon, secy.

ALLEGAN, MICH.—Fair, Oct. 2 to 4. E. E. Brown, secy.

ANN ARBOR, MICH.—Great Washtenaw Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. F. B. Braun, secy.; C. L. Yost, pres.; F. H. Belser, treas.

ARMADA, MICH.—Armada Fair, Oct. 2 to 4. A. J. Freeman, secy.

BAD AXE, MICH.—Illinoian County Fair, Sept. 17 to 20. G. W. Clark, secy.

BANCROFT, MICH.—Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. R. P. Wixom, pres.; W. L. Wright, secy.; R. Sherman, treas.

BRIGHTON, MICH.—Fair, Oct. 2 to 4, 1901. Sturbridge & Case, managers.

CALEDONIA, MICH.—Caledonia Union Fair Association, Oct. 2 to 4, 1901. Wm. McCrohan, Dutton, Mich., pres.; D. P. Hale, treas.; C. H. Kline, secy.

CAPAC, MICH.—Capae Fair, Sept. 24 to 26.

CARO, MICH.—Caro District Agricultural Society, Sept. 24 to 27. R. J. Jamison, Fairgrove, Mich., pres.; L. G. Secley, treas.; F. H. Ralnsford, secy.

CASS CITY, MICH.—Tuscola, Huron and Saginaw District Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. P. A. Heffernan, pres.; W. J. Campbell, treas.; A. H. Ale, secy.

CARLLOTTE, MICH.—Eaton County Fair, Oct. 1 to 4. G. A. Perry, secy.; J. H. Brown, gallery, Eaton Rapids, Mich., pres.; J. H. Brown, treas.

COLLINS, MICH.—Collins Market Fair, Aug. 13 to 16, 1901. J. P. Storm, secy. and treas.

CENTERVILLE, MICH.—St. Joseph County Agricultural Society, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. A. W. Schilder, Three Rivers, Mich., pres.; J. A. McKinlay, treas.; C. S. Hover, mgr. and secy.

FLINT, MICH.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. A. Galbraith, secy.

FOWLERVILLE, MICH.—Fair, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. D. C. Carr, secy.; C. L. Gordon, pres.; Fred Kuhn, treas.

HART, MICH.—Hart Fair, Sept. 24 to 27.

HASTINGS, MICH.—Barry County Agricultural Society Fair, Oct. 8 to 11. C. L. Beamer, secy.

HILLSDALE, MICH.—Fair, Sept. 30 to Oct. 5. C. W. Terwilliger, secy.

HOLLAND, MICH.—South Ottawa and West Allegan Agricultural Society, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. H. Koolker, Hamilton, Mich., pres.; H. Lundens, treas.; L. T. Kantes, secy.

IMLAY CITY, MICH.—Imlay City Fair, Oct. 2 to 4, 1901. Frank Rathbun, secy.

IONIA, MICH.—Ionla District Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. A. M. Welch, pres.; E. M. Davis, secy.

MARQUETTE, MICH.—Marquette County Agricultural Society, Sept. 4 to 6, 1901. E. R. Palmer, pres.; B. W. Wright, treas.; M. E. Aspl, secy.

MARSHALL, MICH.—Calhoun County Agricultural Society Fair, Oct. 8 to 11. L. L. Harsh, pres., Burlington; T. J. Shipp, Eckford, treas.; W. H. Arthur, secy.

MIDLAND, MICH.—Fair, October. J. G. Culver, secy.

MILFORD, MICH.—Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. N. B. Italcock, secy.

MUSKEGON, MICH.—Union Agricultural Association, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. J. M. Stone, M. D., Bridgeton, Mich., pres.; C. S. Marr, secy.

NORTH BRANCH, MICH.—Fair, Oct. 9 to 11.

PLAINFIELD, MICH.—Union Agricultural and Industrial Society, Twenty-seventh Annual Fair, Sept. 24 to 28, 1901. E. C. Knapp, pres.; J. H. Madden, treas.; U. S. Wood, secy.; F. M. Storms, S. W. Dunnwell, J. L. Ross, ex. com.

PLYMOUTH, MICH.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. H. J. Baker, secy.

PONTIAC, MICH.—State Fair, Sept. 23 to 27. I. H. Butterfield, secy., Agricultural College, Mich.

REED CITY, MICH.—Tri-County Fair, Sept. 17 to 19. Amos Rosenberg, pres.; Aug. Goehrend, secy.

ST. JOHNS, MICH.—Great Clinton County Fair, Sept. 24 to 28, 1901. F. A. Travis, pres.; G. N. Ferry, secy.; O. S. Elsler, adv., mgr.

STOCKBRIDGE, MICH.—Stockbridge Agricultural Society Fair, Oct. 2 to 4, 1901. C. J. Cain, secy.

VASSAK, MICH.—Tuscola County Agricultural Society Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. R. S. Weaver, secy., Watronville, Mich.

WEST ALLIGAN, MICH.—Fair, Oct. 2 to 4, 1901. L. J. Kanters, secy.

YALE, MICH.—Brockway Center District Agricultural Society Fair, Oct. 1 to 3, 1901. Norman B. Herbert, secy.

MINNESOTA.

ATKIN, MINN.—Atkin County Agricultural Society, Sept. 12 and 13. F. P. McQuillan, secy.

AUSTIN, MINN.—Mower County Agricultural Association, Sept. 11 to 13. A. C. Page, secy.

BARNUM, MINN.—Carlton County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 19. C. L. Goodell, secy.

CALEDONIA, MINN.—Houston County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20. E. C. Hellekson, secy.

CHASKA, MINN.—Chaska County Agricultural Society, Sept. 26 to 28. M. H. Moyer, secy.

CURRIE, MINN.—Murray County Agricultural Association, Oct. 3 and 4. Nell Currie, secy.

FAIRMOUNT, MINN.—Marshall County Agricultural Society, Sept. 9 to 11, 1901. J. G. Mitchell, pres.; Cecil Sharpe, treas.; E. Wade, secy.

HAMLINE, MINN.—Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 2 to 7, 1901. E. W. Randall, secy.

HOWARD LAKE, MINN.—Wright County Fair Association, Sept. 18 and 19. A. N. Carter, secy.

HUTCHINSON, MINN.—McLeod County Fair, Sept. 2 to 6, 1901. Sam G. Anderson, secy.

JACKSON, MINN.—Jackson County Fair Association, Sept. 12 to 14. M. D. Ashby, secy.

MADISON, MINN.—Le Sueur County Agricultural Association, Sept. 30 to Oct. 2. J. F. Rosenwald, secy.

MONTEVIDEO, MINN.—Chippewa County Agricultural Society, Sept. 25 to 27. A. E. Arnes, secy.

MORA, MINN.—Kanabec County Agricultural Society, Sept. 12 to 14, 1901. O. O. Struble, pres.; G. H. Newbert, treas.; Chas. Serline, secy.

MORRIS, MINN.—Stevens County Fair Association, Sept. 20 and 21. D. T. Wheaton, secy.

NEW ULM, MINN.—Brown County Agricultural Society, Aug. 29 to 31, 1901. F. Crane, pres.; F. H. Behuke, treas.; H. N. Sonnen, secy. and manager.

RUSH CITY, MINN.—Chisago County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 19. T. W. Malcolm, secy.

ST. PETER, MINN.—Nicolliet County Fair, Sept. 19 to 21, 1901. A. F. Evenson, pres.; H. S. Sackett, treas.; J. A. Johnson, secy.

ST. VINCENT, MINN.—St. Vincent Industrial Association, Oct. 10 and 11. R. H. Lapp, secy.

SHAKOPEE, MINN.—Shakopee Fair Association, Sept. 24 to 26. H. C. Helmsch, secy.

STILLWATER, MINN.—Stillwater Fair Association, Sept. 17 to 19. L. H. Seymour, secy.

WINNEBAGO CITY, MINN.—Faribault County and Joint Stock Association, Sept. 9 to 11. L. C. Stebbins, secy.

MISSISSIPPI.

FOREST, MISS.—Nineteenth Annual Patrons' Union Fair, July 29 to Aug. 2, 1901. Dr. J. B. Bailey, pres., Conehatta, Miss.; Dr. G. A. McIlhenny, secy., Harperville, Miss.

HARPERVILLE, MISS.—Patrons' Union Midsummer Fair, July 29 to Aug. 2, Dr. J. B. Bailey, pres., Conehatta, Miss.; Dr. G. A. McIlhenny, secy., Harperville, Miss.

MISSOURI.

ALBANY, MO.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. S. W. Clark, secy.

BUNCETON, MO.—Inneeton Fair Association, Aug. 28 to 30, 1901. J. G. Burger, pres.; P. E. Williams, treas.; W. B. Kerns, secy.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO.—Fair, Oct. 8 to 12. E. H. Engleman, secy.

CALIFORNIA, MO.—Montean Connly A. & M. Association Fair, Sept. 17 to 20. Chas. G. English, secy.

CARTHAGE, MO.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20. Isaac Norris, secy.

CENTRALIA, MO.—Fair, Aug. 27 to 30. J. K. Pool, secy.

CHILLICOTHE, MO.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. S. D. Rohrer, secy.

COLUMBIA, MO.—Fair, July 30 to Aug. 2. N. D. Rohrbach, secy.

DEXTER, MO.—Fair, Aug. 27 to 31. S. P. Jeffries, secy.

EDINA, MO.—Knox Co. Agric & Mch Assn. Aug. 28 to 30, 1901. R. M. Biggerstaff, pres.; Dr. J. W. Vandolah, treas.; P. K. Gibbons, secy.

HAMILTON, MO.—Hamilton Fair, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. A. C. Menefee, secy.

HARRISONVILLE, MO.—Fair, Aug. 18 to 16, 1901. T. W. Clements, secy.

HIGGINSVILLE, MO.—Fair, Sept. 8 to 6, 1901. S. J. Kleinenschmidt, secy.

HOLDEN, MO.—Fair, Aug. 6 to 9, 1901. E. K. Steele, secy.

JACKSONVILLE, MO.—Fair, Aug. 20 to 22. C. M. King, secy.

KENNEDY, MO.—Fair, Oct. 9 to 12, 1901. R. H. Jones, secy.

NORTH BRANCH, MICH.—Fair, Oct. 9 to 11.

PLAINFIELD, MICH.—Union Agricultural and Industrial Society, Twenty-seventh Annual Fair, Sept. 24 to 28, 1901. E. C. Knapp, pres.; J. H. Madden, treas.; U. S. Wood, secy.; F. M. Storms, S. W. Dunnwell, J. L. Ross, ex. com.

PLYMOUTH, MICH.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. H. J. Baker, secy.

PONTIAC, MICH.—State Fair, Sept. 23 to 27. I. H. Butterfield, secy., Agricultural College, Mich.

LOCKWOOD, MO.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 5, 1901. Ore Harris, secy.

MAITLAND, MO.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901.

MEMPHIS, MO.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13. J. C. Kiueuy, secy.

NEVADA, MO.—Nevada Driving Club, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. D. W. Howard, pres.; W. E. Clark, secy.; H. M. Duck, treas.

PLATTE CITY, MO.—Fair, Aug. 27 to 30. Wm. Forman, secy.

RICH HILL, MO.—Rich Hill Fair Association, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. H. Loeb, pres.; W. W. Ferguson, treas.; J. D. Moore, secy.

ROCKPORT, MO.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13. D. J. Dopp, secy.

SEDLIA, MO.—Missouri State Fair, Sept. 9 to 14. N. J. Colman, pres.; J. R. Rippey, secy.

ST. CHARLES, MO.—St. Charles County Driving Park Association, Sept. 11 to 14, 1901. C. T. Mabilleckrot, pres.; A. H. Hulding, treas.; W. F. Achelpho, secy.

ST. JOSEPH, MO.—Annual Fair, Sept. 23 to 28, 1901. E. P. Churchill, secy.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—St. Louis Fair, Oct. 7 to 12, 1901. Address, St. Louis Fair Association.

SHIELINA, MO.—Fair, Sept. 23 to 26. W. H. MacKeville, secy.

UITER CREVE COEUR, MO.—Fair, Sept. 19 to 22, 1901. F. W. Brooks, secy.

WARENSBURG, MO.—Fair, Sept. 5 and 6. J. T. Dofflemyer, secy.

WASHINGTON, MO.—Fair, Sept. 5 to 7. L. F. Pues, secy.

MONTANA.

BILLINGS, MONT.—Yellowstone Fair Association, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901, inclusive.

A. L. Babcock, pres.; I. D. O'Donnell, secy.; H. W. Bowley, treas.

NEBRASKA.

AINSWORTH, NEB.—Brown County Fair, Sept. 19 to 21. Geo. A. Mills, secy.

ALBION, NEB.—Boone County Agricultural Association, Sept. 25 to 27, 1901. H. C. Klester, St. Edward, Neb., pres.; J. S. Hilecox, treas.; H. L. Brooks, secy.

AURORA, NEB.—Hamilton County Fair, Sept. 24 to 27. Delevan Bates, secy.

AUBURN, NEB.—Nebraska County Agricultural Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. J. M. Darrah, secy.

BEATRICE, NEB.—The Gage County Society of Agriculture, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. H. L. Crocker, Elkhorn, Neb., pres.; P. B. Sprague, treas.; L. W. Colby, secy. and manager.

DAVID CITY, NEB.—Butler County Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. C. W. Derby, pres.; S. C. Clingman, secy.; C. W. Benison, treas.

FAIRBURY, NEB.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20. H. P. Showalter, secy.

FREMONT, NEB.—Fair, July 30 to Aug. 3.

FRIEND, NEB.—Fair, Aug. 18 to 14.

HARTINGTON, NEB.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. J. N. Lewon, secy.

HASTINGS, NEB.—Fair, Aug. 6 to 9.

INDIANOLA, NEB.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20. W. A. Cool, secy.

LINCOLN, NEB.—Nebraska State Fair, Aug. 20 to Sept. 6, 1901. Robt. W. Furnas, Brownville, Neb., pres.; E. L. Vance, Pawnee City, Neb., pres.

MADISON, NEB.—Madison County Agricultural Society, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. H. F. Barney, pres.; Geo. R. Wycoff, treas.; J. L. Ryneerson, secy.

MINDEN, NEB.—Kenney County Agricultural Society, Sept. 18 to 21, 1901. R. Oscott, pres.; J. S. Cassidy, treas.; J. W. Hawes, secy.

OMAHA, NEB.—Douglas County Fair, Sept. 11 to 21. G. W. Hervey, secy.

OSCEOLA, NEB.—Washburn County Agricultural Association, Sept. 24 to 27, C. D. Steuer, secy.

RED CLOUD, NEB.—Interstate Fair Association, Sept. 24 to 27, inclusive. D. J. Myers, secy.; J. L. Miner, pres.; G. W. Dow, treas.

SEWARD, NEB.—Seward County Fair, Aug. 27 to 30. E. C. Holland, secy.

SPRINGFIELD, NEB.—Sarpy County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. John Snodgrass, pres.; C. F. Calhoun, treas.; Frank Comte, secy.

STOCKVILLE, NEB.—Frontier County Fair, Sept. 24 to 27. L. H. Cheney, secy.

TECUMSEH, NEB.—Johnson County Agricultural and Mechanical Association, Sept. 23 to 26. W. Kohl, secy.

WAHOO, NEB.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 19. E. B. Collier, secy.

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HODDLETOWN, N. Y.—Orange County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20. D. A. Morrison, secy.

NEOLA, N. Y.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 28.

ONTICELLO, N. Y.—Sullivan County Agricultural Fair, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Leon U. Stratton, secy.

OKAVIA, N. Y.—Cayuga County Fair, Sept. 24 to 26. F. R. Ryan, pres.; W. B. Thomas, secy.

MORRIS, N. Y.—Morris Fair Association, Oct. 1 to 3. T. O. Durie, pres.; D. L. Lau- rence, treas.; D. C. Whiston, secy.

NAPLES, N. Y.—Naples Union Agricultural Fair, Sept. 17 to 19. E. C. Clark, secy.

NASSAU, N. Y.—Nassau Fair, Sept. 10 to 12. Delmer Lyrod, secy.

NEWARK, N. Y.—Fair, Oct. 3 to 5. J. D. Reeves, pres.; Wm. Hyde, secy.; L. Flury, treas.

NEWARK VALLEY, N. Y.—Northern Toga Agricultural Society, Sept. 10 to 12, 1901. Chas. H. Barnes, pres.; E. F. Baldwin, treas.; G. E. Purple, secy.

NEW CITY, N. Y.—Rockland County Industrial Association Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. James L. Barber, secy.

NORWICH, N. Y.—Chenango County Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. Hubert L. Brown, secy.

OGBENSBURG, N. Y.—Oswegatchie Agricultural Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. J. L. Houston, secy.

ONEONTA, N. Y.—Oneonta Union Agricultural Society, Sept. 16 to 19, 1901. W. L. Brown, pres.; S. L. Huntington, secy.; H. M. Hard, treas.

ORANGEBURGH, N. Y.—Rockland County Agricultural and Horticultural Association, Sept. 9 to 12. C. L. Hopper, pres.; D. T. Inglis, treas.; E. Talman, secy.

OSWEGO FAIR, N. Y.—Oswego County Fair, Sept. 17 to 20. H. L. Platt, Fulton, N. Y., secy.

OWEGO, N. Y.—Toga County Agricultural Society, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. H. N. Robison, pres.; A. W. Parmelee, treas.; L. W. Klugman, secy.

PALMIRA, N. Y.—Fair, Sept. 26 to 28. C. D. Johnson, pres.; E. S. Overill, secy.; H. G. Chapman, treas.

PENN YAN, N. Y.— Yates County Fair, Sept. 10 to 12. Jas. A. Thayer, secy.

PERRY, N. Y.—Silver Lake Fair, Oct. 1 to 2, 1901. D. R. Andrus, secy.

PLATTSBURGH, N. Y.—Clinton County Agricultural Society, Sept. 19 to 13, 1901. O. J. Smith, pres.; M. F. Parkhurst, treas.; W. S. Woodward, secy.

POTSdam, N. Y.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13. E. A. Klenert, Jr., pres.; H. E. Thompson, treas.; F. A. Weed, secy.

POTTERSVILLE, N. Y.—Glendale Union Agricultural Society Fair, Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. J. A. Skiff, secy.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.—Dutchess County Agricultural Society, Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. R. W. Rivers, pres.; J. M. Booth, secy.; A. R. Gray, treas.

PRATTSTVILLE, N. Y.—Gorham Agricultural Fair, Oct. 3 to 5. T. Benton Pierce,

RICHFIELD SPRINGS, N. Y.—Richfield Springs Fair, Sept. 30 to Oct. 2. Fred. Bronner, secy.

RIVERHEAD, N. Y.—Suffolk County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20. H. A. Reeves, pres.; G. W. Cooper, treas.; S. M. Foster, secy.

ROME, N. Y.—Oneida County Fair, Sept. 20 to 30.

SANDY CREEK, N. Y.—Agricultural Fair, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. H. L. Wallace, secy.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—Schenectady Valley Agricultural Society, Sept. 19 to 21. H. Bernard, pres.; E. J. Goddard, treas.; W. A. Pier, secy.

SCHUYLER, N. Y.—The Schoharie County Agricultural Society, Sept. 16 to 19. C. H. Proper, secy.

SHAYERTOWN, N. Y.—Shayertown Agricultural Society Fair, Aug. 27 to 29, 1901. L. E. Hullert, secy.

SIDNEY, N. Y.—Sidney Fair Association, Sept. 10 to 12. W. T. Sherwood, pres.; J. S. Clark, secy.; H. N. Clark, treas.

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—New York State Fair, Sept. 9 to 14, inclusive. T. L. Woodruff, pres.

TROOPSBURG, N. Y.—Troupsburg Fair, Sept. 3 to 6. J. H. Potter, South Troupsburg, N. Y., secy.

TRUMANSBURG, N. Y.—Union Agricultural and Horticultural Society, Sept. 1 to 6, 1901. J. T. Howe, pres.; H. A. Mosher, treas.; Marion Boardman, secy.

VERNON, N. Y.—Vernon Agricultural Society Fair, Sept. 25 and 26, 1901. J. A. Griswold, secy.

WALTON, N. Y.—Del. Valley Agricultural Society, Sept. 2 to 5. W. L. Gladstone, secy.

WARRENSBURG, N. Y.—The Warren County Fair, Sept. 17, 18, 19 and 20. Fred J. Blauer, secy.

WARSAW, N. Y.—Wyoming County Agricultural Society, Sept. 24 and 25. E. H. Parker, secy.

WATERLOO, N. Y.—Seneca County Agricultural Society, Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. Edward Nugent, secy.

WATERTOWN, N. Y.—Jefferson County Fair, Sept. 2 to 6. W. R. Keele, secy.

WATERTOWN, N. Y.—Jefferson County Agricultural Society, Sept. 2 to 6. J. D. Low, pres.; C. E. Haddock, treas.; W. R. Keele, secy.

WATKINS, N. Y.—Schnuyler County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20. O. H. Budd, pres.; F. W. Plem, treas.; R. S. Proper, secy.

WELLSVILLE, N. Y.—Wellsboro Fair Association, Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. Oak Duke, L. S. W. M. Cobb, vice pres.; Chas. T. Lovley, secy.; Fred. Rice, treas.

WEST PHOENIX, N. Y.—Phoenix Union Agricultural Fair, Sept. 25 to 28. C. K. Williams, secy.

WESTPORT, N. Y.—Essex County Agricultural Society Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. James M. Singleton, secy.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—Society of Agricultural and Horticultural, Sept. 30 to Oct. 5. J. Hopkins, pres.; E. B. Long, secy.; J. B. Lee, treas.

WHITNEY'S PT., N. Y.—Broome County Agricultural Society, Sept. 3 to 6. P. M. Brown, pres.; F. E. Allen, secy.; F. H. Sanders, treas.

NORTH CAROLINA.

BURLINGTON, N. C.—Fair, Oct. 14 to 18, 1901. J. H. Hardin, secy.; G. E. Webb, pres.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.—Fair, Nov. 4 to 7, 1901.

GREENSBORO, N. C.—Fair, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. J. H. Hardin, secy.

RALEIGH, N. C.—North Carolina State Agricultural Society, Oct. 21 to 26, 1901. Gen. W. R. Cox, Penelio, N. C., pres.; C. B. Denison, treas.; J. E. Pogue, secy.

WINSTON, N. C.—Fair, Oct. 28 to Nov. 1, 1901.

OHIO.

ADA, O.—Ada Tri-County Fair Company, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. Henry Young, pres.; Agnew Welsh, secy.; S. W. Nixon, treas.

AKRON, O.—Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. Albert Hale, secy.

ASHLAND, O.—Fair, Sept. 4 to 6. Chas. M. Beer, secy.

ATHENS, O.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. C. S. McDougal, secy.

BELLEVONTAINE, O.—Logan County Agricultural Society, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. L. Miller, pres.; W. R. Niven, treas.; E. P. Chamberlin, secy.

BEREA, O.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. O. K. Stone, secy.

BLANCHESTER, O.—Fair, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. J. W. McFaddin, secy.

BOSTON, O.—Clermont County Agricultural Society, Sept. 9 to 12, 1901. W. H. Miller, Williamsburg, O., pres.; J. O. Kapp, Owenville, O., treas.; J. Rowan, Blowville, O., secy.

BOWLING GREEN, O.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 25, 1901. W. S. Haskell, secy.

BUCKYUS, O.—Fair, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. G. W. Miller, secy.

BURTON, O.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. P. W. Farmee, secy.

CALIZ, O.—Fair, Oct. 2 to 4, 1901. J. G. Milliken, secy.

CANAL DOVER, O.—Tuscarawas County Fair, Sept. 24 to 27. E. O. Shafer, secy.

CANFIELD, O.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. B. L. Manchester, secy.

CANTON, O.—Fair, Sept. 2 to 6, 1901. J. H. Layman, secy.

CARROLLTON, O.—Fair, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. C. A. Tope, secy.

CARTHAGE, O.—Carthage Fair, Aug. 20 to 24, 1901. D. R. Herrick, pres.; Wm. Bonnell, treas.; D. L. Sampson, 340-342 Main st., Cincinnati, O., secy.

CELINA, O.—Fair, Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. C. W. Hartfill, secy.

CHAGRIN FALLS, O.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. G. B. Huggett, secy.

CHILLICOTHE, O.—Fair, Aug. 6 to 9, 1901. Addison Mushall, secy.

CLARKSVILLE, O.—Pioneer Association, Aug. 6 to 8, 1901. A. J. Kiphart, pres.; Mrs. Vira A. Kimbrough, secy.; Mrs. Mattie Reeder, treas.

COOLVILLE, O.—Union Fair, Oct. 1 to 3, 1901. A. B. Saunders, Guyville, O., secy.; S. S. Oaks, Little Hocking, O., pres.

COLUMBUS, O.—Ohio State Fair, Aug. 26 to Sept. 7, 1901. W. W. Miller, secy.

COSHOCKTON, O.—Coshocton County Agricultural Society, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. T. McConnell, pres.; E. M. Hanlon, treas.; Robert Boyd, secy.

CITRON, O.—Hartford Central Agricultural Society, Sept. 10 to 13. J. A. Wilson, Sunbury, O., pres.; Joseph Coleman, treas.; W. H. Siegfried, secy.

DAYTON, O.—Montgomery County Agricultural Board, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. J. M. Smith, pres.; S. D. Bear, vice pres.; Samuel Wampler, treas.; W. J. Ferguson, secy.

DELAWARE, O.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. W. S. Pollock, secy.

EATON, O.—Preble County Fair, Sept. 16 to 19, 1901. Frank Mitchell, pres.; J. J. Kaylor, first vice pres.; Noah Siller, second vice pres.; C. T. Brooke, Jr., treas.; Henry H. Farr, secy.

ELYRIA, O.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. Anthony Nieding, secy.

FINDLAY, O.—Hancock County Fair, Sept. 10 to 14, 1901. Wm. Demland, Rm. 7, Fullerton Block, secy.

FREMONT, O.—Sandusky County Agricultural Society, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901, Inclusive.

Louis Nickel, pres.; Wm. A. Gabel, treas.

GALLIPOLIS, O.—Gallico County Fair, Aug. 21 to 23, 1901. G. B. Little, mgr.; Geo. A. Little, secy. and treas.

GEOGETOWN, O.—Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. J. W. Wedrick, secy.; Russellville, O., pres.

HAMILTON, O.—Fifty-first Annual Fair, Butler County Agricultural Society, Sept. 26 to 30, 1901. J. M. Brown, Arcanum, O., pres.; Ed. Ammon, Gordon, O., treas.; O. E. Harrison, Greenville, O., secy.

GROVE CITY, O.—Fair, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. W. L. Seed, pres.; Geo. B. Darnell, secy.

HAMILTON, O.—Fair, Aug. 26 to 30, 1901. J. M. Brown, Arcanum, O., pres.; Ed. Ammon, Gordon, O., treas.; O. E. Harrison, Greenville, O., secy.

HICKSVILLE, O.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. W. H. Harter, pres.; F. M. Birdsall, secy.

JEFFERSON, O.—Ashtabula County Agricultural Society, Aug. 20 to 22, 1901. F. Watrous, Ashtabula, O., pres.; A. W. Frayer, treas.; C. C. Babcock, secy.

KENTON, O.—Fair, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. W. M. Cooney, secy.

KINSMAN, O.—Klusman Stock and Agricultural Company, Aug. 28 to 30, 1901. H. J. Wahl, pres.; H. J. Fobes, secy.; J. A. Hamilton, treas.

LANCASTER, O.—Oct. 9 to 12, 1901. W. T. McCleaghan, secy.

LEBANON, O.—Warren County Agricultural Fair, Aug. 13 to 16, 1901. Geo. W. Carey, secy.

LIMA, O.—Aiken County Fair, Sept. 24 to 28, 1901. Wm. Rush, pres.; T. B. Bower, secy.

LISBON, O.—Fair, Sept. 17 to 19, 1901. E. F. Moore, secy.

LONDON, O.—Madison County Agricultural Society, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. L. W. Klingon, pres.; Lester Bidwell, West Jefferson, treas.; M. L. Rea, chairman; E. B. Pancake, secy.

LUCASVILLE, O.—Fair, Aug. 6 to 8, 1901. Jos. Rockwell, pres.; A. Baumon, Portsmouth, O., treas.; A. Crain, secy.

MANSFIELD, O.—Kitchland Agricultural Society, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. Jerry Needham, pres.; John Hale, Pavonia, O., treas.; W. H. Gifford, secy., Mansfield, O.

MARIETTA, O.—Washington County Agricultural and Mechanical Association, Sept. 17 to 19, 1901. Hiram True, Warner, O., pres.; J. H. McConnell, treas.; Edw. Best, Box 447, Marietta, O., secy.

MARION, O.—Fair, Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. J. E. Waddell, secy.

MARYSVILLE, O.—Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. W. M. Titsworth, secy.

MEDINA, O.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 5, 1901. F. Spellman, secy.

MONTPELIER, O.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. C. C. Lattanner, secy.

MT. GILEAD, O.—Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. G. J. Smith, secy.

MOUNT JOY, O.—Fair, Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. W. A. McGeorge, secy.

NAPOLEON, O.—Napoleon Fair, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. J. L. Halter, secy.

NEWARK, O.—Licking County Fair, Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. J. M. Farmer, secy.

NEW BREMEN, O.—Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. Henry Heilbusch, pres.; Fred Wlemeyer, secy.

NEW LEXINGTON, O.—Fair, Sept. 13 to 20, 1901. Wm. A. Allen, secy.

ORRVILLE, O.—Central Ohio Fair, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. J. S. Snavely, prop. and mgr.

OTTAWA, O.—Putnam County Fair, Oct. 1 to 5, 1901. A. P. Sandles, secy.

OTTOKEE, O.—Fulton County Agricultural Society, Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. A. F. Shaffer, Wauseon, O., pres.; W. A. Balke, Wauseon, O., secy.

RETHLEHEM, PA.—Pennsylvania State Fair, Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. H. A. Grozman, secy.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.—Columbia County Agricultural Society, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. E. H. Sloan, Orangeville, Pa., pres.; J. C. Brown, treas.; A. N. Yost, secy.

BURGETTSTOWN, PA.—Washington County Union Agricultural Association, Oct. 1 to 3, 1901. Dr. L. C. Botkin, pres.; R. C. Cassidy, treas.; K. P. Stevenson, secy.

BUTLER, PA.—Butler Co. Agricultural Society Fair, Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. W. P. Roessing, 118 N. Main st., secy.

CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS, PA.—The Cambridge Fair, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Albert S. Faber, secy.

CANTON, PA.—Fair, Sept. 10 to 13, C. D. Derrah, secy.

CARLISLE, PA.—Cumberland County Agricultural Society

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LEHIGHTON, PA.—Carbon County Industrial Society. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. Henry Miller, pres.; C. E. Brinkman, secy.

LEWISBURG, PA.—Union County Agricultural Society. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. C. D. Wolfe, Bucknell, Pa., secy.

MANSFIELD, PA.—Smythe Park Association, Tioga County. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. C. S. Ross, pres.; J. M. Barden, vice-pres.; W. D. Husted, treas.; W. P. Austin, secy.

MERCER, PA.—Mercer County Fair. Sept. 26 to 28. J. B. Mowry, secy.

MIDDLETOWN, PA.—The Middletown Fair. Sept. 10 to 14, 1901. R. L. Young, pres.; Wm. Shireman, secy.; M. N. Gingleich, treas.

MILTON, PA.—Milton Driving Park and Fair Association. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. Edw. Paul, secy.

MONROE, PA.—Fifty-fifth Susq. County Agricultural Society Fair. Oct. 1 and 2. W. A. Tiltsworth, secy.

NAZARETH, PA.—Northampton County Fair. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. J. R. Reinheimer, secy.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Lawrence County Agricultural and Horticultural Society. Sept. 26 and 27, 1901. Samuel McCreary, Neshannock Falls, pres.; H. W. Grigsby, secy.

NEWPORT, PA.—Perry County Agricultural Association. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. D. H. Sheibley, pres.; J. H. Butturf, treas.; J. C. F. Stephens, secy.

OLY CITY, PA.—Schuylkill County Fair and Trotting Association. Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. Amos Steffee, pres.; I. N. Hinderliter, secy.; J. M. Berry, treas.

ORWIGSBURG, PA.—Orwigsburg Agricultural and Horticultural Society. Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. S. R. Moyer, pres.; J. E. Brown, secy.; H. S. Albright, treas.

OXFORD, PA.—Oxford Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 27, 1901. Wm. H. Hogg, Kirkwood, pres.; H. C. Thomas, secy.

PORT ROYAL, PA.—Innata County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 13, 1901. Hou. T. K. Beaver, pres.; G. G. Crozier, treas.; Hon. Wm. Hertzler, secy.

POTTSTOWN, PA.—Fair. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Dr. W. B. Shauer, pres.; Chas. G. Hawkins, secy.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA.—Jefferson County Fair. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Ben Recor, secy.

READING, PA.—Agricultural and Horticultural Society of Berks County. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. James McGowan, pres.; Milford N. Ritter, treas.; Cyrus T. Fox, secy.

STONEBORO, PA.—Mercer County Agricultural Society. Oct. 1 to 3, 1901. R. P. Cann, treas.; J. J. Blatt, pres.; Geo. H. Fowler, secy.

STROUDSBURG, PA.—Monroe County Agricultural Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. H. L. Labar, secy.

TOWANDA, PA.—Bradford County Fair. Sept. 24 to 27. Cha. M. Culvur, secy.

TROY, PA.—Bradford County Agricultural Society. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. B. A. Long, pres.; E. Everett Van Dyne, treas.; C. L. Fellows, secy.

TUNKHANNOCK, PA.—Wyoming County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. W. M. Reynolds, secy.

UNIONTON, PA.—Fayette Fair Association, Fayette County. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. Wm. Thompson, pres.; W. W. Parshall, secy.

WALLVILLE, PA.—Lackawanna County Maitland Fair Association. September, 1901. Mr. Householder, Dolton, Pa., pres.; Wm. Smith, Dolton, Pa., secy.

WASHINGTON, PA.—Washington County Western Pennsylvania Agricultural Association. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. J. S. Forsythe, secy.; W. C. Baldwin, pres.; J. P. Eagleson, treas.

WATTSBURG, PA.—Wattsburg Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 3 to 6. A. L. Phelps, secy.

WAYNESBURG, PA.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. J. S. Carter, secy.; J. J. Kolbert, treas. and supt. of speed; J. T. Rogers, pres.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA.—Lycoming County Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. N. B. Buff, pres.; Carl Herdic, treas.; Henry Vell, secy.

WIND RIDGE, PA.—Greene County Richhill Agricultural Society. Sept. 4 and 5, 1901. Stephen Knight, pres.; O. E. Burns, secy.

YORK, PA.—York County Agricultural Society Fair. Oct. 7 to 11. Edward Chapin, secy.

YOUNGSWOOD, PA.—Westmoreland Agricultural Society. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. M. N. Clarke, Claridge, Pa., pres.; W. F. Holtzer, Greensburg, Pa., secy.; D. B. Fisher, Mt. Pleasant, Pa., treas.

RHODE ISLAND.

SOUTH PORTSMOUTH, R. I.—Newport County Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. I. L. Sherman, pres.; E. R. Anthony, treas.; W. Chase, secy.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

ARBEVILLE, S. C.—Abbeville County Fair. Oct. 16 to 18. J. Fraser Lyon, secy.

COLUMBIA, S. C.—State Agricultural and Mechanical Society of South Carolina. Oct. 23 to Nov. 1, 1901. Col. W. D. Evans, Cheraw, S. C., pres.; Col. T. W. Holloman, Pomaria, S. C., secy.; A. La Motte, treas.; A. W. Love, general supt., Chester, S. C.

LEXINGTON, S. C.—Lexington County Fair Association. Oct. 22 to 24. J. A. Millen, secy.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

YANKTON, S. D.—State Board of Agriculture. Sept. 9 to 13, 1901. J. Armstrong, pres.; W. B. Dean, secy.; Jas. E. Platt, treas.

TENNESSEE.

ALEXANDRIA, TENN.—The De Kalb County Fair. Sept. 19 to 21. Rob Roy, secy.

COAL CREEK TENN.—Coal Creek Fair. Aug. 28 to 30. R. M. Lindsay, pres.; G. W. Wendling, secy. and treas.

COLUMBIA, TENN.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. B. S. Thomas, secy., Glendale, Tenn.; W. P. Walridge, vice pres.; J. J. Fleuling, treas.

LIVINGSTON, TENN.—Livingston Fair. Oct. 3 to 6. L. N. Oakley, secy., Oak Hill, Tenn.

TRENTON, TENN.—Gibson County Agricultural and Mechanical Association. Oct. 9 to 12, 1901. Dr. T. J. Hoppel, pres.; W. W. Harrison, secy.; W. F. McRae, treas.

TEXAS.

BRYAN, TEX.—Central Texas Fair. Nov. 12 to 14. Mr. Connell, pres.; W. S. Howell, secy.

DALLAS, TEX.—Texas State Fair. Sept. 28 to Oct. 13, 1901. Sydney Smith, secy.; W. H. Gaston, pres.; J. B. Ade, treas.

MARQUEZ, TEX.—Marquez Fair Association. Oct. 1 to 3. F. M. Amos, pres.; E. O. Boggs, secy.; Sidney Myers, treas.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX.—International Fair. Oct. 19 to 30, 1901. J. M. Vance, secy.; V. P. Brown, pres.; T. C. Frost, treas.

TEXARKANA, TEX.—Fair. Sept. 2 to 14, 1901. W. Passmore, Box 172, secy.

VERMONT.

BARTON, VT.—Orleans County Fair Association. Sept. 10 to 12, 1901. N. N. Somers, Irasburgh, Vt., pres.; O. D. Owen, treas.; D. D. Bean, secy.

BRATTLEBORO, VT.—Valley Fair Association. Sept. 25 and 26. G. W. Hookes, pres.; J. J. Estly, treas.; C. L. Stilckney, secy.

CITY OF RUTLAND, VT.—Vermont State Agricultural and Rutland County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 3, 4 and 5. F. H. Chapman, secy.

FAIR HAVEN, VT.—Western Vermont Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. B. H. Norton, pres.; C. R. Allen, treas.; F. A. Flory, secy.

NORTFIELD, VT.—Dog River Valley Fair Association. Sept. 24 to 26. J. B. Wells, pres.; W. W. Holden, secy.; A. E. Denby, treas.

SHELDON JUNCTION, VT.—Franklin County Agricultural and Mechanical Society. Sept. 3 to 5. R. Sturtevant, East Fairfield, pres.; Geo. P. Twigg, treas.; C. A. Oliver, secy.

WOODSTOCK, VT.—Windsor County Agricultural Society. Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. John S. Eaton, secy.; C. H. English, treas.; H. C. Lockwood, pres.

VIRGINIA.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA.—Rappahannock Valley Agricultural and Mechanical Society. Sept. 24 to 26. Col. E. D. Cole, pres.; S. A. Quinn, treas. and secy.

LYNCHBURG, VA.—Lynchburg Fair Association. Oct. 15 to 18. W. W. Doyle, secy.

TASLEY, VA.—Peninsula Fair Association. Aug. 20 to 28, 1901. J. W. G. Blackstone, Accanock, Va., pres.; T. S. Hopkins, secy. and treas.

WINCHESTER, VA.—Shenandoah Valley Agricultural Society. Oct. 22 to 25. C. B. Reuss, pres.; C. H. Purcell, treas.; E. G. Hollis, secy.

WASHINGTON.

EVERETT, WASH.— Snohomish County Agricultural Association Fair. Sept. 10 to 13. Dan Currie, secy.

NORTH YAKIMA, WASH.—State Fair. Sept. 30 to Oct. 5, inclusive. J. M. Baxter, pres.; Dr. T. B. Gunn, secy.; A. B. Weed, treas.

PUYALLUP, WASH.—The Valley Fair. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. J. P. Nevens, secy.; L. A. Chamberlain, pres.

SEATTLE, WASH.—Fair. Aug. 26 to 31. A. T. Van de Vanter, secy.

SPOKANE, WASH.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 21. H. Bolster, secy.

WHATCOM, WASH.—Whatcom County Agricultural Association. Sept. 17 to 21, inclusive. Simon McLeod, pres.; L. P. White, treas.; R. L. Kline, secy.

WEST VIRGINIA.

INWOOD PARK, W. VA.—Berkeley County Fair. Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. Jas. F. Thompson, Martinsburg, W. Va., pres.; C. W. Boyer, Martinsburg, W. Va., secy.

MIDDLEBOURNE, W. VA.—The Tyler County Exposition and Fair Association, Nineteenth Annual Fair. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. C. B. Riggle, secy.

P.T. PLEASANT, W. VA.—Pt. Pleasant Fair and Driving Association. Aug. 27 to 30. A. L. Cottrell, secy. and treas.; Wm. Duffy, pres.

SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. VA.—Morgan's Grove Fair. Sept. 3, 4, 5 and 6. R. S. M. Hoffman, secy.

WALTON, W. VA.—Roane County Fair Association. Aug. 13 to 16. J. H. Depue, pres.; G. W. Riley, treas.; G. W. Marks, secy.

WESTON, W. VA.—Lewis County Fair Association. Sept. 17 to 19. R. H. Hall, pres.; D. M. Thuberlake, treas.; Frank Whelan, secy.

WHEELING, W. VA.—West Virginia Exposition and State Fair. Sept. 9 to 12, 1901. A. Reynmann, pres.; Geo. Hock, secy. and treas.

WISCONSIN.

ALGOMA, WIS.—County Fair and Jahr Markt. Aug. 21 to 23. M. W. Perry, pres.; Geo. Grimmer, vice pres.; E. Decker, Jr., secy.; M. T. Parker, treas.

AMHERST, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. A. J. Smith, secy.

ANTIGO, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 13 to 14, 1901. Fred. Hayssen, secy.

BARABOO, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 31 to 37, 1901. S. A. Peitou, secy.

BEAVER DAM, WIS.—Dodge County Fair Association. Sept. 30 to Oct. 4, 1901. W. A. Van Brunt, pres.; C. W. Harvey, secy.; A. L. Wallace, vice pres.; H. B. Drake, treas.

BELOIT, WIS.—Fair. Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. J. B. Foster, secy.

BERLIN, WIS.—Berlin Agricultural and Industrial Association. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. C. M. Wills, secy.; F. R. Peck, asst. secy.

M. Safford, pres.; H. W. Lenner, treas.

BLACK RIVER FALLS, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. H. H. Richards, secy.

BLOOMINGTON, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 4 to 6, 1901. F. W. Shoeufeld, pres.; Samuel Kitto, treas.; Lincoln Abraham, secy.

CHIPEWA FALLS, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. J. R. Sharp, pres.; W. W. Flynn, treas.; Frank M. Jenkins, secy.

CUMBERLAND, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 27 to 29, 1901. C. F. Kalk, secy.

DARLINGTON, WIS.—Fair. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. W. E. Collins, Darlington, secy.

JUDGEVILLE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. W. J. Davey, secy.

URAND, WIS.—Pepin County Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 28, 1901. E. J. Ryan, pres.; W. B. Smith, treas.; John Dorwin, secy.

CLKHORN, WIS.—Walworth County Agricultural Society. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. L. A. Nichols, pres.; Geo. L. Harrington, secy.

CEDARBURG, WIS.—Ozaukee County Agricultural Society. Sept. 16 to 18, 1901. W. H. Rintelmann, pres.; Louis Schroeder, treas.; Jacob Dietrich, secy.

ELLSWORTH, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 18 to 20, 1901. E. S. Doollittle, secy.

ELROY, WIS.—Fair. Aug. 20 to 22, 1901. A. H. Smith, secy.

EVANSVILLE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 1 to 5, 1901. W. E. Campbell, pres.; G. L. Pullen, treas.; W. W. Gillies, secy.

GALESVILLE, WIS.—Trempealeau County Agricultural Society. Aug. 21 to 23, 1901. D. D. Chappell, pres.; Walter Young, treas.

GAY'S MILLS, WIS.—Fair. Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. G. L. Miller, secy.

GREEN BAY, WIS.—Fair. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. A. Spuhler, secy.

HILLSBROOK, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. A. N. Jones, Hillsboro, Wisc., secy.

JEFFERSON, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. O. F. Roessler, secy.

LANCASTER, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 11 to 13, 1901. G. B. Wheeler, secy.

LODI, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 12, 1901. A. H. Ihns, secy.

MADISON, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. Eugene Shepard, secy.; Wm. Fehland, treas.; S. L. Sheldon, pres.

MANITOOC, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 4 to 7, 1901. Edward Schaffland, secy.

MAULSTON, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. G. H. Ely, secy.

MENOMINEE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 23 to 26, 1901. Geo. Gallaway, secy.

MERILLAN, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, J. W. Snow, secy.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 9 to 13, 1901. J. M. True, Madison, Wisc., secy.

MINERAL POINT, WIS.—Fair. Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. F. C. Ludden, secy.

MONROE, WIS.—Green County Agricultural Society. Sept. 4 to 7, 1901. W. B. Hawthorn, pres.; B. G. Treat, secy.; Andrew Lewis, treas.

NCULLSVILLE, WIS.—Twenty-ninth Annual Fair of Clark County Agricultural Society. Sept. 17 to 20. H. H. Heath, secy.

OSIJKOSH, WIS.—Winnebago County Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. H. L. Sweet, secy.

PLATTEVILLE, WIS.—Platteville Fair and Agricultural Society. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. C. H. Grable, secy.

PLYMOUTH, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 1 to 5, 1901. Henry Wheeler, Sr., pres.; E. A. Dow, treas.; Otto Gaffron, secy.

PORTAGE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. J. E. Jones, secy.

RHINELANDER, WIS.—Oneida County Fair. Sept. 9 to 12, 1901. F. E. Parker, secy.

WEYAUWEGA, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. William Woods, secy.

RICE LAKE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 12, 1901. J. C. Signor, Rice Lake, Wisc., secy.

RICHLAND CENTER, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. H. F. J. Foggo, Richland Center, secy.

Street Fairs and Carnivals..

BOWMANVILLE, ONT., CAN.—West Durham and Darlington Fair. Sept. 13 and 14, 1901. A. E. Clemens, pres.; W. F. Aldea, treas.; M. A. James, secy.

CALLEDONIA, ONT., CAN.—Fair. Oct. 10, 1901. J. W. Richardson, secy.

CARLTON, ONT. (Canada).—Hunter Agricultural Fair. John Argue, secy. Oct. 1 and 2, 1901. J. W. Richardson, secy.

CHATHAM, ONT., CAN.—Peninsula Fair, West Kent Agricultural Society. Oct. 8 to 10, 1901. J. Chinneck, prea.; R. G. Fleming, treas.; Henry Robinson, secy.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT., CAN.—Great Northern Exhibition. Sept. 24 to 27, 1901. Chas. Lawrence, pres.; Jas. Gulliford, treas.; J. W. Archer, secy.

CORNWALL, ONT., CANADA—Cornwall Agricultural Society. Sept. 5 to 7, 1901. L. G. Harkness, secy.

DURHAM, ONT., CAN.—Blenheim Agricultural Society. Sept. 24 and 26, 1901. Wm. Simpson, pres.; T. S. Telfer, treas. and secy.

ELMVALE, ONT., CAN.—Fair. Oct. 8 to 10, inclusive. Chas. S. Burton, secy.

GODERICH, ONT., CAN.—Great Northwestern Exhibition. Oct. 1 and 2, 1901. J. C. Martin, prea.; H. L. Watson, treas.; James Mitchell, secy.

GUELPH, ONT., CAN.—Guelph Central Fair. Sept. 17 to 19. W. Laird, secy.

HALIFAX, N. S., CAN.—N. S. Provincial Exhibition Commission. Sept. 14 to 21, 1901. Hon. J. W. Langley, pres.; D. Clarke, treas.; J. E. Wood, secy.

KINGSTON, ONT.—Kingston District Fair. Sept. 14, 1901. J. Edwards, secy.

LINDSAY, ONT.—Lindsay Fair. Sept. 26 to 28. James Keith, secy.

LONDON, ONT., CAN.—Western Fair Association. Sept. 5 to 14, 1901. J. A. Nolte, secy.

MARKHAM, ONT., CAN.—East Riding of York Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 to 4. A. W. Milne, secy.

METCALFE, ONT.—Russell County Fair. Sept. 22 and 24, 1901. P. Saver, secy.

MONROBURG, ONT., CAN.—Dundas County Fair. Aug. 27 to 29. G. F. Bradfield, secy.

NEPEWA, MAN., CAN.—Fair. Aug. 6 and 7, 1901. G. S. MacGregor, pres.; John Wemyss, treas. and secy.

NEWMARKET, ONT.—North York County Fair. Sept. 17 to 19. Wm. Keith, secy.

OTTAWA, ONT.—Central Canada Exhibition Association. Sept. 13 to 21, 1901. E. McMahon, 26 Sparks st., secy.

OTTERVILLE, ONT.—South Oxford and South Norwich Union Fair. Oct. 4 and 5. Alex. McFarlan, secy.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—North Grey Fair. Oct. 2 to 4. A. G. Mackay, secy.

PASLEY, ONT., CAN.—Centre Bruce Exhibition. Sept. 24 and 25. Geo. Chambers, pres.; F. E. Sheppard, secy. and treas.

PARIS, ONT., CAN.—North Brant Exhibition. Sept. 26 and 27. H. C. O'Neill, secy.

PETERBOROUGH, ONT., CAN.—Peterborough Central Exhibition. Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. F. H. Dobbin, pres.; John Shattock, first vice pres.; W. J. Green, secy. and treas.

PICTON, ONT., CAN.—Fair. Sept. 25 and 26, 1901. J. Vauchet, pres.; T. Bog, treas. and secy.

PRESCOTT, ONT., CAN.—South Greenville Agricultural Exhibition. Sept. 17 to 19. T. R. Melville, secy.

RENFREW, ONT.—South Renfrew Agricultural Fair. Sept. 26 and 27. Robt. McLaren, secy.

RICHMOND, ONT., CAN.—Carleton County Agricultural Fair. Sept. 30 to Oct. 2, 1901. Wm. McElroy, secy.

ROCKTON, ONT., CAN.—World's Fair. Oct. 1 and 2. Archib. Hill, secy.

STRATFORD, ONT., CAN.—North Perth Agricultural Society Fair. Oct. 1 and 2. John Brown, secy.

SUTTON, WEST, ONT.—Georgiana Fair. Oct. 10 and 11, at Sutton Village. I. K. Barnard, secy.

THREE RIVERS, QUE., CAN.—Canada's Great St. Lawrence Valley Exhibition. Sept. 30 to Oct. 5, 1901. H. Caron, pres.; Richard Cooke, vice pres.; C. D. Hebert, manager.

TORONTO, ONT., CAN.—Toronto Fair and Exposition. Aug. 26 to Sept. 7, 1901. H. Hill, secy.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—Fair. Aug. 31 to Sept. 1. Robt. Leighton, secy.

VANCELL HILL, ONT.—Prescott County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. Fred W. Thistlethwaite, secy.

WALKERTON, ONT., CAN.—Northern Fair. Sept. 18 and 19. W. G. Stovel, secy.

WALLACE TOWN, ONT.—Wallacetown Fair. Oct. 1 and 2. E. J. Clark, secy.

WELLESLEY, ONT.—Wellesley and North Easthope Fair. Sept. 24 and 25. Geo. Bellinger, secy.

WHITBY, ONT., CAN.—Ontario and Durham Exhibition Association Fair. Sept. 26 to 28. John Burns, secy.

WINNIPEG, CAN.—Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition. July 20 to Aug. 1, 1901. F. W. Thompson, pres.; J. T. Gordon, vice pres.; F. W. Heubach, gen'l manager.

WOODBRIDGE, ONT., CAN.—Woodbridge Fair. Oct. 16 and 17, 1901. J. M. Gardhouse, Highfield, Ont., pres.; N. C. Wallace, treas.; T. F. Wallace, secy.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—Woodstock Fair. R. G. Sawtelle, secy. Oct. 1 and 2.

JEFFERSONVILLE, IND.—Elks' Festival. Sept. 16 to 21, 1901. W. B. Hassan, chairman committee on attractions.

JOPLIN, MO.—Street Fair and Midway. Aug. 6 to 11. L. Oppenheimer, mgr.

KOKOK, IA.—Keokuk Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 1 to 6, 1901. John Nagel, pres.; J. H. Flings, treas.; Edw. F. Carter, secy.

KITTANNING, PA.—Street Fair. July 31 to Aug. 3. C. E. Baker, manager.

KNOX, IND.—Street Fair. Sept. 11 to 14, 1901. B. Saliday, secy.

LAFAVETTE, IND.—Elks' Carnival. Sept. 23 to 28, 1901. Geo. Seeger, Jr., secy.

LEXINGTON, KY.—Carnival. Aug. 12 to 15. E. W. Shanklin, secy.

MACON, GA.—Elks' Fair. Al Fresco, Oct. 21 to 26. Elks' Executive Committee.

MADISONVILLE, KY.—Free Street Fair. Aug. 6 to 10. H. W. Wright, care Little Hotel, Evansville, Ind., promoter.

MARIETTA, O.—Street Fair, Elks' Lodge. Sept. 16 to 21. G. E. Gates, secy.

MARSHALLTOWN, IA.—Carnival. Sept. 23 to 28. W. H. Evans, secy.

MASON, MICH.—Mason Street Fair. Oct. 1 to 4. L. H. Ives, secy.

MAYSVILLE, KY.—Elks' Fair. Sept. 4 to 7. H. L. Hamilton, secy.; T. A. Davis, pres.

MISHAWA, IND.—Grand Carnival and Jubilee. Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. D. A. Shaw, chairman; W. H. Rice, promoter.

MONTPELIER, VT.—Street Fair. Aug. 12 to 17. McMahon and Hays, Pittsburgh, N. Y., mgrs.

MT. CARMEL, ILL.—Elks' Free Street Fair and Merchants' Carnival. Sept. 8 to 14. H. W. Wright, care Little Hotel, Evansville, Ind., promoter.

MT. GRETN PARK, LEBANON COUNTY, PA.—Free Street Fair. Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. F. M. White, Lebanon, Pa., director of amusements.

MT. STERLING, KY.—Street fair and carnival, auspices A. O. U. W. B. O'Connell, chairman. Aug. 28 to 31. N. A. Willkerson, secy.

MOUNT VERNON, IND.—Street Fair. July 22 to 27, 1901. H. W. Wright, 90 Little Hotel, Evansville, Ind., secy.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—Elks' Carnival. September 10 to 21. Allen Fox, secy.

NAHANT, MASS.—Carnival. July 28 to Aug. 3, 1901.

NICHOLAS, KY.—Street Fair. August. J. C. Harris, mgr.

OMAHA, NEB.—Kolights Ak Sar Ben. Sept. 11 to 21. O. P. Getz, secy.

OWOSO, MICH.—Harvest Festival. July 30 to Aug. 3. Owosso Festival Committee.

PEORIA, ILL.—Corn Palace and Carnival. Oct. 7 to 19. Bert. L. Heyman, secy.

PETERSBURG, IND.—Street Fair. Sept. 16 to 21, 1901. H. W. Wright, care Little Hotel, Evansville, Ind., secy.

PLATTSBURGH, N. Y.—Street Fair. Aug. 5 to 10, 1901. McMahon and Hays, mgrs., Burlington, Vt.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 3 to 6, 1901. P. J. Gaudy, secy.

RED WING, MINN.—Street Fair. Oct. 1 to 3, 1901. Dr. C. W. Barber, pres.; J. S. Pardee, secy.; Carl R. Strom, treas.

RICHMOND, VA.—Free Street Fair and Carnival. Week of Oct. 7, 1901. Geo. D. Benson, director general.

ROBINSON, ILL.—K. of P. Free Street Fairs. Sept. 23 to 28. H. W. Wright, care Little Hotel, Evansville, Ind.

ROCK ISLAND, ILL.—Street Carnival. Aug. 13 to 15. C. G. Pinkerton, secy.

ROSEBURG, ORE.—Carnival and Street Fair. Sept. 17 to 20, 1901. W. S. Hamilton, pres.; Sam Josephson, treas.; F. W. Ronch, secy.

ST. MARY'S, PA.—Elks' Fair and Carnival. Aug. 28 to 31. W. F. Copp, secy.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.—Elks' Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 16 to 21. J. W. Langley, secy.

SANDY HILL, N. Y.—Washington County Fair. Sept. 10 to 13. S. B. Huebler, secy.

SELMA, ALA.—Elks' Street Fair and Carnival. October. I. L. Rosenfeld, secy.

SEYMOUR, IND.—Great Fall Festival. Sept. 16 to 21. Geo. Peter, secy.

SHELBYSVILLE, ILL.—Shebysville Chautauqua, auspices Shelby County Fair Association. T. F. Dove, secy.; July 25 to Aug. 4.

SPRINGFIELD, MO.—Elks' Free Street Fair. Sept. 2 to 7. C. E. Brooks, secy.

SOUTH PORT, CONN.—Third Annual Firemen's Carnival. July 29 to Aug. 3. Edw. A. Van Holtz, manager.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL.—Electric Carnival. Sept. 26, 1901.

STILLWATER, MINN.—Street Fair. Sept. 10 to 12. C. L. Chase, secy.

SULLIVAN, IND.—Free Street Fair. Aug. 19 to 24. H. W. Wright, care Little Hotel, Evansville, Ind.

TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 14 to 19. Merrill Smith, secy.

TIPTON, IND.—Carnival. Aug. 1 to 3. Ed Daniels, secy.

TROY, ALA.—Street Fair. Nov. 5 to 10. Dol. J. Copeland, secy. and treas.

TULLAHOMA, TENN.—Fall Carnival and Free Street Fair. Sept. 23 to 25, 1901. Doak Aydelott, manager.

TUSCALOOSA, ALA.—Elks' Street Fair. Oct. 21 to 26, 1901. J. G. Brady, secy.

VANDALIA, ILL.—Business Men's Carnival and Street Fair. Aug. 5 to 10, 1901. A. L. Kirk, manager.

VINCENNES, IND.—Red Men's Carnival. Aug. 12 to 17. Myron Rindskopf, secy.; H. W. Wright, mgr. concessions, Little Hotel, Evansville, Ind.

WAGONER, I. T.—Grant Street Fair. Sept. 25 to 28, 1901. C. K. Charlinsky, Sapulpa, Creek Nation, I. T., promoter.

WELLINGTON, KAN.—Summer Jubilee. Sept. 9 to 14, 1901. J. W. Haughey, secy.

WICHITA, KAN.—Carnival and Street Fair. Sept. 30 to Oct. 5. Thos. G. Fitch, WINCHESTER, KY.—Elks' Fair. Aug. 8 to 9, 1901. T. Landsberg, mgr.

WINONA, MINN.—Winona Street Fair. Sept. 10 to 13, 1901. John Rose, secy.; H. J. Willis, pres.; P. E. Baumgartner, treas.

WORTHINGTON, IND.—Free Street Fair and Merchants' Carnival. Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. W. W. McBride, manager.

YOAKUM, TEX.—Street Fair. Nov. 5 to 8, 1901.

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BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Templars of America, National Grand Temple, July 30 to Aug. 4, 1901. J. E. Bush, box 402, Little Rock, Ark., secy.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—International Typographical Union, Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. W. W. Hinds, box 63, Avondale, Ala., secy.

HUNTSVILLE, ALA.—Independent Order of Immaculates, Grand Lodge, Aug. 6 to 9, 1901.

TUSCALOOSA, ALA.—Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge (Colored), Aug. 12 to 15, 1901. R. A. Blount, Box 471, Birmingham, Ala., secy.

ARIZONA.

BISBEE, ARIZ.—I. O. G. T. Grand Lodge, Aug. 28, 1901. A. P. Walbridge, Phoenix, Ariz., secy.

ARKANSAS.

PINE BLUFF, ARK.—G. U. O. of O. T. Grand Lodge Session, Aug. 6, 1901.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Protestant Episcopal Church National Convention, Oct. 2, 1901.

COLORADO.

BOULDER, COLO.—D. O. H. State Grand Lodge, Aug. 3, 1901.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—Western Negro Press Association, Aug. 3 to 4, 1901. J. M. Booker, Colorado Springs, secy.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—Colorado State Conference of Charities and Corrections, October, 1901. C. L. Stonaker, Denver, Colo., secy.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—Military Quarto Centennial Celebration, Aug. 1 to 3, 1901. Gilbert McClung, Colorado Springs, Colo., secy.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—Municipalities State Convention, Aug., 1901.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—F. and A. M. Grand Lodge (Colored), Aug. 12 to 14, 1901. Wm. Sprague, Box 1010, Denver, Colo., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—Knights Golden Eagle Grand Castle, Aug. 13, 1901. Wm. L. Palm, 601 E. and C. Block, secy.

DENVER, COLO.—Commissioners on the Uniformity of Legislation in the United States, Aug. 19 and 20, 1901.

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DENVER, COLO.—National Railroad Master Blacksmiths' Association, Aug. 20, 1901. A. L. Woodworth, Lima, O., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—Botanical Society of America, Aug. 24 to 26, 1901. Geo. A. Atkinson, Ithaca, N. Y., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—Society for the Promotion of Agricultural Science, Aug. 23 and 24, 1901. F. M. Webster, Wooster, O., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—Economic Entomologists' Association, Aug. 22 and 23, 1901. A. L. Quaintance, Experiment, Ga., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—Geological Society of America, Aug. 27, 1901. H. L. Fairchild, Rochester, N. Y., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—American Bar Association, Aug. 25 to 28, 1901. John Hinkley, 215 N. Charles st., Baltimore, Md., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—American Association for Advancement of Science, Aug. 23 to 31, 1901. L. O. Howard, Cosmos Club, Washington, D. C., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—Tenth International Sunday School Convention, Probably June, 1902. Marlon Lawrence, Toledo, O., secy.

DENVER, COLO.—American Chemical Association, Aug. 26 and 27, 1901. Albert C. Hale, 551 Putnam ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., secy.

VICTOR, COLO.—State Federation of Women's Clubs, Aug. —, 1901. Mrs. E. C. Richardson, 6001 Santa Fe ave., Pueblo, Colo., secy.

VICTOR, COLO.—Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge, Aug. 13, 1901. W. S. O'Brien, 210 Peoples Bank Bldg, Denver, Colo., secy.

VICTOR, COLO.—U. K. of P. State Encampment, Aug. 13, 1901. E. M. Beall, secy.

CONNECTICUT.

ANSONIA, CONN.—Sons of St. George Grand Lodge, Aug. 13, 1901. H. Prisk, 209 N. State st., secy.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—State Elfe and Drum Association, Aug. 3, 1901. F. J. Witsline, Bridgeport, secy.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—National Catholic Verein and Young Men's Society, Sept. 7 to 12, 1901. Peter J. Bourchardt, Peoria, Ill., secy.

HARTFORD, CONN.—American Board for Foreign Missions, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901.

HARTFORD, CONN.—National Total Abstinence Union, Aug. 7 to 11, 1901. A. R. Doyle, 415 59th st., New York City, secy.

NORWALK, CONN.—D. O. H. State Grand Lodge, Aug. 6, 1901.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Astronomical and Astro-Physical Society of America, Dec. 22, 1901. G. C. Comstock, Madison, Wis., secy.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Historical Association, Dec. 27 to 30, 1901. A. H. Clark, Smithsonian Institute, Washington, secy.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—National Spiritualists' Association, Oct. 15 to 18, 1901. Mrs. Mary T. Longley, Washington, D. C., secy.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Road Masters and Maintenance of Way Association, Oct. 3 to 10, 1901. J. B. Dickson, R. M. C. & N. W. Ry., Sterling, Ill., secy.

FLORIDA.

DAYTONA, FLA.—National Mental Science Association, Nov. 28, 1901.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, GA.—Railway Superintendents of Bridges and Buildings Association, Oct. 10, 1901. S. F. Patterson, Concord, N. H., secy.

CEDARTOWN, GA.—State Reunion First and Sixth Georgia Cavalry Veterans Association, Aug. 1, 1901. Dr. J. L. Branch, Cedartown, Ga., secy.

MILLEDGEVILLE, GA.—State Horticultural Society, Aug. 7 and 8, 1901. Edwin D. Newton, Milledgeville, Ga., secy.

VALDOSTA, GA.—G. U. O. of O. F. Grand Lodge Session, Aug. 13 to 15, 1901. Wm. Lissimore, secy.

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, ILL.—American Association of Opticians, Aug. 15 to 16, 1901. John H. Ellis, 100 S. Michigan st., South Bend, Ind., secy.

CHICAGO, ILL.—National Negro Business League, Aug. 21 to 23, 1901.

CHICAGO, ILL.—K. of P. (Colored) Supreme Lodge, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. J. L. Jones, 1234 Chapel st., Cincinnati, O., secy.

CHICAGO, ILL.—American Psychological Association, December, 1901. Dr. Livingston Barrand, Columbia University, New York City, secy.

COWLING, ILL.—Southwestern Indiana Lutheran Pastoral Convention, October, 1901. ELLSWORTH, ILL.—State Reunion Old Settlers' Association, Aug. 8, 1901. C. A. Shunkle, Elsworth, Ill., secy.

LINCOLN, ILL.—Illinois State Conference of Charities and Correction, Oct. 22 and 24, 1901. Mrs. Henry T. Kalney, Carrollton, Ill., secy.

OAK PARK, ILL.—American Missionary Association, Oct. 22 to 24, 1901.

INDIANA.

LAFAYETTE, IND.—United Order of Odd Fellows Grand Lodge, Aug. 6 to 8, 1901. Geo. C. King, Logansport, Ind., secy.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—International Firemen's Association, Aug. 26 to 29, 1901.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—International Association of Fire Engineers, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—National Socialists' Convention, July 29 to Aug. 3, 1901.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—O. O. F. Sovereign Grand Lodge, Sept. 16 to 21, 1901. J. Frank Grant, Baltimore, Md., secy.

LAFAYETTE, IND.—United Order of Odd Fellows, State Grand Lodge, Aug. 6 to 8, 1901. Geo. C. King, Logansport, Ind., secy.

MARIION, IND.—State Music Teachers' Association, 1902. J. S. Bergen, Lafayette, Ind., secy.

MUNCIE, IND.—C. B. L. State Convention, Aug. 6 and 7, 1901. Julian F. Franke, Ft. Wayne, Ind., secy.

PRINCETON, IND.—United Brothers of Friendship, Aug. —, 1901.

SOUTH BEND, IND.—Indiana State Conference of Charities and Correction, October, 1901. E. S. Grout, Indianapolis, Ind., secy.

INDIAN TERRITORY.

WAGONER, I. T.—G. A. R. Reunion and Encampment, Sept. 25 to 28, 1901.

IOWA.

ALBIA, IA.—Foresters of America State Reunion, Aug. 16 and 17, 1901. Jas. B. Gourley, Cedar Rapids, Ia., secy.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge, Aug. 11 to 15, 1901.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—U. K. Knights of Pythias State Encampment, Aug. 11 to 15, 1901.

CLEAR LAKE, IA.—Iowa State Camp Meeting, July 17 to Aug. 8, 1901. Henry McGovern, Clear Lake, Ia., secy.

IOWA FALLS, IA.—State Baptist Sunday-School Assembly, Aug. 4 to 17, 1901. F. N. Eldridge, 1329 Fourteenth st., Des Moines, Ia., secy.

KANSAS.

BAXTER SPRINGS, KAN.—Twentieth Annual Old Soldiers' Reunion, Aug. 26 to 31, 1901. J. M. Cooper, pres.; C. W. Daniels, treas. and secy.; Chas. Collins, Ilion, Ill., secy.

BURLINGTON, KAN.—Kansas Seventh Day Adventists' Conference, July 23 to Aug. 5, 1901.

HOWARD, KAN.—Epworth League State Convention, July 30 and Aug. 1, 1901. Miss Ellinor Latner, Bureka, Kan., secy.

HUTCHINSON, KAN.—State Reunion G. A. R., Aug. 13 to 17, 1901. J. G. Clymer, secy.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—I. O. O. C. Grand Court, Aug. 7 to 9, 1901. J. E. Lewis, P. O. Box 1017, Wichita, Kan., secy.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—K. of P. State Grand Lodge (Colored), Aug. 7 to 9, 1901. John E. Lewis, Box 1017, Wichita, Kan., secy.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—Royal Arch Masons' Grand Chapter, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Fred Stone, secy.

TOPEKA, KAN.—Kansas Association of Charities and Correction, Nov. —, 1901. Dr. C. R. Dixon, Lawrence, Kan., secy.

KENTUCKY.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Knight Templar Trial Conclave, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Wm. H. Mayo, St. Louis, Mo., grand recorder.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Knights and Ladies of Honor State Grand Lodge, Aug. —, 1901. Emos Spencer, 1866 Brook st., Louisville, Ky., secy.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—National Journeyman Tailors' Union, Aug. 7, 1901.

RUSH, KY.—Knights Golden Eagle State Grand Castle, Aug. —, 1901.

RUSSELLVILLE, KY.—United Brotherhood of Friendship and Sisters of the Mysterious Ten National Grand Lodge, Aug. 13 to 16, 1901. J. F. Gray, secy.

KANSAS CITY.

BATON ROUGE, LA.—United Confederate Veterans' State Division, Aug. 5, 1901. A. B. Hooth, 320 Magazine st., New Orleans, La., secy.

NEW IBERIA, LA.—Louisiana Conference, M. E. Church, South, December, 1901. Fitzgerald Sale Parker, Jackson, La., secy.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—American Park and Outdoor Association, 1902.

LOUISIANA.

BATON ROUGE, LA.—United Confederate Veterans' State Division, Aug. 5, 1901. A. B. Hooth, 320 Magazine st., New Orleans, La., secy.

NEW YORK CITY.

FERRY BEACH PARK, ME.—National Universalist Association, Aug. 1 to 12, 1901.

PORTLAND, ME.—National Council Congregational Churches, Oct. 12 to 18, 1901. Rev. H. A. Hazen, D.D., Auburn, Mass., secy.

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- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Society of Railroad Superintendents. Oct. 16, 1901. C. A. Hammond, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Photo Engravers' Association. Aug. 27 and 28, 1901. C. C. Carrigill, Grand Rapids, Mich., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—International Jewelry Workers' Association. Aug. 1, 1901 Wm. Schwertzer, 217 Locpero st., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—International Association of Milliners. Aug. 1, 1901 G. K. Rhine, 237 Fifth ave., Chicago, Ill.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Farmers' Institute Workers. Aug. 1, 1901. G. C. Creedman, Toronto, Ont., Can., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—United States Maltsters' Association. Aug. 6 and 7, 1901. J. H. Park, Commerce Bldg., Chicago, Ill., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Legion of Honor. National Convention. Aug. 20, 1901. Adam Warnock, 200 Huntington ave., Boston, Mass., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Dahlia Association. Aug. 24, 1901. Wm. Scott, Elliott Square, secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Middle States and New England States Chamber Suits and Case Workers' Association. Aug. 28 and 29, 1901. J. Newton Nind, 211 Washington ave., Chicago, Ill., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Cycling Association Meet and Races. Aug. 5 to 15, 1901. C. R. McGuire, care Greenwich Wheelmen, New York City, secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Association of Colored Fraternity of the United States and Canada. Aug. 5, 1901. Edward W. Boykin, 11 Horton st., Pittsburgh, Pa., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Federation of Labor. October. Aug. 6, 1901. John G. Jones, 3717 Armour ave., Chicago, Ill., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Prohibitionists Conference. Aug. 1 and 2, 1901. Oliver W. Stewart, 1414 Manhattan Bldg., Chicago, Ill., chairman.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Sovereign Grand Chapter of the Grand Cross of the Order of Constantine. Aug. 6, 1901. Wm. H. Johnson, 201 L. st., N. W., Washington, D. C., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Haymakers' Association. Aug. 10 to 14, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Temperance Society Conference. Aug. 5 and 6, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—State Typographical Union Convention. Aug. 6, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Allied Printing Trades State Council. Aug. 6, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—S. Polish Singers of America National Saengerfest. Aug. 18 to 21, 1901. W. Karpus, 262 S. Farragut st., Detroit, Mich., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Stamp Collectors Protective Association of America. Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. L. S. Broadstone, Superior, Neb., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Grand Conwell Improved Order of Red Men. Aug. 13, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—United Journeymen Plumbers, Gas and Steam Fitters Assn. of the United States and Canada. Aug. 19 to 25, 1901. Leaven W. Tilden, Cleveland, Ohio, secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Institute of Electrical Engineers. Aug. 20 to 24, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Spanish-American War Veterans of State. Aug. 20, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—New York State Firemen's Association. Aug. 22 and 23, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Reunion Survivors Engineers' Brigade, Army of the Potomac. Aug. 22, 1901. Samuel B. Williams, Rochester, N. Y., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—New York State Short-hand Reporters' Association. Aug. 22 to 24, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—United Typothetae of America. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. John C. Burke, Norfolk, Va., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Pomological Society. Sept. 1, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths. Sept. 2 to 5, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Delivery Proprietors' National Association. Sept. 4, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National American Woman Suffrage Association. Sept. 9 and 10, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Spanish-American War Veterans. National Camp. Sept. 9 to 11, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Bee Keepers' Association. Sept. 10 to 12, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Shirt, Waist and Laundry Workers' International Association. Sept. 16, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—International Council of Nurses. Sept. 16 to 20, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Boiler Makers' Association. Sept. 17 to 19, 1901. J. H. Parsons, Cleveland, Ohio, secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—New York State Side Path Commissioners. Sept. 20, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Stereotypers' National Association. Sept. 23, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Patriotic Order of the Sons of America. Sept. 23 to 28, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—New England Cotton Manufacturers' Association. Sept. 25 and 26, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—International Cremation Association Congress. Oct. 1 to 3, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Knights of the Golden Eagle. Oct. 8, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Association of Retail Druggists. Oct. 8 to 11, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—State Federation of Women's Clubs. Oct. 8 to 10, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and Animals. Oct. 14 and 15, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Hardware Association. Oct. 16, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Household Economic Association. Oct. 21, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—New York State Synod of the Presbyterian Church. Oct. 21 to 26, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Reunion Survivors Engineers' Brigade, Army of the Potomac. Aug. 23, 1901. Samuel B. Williams, Rochester, N. Y., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Irrigation Congress. October, 1901. Thomas F. Walsh, Washington, D. C., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Firemen's Association. Aug. 22 to 1901. D. W. Gillett, 156 E. Monroe st., Chicago, Ill., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—A. Scottish Rite Masons' Supreme Council. Aug. 1 to 6, 1901. John G. Jones, 3717 Armour av., Chicago, Ill., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—A. W. National Meet. Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. Abbott Bassett, Boston, Mass., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Master Car and Locomotive Painters' Association. Sept. 10 to 14, 1901. Robt. McKeon, Erie Railroad, Kent, O., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Society of Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses. September, 1901. Miss L. L. Dock, 255 Henry st., New York City, N. Y., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—The National League of Women Workers. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Miss Charlotte P. Wilkinson, 507 James st., Syracuse, N. Y., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National League of Improvement Associations. Aug. 12 to 14, 1901. D. J. Thomas, Springfield, O., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Public Health Association. Sept. 16 to 20, 1901. C. O. Probst, Columbus, O., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Roentgen Ray Society of United States. Sept. 10 and 11, 1901. Dr. I. Rudis Hejnsky, Cedar Rapids, Ia., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Electro-Therapeutic Association. Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. Dr. George E. Bill, 17 S. Third st., Harrisburg, Pa., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Presbyterian Church State Session. Oct. 21 to 26, 1901. Rev. J. W. Jackson, Geneva, N. Y., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists. Aug. 5 to 10, 1901. Wm. J. Stewart, 79 Milk st., Boston, Mass., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Railway Signaling Clinic. October, 1901. Charles O. Tilton, West Milwaukee, Wis., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Philatelic Association. Aug. 26 to 28, 1901. H. E. Boats, Flemington, N. J.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—Philatelic Sons of America. Aug. 19 and 20, 1901. C. W. Kissinger, secy., 18 N. 11th st., Reading, Pa.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—American Institute of Architects. Det. 1 to 5, 1901. Glenn Brown, 918 F st., N. W., Washington, D. C., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Universalist General Convention. Oct. 18 to 23, 1901. Rev. G. L. Demarest, Manchester, N. H., secy.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—New York State Assembly American Fraternal Insurance Union. Sept. 17 to 19, 1901.
- BUFFALO, N. Y.**—National Shorthand Reporters' Association. Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. Vitas Currier Beale, Boston, Mass., secy.
- CHATAQUA, N. Y.**—State Summer Institute. July 8 to 26, 1901.
- CLIFF HAVEN, N. Y.**—Catholic Summer School of America. July 8 to Sept. 6, 1901.
- CLIFTON, N. Y.**—U. A. M. State Council. Aug. 13, 1901. H. P. Moshe, Stillwater, N. Y., secy.
- ITHACA, N. Y.**—American Mathematical Society. Aug. 19 to 26, 1901. F. N. Cole, 501 W. 116th st., New York City, N. Y., secy.
- JAMESTOWN, N. Y.**—American Union of Scandinavian Singers. Aug. 1, 1901.
- JAMESTOWN, N. Y.**—National Protective Legion. Aug. 1, 1901.
- JAMESTOWN, N. Y.**—League of American Minidpalities. Aug. 21 to 24, 1901. J. A. Johnson, Fargo, N. D., secy.
- LAKE CHATATQUA, N. Y.**—National League of Improvement Associations. Aug. 15, 1901. E. G. Routsal, Dayton, O., recording secy.
- LAKEWOOD, N. Y.**—Beta Theta Pi Fraternity. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. W. H. Oakes, 135 E. Market st., Indianapolis, Ind., secy.
- MARLBOROUGH, N. Y.**—Brotherhood of the Kingdom. National Convention. July 29 to Aug. 2, 1901. Leighton Williams, 312 W. 54th st., New York City, secy.
- NEW YORK, N. Y.**—Grand Council Improved Order of Red Men. Sept. 9 to 14, 1901.
- NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.**—National News-dealers', Booksellers' and Stationers' Association. Aug. 21 and 22, 1901. F. F. Martin, 80 Tompkins Market, pres.
- NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.**—American Society Professors of Painting. Aug. 26 to Sept. 7, 1901. P. B. Carpenter, Jr., 25 N. Main st., Providence, R. I., secy.
- NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.**—American Mathematical Society. Aug. 27, 1901. F. N. Cole, 100 W. 116th st., New York City, N. Y., secy.
- NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.**—American Orthopedists' Union. Nov. 12 to 14, 1901. John H. Parsons, Portland, Conn., secy.
- NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.**—New York State Conference of Charities and Correction. Nov. 1, 1901. Robt. W. Heldreich, Al Mo, secy.
- NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.**—Phi Gamma Delta State Convention. Aug., 1901. Fabius M. Clark, 21 Park Row, New York City, secy.
- NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.**—International Association of Municipal Electricians. Aug. 1, 1901. Martin J. Donohue, secy.
- NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.**—American Paper and Pulp Association. Aug. 15 to 17, 1901.
- NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.**—American Society of Municipal Improvement. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. D. L. Fulton, Allegheny, Pa., secy.
- ROCHESTER, N. Y.**—State Master Barbers' Association. Aug. 1, 1901. J. R. Bohmer, Brooklyn, N. Y., secy.
- SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y.**—I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge. Aug. 20, 1901. John G. Denbert, 853 Broadway, New York City, secy.
- TONAWANDA, N. Y.**—National Retail Butchers' Mutual Protective Association. Aug. 1, 1901. Daniel J. Haley, Troy, N. Y., secy.
- TROY, N. Y.**—Ancient Order of Foresters. Sept. 2, 1901. Robert A. Sibbald, Park Ridge, N. J., secy.
- UTICA, N. Y.**—Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators State Branch Convention. Aug. 5, 1901. C. B. Walt, 58 Orange st., Utica, N. Y., secy.
- WILMINGTON, N. C.**—American Association of General Passengers and Ticket Agents. Oct. 15, 1901. A. J. Smith, Cleveland, O., secy.
- ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.**—I. O. O. F. Grand Encampment. Aug. 13, 1901. Wesley Williams, secy.
- NORTH CAROLINA.**
- ASHEVILLE, N. C.**—American Association of General Passengers and Ticket Agents. Oct. 15, 1901. A. J. Smith, Cleveland, O., secy.
- PHILADELPHIA, PA.**—Afro American Council. Aug. 1, 1901.
- PHILADELPHIA, PA.**—North America St. George's Union. Aug. 1, 1901. T. Y. Yeates, 1838 13th st., Washington, D. C., secy.
- PHILADELPHIA, PA.**—Lincoln Emanuel and Republican National Leagues. Aug. 22 and 23, 1901.
- PHILADELPHIA, PA.**—Daughters of Liberty National Council. Aug. 27, 1901. W. V. Edkins, 1004 E. Passyunk ave., secy.
- PITTSBURG, PA.**—Service Men of Spanish War State Convention. Aug. 9 and 10, 1901. Frank Kuhl, Allegheny, Pa., secy.
- PITTSBURG, PA.**—State Association of Stationary Engineers. Aug. 2 and 3, 1901. A. K. Ashworth, secy.
- PITTSBURG, PA.**—National Chain Makers' Union. Aug. 5, 1901.
- PITTSBURG, PA.**—Order Scottish Clans. Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. Peter Kerr, 134 Summer st., Boston, Mass., secy.
- PITTSBURG, PA.**—Grand Division of the Order of Railway Conductors. Second Tuesday in May, 1901. W. J. Maxwell, Cedar Rapids, Ia., secy.
- PLYMOUTH, PA.**—Irish Catholic Benevolent Union. National Convention. Aug. 21, 1901. John E. Davis, Philadelphia, Pa., secy.
- TITUSVILLE, PA.**—D. O. H. Grand Lodge. Aug. 7 and 8, 1901. Robert Hoffman, 127 14th ave., Homestead, Pa., secy.
- WILKESBARRE, PA.**—Brotherhood of the Union Grand Circle. Aug. 13, 1901. G. C. Mehrer, 2139 N. Front st., Wilkes-Barre, Pa., secy.
- RHODE ISLAND.**
- PAWTUCKET, R. I.**—A. W. State Reunion. Aug. 1, 1901. John H. Gilleney, 27 Railroad ave., Pawtucket, R. I., secy.
- PROVIDENCE, R. I.**—Sons of Veterans National Encampment. Sept. 16, 1901. C. A. Hammond, 47 Washington st., secy.
- PROVIDENCE, R. I.**—Interstate Sportsmen's Association Tournament. Aug. 1 to 3, 1901. R. C. Root, Providence, R. I., secy.
- SOUTH CAROLINA.**
- BEAUFORT, S. C.**—Summer School for Colored Teachers. July 27 to Aug. 17, 1901.
- CHARLESTON, S. C.**—National Funeral Directors' Association. Oct. 9 to 11, 1901. H. M. Kilpatrick, Elmwood, Ill., secy.
- TENNESSEE.**
- CLARKSVILLE, TENN.**—Household of Ruth State Convention. Aug. 6 to 9, 1901. Miss M. L. Martin, Box 251, Clarksville, Tenn., secy.
- CLARKSVILLE, TENN.**—G. U. O. O. F. Grand Lodge. Aug. 13 to 17, 1901.
- JACKSON, TENN.**—U. B. of F. and S. M. T. Grand Lodge. Aug. 27 to 31, 1901.
- NASHVILLE, TENN.**—Southern Dental Association. July 20 to Aug. 1, 1901.
- TEXAS.**
- AUSTIN, TEX.**—Sons of Hermann National Grand Lodge. Sept. 1, 1901.
- GAINESVILLE, TEX.**—C. V. and Old Settlers' Reunion (State). Aug. 1 to 3, 1901. J. M. Wright, Gainesville, Tex., secy.
- GALVESTON, TEX.**—State Bar Association. July 31 to Aug. 2, 1901. Chas. S. Morse, Austin, Tex., secy.
- MCKINNEY, TEX.**—Old Settlers' Reunion. Aug. 7 and 8, 1901.
- SAN ANTONIO, TEX.**—North American Krigerbund. Aug. 1, 1901. Meylline Langham, Cleveland, O., secy.
- UTAH.**
- SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.**—Great Mormon Conference. Oct. 4 to 10, 1901.
- SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.**—National Society of the Army of the Philippines. Aug. 13, 1901. Harry McVaneley, Denver, Col., secy.
- VIRGINIA.**
- NATIONAL BRIDGE, VA.**—State Dental Association. Aug. 5 to 8, 1901. F. W. Stiff, Richmond, Va., secy.
- NORFOLK, VA.**—Lumbermen's Association. Order of Ho-Hoo. Sept. 9 to 12, 1901.
- NORFOLK, VA.**—Supreme Lodge I. O. Mechanics. Second Tuesday in May, 1901.
- NORFOLK, VA.**—The Democratic State Convention. Aug. 15, 1901.
- WASHINGTON.**
- HIGHBALL, WASH.**—State Editorial Association. Aug. 1, 1901.
- TAHOOMA, WASH.**—State Master Plumbers' Association. Aug. 1, 1901. A. M. Goddard, Tacoma, Wash., secy.
- WEST VIRGINIA.**
- WHEELING, W. VA.**—American Association of Flint Glass Works. July 1, 1902. John Kunzler, pres.
- WISCONSIN.**
- CAMBRIA, WIS.**—Welsh Presbyterian Church. September, 1901. Rev. D. Edwards, Lake Crystal, Minn., secy.
- EAU CLAIRE, WIS.**—State German-American Press Association. Aug. 16 and 17, 1901. T. T. Auer, Public Herald, Eau Claire, Wis., secy.
- LA CROSSE, WIS.**—State Pharmaceutical Association. Aug. 13 to 15, 1901. Henry Rottman, Chilton, Wis., secy.
- MILWAUKEE, WIS.**—National Dental Examiners' Association. Aug. 3 to 10, 1901.
- MILWAUKEE, WIS.**—National Association of Dental Faculties. Aug. 3 to 10, 1901.
- MILWAUKEE, WIS.**—State Dental Association. Aug. 1, 1901.
- MILWAUKEE, WIS.**—Weather Forecast Convention. Aug. 27 to 29, 1901.
- MILWAUKEE, WIS.**—Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite 23rd Degree Masons' Convention. Sept. 1, 1901.
- MILWAUKEE, WIS.**—English Lutheran Synod. Aug. 1, 1901.

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ALABAMA.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Templars of America, National Grand Temple, July 30 to Aug. 4, 1901. J. E. Bush, box 402, Little Rock, Ark., secy.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—International Typographical Union, Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. W. W. Hinds, box 68, Avondale, Ala., secy.

HUNTSVILLE, ALA.—Independent Order of Immaculates, Grand Lodge, Aug. 6 to 9, 1901.

TUSCALOOSA, ALA.—Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge (Colored), Aug. 12 to 15, 1901. R. A. Blount, Box 471, Birmingham, Ala., secy.

ARIZONA.

BISBEE, ARIZ.—I. O. G. T. Grand Lodge, Aug. 28, 1901. A. P. Walbridge, Phoenix, Ariz., secy.

ARKANSAS.

PINE BLUFF, ARK.—G. U. O. of O. T. Grand Lodge Session, Aug. 6, 1901.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Protestant Episcopal Church National Convention, Oct. 2, 1901.

COLORADO.

BOULDER, COL.—D. O. H. State Grand Lodge, Aug. 3, 1901.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL.—Western Negro Press Association, Aug. 5 to 6, 1901. J. M. Booker, Colorado Springs, secy.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL.—Colorado State Conference of Charities and Corrections, October, 1901. C. L. Stouffer, Denver, Col., secy.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL.—Military Quad-Centennial Celebration, Aug. 1 to 3, 1901. Gilbert McCullig, Colorado Springs, Col., secy.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL.—Lumbermen's State Convention, Aug., 1901.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL.—F. and A. M. Grand Lodge (Colored), Aug. 12 to 14, 1901. Wm. Sprague, Box 1040, Denver, Col., secy.

DENVER, COL.—Knights Golden Eagle Grand Castle, Aug. 13, 1901. Wm. L. Palm, 601 E. and C. Block, secy.

DENVER, COL.—Commissioners on the Uniformity of Legislation in the United States, Aug. 19 and 20, 1901.

DENVER, COL.—Commissioners on Uniformity of Legislation in the United States, Aug. 19, 1901.

DENVER, COL.—National Railroad Master Blacksmiths' Association, Aug. 20, 1901. A. L. Woodworth, Lima, O., secy.

DENVER, COL.—Botanical Society of America, Aug. 24 to 26, 1901. Geo. A. Atkinson, Ithaca, N. Y., secy.

DENVER, COL.—Society for the Promotion of Agricultural Science, Aug. 23 and 24, 1901. F. M. Webster, Wooster, O., secy.

DENVER, COL.—Economic Entomologists' Association, Aug. 22 and 23, 1901. A. L. Quaintance, Experiment, Ga., secy.

DENVER, COL.—Geological Society of America, Aug. 27, 1901. H. L. Fairchild, Rochester, N. Y., secy.

DENVER, COL.—American Bar Association, Aug. 25 to 28, 1901. John Hinkley, 215 N. Charles st., Baltimore, Md., secy.

DENVER, COL.—American Association for Advancement of Science, Aug. 24 to 31, 1901. L. O. Howard, Cosmos Club, Washington, D. C., secy.

DENVER, COL.—Tenth International Sunday School Convention, Probably June, 1902. Marion Lawrence, Toledo, O., secy.

DENVER, COL.—American Chemical Association, Aug. 26 and 27, 1901. Albert C. Hale, 551 Putnam ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., secy.

VICTOR, COL.—State Federation of Women's Clubs, Aug. 19, 1901. Mrs. E. C. Richardson, 600 Santa Fe ave., Pueblo, Colo., secy.

VICTOR, COL.—Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge, Aug. 13, 1901. W. S. O'Brien, 210 Peoples Bank Bldg., Denver, Col., secy.

VICTOR, COL.—U. R. K. of P. State Encampment, Aug. 13, 1901. E. M. Beall, secy.

CONNECTICUT.

ANSONIA, CONN.—Sons of St. George Grand Lodge, Aug. 13, 1901. H. Prisk, 269 N. State st., secy.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—State Flfe and Drum Association, Aug. 3, 1901. F. J. Wetstone, Bridgeport, secy.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—National Catholic Verein and Young Men's Society, Sept. 7 to 12, 1901. Peter J. Bourschleid, Peoria, Ill., secy.

HARTFORD, CONN.—American Board for Foreign Missions, Oct. 8 to 11, 1901.

HARTFORD, CONN.—National Total Abstinence Union, Aug. 7 to 11, 1901. A. R. Doyle, 415 59th st., New York City, secy.

NORWALK, CONN.—D. O. H. State Grand Lodge, Aug. 6, 1901.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Astronomical and Astro-Physical Society of America, Dec. 28, 1901. G. C. Comstock, Madison, Wis., secy.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Historical Association, Dec. 27 to 30, 1901. A. H. Clark, Smithsonian Institute, Washington, secy.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—National Spiritualists' Association, Oct. 15 to 18, 1901. Mrs. Mary T. Longley, Washington, D. C., secy.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Road Masters and Maintenance of Way Association, Oct. 3 to 10, 1901. J. B. Dickson, R. M. C. & N. W. Ry., Sterling, Ill., secy.

FLORIDA.

DAYTONA, FLA.—National Mental Science Association, Nov. 28, 1901.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, GA.—Railway Superintendents of Bridges and Buildings Association, Oct. 10, 1901. S. F. Patterson, Concord, A. H., secy.

CEDARTOWN, GA.—State Reunion First and Sixth Georgia Cavalry Veterans Association, Aug. 1, 1901. Dr. J. L. Branch, Cedartown, Ga., secy.

MILLEDGEVILLE, GA.—State Horticultural Society, Aug. 7 and 8, 1901. Edwin D. Newton, Milledgeville, Ga., secy.

VALDOSTA, GA.—G. U. O. of O. F. Grand Lodge Session, Aug. 13 to 15, 1901. Wm. Lissimore, secy.

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, ILL.—American Association of Opticians, Aug. 13 to 16, 1901. John H. Ellis, 105 S. Michigan st., South Bend, Ind., secy.

CHICAGO, ILL.—National Negro Business League, Aug. 21 to 23, 1901.

CHICAGO, ILL.—K. of P. (Colored) Supreme Lodge, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. J. L. Jones, 1234 Chapel st., Cincinnati, O., secy.

CHICAGO, ILL.—American Psychological Association, December, 1901. Dr. Livingston Farrand, Columbia University, New York City, secy.

COWLING, ILL.—Southwestern Indiana Lutheran Pastoral Convention, October, 1901.

ELLSWORTH, ILL.—State Reunion Old Settlers' Association, Aug. 8, 1901. C. A. Shunkie, Ellsworth, Ill., secy.

LINCOLN, ILL.—Illinois State Conference of Charities and Correction, Oct. 23 and 24, 1901. Mrs. Henry T. Rainey, Carrollton, Ill., secy.

OAK PARK, ILL.—American Missionary Association, Oct. 22 to 24, 1901.

INDIANA.

LAFAYETTE, IND.—United Order of Odd Fellows Grand Lodge, Aug. 6 to 8, 1901. Geo. C. King, Logansport, Ind., secy.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—International Firemen's Association, Aug. 26 to 29, 1901.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—International Association of Fire Engineers, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—National Socialists' Convention, July 29 to Aug. 3, 1901.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—A. O. F. Sovorega Grand Lodge, Sept. 16 to 21, 1901. J. Frank Grant, Baltimore, Md., secy.

LAFAYETTE, IND.—United Order of Odd Fellows, State Grand Lodge, Aug. 6 to 8, 1901. Geo. C. King, Logansport, Ind., secy.

MARION, IND.—State Music Teachers' Association, 1902. J. S. Bergen, LaFayette, Ind., secy.

MUNCIE, IND.—C. B. L. State Convention, Aug. 6 and 7, 1901. Julian F. Franke, Ft. Wayne, Ind., secy.

PRINCETON, IND.—United Brothers of Friendship, Aug. 19, 1901.

SOUTH BEND, IND.—Indiana State Conference of Charities and Correction, October, 1901. E. S. Grout, Indianapolis, Ind., secy.

INDIAN TERRITORY.

WAGONER, I. T.—G. A. R. Rennlon and Encampment, Sept. 25 to 28, 1901.

IOWA.

ALBIA, IA.—Foresters of America State Reunion, Aug. 16 and 17, 1901. Jas. B. Gourley, Cedar Rapids, Ia., secy.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge, Aug. 11 to 15, 1901.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—U. R. Knights of Pythias State Encampment, Aug. 11 to 15, 1901.

CLEAR LAKE, IA.—Iowa State Camp Meeting, July 17 to Aug. 8, 1901. Henry McGovern, Clear Lake, Ia., secy.

IAWA FALLS, IA.—State Baptist Sunday School Assembly, Aug. 4 to 17, 1901. F. N. Eldridge, 1329 Fourteenth st., Des Moines, Ia., secy.

KANSAS.

BAXTER SPRINGS, KAN.—Twenty-eighth Annual Old Soldiers' Reunion, Aug. 26 to 31, 1901. J. M. Cooper, pres.; C. W. Daniels, treas. and secy.; Chas. Collins, license agt.

BURLINGTON, KAN.—Kansas Seventh Day Adventists' Conference, July 23 to Aug. 5, 1901.

HOWARD, KAN.—Epworth League State Convention, July 30 and Aug. 1, 1901. Miss Ellinor Latter, Eureka, Kan., secy.

HUTCHINSON, KAN.—State Reunion G. A. R., Aug. 13 to 17, 1901. J. G. Clymer, secy.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—I. O. O. C. Grand Court, Aug. 7 to 9, 1901. J. E. Lewis, P. O. Box 1017, Wichita, Kan., secy.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—K. of P. State Grand Lodge (Colored), Aug. 7 to 9, 1901. John E. Lewis, Box 1017, Wichita, Kan., secy.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—Royal Arch Masons' Grand Chapter, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Fred Stone, secy.

TOPEKA, KAN.—Kansas Association of Charities and Correction, Nov. 1, 1901. Dr. C. R. Dixon, Lawrence, Kan., secy.

KENTUCKY.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Knight Templar Triennial Conclave, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Wm. H. Mayo, St. Louis, Mo., grand recorder.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Knights and Ladies of Honor State Grand Lodge, Aug. 1, 1901. Enos Spencer, 1866 Brook st., Louisville, Ky., secy.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—National Journeyman Tailors' Union, Aug. 7, 1901.

RUSH, KY.—Knights Golden Eagle State Grand Castle, Aug. 1, 1901.

RUSSELLVILLE, KY.—United Brotherhood of Friendship and Sisters of the Mysterious Ten National Grand Lodge, Aug. 13 to 16, 1901. J. F. Gray, secy.

LOUISIANA.

BATON ROUGE, LA.—United Confederate Veterans' State Division, Aug. 5, 1901. A. B. Booth, 320 Magazine st., New Orleans, La., secy.

NEW IBERIA, LA.—Louisiana Conference, M. E. Church, South, December, 1901. Fitzgerald Sale Parker, Jackson, La., secy.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—American Park and Outdoor Association, 1902.

LOUISIANA.

BATON ROUGE, LA.—United Confederate Veterans' State Division, Aug. 5, 1901. A. B. Booth, 320 Magazine st., New Orleans, La., secy.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—80th Anniversary Celebration of Missouri's Admission into the Union, Aug. 10, 1901.

COLUMBIA, MO.—Missouri State Conference of Charities and Corrections, November 1, 1901. C. A. Elwood, Columbia, secy.

HANNIBAL, MO.—F. and A. M. Grand Lodge, Aug. 20, 1901. A. R. Bohon, secy.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—National Prison Association, Sept. 25 to Oct. 2, 1901. Rev. John L. Milligan, Allegheny, Pa., secy.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—National Prison Chaplains' Association, Sept. 1, 1901. Rev. D. R. Imrie, Hoboken, Pa., secy.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Prison Wardens' Association, September, 1901. N. F. Bowdier, Bismarck, N. D., secy.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Brotherhood of Rail way Carmen, Sept. 10, 1901.

NEVADA, MO.—Inter-State Soldiers' Reunion, Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. A. C. Dickenson, secy.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—American Pharmaceutical Association, Sept. 16 to 21, 1901.

SPRINGFIELD, MO.—United Commercial Travelers' State Convention, Aug. 10, 1901. Robert McCallum, Boonville, Mo., secy.

UNIONVILLE, MO.—F. E. O. Sisterhood Session, Aug. 25 and 26, 1901. Miss Minnie Shearer, secy.

MINNESOTA.

GWATONNA, MINN.—Minnesota State Conference of Charities and Corrections, Oct. 7 to 9, 1901. Miss Grace Johnston, Red Wing, Minn., secy.

ST. PAUL, MINN.—Minnesota State Bill Posters' Association, Sept. 5, 1901. C. H. Griebel, secy. and treas.

MISSISSIPPI.

BILOXI, MISS.—Epworth League Tri-State Conference, July 31 to Aug. 10, 1901.

MERIDIAN, MISS.—G. I. O. of Odd Fellows, Aug. 5 to 10, 1901. Noah Cowan, Greenville, Miss., secy.

MISSOURI.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—80th Anniversary Celebration of Missouri's Admission into the Union, Aug. 10, 1901.

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MONTANA.

BUTTE, MONT.—State Pharmaceutical Association, Aug. 1, 1901. Sid J. Coifer, Missoula, Mont., secy.

HELENA, MONT.—O. D. H. S. State Grand Lodge, Aug. 1, 1901. Emanuel Fischer, Box 1510, Helena, Mont., secy.

LIVINGSTON, MONT.—Epworth League State Convention, Aug. 1, 1901.

NEBRASKA.

- BUFFALO**, N. Y.—American Society of Railroad Superintendents. Oct. 16, 1901. C. A. Hammond, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Photo Engravers' Association. Aug. 27 and 28, 1901. C. F. Carrill, Grand Rapids, Mich., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—International Jewelry Workers' Association. Aug. 1, 1901. Wm. Schweltzer, 212 Looper st., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—International Association of Milliners. Aug. 1, 1901. G. K. Glenn, 237 Fifth ave., Chicago, Ill.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Farmers' Institute Workers. Aug. 1, 1901. G. C. Creedman, Toronto, Ont., Can., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—United States Maltsters' Association. Aug. 6 and 7, 1901. J. H. Lank, Commerce Bldg., Chicago, Ill., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Legion of Honor, National Convention. Aug. 20, 1901. Adam Warneck, 200 Huntington ave., Boston, Mass., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Dahlia Association. Aug. 24, 1901. Wm. Scott, Elliott Square, secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Middle States and New England States Chamber Suits and Case Workers' Association. Aug. 28 and 29, 1901. J. Newton Nind, 241 Washington ave., Eldego, Ill., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Cycling Association Meet and Races. Aug. 5 to 17, 1901. C. K. McElroy, care Greenwich Wheelmen, New York City, secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Association of Colored Fraternity of the United States and Canada. Aug. 5, 1901. Edward W. Boykin, 11 Horton st., Pittsburgh, Pa., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Federation of Labor O'Colored. Aug. 6, 1901. John G. Jones, 3717 Armour ave., Eldego, Ill., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Prohibitionists' Conference. Aug. 1 and 2, 1901. Oliver W. Stewart, 1415 Manhattan Bldg., Eldego, Ill., chairman.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Temperance Society Conference. Aug. 5 and 6, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—State Typographical Union Convention. Aug. 6, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Applied Printing Trades State Council. Aug. 6, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—U. S. Polish Slugs of America National Saengerfest. Aug. 18 to 21, 1901. G. W. Karpis, 202 S. Farragut st., Detroit, Mich., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Stamp Collectors' Protective Association of America. Aug. 14 to 23, 1901. L. S. Broadstone, Superior, Neb., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Grand Council Improved Order of Red Men. Aug. 13, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—United Journeymen Plumbers, Gas and Steam Fitters Assn. of the United States and Canada. Aug. 19 to 25, 1901. Leven W. Tilden, Cleveland, Ohio, secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Institute of Electrical Engineers. Aug. 20 to 24, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Spanish-American War Veterans of State. Aug. 20, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—New York State Firemen's Association. Aug. 22 and 23, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Reunion Survivors Engineers' Brigade, Army of the Potomac. Aug. 22, 1901. Samuel B. Williams, Rochester, N. Y., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—New York State Short-hand Reporters' Association. Aug. 22 to 24, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—United Typothetae of America. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. John C. Burke, Norfolk, Va., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Pomological Society. Sept. 1, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths. Sept. 2 to 5, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Delivery Proprietors' National Association. Sept. 4, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National American Woman Suffrage Association. Sept. 9 and 10, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Spanish-American War Veterans, National Camp. Sept. 9 to 11, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Bee Keepers' Association. Sept. 10 to 12, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Shirt, Waist and Laundry Workers' International Association. Sept. 16, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—International Council of Nurses. Sept. 16 to 20, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Butler Makers' Association. Sept. 17 to 19, 1901. J. D. Faresay, Cleveland, Ohio, secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—New York State Slip-path Commissioners. Sept. 20, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Stereotypers' National Association. Sept. 23, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Patriotic Order of the Sons of America. Sept. 23 to 28, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—New England Cotton Manufacturers' Association. Sept. 25 and 26, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—International Cremation Association Congress. Oct. 1 to 3, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Knights of the Golden Eagle. Oct. 8, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Association of Retail Druggists. Oct. 8 to 11, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—State Federation of Women's Clubs. Oct. 8 to 10, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and Animals. Oct. 14 and 15, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Hardware Association. Oct. 14, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Household Economic Association. Oct. 21, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—New York State Synod of the Presbyterian Church. Oct. 21 to 26, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Remain Survivors Engineers' Brigade Army of the Potomac. Aug. 23, 1901. Samuel B. Williams, Rochester, N. Y., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Irrigation Congress. October, 1901. Thomas F. Walsh, Washington, D. C., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Firemen's Association. Aug. 22 to 24, 1901. D. W. Gillen, 176 E. Monroe st., Chicago, Ill., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—A. A. Scottish Rite Masons of Supreme Council. Aug. 1 to 6, 1901. John G. Jones, 3717 Armour ave., Chicago, Ill., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—L. A. W. National Meet. Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. Abbott Bassett, Boston, Mass., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Master Car and Locomotive Puller's Association. Sept. 10 to 14, 1901. Robt. McKeon, Erie Rail-way, Kent, O., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Society of Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses. September, 1901. Miss L. L. Dock, 295 Henry st., New York City, N. Y., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—The National League of Women Workers. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Miss Charlotte C. Wilkinson, 507 James st., Syracuse, N. Y., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National League of Improvement Associations. Aug. 12 to 14, 1901. D. J. Thomas, Springfield, O., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Public Health Association. Sept. 16 to 20, 1901. C. O. Probst, Columbus, O., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Roentgen Ray Society of United States. Sept. 10 and 11, 1901. Dr. I. Endis Jitsusky, Cedar Rapids, Ia., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Electro-Therapeutic Association. Sept. 24 to 26, 1901. Dr. George E. Bill, 17 S. Third st., Harrisburg, Pa., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Presbyterian Church State Board. Oct. 21 to 26, 1901. Rev. J. W. Jackson, Geneva, N. Y., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists. Aug. 5 to 10, 1901. Wm. J. Stewart, 79 Milk st., Boston, Mass., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Railway Signaling Club. October, 1901. Charles O. Tilton, West Milwaukee, Wis., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Philatelic Association. Aug. 26 to 28, 1901. H. E. Deats, Flemington, N. J.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Philatelic Sou's of America. Aug. 19 and 20, 1901. C. W. Kissinger, secy., 18 N. 11th st., Reading, Pa.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Institute of Architects. Det. 1 to 5, 1901. Glenn Brown, 915 F st., N. W., Washington, D. C., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Universalist General Convention. Oct. 18 to 23, 1901. Rev. G. L. Demarest, Manchester, N. H., secy.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—New York State Assembly American Fraternal Insurance Union. Sept. 17 to 19, 1901.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—National Shorthand Reporters' Association. Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. Chas. Currier Beale, Boston, Mass., secy.

CHATAUQUA, N. Y.—State Summer Institute. July 8 to 26, 1901.

CLIFF HAVEN, N. Y.—Cathole Summer School of America. July 8 to Sept. 6, 1901.

FULTON, N. Y.—U. A. M. State Council. Aug. 13, 1901. H. P. Moshe, Stillwater, N. Y., secy.

ITHACA, N. Y.—American Mathematical Society. Aug. 19 to 26, 1901. F. N. Cole, 501 W. 116th st., New York City, N. Y., secy.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y.—American Union of Scandinavian Slugs. Aug. 1, 1901.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y.—National Protective Legion. Aug. 1, 1901.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y.—League of American Minidpalities. Aug. 21 to 24, 1901. J. A. Johnson, Fargo, N. D., secy.

LAKE CHATAUQUA, N. Y.—National League of Improvement Associations. Aug. 15, 1901. E. G. Routzah, Dayton, O., recording secy.

LAKEMOND, N. Y.—Beta Theta Pi Fraternity. Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. W. D. Oakes, 137 E. Market st., Indianapolis, Ind., secy.

MARLBOROUGH, N. Y.—Brotherhood of the Kingdom. National Convention. July 29 to Aug. 2, 1901. Leighton Williams, 312 W. 5th st., New York City, secy.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Grand Council Improved Order of Red Men. Sept. 9 to 14, 1901.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—National News-dealers', Booksellers' and Stationers' Association. Aug. 21 and 22, 1901. F. F. Martin, 80 Tompkins Market, pres.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—American Society Professors of Painting. Aug. 26 to Sept. 7, 1901. P. B. Carpenter, Jr., 28 N. Main st., Providence, R. I., secy.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—American Mathematical Society. Dec. 27, 1900. F. N. Cole, 501 W. 116th st., New York City, N. Y., secy.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—American Orthologists' Union. Nov. 12 to 14, 1901. John H. Sage, Portland, Conn., secy.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—New York State Conference of Charities and Correction. Nov. 1, 1901. Robt. W. Hobberd, Al Mo, secy.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.—Phi Gamma Delta State Convention. Aug., 1901. Elias M. Clark, 21 Park Row, New York City, secy.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.—International Association of Municipal Electricians. Aug. 1, 1901. Martin J. Donohue, secy.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.—American Paper and Pulp Association. Aug. 15 to 17, 1901.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.—American Society of Municipal Improvement. Oct. 1 to 4, 1901. H. L. Fulton, Allegheny, Pa., secy.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—State Master Barbers Association. Aug. 1, 1901. J. R. Bohmer, Brooklyn, N. Y., secy.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y.—I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge. Aug. 20, 1901. John G. Dubert, 83 Broadway, New York City, secy.

TONAWANDA, N. Y.—National Retail Butchers' Mutual Protective Association. Aug. 1, 1901. Daule J. Haley, Troy, N. Y., secy.

TRINITY, N. Y.—Ancient Order of Foresters. Sept. 2, 1901. Robert A. Sibbald, Park Ridge, N. J., secy.

UTICA, N. Y.—Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators State Branch Convention. Aug. 5, 1901. T. F. Wait, 58 Orange st., Albany, N. Y., secy.

PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Afro American Council. Aug. 1, 1901.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—North America St. George's Union. Aug. 1, 1901. T. Y. Ventes, 1838 13th st., Washington, D. C., secy.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Lincoln Emancipation and Republican National Leagues. Aug. 22 and 23, 1901.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Daughters of Liberty National Council. Aug. 27, 1901. W. V. Edkins, 1604 E. Passyunk ave., secy.

PITTSBURG, PA.—Service Men of Spanish War State Convention. Aug. 9 and 10, 1901. Frank Kuhl, Allegheny, Pa., secy.

PITTSBURG, PA.—State Association of Stationary Engineers. Aug. 2 and 3, 1901. A. K. Ashworth, secy.

PITTSBURG, PA.—National Chain Makers' Union. Aug. 5, 1901.

PITTSBURG, PA.—Order Scottish Clans. Aug. 20 to 23, 1901. Peter Kerr, 134 Summer st., Boston, Mass., secy.

PITTSBURG, PA.—Grand Division of the Order of Railway Conductors. Second Tuesday in May, 1901. W. J. Maxwell, Cedar Rapids, Ia., grand secy.

PLYMOUTH, PA.—Irish Catholic Benevolent Union. National Convention. Aug. 21, 1901. John E. Davis, Philadelphia, Pa., secy.

TUTSVILLE, PA.—D. O. H. Grand Lodge. Aug. 7 and 8, 1901. Robert Hoffman, 127 14th ave., Homestead, Pa., secy.

WILKESBARRE, PA.—Brotherhood of the Union Grand Circle. Aug. 13, 1901. G. C. Mehrer, 2139 N. Front st., Philadelphia, Pa., secy.

RHODE ISLAND

PAWTUCKET, R. I.—A. W. State Reunion. Aug. 1, 1901. John H. Gillen, 27 Ballard ave., Pawtucket, R. I., secy.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Sons of Veterans National Encampment. Sept. 16, 1901. C. A. Hammond, 47 Washington st., secy.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Interstate Sportsmen's Association Tournament. Aug. 1 to 3, 1901. R. C. Root, Providence, R. I., secy.

SOUTH CAROLINA

BEAUFORT, S. C.—Summer School for Colored Teachers. July 27 to Aug. 17, 1901.

CHARLESTON, S. C.—National Funeral Directors' Association. Oct. 9 to 11, 1901. H. M. Kilpatrick, Elmwood, Ill., secy.

TENNESSEE

CLARKSVILLE, TENN.—Household of Ruth State Convention. Aug. 6 to 9, 1901. Miss M. L. Martin, Box 25, Clarksville, Tenn., secy.

CLARKSVILLE, TENN.—G. U. O. of F. Grand Lodge. Aug. 13 to 17, 1901.

JACKSON, TENN.—U. B. of F. and S. M. T. Grand Lodge. Aug. 27 to 31, 1901.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—Southern Dental Association. July 29 to Aug. 1, 1901.

TEXAS

AUSTIN, TEX.—Sons of Hermann National Grand Lodge. Sept. 1, 1901.

GAINESVILLE, TEX.—P. C. V. and Old Setters' Reunion (State). Aug. 1 to 3, 1901. J. M. Wright, Gainesville, Tex., secy.

COLUMBUS, O.—Supreme Council of the Order of United Commercial Travelers of America. June 24 and 25, 1901. C. C. Daniel, supreme secy.

COLUMBUS, O.—G. A. R. National Encampment. Sept. 9, 1901. Leo Rossleur, St. Louis, Mo., secy.

CLEVELAND, O.—Shepherds of America. Supreme Sanctuary. Aug. 6, 1901. W. G. Smith, Ravenna, O., secy.

CLEVELAND, O.—Naval Veterans' National Association. Sept. 8, 1901. W. H. S. Banks, 41 Ryerson st., Brooklyn, N. Y., secy.

CLEVELAND, O.—Woman's Relief Corps. National Convention. Sept. 9 to 14, 1901. Faanie D. W. Hardin, Lougmont, Colo., secy.

CLEVELAND, O.—G. A. R. National Encampment. Sept. 9, 1901. Leo Rossleur, St. Louis, Mo., secy.

COLUMBIUS, O.—Ohio Convention of Infirmary Officials. Jan. 21 and 22, 1902. S. T. Woodring, Palmsville, O., secy.

COLUMBIUS, O.—Catholic Knights. Opens Sept. 17, 1901.

DAYTON, O.—R. K. of P. Grand Encampment (State). Aug. 10 to 18, 1901.

DAYTON, O.—O. H. Grand Lodge. Aug. 7, 1901. Wm. Bossman, 50 Reigel st., secy.

FINDLAY, O.—A. O. U. W. State Grand Lodge. Aug. 1, 1901. Walter Perkins, Toledo, O., secy.

LIMA, O.—Ohio State Conference of Charities and Correction. Oct. 8 to 11, 1901. Jos. P. Byers, Columbus, O., secy.

MILLETTOWN, O.—Reunion Regimental Association. Oct. 6, 1901. V. L. Aug. 13, 1901. J. W. Ross, Cincinnati, O., secy.

PORTSMOUTH, O.—Building Association League. State Convention. Aug. 6 to 9, 1901. H. S. Grimes, secy.

PUT-IN-BAY, O.—Tri-State Chess Association. Aug. 2 to 5, 1901. Willis Bacon, Titus, O., secy.

PUT-IN-BAY, O.—Ohio Electric Light Association. Aug. 20 to 22, 1901. J. H. Perkins, Youngstown, O., secy.

PUT-IN-BAY, O.—Mississippi Valley Medical Association. Aug. 12 to 15, 1901.

PUT-IN-BAY, O.—State Electric Medical Association. July 30 to Aug. 1, 1901. Dr. J. K. Snider, 1000 Plum st., Cincinnati, O., secy.

PUT-IN-BAY, O.—United Ancient Order of Hibernians. Supreme Body. Aug. 12 to 15, 1901. H. F. Friendshuh, 426 Clinton ave., Albany, N. Y., secy.

SANDUSKY, O.—State Bill Posters' Convention. Second Tuesday of June, 1902. Geo. L. Chemill, Columbus, O., pres.; Chas. L. McClellan, Xenia, secy.; S. E. Ribblett, Gallon, treas.

TOLEDO, O.—National Polish Alliance. Sept. 15, 1901. B. J. Balkowski, Station D, secy.

TOLEDO, O.—National Convention. G. A. R. 1901.

WASHINGT

HOPKINS, WASH.—State Editorial Association. Aug. 1, 1901.

TACOMA, WASH.—State Master Plumbers' Association. Aug. 1, 1901. A. M. Goddard, Tacoma, Wash., secy.

VIRGINIA

NATURAL BRIDGE, VA.—State Dental Association. Aug. 3 to 8, 1901. F. W. Stoff, Richmond, Va., secy.

NORFOLK, VA.—Lumbermen's Association, Order of Hoe-Ho-Ho. Sept. 9 to 12, 1901.

NORFOLK, VA.—Supreme Lodge I. O. Mechanics. Second Tuesday in May, 1901.

NORFOLK, VA.—The Democratic State Convention. Aug. 15, 1901.

WASHINGTON

HOPKINS, WASH.—State Editorial Association. Aug. 1, 1901.

TACOMA, WASH.—State Master Plumbers' Association. Aug. 1, 1901. A. M. Goddard, Tacoma, Wash., secy.

WEST VIRGINIA

WHEELING, W. VA.—American Association of Flint Glass Works. July 1, 1901. John Kunkler, pres.

WISCONSIN

CAMILIA, WIS.—Welsh Presbyterian Church. September, 1901. Rev. D. Edwards, Lake Crystal, Minn., secy.

EAT'L FAIRE, WIS.—State German-American Press Association. Aug. 16 and 17, 1901. T. T. Amer, Public Herald, Eat'l Faire, Wls., secy.

EAT'L FAIRE, WIS.—State Pharmaceutical Association. Aug. 13 to 15, 1901. Henry Rollman, Chilton, Wisc., secy.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—National Dental Examiners' Association. Aug. 3 to 10, 1901.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—National Association of Dental Facilities. Aug. 3 to 10, 1901.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—State Dental Association. Aug. 1, 1901.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Weather Forecast Convention. Aug. 27 to 29, 1901.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite 33d Degree Masons' Convocation. Sept. 1, 1901.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—English Lutheran Synod. Aug. 1901.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—National Dental Association, Aug. 6 to 10, 1901. A. H. Peck, 92 State st., Chicago, Ill., secy.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—American Whist League Congress, July 29 to Aug. 3, 1901. E. B. Cooper, Shellbyville, Tenn., secy.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—National Railway Mail Clerks' Association, October, 1901. N. H. Nichols, 92 Wood st., Cleveland, O., secy.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—National Railway Mail Service Mutual Benevolent Association, October, 1901. J. V. Henry, Quincy, Ill., secy.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Railway Clerks' Mutual Benefit Association, Oct. 1, 1901. Henry E. First, Cluckmuth, O.

RATINE, WIS.—Sons of St. George Grand Lodge, Aug. 13, 1901. C. C. Meurisse, 1704 Wabash ave., Chicago, Ill.

CANADA.

GUELPH, ONT., CANADA—I. O. O. F. Grand Encampment, Aug. 7, 1901.

HAMILTON, ONT., CANADA—A. O. F. High Court, Aug. 7, 1901. W. Williams, Toronto, Ont., Canadian, secy.

MONTREAL, QUE., CANADA—I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge, Aug., 1901.

ST. CATHARINES, ONT., CANADA—Provincial Volunteer Firemen's Association, Aug. 6 to 8, 1901. J. G. Harris, secy.

TORONTO, ONT., CANADA—International Ticket Agents' Association, Sept. 11 to 14, 1901.

TORONTO, ONT., CANADA—National Apple Shippers' Association Convention, Aug. 7, 1901. H. Warren Patch, 17 N. Market st., Boston, Mass., secy.

WINNIPEG, MAN., CANADA—Canadian Medical Association, Aug. 28 to 31, 1901. Dr. H. H. Chown, Winnipeg, Man., Canada, secy.

Chautauquas.

ALBANY, GA.—Itr. W. A. Duncan, Syracuse, N. Y., secy.

ALLERTON, ILL.—Rev. Wm. Murchie, Allerton, Ill., secy.

ANNISTON, ALA.—Rev. J. H. Foster, Jr., 120 Quintard ave., Anniston, Ala., secy.

ASHLAND, ORE.—Southern Oregon Assembly, G. F. Billings, Ashland, Ore., secy.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—National Jewish Chautauqua, Dr. Henry Berkowitz, Philadelphia, Pa., secy.

AUBURN, NEB.—Chautauqua Assembly, Aug. 17 to 25, 1901.

BARNESVILLE, GA.—One week.

BATTLE GROUND, IND. (small)—Dr. H. J. Cissen, Lafayette, Ind., secy.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y. (winter)—Arthur J. Hibble, secy.

BAY VIEW, MICH.—H. H. Hitchcock, Detroit, Mich., secy.

BEARDSTON, IND.—Beardston Assembly (small), M. P. Wilson, Havana, Ill., secy.

BEATRICE, NEB.—Rev. C. S. Dudley, 307 41st st., Oshkosh, Ill., secy.

BETHANY, IND. (small)—Rev. L. L. Henson, El. Wayne, Ind., secy.

BETHESDA, O.—Epworth Park, Dr. M. J. Stutz, Barnesville, O., secy.

BIG STONE LAKE, S. D.—Rev. G. H. Hagar, Mitchell, S. D., secy.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL.—July 26 to Aug. 5, 1901.

BLUFF PARK, ILL.—Rev. G. E. Corkhill, Mt. Pleasant, Ill., secy.

Boulder, Col.—Chautauqua Assembly, July 4 to Aug. 19, 1901.

BUTTLER, COL.—Colorado Assembly, J. W. Freeman, Denver, Col., secy.

BURLINGTON, ILL.—John C. Minton, Burlington, Ill., secy.

BURLINGTON, VT.—Burlington's Chautauqua Assembly, July 10 to Aug. 6, 1901. Miss L. M. Strain, 386 Pearl st., secy.

DANVILLE, ILL.—Rev. E. E. Carr, Danville, Ill., secy.

CARMEL, N. Y.—Chautauqua Assembly, July 27 to Aug. 11, 1901. Reed B. Freeman, secy.

CARMEL GROVE, N. Y.—R. P. Freeman, 10 Phil st., Blenheim, N. Y., secy.

CARTHAGE, MICH.—Rev. R. T. Orchard, Carthage, Mo., secy.

CAWLER CITY, KAN.—Lincoln Park Assembly.

CHAMPLAIN, N. Y.—Catholic Summer Schools Assembly, Warren E. Mosher, Cliff Haven, N. Y., secy.

CHAUTAUQUA, ILL.—Plaza Chautauqua Assembly, July 18 to Aug. 25, 1901.

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y.—Chautauqua Assembly, July 3 to Aug. 29, 1901.

CHESAPEAKE CHAUTAUQUA BEACH, MICH.—Rev. F. C. McLean, 1001 Chestnut st., Philadelphia, Pa., secy.

CHETEK, WIS. U. W. Meadows, Cheek, Wis., secy.

CLARINIA, ILL.—Wm. Orr, Clarinda, Ia., secy.

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CLARION, PA.—Rev. J. N. Fradenburgh, Clarion, Pa., secy.

CLEAR LAKE, ILL.—Dr. H. H. Fairall, Iowa City, Ia., secy.

CANTON, S. D.—Rev. Mr. Dobson, Canton, S. D., secy.

COLOFICROFT, NEW MEXICO—Capt. E. T. Conegys, secy.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL.—The National Chautauqua Association, Dr. John R. Robinson, Colorado Springs, Col., pres.

COFFMANS' GROVE, O.—Rev. E. M. Pritchard, Dayton, O., secy.

CONNEAUT LAKE, PA.—W. J. Barton, Conneaut Lake, Pa., secy.

CRYSTAL SPRINGS, MISS.—Rev. R. W. Bailey, Jackson, Miss., secy.

DANVILLE, ILL.—Danville Chautauqua, Aug. 2, 1901.

DECATUR, ILL.—Riverside Park.

DE FUNIAK SPRINGS, FLA.—Florida Chautauqua Assembly, February 2, 1902. Wallace Bruce, De Funiaq Springs, Fla., pres.

DELAVAN, WIS.—Grant Harrington, Delavan, Wis., secy.

DELEVEN, WIS.—Delevan Lake Chautauqua Assembly, July 31 to Aug. 4, 1901. G. W. Weeks, secy.

DES MOINES, ILL.—Midland Assembly, C. M. Keefer, 500 Manhattan Block, Des Moines, Ia., secy.

DEVIL'S LAKE, N. D.—North Dakota Assembly, Edgar La Rue, Devil's Lake, N. D., secy.

DIXON, ILL.—Rocky River Assembly, Dr. J. C. Kaufman, Lena, Ill., secy.

EDWARDSVILLE, ILL.—Colored.

ELBERTON, GA.—Putnam Chautauqua Assembly.

ENGLESMORE, PA.—Edgar R. Riess, Hughesville, Pa., secy.

EAST EPPING, N. H.—Rev. C. M. Rowley, Manchester, N. H., secy.

EUREKA, ILL.—Rev. M. P. Wilkins, Havana, Ill., secy.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, MO.—Chautauqua Assembly, Aug. 15 to 25, 1901.

FINDLEY LAKE, N. Y.—Lakeside Assembly, Rev. C. G. Langdon, Findley Lake, N. Y., secy.

FRANKLIN, O.—Miami Valley Chautauqua, July 26 to Aug. 5, 1901. J. D. Miller, secy.

FREEBURG, ME.—Northern New England Assembly, James Dunn, 1 Somerset st., Boston, Mass., secy.

FRYEBURG, ME.—Maine Chautauqua Assembly, July 16 to Aug. 31, 1901. Jas. H. Durand, 1 Somerset st., Boston, Mass., secy.

GAINESVILLE, GA.—A. W. Van Hoose, Gainesville, Ga., secy.

GALESBURG, ILL.—Lake George Assembly, Rev. T. M. McNety, secy.

GALESBURG, ILL.—Galesburg Chautauqua Assembly, July 26 to Aug. 6, 1901.

GLEN PARK, COL.—Rocky Mountain Chautauqua, June 1 to Oct. 1, 1901.

GLEN ROSE, TEX.—(Conn. Pres.) Rev. C. C. McConnell, Granbury, Tex., secy.

GOLOUSTESTE, C. H., VA.—Rev. W. H. Groves, Gloucester C. H., Va., secy.

GRAYSVILLE, ILL.—W. R. Carter, Vincennes, Ind., secy.

GRIMSBY FARM, ONT.—H. B. Andrews, Box 524, Toronto, Ont., Canada, secy.

HEADING, N. H.—Hedding Chautauqua Assembly, July 29 to Aug. 17, 1901. Mrs. Lillian B. Folsom, Rochester, N. H., secy.

RUSTON, LA.—Louisiana State Chautauqua, Prof. C. E. Byrd, Shreveport, La., secy.

IOWA FALLS, ILL.—Chautauqua Assembly.

ISLAND PARK, IND.—Island Park Assembly, July 24 to Aug. 19, 1901. M. G. Cobbs, Rome City, Ind., manager.

JACKSON, GA.—Jackson Chautauqua.

JOHNSTON, PA.—Bellevue Assembly, Rev. John T. Jose, Johnston, Pa., secy.

LA BELLE, MICH.—Gull Lake Assembly.

HARVEYVILLE, PA.—Highland Park Assembly.

LAKE MADISON, S. D.—H. B. Smith, Madison, S. D., secy.

LAKE ORION, MICH.—Rev. J. G. Halber, Saginaw, Mich., secy.

LAKESIDE, O.—Rev. M. J. Keyes, Bucyrus, O., secy.

LAKESIDE, O.—Chautauqua Assembly, June 10 to Sept. 1, 1901.

LANCASTER, O.—Rev. W. R. Shutz, Lancaster, O., secy.

LEBANON, PA.—Pennsylvania Chautauqua Assembly, July 2 to Aug. 8, 1901. J. Max Hard, D. D., Moravian Seminary, Bethlehem, Pa., secy.

LENOIR, N. C.—Chautauqua.

LEXINGTON, KY.—Dr. W. L. Davidson, Cuyahoga Falls, O., secy.

LINCOLN, NEB.—Epworth League Chautauqua, L. O. Jones, secy.

LITHIA SPRINGS, ILL.—Rev. J. L. Doubt, Lithia, Ill., secy.

LONG BEACH, CAL.—G. R. Crow, 1032 W. Seventh st., Los Angeles, Cal., secy.

LONG PINE, NEB.—Rev. F. Cissen, Omaha, Neb., secy.

MAHISON, WIS.—Monona Lake Assembly, J. E. Moseley, Madison, Wis., secy.

MAHISON, WIS.—Monona Lake Chautauqua Assembly, July 18 to Aug. 2, 1901. Jas. E. Moseley, secy.

MARIETTA, GA.—Marietta Park Assembly.

MARINETTE, WIS.—Northern Chautauqua Assembly, Aug. 1 to 12, 1901.

MARINETTE, WIS.—Rev. A. J. Benjamin, Oshkosh, Wis., secy.

MARYSVILLE, MO.—Prof. John R. Clark, Marysville, Mo., secy.

MAYSVILLE, MO.—Chautauqua Assembly, Aug. 3 to 11, 1901. A. E. Denning, secy.

Mechanicsburg, ILL.—L. B. Hall, Mechanicsburg, Ill., secy.

MELBOURNE, FLA.—East Coast Chautauqua, Dr. W. L. Davidson, Cuyahoga Falls, O., secy.

MIAMI, ILL.—Ter-Chautauqua.

MONTWAIT, MASS.—New England Assembly, Byron Johnson, Framingham, Mass., secy.

MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA.—Moundsville Chautauqua, H. T. Williams, secy.

MT. EAGLE, TENN.—Rev. Geo. Samuey, Clarksville, Tenn., secy.

MT. GRETNNA, PA.—Dr. Max Hart, Bethlehem, N. Y., secy.

MT. LAKE, MD.—Dr. W. L. Davidson, Cuyahoga Falls, O., secy.

MT. DORA, FLA.—Southern Florida Chautauqua, C. H. Newell, Tavares, Fla., secy.

MT. VERNON, O.—Hawatha Assembly, Hawatha Park, Rev. C. J. Rose, Mt. Vernon, O., secy.

MUNCIE, IND.—Muncie Chautauqua Assembly, Rev. J. H. McNeill, Muncie, Ind., secy.

OCEAN GROVE, N. J.—Rev. B. B. Leonis, Round Lake, N. J., secy.

OCEAN PARK, ME.—Chautauqua Assembly, July 26 to Sept. 2, 1901. Mrs. S. A. Porter, 45 Andover st., Peabody, Mass., secy.

OCMULGEE, GA.—Teachers' Institute Assembly, Prof. C. E. Ware, Hawkinsville, Ga., secy.

OLCOTT, N. Y.—Ontario Chautauqua Assembly, W. H. Dutwater, Olcott, N. Y., secy.

OLD ORTHARD, ME.—Mrs. Susan Porter, Peabody, Mass., secy.

OLD SALEM, ILL.—Rev. W. A. Archer, Petersburg, Ill., secy.

OTAWA, ILL.—J. L. Hurlburt, 125 W. 108th st., New York, N. Y., secy.

PACIFIC GROVE, CAL.—Rev. Thos. Phil. San Francisco, Calif., secy.

PALMER, LAKE, ILL.—Rocky Mountain Assembly, F. M. Priestly, 142 Downing ave., Denver, Colo., secy.

PETERSON, ILL.—Salem Chautauqua Assembly, Aug. 8 to 20, 1901.

PLAS-BELFE, ILL.—Rev. C. B. Warner, 460 Page ave., St. Louis, Mo., secy.

PLACERVILLE, CAL.—Champlain Assembly.

PLAINFIELD, ILL.—Champlain Assembly, July 24 to 31, 1901.

PLATINUM, ILL.—Rev. G. M. Brown, Derby, Conn., secy.

POINT LAKES, ILL.—Champlain Assembly, July 25 to Aug. 7, 1901. A. C. Folsom, 601 Howard st., secy.

PLGET SOTN, WASH.—Rev. S. Green, Seattle, Wash., secy.

QUEEN CITY, PARK, AT.

REMINGTON, IND.—Robert Parker, Remington, Ind., secy.

RIDGEISTER, ILL.—Ridgeview Park Assembly.

ROME CITY, IND.—Western Chautauqua Association, July 24 to Aug. 11, 1901.

ROUND LAKE, N. Y.—Rev. B. B. Loumis, Round Lake, N. Y., secy.

ROUND LAKE, N. Y.—Round Lake Chautauqua Assembly, July 22 to Aug. 4, 1901. John D. Royas, secy.

ST. JOSEPH, MO.—Dr. Chas. English, care Lake Improvement Co., secy.

SALEM, NEB.—O. W. Davis, Salem, Neb., secy.

SELLERSVILLE, PA.—J. H. Wolf, 301 Drexel Building, Philadelphia, Pa., secy.

SHASTA, CAL.—Rev. Thomas Fulton, San Francisco, Cal., secy.

SHELBYVILLE, ILL.—Champlain Assembly, July 25 to Aug. 4, 1901.

SILVER LAKE, N. Y.—Rev. J. E. Williams, Medina, N. Y., secy.

SHELBYVILLE, ILL.—Shelbyville Chautauqua Assembly, Geo. A. Roberts, Shelbyville, Ill., secy.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—Riverside Assembly.

SMITHVILLE, O.—Chautauqua Assembly.

SPIRIT LAKE, ILL.—E. A. Brownell, Spirit Lake, Ia., secy.

SPRINGDALE, ARK.—J. H. Shinn, Springdale, Ark., secy.

TACOMA, WASH.—Vashon Island Assembly.

TALLADEGA, ALA.—Wellington Van Voter, Talladega, Ala., secy.

TENNILLE, ILL.—C. C. Brown, Tennille, Ga., secy.

TELLY, N. Y.—Chautauqua Assembly, Aug. 10 to 25, 1901.

TELLY LAKE, N. Y.—Central New York Assembly, Dr. H. Cook, 426 The Barn Stable, Syracuse, N. Y., secy.

TWIN CITY, ILL.—W. M. Menley, Utica, Ill., secy.

TRIBANA, ILL.—Crystal Lake.

TRIBANA, ILL.—Twin City Chautauqua, Aug. 16 to 25, 1901.

WATHENA, KAN.—Mid Summer Chautauqua Assembly, July 27 to Aug. 4, 1901.

WATERLIO, ILL.—J. F. Sessions, Waterloo, Ia., secy.

WATHENA, KAN.—Chautauqua Assembly, J. A. Stewart, secy.

WAXAHACHIE, TEX.—Rev. C. P. McConnell, Waxahachie, Tex., secy.

WELLSBURG, W. VA.—Bethelv Assembly, Rev. John F. Jose, 1118 College Place, Wellsburg, W. Va., secy.

WEST PLAINS, MO.—Mammoth Springs Assembly.

WHITE CLOUD, KAN.—Interstate Chautauqua.

WHITE CLOUD, KAN.— Interstate Assembly.

WILLIAMETTE, VALLEY, ORE.—J. W. Gray, Oregon City, Ore., secy.

WILLIAMS DRIVE, PA.—Cumberland Valley Assembly, A. A. Line, Carlisle, Pa., secy.

WINFIELD, KAN.—S. W. Stophlet, Winfield, Kan., secy.

WINONA LAKE, IND.—Winona Chautauqua Assembly, June 30 to Aug. 27, 1901. Rev. S. C. Dickey, 1114, presiding officer.

WINONA LAKE, IND.—Sol. C. Dickey, Stephenson Building, Indianapolis, Ind., secy.

PENSACOLA, FLA.—Auspices Stevedore, Benevolent Association No. 1. Thos. John son, pres.

Expositions.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—World's Mineral Manufactured and Agricultural Exposition, 1905.

BITTALO, N. Y.—Pan-American Exposition, May 1 to Nov. 1, 1901. John G. Milburn, pres.; Edwin Fleming, secy.

CHARLESTON, S. C.—South Carolina Interstate and West Indian Exposition Dec. 1, 1901, to June 1, 1902. Samuel Lapland, Charleston, S. C.

CINCINNATI, OH.—Cincinnati Fall Festival, Sept. 16 to 28, 1901. Will S. Heck, Vincennes, Ind., secy.

CLIFTON, O.—Ohio Exposition, Aug. 26 to Sept. 7, J. W. Fleming, asst. secy., W. W. Miller, secy.

GT. GRETNNA PARK, LEBANON, CINCINNATI, OH.—PA. Exposition, Aug. 19 to 23, 1901. F. M. White, Lebanon, Pa., director of amusements.

OSTERSBURG, PA.—Industrial Exhibition, Oster's Grove, Aug. 15 and 16. Geo. W. Dister, secy.

SEATTLE, WASH.—International Exposition, 1904.

SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, CAN.—Canada's Great Eastern Exposition, Aug. 31 to Sept. 7, 1901. W. M. Tomlinson, secy.

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TOPEKA, KAN.—International Exposition, June 1, 1904.
TORONTO, ONT., CAN.—Toronto Fair and Exposition, Aug. 26 to Sept. 7, 1901. H. J. Hill, secy.

Horse Shows.

ATLANTA, GA.—Horse Show, Oct. 22 to 25, 1901. T. H. Martin, secy.
BAYSHORE, N.Y.—Horse Show, Oct. 1901.
DANVILLE, ILL.—Horse Show, Aug. 26 to 31, W. H. Rice, promoter.
EDENTON ROYAL, VA.—Aug. 15 and 16. H. L. Cook, secy.
HARRISONBURG, VA.—Rockingham Horse and Colt Show, Aug. 21 and 22. J. C. Stiegel, pres.; J. A. Myers, secy.
LEXINGTON, KY.—Horse Show, Aug. 12 to 17, 1901. E. W. Shunklin, secy.
LONG BRANCH, N. J.—Horse Show, July 25 to 27, 1901. P. J. Casey, 10 W. 23d st., New York City, N. Y., secy.
LOUISVILLE, KY.—Horse Show, Oct. 1 to 5, 1901.
MANASSAS, VA.—Horse Show, July 31 to Aug. 1, 1901. J. J. Davis, secy.
NEWPORT, R. I.—Horse Show, Sept. 2 to 4, 1901. Casino Grounds.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Horse Show, November, 1901. Gen. Eugene May, Canal and Chartres sts.
ORANGE, VA.—Horse Show, Aug. 8 and 9, 1901. Dr. Frank B. Perry, Orange, Va., secy.

Picnics.

ALBANY, WASH.—Modern Woodmen Picnic, September. Address C. G. Burkhardt.
GRAVITY, ILL.—M. W. A. Picnic, Aug. 15. C. A. Dionne, mgr.
MCKINNEY, TEX.—Business Men's Picnic, Aug. 7 and 8, 1901.
OSTERSBURG, PA.—Big Granger Picnic, Oster's Grove, Aug. 15 and 16, 1901. Geo. W. Oster, secy.
SAVANNAH, MO.—M. W. of A. Northwest Missouri Log Rolling, Aug. 8, 1901. Walter Burres, Savannah, Mo., secy.
WEBSTER CITY, IA.—Webster County M. W. of A. Picnic, Aug. 1, 1901. C. H. Richardson, Webster City, Ia., secy.

Flower Shows.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Chrysanthemum and Fall Flower Show, November, 1901. D. Newsham, secy.

Poultry Shows.

ATLANTA, GA.—Poultry Show, Oct. 14 to 26, 1901. T. H. Martin, secy.
ATLANTA, GA.—Poultry and Pet Stock Show, Oct. 14 to 19.
BATTLE CREEK, MICH.—Michigan State Poultry and Pigeon Association and Michigan Fanciers' Association (combined shows), Jan. 7 to 10, 1902. Tucker and Butterfield, judges; L. G. Nichols, secy.
BRANFORD, CONN.—Poultry Show, Sept. 18 to 20. G. R. Hair, secy. and supt.
BRYMER, MO.—Fourth Annual Poultry Show, Dec. 3 to 7, 1901. R. V. Glenn, Kingstown, Mo., secy.
CAMBRIDGE, N. Y.—The Great Fair and Poultry Show, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. Elliot B. Norton, secy.
DAYTON, OH.—Gem City Association Poultry Exhibition, Jan. 3 to 7, 1902. James Tucker, judge.
MIDDLETON, O.—Middletown Poultry Club, Dec. 17 to 21, 1901. N. O. Selby, secy.
MUSKEGON, MICH.—Union Agricultural Association Poultry Show, Sept. 10 to 13. C. S. Marr, secy.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Flower City Poultry and Pigeon Association, Jan. 10 to 16, 1902, at Fitzhugh Hall. John Drechsler, secy.

Dog Shows.

ATLANTA, GA.—Bench Show, Oct. 9 to 13, 1901. T. H. Martin, secy. Under auspices of the Atlanta Kennel Club.
BRANDON, MAN., CAN.—Brandon Kennel Club Bench Show, July 23 to 26, 1901. J. P. Brisius, secy.
FRANFORD, CONN.—Dog Show, Sept. 8 to 20. G. R. Hair, secy. and supt.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Pan-American Exposition Dog Show, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901. E. M. Oldham, secy.
MUSKEGON, MICH.—Union Agricultural Association Dog Show, Sept. 10 to 13. C. S. Marr, secy.
TORONTO, ONT. (Canada).—Toronto Industrial Exhibition Dog Show, Sept. 2 to 6. W. T. Fraser, secy. and supt.

Live Stock Shows

ATLANTA, GA.—Live Stock Show, Oct. 11 to 24, 1901. T. H. Martin, secy.

Tournaments.

CHRYSSTALL FALLS, MICH.—Big Firemen's Tournament, Aug. 7 to 18. Lushfield & Brown, mrs.
DETROIT, MICH.—State Trap Shooters' League Tournament, July 24 and 25, 1901.
MARSHALLTOWN, IA.—State Firemen's Tournament, Aug. 27 to 30, 1901.
MILWAUKEE, WIS.—State Tournament of Turners, A. Mahler, care Boston Store, Milwaukee, Wis., secy.

PARKS.

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AKRON, O.—Lake Side Park. Harry Hawe, manager.
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AKRON, O.—Summit Lake Park. Menches Bros., managers.
AKRON, O.—The Gorge. Harry A. Hawe, manager.
ALBANY, N. Y.—Kinderhook Park. E. M. Robinson, manager.
ALBANY, N. Y.—Lagoon Island.
ALBANY, N. Y.—Weber's Park.
ALBANY, N. Y.—Island Park. E. Bernstein, 41 S. Pearl st., Albany, N. Y., manager.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Dorney Park.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Central Park.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Manhattan Park.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Willow Grove Park.
ALTOONA, PA.—Wopsononock Park, near Altoona. Wopsononock Park and Hotel Co., 713 Drexel Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.
ANNISTON, ALA.—Oxford Lake Park. Howard W. Sexton, managers.
ASHLAND, KY.—Cliffside Park. J. F. Arnold, manager.
ATCHISON, KAN.—Forest Park. J. A. Bendure, manager.
ATLANTA, GA.—Piedmont Park. T. H. Martin, secy.
ATLANTA, GA.—Lakewood Park. Lakewood Park Co. T. M. Poole, pres.
ATLANTA, GA.—Ponce De Leon Park. Woolford & Kalbfeld, mrs.
ATLANTIC CITY, N.J.—Japanese Tea Garden. Elmer Schlichter, manager.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Virginia Beach. Southern Amusement Company, 409 Clifftons Bank Bldg., Norfolk, Va., mrs.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Young's Pier.
AUBURNDALE, MASS.—Norumbega Park. Carl Albert, manager.
AUGUSTA, GA.—Monte Sano Park; G. H. Conklin, manager attractions.
AUSTIN, TEX.—Zoo Park.
AUSTIN, TEX.—Hyde Park.
AUSTIN, TEX.—Watters Park. Pavilion, Summer Theater, Athletic Field. W. H. Salge, lessee.
BALTIMORE, MD.—Hollywood Park. Jas. L. Kerna, manager.
BALTIMORE, MD.—River View Park; Jas. L. Kerna, manager.
BALTIMORE, MD.—Prospect Park. Grant Stockham, secy.
BALTIMORE, MD.—Electric Park; L. H. Baker, manager.
BATTLE CREEK, MICH.—Lake View Park.
BAXTER SPRINGS, KAN.—Rennison Park. C. E. Collins, manager.
BAY CITY, MICH.—Winona Beech Park. L. W. Richards, manager.
BELVA, W. VA.—Beech Glen. Ralph Justice, manager.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Casino Park. J. P. E. Clark, manager.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Elm Garden.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Ross Park. J. P. E. Clark, manager.
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—East Lake Park. J. B. McClary, manager.
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Lake View.
BOONE, IA.—Whitecomb Park. G. J. Prescott, mgr.
BOSTON, MASS.—Charles River Park.
BOSTON, MASS.—Crescent Park.
PRANTFORD, ONT.—Sherman's Park. W. R. Sherman, manager.
BRADFORD, PA.—Clarkdale Park.
BRANTFORD, ONT., CAN.—Mohawk Park.
BRANTFORD, ONT., CAN.—Sherman Park. G. H. Summers, 66 Metcalfe st., Toronto, Ont., mgr.
BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—Pleasure Beach.
BRIGHTON, PA.—Junction Park. Beaver Valley Traction Co., managers.
BRISTOL, TENN.—Cliffsde Park. Oliver Taylor, manager.
BRISTOL, TENN.—Clifton Park. Oliver Taylor, manager.
BRISTOL, TENN.—Parthenon Park. Oliver Taylor, manager.
BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Bergen Beach.
BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Ulmer Park. William Texter, proprietor.
BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Lagoon Island. John F. Weber, manager.
BRUNSWICK, ME.—Merrymeeting Park. L. R. & R. Ry. Co. M. I. Masson, general manager.
BRYAN, TEX.—Kernoles Park. J. C. Kernele, manager.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Crystal Beach.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Elmwood Beach.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Leins Park.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Woodlawn Beach.
BURLINGTON, IA.—Ferris Wheel Park.

BURLINGTON, IA.—Otter Island.
BUTTE, MONT.—Columbia Gardens. Geo. Forsythe, manager.
CAMDEN, N. J.—Woodlin Park. M. W. Taylor, manager.
CANTON, O.—Myers Lake Park.
CARLISLE, PA.—Cave Hill Park.
CARTHAGE, MO.—Lakeside Park. George Haliday, manager.
CARTHAGE, MO.—Midway Park.
CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—Athletic Park.
CHARLESTON, S. C.—Chicora Park.
CHARLESTON, W. VA.—Beechwood Park.
CHARLOTTE, N. Y.—Ontario Beach Park.
CHESTER, PA.—Lindenthorne Park.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Ferris Wheel Park. L. V. Rice, manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Bismarck Park. Grace & Hostetler, managers.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Chutes Park. E. P. Simpson, general manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Sans Souci Park. Alfred Russell, manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Sunnyside Park.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Electric Park.
CINCINNATI, O.—Red Bank Park.
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CINCINNATI, O.—Zoological Garden. C. L. Williams, manager.
CINCINNATI, O.—Coney Island. W. E. Clark, manager.
CINCINNATI, O.—Lagoon. G. M. Keefer, mgr.
CINCINNATI, O.—Silver Grove. Fred Ilse, manager. Address Ft. Thomas, Kentucky.
CLEARFIELD, PA.—Clearfield Park. R. H. Shaw, secy.
CLEVELAND, O.—Euclid Beach Park.
CLEVELAND, O.—Forest City Park. Jake Mentz, manager.
CLEVELAND, O.—Manhattan Beach. W. R. Ryan, manager.
CLEVELAND, O.—Chippewa Lake Park. W. & L. E. R. R. John Klugsborough, manager.
COHOES, N. Y.—Slip Street Park.
COTTAGE CITY, MASS.—Sheedy's Park. T. B. Bayles, manager.
COLUMBUS, GA.—North Highland Park.
COLUMBUS, O.—Minerva Park.
COLUMBIA, S. C.—Hyatt's Park. E. B. Columbus, O.—Collins' Garden.
COLUMBUS, O.—Olentangy Park. Olentangy Park Co., managers.
COMRANT LAKE, PA.—Exposition Park. E. D. Comstock, mgr.
CONCORD, N. H.—Coontcock River Park.
CONNEY ISLAND, N. Y.—Chutes Park. Thomas Falk, mgr.
CONNEAUT LAKE, PA.—Exposition Park.
CORNING, N. Y.—Bronson Park.
CORNING, N. Y.—Painted Post Park.
COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA.—Lake Manawa. W. S. Dimock, manager.
COVINGTON, KY.—Lagoon Park. G. M. Keefer, mgr.
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DAYTON, O.—Lucas Grove Park.
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