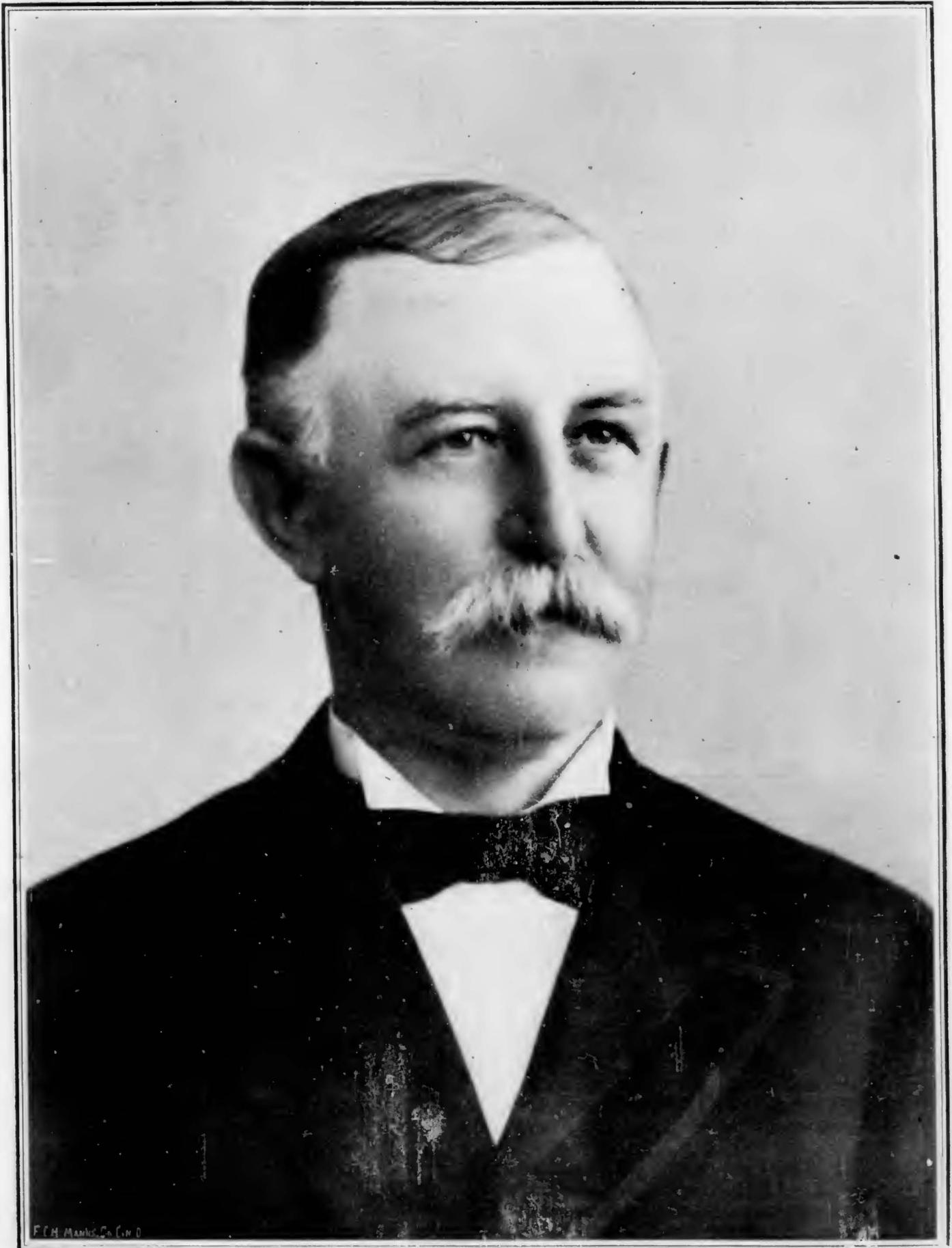


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JOHN D. MISHLER,

of Reading, Pa., President of the Pennsylvania Bill Posters' Association.

Bill Posters' Department.

W. M. Donaldson's Alpine Tour.

We are glad to announce the safe return from Europe of Mr. W. M. Donaldson, president of the Donaldson Litho Company, of Newport, Ky., who, with his daughter and wife, have recently enjoyed an extended visit to the Paris Exposition, making a tour of Scotland, England, France, Switzerland and Belgium.

Bill Boards in Campaigns.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 31.—Bill boards covered with posters denouncing the county boss are a feature of the campaign in Washtenaw county, where "Mysterious Bill" Judson has fallen away. The anti-Judsonites, and their name is legion, are particularly bitter against the county boss, and are waging a hot personal campaign. They have hung a scheme on their adversaries that is once unique and effective. Chairman Moran, of the anti-Judsonites, has ordered connected hundreds of bill bulletin boards, which will be distributed throughout the county.

offer of \$10 reward for evidence against any one who tears down or mutilates them. It is a novelty in politics that has stirred the county from one end to the other, and the campaign in that neck of woods is the hottest of any in the State.

Another Big Gunning Contract.

Victor F. Lawson, publisher of the Chicago Daily News and the Chicago Record, has placed with the R. J. Gunning Company one of the largest orders ever given for a railway sign display in and around Chicago. It consists of a covering of everything in sight almost, in the way of wall, barn, shed and fence spaces on every line of railway entering the city, with painted announcements of the Chicago Daily News. For a distance of thirty miles from all depots these signs have been painted, and it is impossible for anyone to enter or leave the city without seeing almost constantly strong and attractive displays, in black ground and yellow letters, of the independence, news-getting qualities, etc., of the Daily News. Numerous different catch-lines are used, so that on each road a complete story of its dominant features are told. Thus the leadership of the Gunning System in outdoor advertising matters is further emphasized by this Daily News order, which will create a thirty-thousand-dollar advertising impression throughout the entire West.

Gainesville, Tex., Gleams.

To the Editor of "The Billboard": Dear Sir—In my eighteen years' experience as city bill poster and distributor in Gainesville my business has gradually improved from year to year until at the present I am proud to say I am on the very apex of my career in those lines. I have over 1,000 lineal feet of boards and walls, and space for over 1,000 sheets on 9,000 daubs. Next week we will build two new boards each 100 feet long on two prominent corners which I have leased. All my boards and walls, daubs and three-sheet boards are now covered, and paper dots of it in the bill room waiting for space. Good work and "stickiest" venos" will win. Think of it—eighteen years in one town! Oh, gee, but that's a long time! Will have something of importance to write you in a few days. I am stuck on "The Billboard." don't fail to mail me one every week, as I look forward to its receipt. Keep my name in the weekly directory. I have been a subscriber since you started. Don't forget your old friends. You know they are the best. PAUL GALLIA.

Bill Poster Ate Toadstools.

To the Editor of "The Billboard": Newark, N. J., Aug. 29.—(Special.)—Henry Williams, a bill poster, living on Thirteenth street, mistook toadstools for mushrooms on Sunday, and in consequence he and his wife became very sick. Williams gathered what he supposed to be mushrooms Sunday morning, and they were served for dinner, but at 3 o'clock Williams and his wife became deathly sick, and it was several hours before they were out of danger. Mrs. Williams is resting comfortably to-day, and her husband is now able to be out.

Pennsylvania's Pioneer.

John H. Moshler, whose portrait adorns the front page of this issue, is the well known bill poster and theatrical manager of Reading. Mr. Moshler organized the Pennsylvania Bill Posters' Association at Reading, December 18, 1891, and has been the president ever since, being annually re-elected with out opposition. He is known in the theatrical profession and among bill posters as "Uncle John." He made an extensive acquaintance with bill posters during a four-years' tour with Bartholomew's Equine Paradox. He is interested in theaters in the leading cities of Eastern Pennsylvania and the Academy of Music of Reading, where he resides. He is foremost in the support and encouragement of the city's charities and local public enterprises, being known by nearly every man, woman and child in Reading. John Moshler has many peculiarities, one is to always tell the truth, regardless of any advantage it might be to him to do otherwise. He believes in square dealing always; he at all times acts conscientiously and believes in assisting the beginner or those who are at a disadvantage, and thus has helped to keep the Pennsylvania Association growing in membership. In the theatrical profession he is known as one of the very few managers who will not exaggerate and always tell the truth in newspaper advertisements for performances at his theater.

Newark, O., News.

To the Editor of "The Billboard": Dear Sir—As you have not had a report from here for some time, I thought I would let you know that I am still doing business at the old stand, and, judging from the contracts I have and work done, will be for some time to come. Business has been good, considering that this is the dull season. Have distributed 7,000 pieces, Meyer Bros. & Co., local, in city and county; 4,000 samples and 100 signs, India Spice & Drug Co.; 4,000 samples, Carleton Med. Co.; 3,000, J. W. Brant & Co.; 4,000 M. M. Penner and 4,000 special M. M. Penner & Co.; 4,000 samples Kane O'clock Washing Tins, 8,000 Lydia E. Pinkham Co.; 7,000 (two distributors) Dr. Chase & Co.; 3,000, Dr. Kennedy's Ointment; 4,000 John Morrow & Co.; 3,000, W. A. Molton Agency. Posted 100 sheets, Froot & King, local, and 150 signs; 40 1/2 sheets, Ohio State Fair, besides lot of other work, which would take too much space to report. Advertisers, let me hear from you. I'll treat you right. H. McFARLAND.

Lawrence, Kans., Lines.

To the Editor of "The Billboard": Dear Sir—Nothing doing in commercial work this month and September. Wallace Shows and Buffalo Bill's Wild West have all of our lumber covered and several new stocks borrowed from the lumber man. Between the two shows, the town is more begot, he-stuck and bannered than it has ever been before, and as the time grows shorter things grow warmer. We will need commerce again in October. Season's business has not been so active as last year. IRVING HILL.

Cheboygan, Mich., Comments.

To the Editor of "The Billboard": Dear Sir—Business has been very good with me this summer. I have had my boards full

very near all the time with theatrical and commercial paper. Distributing is very fair but not as good as expected. I think we have one of the best cities in the United States. We have a population of 9,000, seven saw mills, two stove mills, eight shingle mills, two foundries, two machine shops, one boiler works, two wood-turning works and one tannery, and also several other industries. Employ altogether about 4,000 men. I have on hand at present the following paper: Worth Navy Tidaco, of Detroit, Peace Maker Cigars, Detroit; Old Virginia Cheroots, Banner Cigars, Petoskey Business College, Detroit Business University and Down Mobile. Have had no circus this year. The city and county are hungry for a good one. A. J. FINN.

Anglo-Japanese Signs.

The "bill board nuisance," as newspapers shrewdly term one of our leading justices, might consistently be condemned if we had a few Japanese sign painters and bill posters in the ranks. Rev. Francis E. Clark relates in the Century Magazine that in the larger Japanese cities many shopkeepers have applied to a sign painter who has acquired that dangerous thing, a little knowledge of English, without drinking deep of the Pierian spring, for a "shingle" that shall express to the world in Western characters the nature of their business. The assurance of these sign painters is not matched by their familiarity with English spelling, construction, moods and tenses, and the result is often amusing in the extreme. For instance, one is amazed to see in Tokio a sign that boldly announces:

A TAILOR CUT TO ORDER. Another one informs us: PHOTOGRAPHER EXECUTED HERE. A hatter in Kobe announces that he sells GENERAL SORT STRAW HAT, and another informs the public that he is a DEALER IN NEWANDSTHISISTRAWHAT WILL MAKE TO ORDER. Some of the signs really seem to suggest needed English words, like: BUTCHERY AND PROVISIONS. Why not "butchery?" Another tells us that he deals in SOFT GOODS.

He does not mean "soft drinks," either, but soft woolen goods. A baker tells us that he keeps a BAKETRY.

The conjunctions are difficult for the average sign painter to master, consequently he sometimes tells the world of a HOUSE SHIP AND PAINTER, or that within there is for sale SHOTTINGAN POWDER AND.

A glance at the rifles, shotguns and powder horns within makes the sign plain. Another tells us that:

BYCICLE TO LEND, SEL AND are within. It is not strange that a single letter should get out of place, as in RESTURAND.

MEALS AT ALL HOUSES, CIGARAND AND CHABETTED, and the like. But it does seem as if a wag with a keen sense of humor had been at work when we read, as we do in a prominent street of Osaka:

ER—MAN—WASH. Put the last syllable first, and you will catch the thought. A wag, too, must have prepared the label for a dealer in borax, who, after extolling the purity and value of his preparation, put in large letters at the bottom:

BEWARE OUR TRADEMARK. Perhaps the most startling milk sign in Japan is:

COWS MILKED AND RETAILED, which, if I mistake not, is to be found in Kyoto. Cloth-dealers also have had not a little of difficulty in "putting away their wares." Here is one of their signs:

SILK HEMP COTTON AND SEVERAL HAIRS, SEVERAL KINDS YARN, REAL ESTATE LONE AND CORRECTING AGENCY appears in Tokio, a place, perhaps, for bad boys and girls.

Public signs and notices are often as amusing as the shop signs. For instance, one that appears on the way up the famous bluff at Yokohama:

IT IS FORBIDDEN TO THROW THE STONE A MAN IS BEING WOUNDED

Probably in some past year a stone thrown over the bank hit a passer by, but the man is still being wounded. At a temple near we read:

ALL VISITOR ARE NOT ALLOW TO ENTER THIS TEMPLE PUTTING ON THEIR SHOE.

Hence of course we took off our shoe. I copied the following from a poster on the side of a house in a little fishing village on the shore of the Inland Sea:

TO LET GRASS IN BEACH WHEN IF YOU LIKE I WILL DID AWAY FROM STREET AND WILL TAKEN DIRTY COTTAGE.

On matine deliever, one of several signs was decided that the owner meant to say that if he rented his lot on the beach he would move his house from the street, and also take away the "dirty cottage" that now in un-tenured his ground.

BILLPOSTERS' PASTE BRUSHES.

The most desirable Lasting Brush made. Be sure you get the "DONALDSON" "UNEXCELLED." This brush is manufactured expressly for us, and is fully warranted. It is the closest of the great durability. Guaranteed to outlast all others. Price, 25c each. 50c each. 10c each. 10c each. 10c each. Send the money with the order. Name sent C. O. D. The Donaldson Litho. Co., Newport, Ky.



William M. Donaldson and Touring Party on the start for Mount Blanc.

Foot Light Flickerings.

George Chennell Shows.

Theater-goers will be delighted to find that Messrs. Pusey and St. John are to be the stars for the coming season in "A Run on the Bank," one of the most popular and best-written farce comedies before the public.

He Never Advertised.

"Speaking of press agents," said David Henderson the other night to a New York Telegraph man, "I never knew a man who hated them more than old John Knapp, of the St. Louis Republican. He was always afraid he would give somebody a free puff or print something for nothing. He never would publish a lawyer's or a doctor's name if he could possibly avoid it, for fear he would advertise them gratis."

Gossip.

Paul L. Boshell is in advance of "Two Married Women." All the Chicago theaters played to standing-room-only during the G. A. R. Encampment Week. Two prominent Eastern vaudeville houses are reported to have already broken away from the trust.

Sam Scrimin's Show is a galaxy of high-class vaudeville stars, headed by Etta Kendall and Hallen and Fuller. James H. Castle, father of George Castle, the well-known Chicago vaudeville manager, died Sunday September 2, at his home in Chicago.

The Ellen Snow Printing Company, New York, recently secured judgment for \$3,100 by default against E. G. Ross, who took out "The Telephone Girl" last season.

Frank L. Perly has purchased from W. G. Smyth a half interest in his contract with William Collier, who will remain under their joint management for several seasons.

Jack Hooper, formerly a partner with Grubel in the bill-posting business at Manhattan, Minn., is producing "The Woman in Black," and traveling with the show.

It has just come to light that Miss Dorothy Esner, who has been for several years a notable favorite, both in the music boxes and in vaudeville, was married on Aug. 11 at Lakebank, Staten Island, to George Nelson Baxter, a newspaper man.

The success of Charles K. Hager's play, "A Business Transaction," recently produced in St. Louis, has greatly encouraged the author. "There is material in my next effort for a 'hooker,'" writes Charles, "and I intend to make it one when I get at it."

A dispatch from Chicago brings the intelligence that after September 8 Percy Messinger and Victory Dabman, the principals of a popular dramatic sketch team playing in the vaudeville, will part company and journey hither separately down to the pathway that leads to histrionic fame.

An attempt was made the other day to poison Miss Eva Grant, the daughter of Robert Grant, the well-known vaudeville agent, by means of a box of violet bonbons sent

through the mail. Miss Grant is a niece of Maurice Grant, the famous operatic impressionist, and resides with her parents at New Rochelle, N. Y.

In Pittsburgh, Pa., it has been decided that small bill boards advertising theatrical attractions will not be tolerated in that city any longer, and Superintendent Leibel, of the police bureau, has been instructed to notify theatrical managers that they will not be allowed to scatter the small bill boards about the streets.

Maudie Caswell, the acrobatic girl who is making such a big hit wherever she appears on the vaudeville stage, is the daughter of W. A. Caswell, the well-known bill poster of Sacramento, Cal. Miss Caswell is now introducing La rel jumping in her act, and is credited with being the first and only lady to accomplish this difficult work.

Frank Bancroft, business manager of the Cincinnati Base Ball Club, has signed a contract with Messrs. Heuck and Fendley to go out ahead of their big burlesque show, "The Rambler," as soon as the baseball season closes. This organization is headed by the formidable Burke Brothers, and will be one of the best in the road.

We learn that D. W. McAfee, well known in the theatrical circles of Australia, has been seriously ill with heart trouble, and has been confined in Bradley's private hospital at Melbourne for some time. Latest reports, however, bring the welcome tidings that his condition is improving, and that he will probably be able to resume business in a few weeks.

The New York Herald some time ago abolished the position of dramatic editor. Following the example of the Herald, the Morning Telegraph also announced that it no longer had such an individual around the office. Hereafter all the news of the theaters will be handled by the news staff under the direction of the city editor, Leonard Richardson, who has been the dramatic editor of the Morning Telegraph since it was started, still belongs to the staff, and will take dramatic assignment from the editor just like the rest of the boys.

After a long sabbath of darkness and brooding, the Robinson Opera House, Cincinnati, will again throw open its door to the amusement-loving public, where the higher class of melodrama will be given by a resident stock company of great ability. Mr. Walter Baldwin, of the well-known theatrical firm of Baldwin & Greenwood, is the backer of the enterprise. This firm controls the Grand Opera House in New Orleans. Mr. Baldwin operates Her Majesty's Theatre and the Theatre Francaise, in Montreal. The Theatre Francaise burned to the ground last spring and its owners are now engaged in rebuilding it on a splendid scale.

The Six Brothers have not yet succeeded in ousting George Lederer from the New York Casino. In the city court last week Justice Basall heard argument in the dispossession proceedings. He reserved decision on a number of technical objections made by counsel for Lederer based upon alleged defects in the petition presented by the Sixes, who allege that Lederer has defaulted in the payment of the agreed-upon rent for the Casino for two months. The rental is \$2,000 a month, and Lederer denies that he was to be charged during the period that the theatre has been closed, and so the wily G. G. still holds on.

The expected and finally expected first and anti-trust vaudeville show have come together in a clash of arms at Boston. Horace G. Allen, of the Castle Square Theatre, and Henry W. Savage, the opera manager, real estate dealer and general theatrical speculator, have at last decided to put vaudeville in the Boston Music Hall, now being reconstructed, and have applied for a license.

Allen and Savage are not in the trust, but R. F. Keith is, in fact, as every one knows, he is at the head of this institution, and it is rather significant that the name of this worthy appeared among those of the large number of business men who protested against giving Allen and Savage a license.

George and Clarence Hall, theatrical specialists, have signed Henry H. Palmer and Wm. Geiger, hotel proprietors, of Cincinnati, for \$1,000 for alleged breach of contract. It is alleged that a contract was made July 28 last for the services of them, lives and two minor children at \$20 per week. They purchased costumes and rehearsed their song and dance specialties. When it was too late to get another contract, they allege the defendants backed out. They therefore sue for \$30 for costumes, \$750 for thirty weeks' salary and \$200 for song royalties. The intention was to put a stock or vaudeville company on the road, but Palmer claims that Geiger, who was his broker, withdrew at the last moment.

Melbourne Hall, the home of the late Fannyavenport, at South Oxbury, Mass., is to be sold. She died in this house, in a room in the tower overlooking the broad Atlantic. Miss Favenport was always proud of her house. She spent \$50,000 in beautifying it. In her will she bequeathed Melbourne Hall to her husband, Melbourne Macdowell. He has never lived in it. The house is in need of repairs. Mrs. William Seymour, Miss Favenport's sister, who is conducting the sale, probably will not receive more than \$5,000 for the place to make it tenable. This is the last of Fannyavenport's treasures to pass into the hands of strangers. There is much that is pathetic in the scattering of her riches.

Subsequent to his successful spring season in New York, Tim Murphy set out for a brief tour preliminary to his summer rest. For this tour he designed a three-sheet poster absolutely unique in theatrical advertising. From a distance there was only visible in large red letters the following names, each extending the width of the bill board: "Tim Murphy, Joseph Jefferson, Richard Mansfield, Sol Smith Russell, William Crane, Abraham Lincoln." Five or six who saw the poster nearly led at what the combination of names could mean. Coming close, one could make out the interlinear small type. The bill simply contained the following excerpts from Mr. Murphy's New York comments: "Legitimate success to Joseph Jefferson," "Bruce McDonald," "Richard Mansfield never did anything half so good," "Alan Dalrymple" "New York News," "Far beyond the best work W. H. Crane ever dreamed of," "The Telegraph," "Here is an actor who possesses enough ability and skill to play Abraham Lincoln." There is no other actor on the American stage today who deserves that compliment. - Sun.

Hart, Mich., Happenings.

To the Editor of "The Billboard" - Dear Sir - My work on the boards has not been very heavy this season, but good for so small a town. Hart is the county seat of DeWanna County, which is a very fine fruit country. Peaches are grown very extensively. We are shipping about fifty cars of peaches daily, one car apples, four to six cars of plums. Our fair closes off Sept. 11 to 14. We have a lady ballroomist for four days. We will also have some good races. This is a fine farming country and very thickly settled by good, thrifty farmers. - FRED N. HARRIS

Distributors' Doings.

Boston Budget.

To the Editor of "The Billboard" - Dear Sir - Since writing you last, I have made a trip to London, so am unable to give you much news, having just returned, some fifteen days ago. Since my return I have distributed 10,000 cards for Nomenclaga Park Hotel, 1,000 circulars for Edward Florence, Tuffy He Com., and 15,000 booklets for Boston Credit Company, closed, which were furnished by the Booklet Publishing Company. I also expect work from W. A. Molton, Cleveland, O., to cover several of the fairs that are to be held near Boston during the month of September. It looks as though business would be very good this year, and whatever work R. D. Leonard's Advertising Agency contracts for, you can be assured is done thoroughly in every respect. Wishing "The Billboard" every success, very truly yours, R. D. LEONARD.

Abilene, Tex., Items.

To the Editor of "The Billboard" - Dear Sir - As I have never before written to "The Billboard," I will tell you what I have been doing lately. I have posted 100 sheets Coca Cola, have three months' contract for Old Virginia Cheroots; distributed 4,000 books for Boston Medical Institute; have also signed contract with same firm to distribute 5,000 books during the fair, have signed contract with The Chattanooga Medical Co. and also with the S. R. Fed Co. The future looks very bright here. Wishing "The Billboard" and all its readers much success, I remain, yours truly, J. F. MOYER.

Napoleon, O., Notes.

To the Editor of "The Billboard" - Dear Sir - If you will be kind enough to allow me a small space in your most valued publication, "The Billboard," I should like to say a word in regard to traveling distributors. I see the claim is made that local men can not be trusted. I do not think there are many local distributors that can not be trusted, for it is to their interest to do all advertising well. Traveling distributors come in town, tack up from fifteen to twenty signs on back streets where no one passes, here two or three small boys ten or twelve years old to distribute samples, while they sit in front of the hotel and smoke. There has not been a bill posted or sign tacked on any of my boards by a traveling advertiser for two years. This does not speak well in their favor. Napoleon is a city of nearly 5,000 inhabitants, and a very prosperous country. Every bill board is as here as the palm of my hand, and the only advertising you can see is probably twenty or thirty signs advertising tobacco tacked on some back streets. Traveling advertisers shan't get the right local men, and to can not post, tack or distribute advertising as conspicuously as reputable local men. - M. G. PALMER.



Mr. Donaldson and friends crossing the Mere de Glace Glacier, Switzerland.

MAGNETIC TACK HAMMERS!

Just the thing for tacking the and card board signs. Every distributor should have one. Prices, with double extension handle, 37 inches long, each, \$2.00; triple extension handles, 42 inches long, each, \$3.25. Send the money with the order. Name sent C. D. B. THE DONALDSON LITHO. CO., Newport, Ky.

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AN ORGAN OF DISCORD.

A great deal of grumbling is heard in the ranks of the Associated Bill Posters because General Manager Fitch, of the Protective project, under the pressure of boss influence, is bending all his energies with a view of divorcing the so-called official organ from the national organization, for the purpose of making it the subservient mouthpiece of that narrow little coterie of original progenitors, whose efforts towards promotion and protection have so far amounted to scarcely more than naught. There are a great many members of the bill posting fraternity, more or less prominent, who do not believe in the principles of the Protection pretext, and who accordingly have failed to sign or contribute. These are the ones that are responsible for the obtrusive howl that is heard throughout the land. Why should they, under the circumstances, lend their support to the sheet? And what an indignity, if not actual insult, it is to ask them to pay a bunch of advertisers' subscriptions, even at half-price? For who derives the benefit from any work these advertisers may decide to send out?—i. e., the solicitors, of course; that little self-admiring squad, with their 16 2/3 per cent. commission—who manage to continue as rulers of the roost by jollity, finesse and truckery.

A question, yet, a very pertinent one, which many bill posters would like to have answered, is this: "Will the tame, but innocuous and expensive journal, with the suicidal anchor of official organ attached, continue its checkered career as the toy-book of the national body, or will it be forced to draw its sustenance from the plethora of the Protective Company's capacious exchequer?" Mr. Fitch, it is now up to you and the men who

control your every breath and movement.

It will be noticed in this issue of "The Billboard" that a space has been reserved to chronicle the doings of a news interest that occur weekly in the theatrical world. This department is especially intended for theatrical managers, whether traveling or local, as well as their agents and other staff employes. It has been found that many bill posters, circus agents and fair followers are deeply interested in things theatrical, especially in the vaudeville line. So numerous have been the requests for more theatrical gossip in our columns, especially that pertaining to managers and agents, that the petitions could not be ignored. It is our intention to make this department lively, interesting and newsy, and to that end we respectfully request special contributions and up to date tidbits each week from everyone interested. Incidentally we desire to call the attention of theatrical folks to the fact that our advertising columns always bring prompt and prolific returns.

The departure of summer and its effect upon the advertising world prompts an exchange to the following appropriate remarks:

The approaching autumn will witness an increase of human energy and a revival of all the activities that have languished in the heat of an extraordinary summer. Everybody will discover new wants in preparing for the coming months. Those advertisers who will be first in the field will have an obvious advantage, not only in supplying the immediate needs of the community, but also in being able to lead the people to form the habit of dealing with them before the competition for trade shall become sharpest.

Whether advertising pays or doesn't pay is supposed to have been settled long ago, says a writer in the "Grocers' Magazine." It is simply a question of how the advertising is done. The number of grocers and provision dealers who are now paying some attention to this subject is increasing. The dealer, in order to be successful with his advertising, must devote some time and thought to the preparation of his announcements. An attractive catch-line, that is, two or three words to catch the eye, is almost a necessary feature, and the wording of the advertisement and the way it is arranged are very important. Of course certain lines of goods are to be advertised at certain seasons—that is, when people want them. If a man advertised ice at retail in the winter it wouldn't pay, because the people wouldn't need the ice. Yet one man did that very thing, and a man out West kept an advertisement of snow shoes before the public all the year around, summer as well as winter.

Comments.

Several pairs of eyes are centered on Detroit, Penn Drug Company, advertising Quaker Tonic, are using eight-sheets.

The St. Louis Milling Company, Carlsville, Ill., are getting on eight-sheet posters.

Paul Schaefer is still at Mt. Clemons, and his condition is reported as convalescent.

Ever since his oyster experience at Atlantic City, Jolly old Hote is as quiet as a clam.

Is there anything in a title? Ask Roaring Robert, and then consult with Colonel Burr.

The Brown, Sager & Hull Co., Toledo, O., have ordered a three-sheet and an eight-sheet.

William H. Donaldson, of the Donaldson Litho Company, Newport, Ky., is visiting in the East.

The Donaldson Litho Company has ordered another Huber press. It is a big double sheet affair.

Sam W. Hoke enjoys an occasional bicycle tour to the Catskills. Mrs. Hoke and daughter are visiting in Chicago.

Cincinnati has eight theaters, and the John Chapman Company handles all the theatrical bill posting in the city exclusively.

That bluff, bang, empty-barrelled oratory heard at convent ones is too often an echo of the empty barrel of finance in the firm represented.

The Miami Medicine Company, of Covington, O., will soon advertise Ann Hersy's Pine Tar Cough Syrup extensively on the bill boards.

Reeck's Distributing Service, of Frankfort, Ky., distributes anything and everything for the advertiser. All work is guaranteed to be first-class.

Since the Detroit distributors meeting, bill posters have been falling all over themselves in the rush for certificates in the ill-fated organization.

A prominent manufacturer announces that he intends to spend \$100,000 this year in advertising. That is a get-rich-quick scheme that is legitimate.

It is believed in some quarters that Waller will be "lobstered" out of Detroit inside of a year. Rate-cutting, it is said, will be the pretext for action.

Al Bryan spent a whole day last week trying to convince Huo Chapman that the Queen City was gradually developing into a suburb of Cleveland.

There is one debasing and despised characteristic in any man's nature, when should never permit of pardon or reconciliation and that is white-livered cowardice.

Harry Stoops, of Chattanooga, Tenn., has entered the political arena, and is a Democratic candidate for alderman. It is said that he is reasonably sure of being elected.

Throughout the summer months George W. Rife, of Baltimore, spends every Saturday and Sunday at Atlantic City with his family, who are guests at the Hotel Windsor.

Some one has discovered that Xenia, one of Ohio's pretty little towns, possesses a rather unpronounceable name, and has suggested to Charlie McClellan that it be changed to Africa.

Corbett, the bill poster at Emporia, Kan., reports his boards clear full for September with a big street fair and usual commercial work, and a good contract with Buffalo Bill's Wild West.

President Charles Bryan has issued a call for a special meeting of the board of directors of the Associated Bill Posters, to be held at the Hotel Bartholdi, New York City, Monday, Sept. 17.

C. H. Graham, manager of the Washington Bill Posting Company, Tacoma, Wash., writes that business is very prosperous at present, and the outlook for a good fall trade is encouraging.

The Mooney & Tobin Live Lining Company of San Antonio, Tex., is prepared to do a high grade of work in their line. Advertisers desiring prompt and efficient service would do well to write to them.

Los Angeles' new ordinance regulating the height of bill boards to ten, instead of six feet, went into effect Aug. 22. The ordinance was not signed by the mayor, but became a law by limitation of time.

It is said that Fitch's official organ still owes Stahlbrodt over \$100, which the latter has been unable to collect. And this is the thanks "Teddy" receives for setting up the burden of Campbell's debts.

It is pretty generally conceded that Harry Merkle, of Dayton, O., has a broader and more familiar knowledge and experience of the bill posting conditions and necessities in Detroit, Mich., than any other man.

R. Nolan, the enterprising Alpena (Mich.) bill poster, who has been confined to his room for the past six weeks with rheumatism, is now out and attending to business. He is overran with work, and it will be some time before he catches up again.

E. B. Bridger, manager of Bridger's Advertising Agency, of Atlanta, Ga., writes that although he is doing nothing at all at present the outlook for a successful fall season is the best he has ever had. He has booked several large contracts and others are in sight.

Charles Garland, bill poster at Ironwood, Mich., writes that Gentry's Dog and Pony Show, No. 2, paid his town a visit recently and performed before large and well-pleased audiences. The show is much larger than it was a year ago when it visited the town.

Stoth's Flying Bill Poster, manufactured at West Plains, Mo., is an ingenious little device, which enables the manipulator to stick posters in conspicuous places without the use of a ladder. It works somewhat like

an air gun, shooting the poster a distance of from 25 to 100 feet, and fastening it every time.

In San Jose, Cal., an ordinance reducing the bill posting license from \$25 per month to 40 a quarter was recently passed. Some time ago the license was lifted to the \$25 altitude because it was thought the local bill posting firm intended to advertise San Francisco houses to the detriment of San Jose houses.

Paul Bexton is one of the many amusement promoters who has a high appreciation of "The Billboard" as an advertising medium. Writing from Coney Island under date of Aug. 27, he remarks: "I beg to state that I am very well satisfied with results obtained through your paper, and consider it an all-around advertising medium."

A drug firm of Morris, Ill., has been for some time past sending up toy balloons with advertisements attached to them and with the request that the holder of each balloon write to the company for free remedies. The company is now getting letters from all over the country—even Pittsburg, Pa.—from holders of these balloons.

The Battle Creek Pure Food Company, of Battle Creek, Mich., has completed arrangements for marketing its new food products upon a very large scale. Several foods are manufactured by the company, prominent among which is Malted Wheat. One hundred thousand dollars or more will be spent the first year in advertising.

H. Gaylord Wilshire, the well-known Los Angeles bill-sticker and champion golfer, once again occupies a prominent place in the gaze of his comrades. This time he is a candidate for congress on the Social Democratic ticket. His political principles are enshrined in these words: "Let the nation own the trusts," and his chances for election are said to be very good.

Jim Curran, of Denver, says he heartily concurs with Wilshire's views, expressed in a recent issue of "The Billboard," to the effect that the national association, with the Protective Company, as well as bill posters individually, should take hold of this bill board ordinance question and fight it in a body in the different cities, as it would certainly be of benefit to all concerned.

A Mr. Carroll (Ill.) merchant has a unique advertising scheme. To any young couple who will get married in the show window of his store during his week, he promises to present them with a complete parlor suite, sack of flour, five pounds of meat, tea kettle, toilet soap, bed spread, glass set, mirror, some sheet music, bottle of perfume, six loaves of bread, table cloth, clock, lamp, curtains, a year's subscription to local paper, wedding dinner, a railroad ticket for a wedding tour, and other articles.

In a letter to the editor of "The Billboard" one of the most prominent and influential members of the Associated Bill Posters very wisely remarks: "There are certain people—one in particular, whom we all know—who get up in convent on and make a noisy holler and a strong bluff, but that only goes for the time being, and you can rest assured that the conservative members think differently and act according to their best judgment in matters pertaining to their own business. No amount of roaring can conceal clear-cut facts."

Complaints have reached "The Billboard" frequently regarding the poor service rendered advertisers in the State of Mississippi. The Carlstadt Medicine Company, of Evansville, Ind., are the latest to register a kick. Here's what they say: "We have a great deal of trouble with bill posters in Mississippi by making contracts with them, and after we ship paper to our customers, they go back on contract. Is there not some way to compel these parties to do the work? We especially wish to call your attention to W. H. Hicks, bill poster at Winona, Miss. We believe he ought to be exposed."

There seems to be an implied agreement among persons engaged in certain lines of business to avoid the appearance of competition, and thus escape the expense of advertising, observes the Philadelphia Record being without experience, they do not know that the wresting of trade from rival establishments is not the only effect of the publication or display of business announcements. One of the results of advertising is to increase the total volume of trade. Most people have to be frequently reminded of their own needs and duties. The cost of judicious advertising is small compared with the profits.

The art of advertising has a few fixed rules. People read ads, not for amusement, but to secure information, and the man who has a house, a medicine or any kind of merchandise to sell or services to offer to the public does the most essential thing when he says so simply, directly and persistently. Still, there is always room for originality, and if he have a new idea as to how to display and arrange his announcements so as to arrest people's attention and make an enduring impression, he is bound to profit thereby. New ideas in advertising will be in demand so long as they shall not violate the rules of simplicity and lucidity. Philadelphia Record.

The work of the following famous artists has been used for advertising purposes: Walter Crane, Prof. Herkomer, Sir John Millais, Mr. H. Stacy Marks, Mr. G. D. Low, and Sir James Linton. Messrs. Pears paid \$100,000 for the purchase and reproduction of Albus's famous "Haldides." Among the younger artists several may be said to have made it almost a business. For genuinely original work—such, for instance, as Mr. Dudley Hardy's fascinating design for the "Beauty Girl," or Mr. Aubrey Beardsley's strangely attractive sketches for the Avenue Theatre and for the "Yellow Book"—high prices were paid, and Mr. Hardy received from Mr. Wilson Barrett \$625 for the sketch design of the "Chandian" poster.

Cent Shows.

Ringlings in the Far West.

Ringling Bros' Circus will exhibit in Oakland, Cal., Tuesday, Sept. 18. To the ordinary Oakland amusement lover this mere announcement will carry very little information, says the Oakland Enquirer, for Ringling Bros' Circus is practically unknown in this section of the United States. In fact, the show has never exhibited in California, and never south of Portland on the Pacific coast. In the East and Middle West, however, it is known and recognized as the largest and most complete circus, menagerie and hippodrome now before the American people. Its superiority is demonstrated in many ways. For instance, the show owns and operates sixty-five double-length railroad cars. This is much more than are used by any other show in the world. Ringling Bros. have twenty-five elephants. All the other circuses and zoological gardens in America have not so many. The show has 500 horses, 300 performers and many novel acts never seen with the ordinary circuses, while its great canvas hippodrome pavilion has seats for over 16,000 persons. The performance is given in three rings, on two stages, in mid-air and upon a great quarter-mile hippodrome track. The show makes a particularly strong feature of trained animal acts. These embrace O'Brien's famous sixty-one-horse act and the internationally-noted Lockhart troupe of elephant comedians, said to be the greatest elephant company in the world. Another strong feature is the parade, which inaugurates circus day. It is over a mile in length and brilliant beyond description. Scores of dens of wild animals are exhibited upon the streets, and many novel features presented along the line of march. The Boston Herald, speaking of the parade a few months ago, declared that nothing had ever been presented in that city of great displays to compare with it. The show has not been cut in any way for its Pacific coast tour, and the performances to be given here will be identical the same as those presented in Boston, New York, Chicago and other cities.

Walter Main Returns.

Walter L. Main, looking hale and hearty after a three months' tour of Europe, arrived at New York on the Campania, of the Cunard Line, Sept. 1. V. V. Ströberg and W. H. Donaldson met him at the pier and spent the best part of the day with him. He is delighted with his trip, and has regained his health. He left for the Rhoda Royal Shows Sept. 2, and after a brief visit with the show, will proceed to his home at Geneva, O. He has promised a complete account of his trip to "The Billboard," and it will appear at an early date. In this article, which he will write himself, he will describe some forty circuses which he visited in Europe. Among the latter was the Barnum & Bailey Shows at Leipzig, Germany, on Mr. Bailey's fifty-third birthday.

The Count and the Colonel.

A Chicago dispatch to the New York Herald, under date of Sept. 2, says: Colonel William F. Cody first called upon Governor Roosevelt, who arrived here to-day. It don't look to me like the Count De Mores made good his threat to wipe up the Yellowstone Valley with you," was one of Buffalo Bill's first remarks, and then he explained to the group of national politicians in the Governor's apartment. "This fellow, Count De Mores," said Cody, "had a ranch up on the Yellowstone, and one of the toughest outfits of cowboys in the Northwest. They and the boys from the Roosevelt ranch had been mixing frequently, and the Mores gang had done up several of the Governor's cow punchers. One day Roosevelt got a message from the Count, saying that he would not be satisfied till he had a go at him and settled the feud. Roosevelt sent back word immediately that he would be glad to meet the Count on any hill or any spot the Count might name and at any time. Did you get an answer, Governor?" "Never heard a word from him," said the Governor, and the two Rough Riders laughed in recollection of the incident.

Nay Mikels Duped.

To the Editor of "The Billboard": Dear Sir: I wish to inform you of an infamous and vile trick, not to say downright robbery, that was perpetrated upon me by a scoundrel who passed himself for a gentleman and who has imposed upon your valuable paper, as well as myself and others. Last July I answered an ad. that appeared in "The Billboard," to the effect that "attractions were wanted at the Farmersburg (Ind.) Opera House during the Old Settlers' Meeting." The secretary of this meeting was one John A. Curry, of Sullivan, Ind., whom I was informed by the manager of the opera house had rented his hall for the week of the Old Settlers' Meeting. A few days later I received a letter from Curry, making me a very

liberal offer, which I accepted. I sent some \$18 or \$20 worth of advertising matter to be put up, and he promised to do it well. When the time for my performance arrived, I jumped from South Bend, Ind., to Farmersburg, a distance of 25 miles, and arriving, found that none of my paper had been posted. People knew nothing of my coming, not even the hotel boys and bootblacks knew anything of the show. I hunted up Curry, but before I could say anything to him about the advertising he began to make excuses, saying he had entrusted it to others to do, while he went West on a trip. He begged me to go ahead with my performance, and if the attendance was not good he would make it all satisfactory. I opened the show about 9 o'clock and during the performance Curry managed to get hold of all the box-office receipts and then "skipped out." I had \$10 left after losing all my advertising, railroad fare, time and hotel bills. That is the kind of a scoundrel Curry is, and I want to advertise him far and wide. Yours truly,

NAY MIKELS
Worthington, Ind., Aug. 21

Chinese War Wrecks Circus.

John H. Stewart, the well-known circus man, has recently learned that his circus, which was touring in the Far East, was wrecked at Tien Tsin, China, early in June, when hostilities began. Mr. Stewart left Shanghai in June for a visit to his old home, near Boston. He expected to rejoin his company at Calcutta in the fall and journey with it to London, but his plans are now so upset that he does not know just what to do. According to the report received by Mr. Stewart, the company arrived at Tien Tsin on June 11. The tents, horses and paraphernalia were seized, and the circus people, thirty-five in number, were forced to flee. They saved nothing but what they could carry on their persons. The Stewart outfit included Bristol's educated horses and a trained mule, for which Mr. Stewart had refused \$5,000. He intends to put in a claim to the government, to try to recover at least a portion of the value of his property.

Emporia, Kan., Events.

To the Editor of "The Billboard": Dear Sir—Emporia is full of show paper announcing the Great Wallace Shows and Buffalo Bill's Wild West. Advertising Cars No. 1 and 2, of the Wallace people, have been here, and an opposition brigade, composed of Mike Fagan, Frank Burdell, Geo. Clark, Harry Farquhar, Joe Sully and Jeff Caspers, with A. M. McPhail in charge. They are in the city now industriously hunting more shafts. Only the opposition brigade of Buffalo Bill has been here so far, and they posted on the opposition boards, so only got up about 100 sheets—their entire capacity. Several new attractions are booked for our big free street fair, which will be pulled off here Sept. 26 to 28. My boards are now full for the event, and I have put up 999 running feet of extra space, and have several contracts for distributing at the fair as I hold the exclusive rights in this line.

FRED R. CORBETT

Memphis, Tenn., Matters.

To the Editor of "The Billboard": Dear Sir—Never before in the history of Memphis has two big shows billed the city at the same time and in so gentlemanly a manner. John Robinson and Forepaugh & Sells Brothers exhibit here one week apart. The No. 1 cars of both shows billed the city last Monday (August 27) and our people wondered at the amicable way things progressed. Heretofore when there has been opposition there has been more or less feeling in the matter. To-day Memphis is a picture gallery, and neither company have contributed out of the ordinary to the bill poster or the newspaper. This kind of opposition pays and leaves the circus a few dollars to the good when leaving the city. We predict, weather permitting, to see the S. R. O. circus.

VAN BELLEN & CO.

An Ostrich Diamond Thief.

Of course it's an advance agent's story, but it's one of Joe Cain's, and he has some local reputation for veracity, in spite of his calling. Besides, it's an interesting narrative. Joe Cain is advance man for the Robinson Shows. He ran into Cincinnati yesterday from the West, says the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune. "We had an unusual experience in Springfield, Mo., the other day," he said. "Among those who came to see the show was the wife of a wealthy citizen. She was smartly dressed and wore diamond pendants in her ears. As she was passing the ostriches, one of them pecked sharply at her. She jumped back with a scream and fetched up with a pendant missing. Of course, there was trouble right away. Canvasmen were put to work digging around in the straw for the diamond, but no sparkler turned up. She was bowed out of the tent with a 'Very sorry, ma'am,' and was given her ticket money back because she had missed the ring performance searching for the gem. We thought that would end the matter. But it didn't. That woman's husband swore out a writ of attachment for the ostrich, and the bird was led down the main street by a constable. We had to leave it in the hands of a lawyer and move to the next town, and the last I heard of the matter the bird was confined in the judge's chambers for want of a better place to keep it."

Gossip.

Ralph W. Perckham is in California. The Norris & Rowe Shows have ordered two more elephants. Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show is heavily billed for Keokuk, Ia., Sept. 18. It is said that Ströberg could not get along with Royal, hence the dissolution. H. S. Rowe, of the Norris & Rowe Shows, was a "Billboard" caller Aug. 31. W. H. Petty, bill poster at Birmingham, Ala., has joined Cooper & Co's Circus. The Wallace Railroad Shows did a leg business at Davenport, Ia., week of Aug. 26. A. M. McPhail, special agent of the Wallace Shows, was a "Billboard" caller Aug. 31. The Billy Bennett Combination, under canvas, did a big business at Duluth, Minn., recently.

Contrary to the expectations of all the wise ones, the Wallace Shows turned them away at Joplin.

A circus is wanted at Duquoin, Ill. They have not had a show of any kind for more than two years.

Joe Parkhurst writes from Sarnia that the last week of the Norris & Rowe Shows in Canada was very big.

The Wallace Show lost the night house at Aurora, Mo., on account of a very heavy rain storm, almost a cloudburst.

Sig. Sautelle has had a good season, and will finish a big winner if he does not get too far South and lose it all.

J. P. Fagan was a "Billboard" caller Sept. 1. Pat has fully recovered from the effects of the operation on his ear, and is looking hale and hearty.

The business men of Cincinnati are talking of an exposition for 1901, and have named Will S. Heck, the popular street fair promoter, for manager.

Rio Grande Bill's Wild West and Roman Hippodrome, of Chicago, entertained President McKinley at Canton, O., Sept. 5, during the Stark County Fair.

Pawnee Bill's Wild West Show is expected at Cedar Rapids, Ia., Sept. 12. General Agent Geo. Costello was in that city recently, advertising the show.

The Peters' Comedy Company, playing under canvas at Birmingham, Ala., week of Aug. 29, filled their tent at each performance, in face of a strong opposition.

Homer B. Day is manager for the season of a large company presenting the powerful melodrama, "A Ruined Homestead." The play bids fair to become very popular.

Ringling Bros' Circus, which was at Pueblo, Col., recently, did an immense business afternoon and evening. It is calculated that about 12,000 people visited the show.

Pain's great spectacular exhibition of the Battle of San Juan Hill will stop over at Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 21 and 22, while en route from Los Angeles, Cal., to San Antonio, Tex.

The Rhoda Royal Shows have done well this season. They have met all their obligations, including all of those due to Mr. Walter L. Main, and have seven thousand dollars to the good.

That the Wallace Shows are deserving of special mention is evinced by the fact that the Associated Press sent out special telegrams from Joplin, Mo., telling of their great success at that place.

W. W. Powers, treasurer of the Great Rhoda Royal Shows, writes that business continues good, and the press and public are bestowing the highest praise for the excellent entertainment given by their show.

The Robinson Shows experienced a terrible storm at Bolivar, Mo., July 27. Everything went down at noon and the canvas was frightfully rapped and torn. They lost both shows and got into Springfield, Mo., the next day.

The Sells Gray Shows played Atchison, Kan., Aug. 24. The Atchison Daily Globe came out with the following line, clear across the top of the front page: "What has become of the old-fashioned man who carefully hid all his valuables on circus day?"

The G. A. R. Reunion drew an immense crowd to Chicago. There has never been so many people there since the World's Fair. The Buffalo Bill Show turned them away at every performance. Col. Cody received as much applause in the parade as Gen. Miles.

J. J. Jay, for several years associated with the Sells Bros' Circus, committed suicide recently by shooting himself in the right temple. He was for three seasons general agent of Her, Burke & Randall's Shows. His last engagement was with Fields & Haason's Amusements, as agent. He leaves a widow and one son, who live at Marion, O.

Harrison Bros' big spectacular production, "The New and Ancient South," have finished their route in Michigan, and are now playing through Indiana. They report that they have met with favorable weather and that the show is running smoothly. This week they rejoined their palace sleeper and dining-car at Hammond, Ind. Harrison's artists are all select colored talent, consisting of fifty-two darkeys and fifteen creole girls. Their parade is six blocks long.

The customs service of New Orleans has had a new and picturesque, as well as practical, feature added to it. Prof. George E. Beyer, who occupies the chair of biology at Tulane University, has been appointed special inspector of wild animals for the port. A commission was given him, and he was sworn in at the custom house to-day. The commission came from Secretary of Agriculture Wilson. Prof. Beyer's appointment was made under the Lacey act, passed this year.

Boving Frank's Gypsy Camp is now on the road. The outfit consists of horses, wagons, tents, swine, vipers, gypsies, ostriches, darkeys, dogs, gypsy band and basket workers. They carry one of the latest illuminating plants on wheels, known as the Kitson illuminating outfit. The camp is doing a big business and carries some forty odd people, all under the management of the young and popular Frank H. Hubin, who has been connected with some of the leading shows of the country.

Gentry's Dog and Pony Show opened a week's engagement at Thirty seventh street and Indiana avenue, Chicago, Sept. 3. This is the first chance that Chicago has had of seeing an entertainment that has proved a winner in other cities. Gentry has over a hundred dogs, ponies and monkeys, trained to accomplish a number of difficult feats in an entertainment which lasts over two hours. There are no warts, and the animals perform with a vim and good will that bespeak kind treatment on the part of their trainer.

On Aug. 29, while the Cooper & Co Show was giving a performance at Greensburg, Ky., Milton Gentry, a white man, it is charged, attempted to hug a colored girl. The girl's brother knocked Gentry down, and he was put out of the show. A mob of negroes chased Gentry two or three blocks and beat him considerably, and would have killed him but for the timely interference of white citizens. Gentry was lodged in jail on a charge of drunkenness. Great crowds of colored people gathered on the streets and threatened to lynch Gentry.

No attraction in Chicago during Encampment week had bigger or more enthusiastic audiences than Buffalo Bill's Wild West. For all it took a day's journey to get to him, the visiting members of the G. A. R. swarmed out in great numbers, and took their sisters and their cousins and their aunts along with them, and told them all about everything, and reminisced about the days when they were fighting their battles, and got so wildly excited at times that their women folks had all they could do to restrain them from flying to the rescue of the hard-pressed stage coach, or joining in the glorious charge.

Routes.

AMAZON BROS.—Harpers Ferry, W. Va., Sept. 1; Winchester, Va., Sept. 3; Berryville, Va., Sept. 4.

BARNUM & BAILEY'S SHOWS—Strasburg, Germany, Sept. 15 to 17; Colmar, Ger., Sept. 18; Mulhausen, Ger., Sept. 19 and 20; Freiburg, Ger., Sept. 21.

BUFFALO BILLS WILD WEST—Omaha, Neb., Sept. 19; Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 21; York, Neb., Sept. 22; Nebraska City, Neb., Sept. 23; Clarinda, Ia., Sept. 24; Chariton, Ia., Sept. 25.

COOPER & CO'S R. R. SHOWS—Stanford, Ky., Sept. 3; Jellico, Tenn., Sept. 4; Coal Creek, Tenn., Sept. 5; Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 6 to 8.

FOREPAUGH SELLS SHOWS—Jerseyville, Ill., Sept. 10; Alton, Ill., Sept. 11; Belleville, Ill., Sept. 12; Murphysboro, Ill., Sept. 13; Cairo, Ill., Sept. 14; Union City, Tenn., Sept. 15.

HARRIS NICKLE PLATE SHOWS—Sawnee, O., Sept. 1; Zanesville, O., Sept. 2.

HARRISON BROS SPECTACULAR SHOW—LaPorte, Ind., Sept. 1; Valparaiso, Ind., Sept. 4; Hammond, Ind., Sept. 5; Blue Island, Ill., Sept. 6; Joliet, Ill., Sept. 7; Streator, Ill., Sept. 8; Peoria, Ill., Sept. 9; Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 10; Lincoln, Ill., Sept. 11; Havana, Ill., Sept. 12; Bushnell, Ill., Sept. 13.

KNOWLES—Huron, S. D., Sept. 3 to 5; Sioux City, Ia., Sept. 6 to 8.

NORRIS & ROWE'S ANIMAL SHOW—Fondlay, O., Sept. 3; Lima, O., Sept. 4; Dayton, O., Sept. 5 and 6.

PAWNEE BILLS WILD WEST—Carroll, Ia., Sept. 5; Audubon, Ia., Sept. 6; Jefferson, Ia., Sept. 7; Boone, Ia., Sept. 8.

RINGLING BROS—Seattle, Wash., Sept. 3; Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 4; Centralia, Wash., Sept. 5; Portland, Ore., Sept. 6 and 7; Salem, Ore., Sept. 8.

RHODA ROYAL SHOWS—Pawnee, R. I., Sept. 1; Riverhead, R. I., Sept. 2; Westerly, R. I., Sept. 3; New London, Conn., Sept. 5.

SELLS-GRAY SHOW—Ameville, Tex., Sept. 1; Eddy, N. M., Sept. 2; Roswell, Sept. 4; Portallia, Sept. 5; Hereford, Tex., Sept. 6.

SIG SAUTELLE'S SHOW—Oxford, Pa., Sept. 7; Elkton, Md., Sept. 8; Chesapeake City, Md., Sept. 9; Galena, Md., Sept. 8; Chestertown, Md., Sept. 10; Centerville, Md., Sept. 11; Denton, Md., Sept. 12; Easton, Md., Sept. 13; New Market, Md., Sept. 14; Cambridge, Md., Sept. 15.

WHITNEY'S SHOW—Dexter, Mich., Sept. 1; Chelsea, Sept. 2; Grass Lake, Sept. 4; Nareval, Sept. 5; Brooklyn, Sept. 6; Manchester, Sept. 7; Clinton, Sept. 8.



The County Fair.

Nothing has ever superseded the county fair in the public heart. It is the event of the season, of course, in rural communities, and is scarcely less highly regarded among the dwellers within city walls who have in various known and loved no other earth in all her moods. It is an education; it promotes healthy, generous, good-natured rivalry, introducing, usually, State officers to their constituents, and is a fitting close to the long, hard summer of work. In it the beauty of the agriculturist's life culminates, and the golden harvest, and the mellow, lovely Indian summer days seem braided together in their fitness to one another. The red-cheeked apples, the golden pumpkins and squashes, the big, handsome, toothsome-looking potatoes, the apples of earth, as the French so prettily call them, the luscious bunches of grapes, and a thousand and one things make the mouth water at the very sight of them. The exquisite handwork of women, embroidery, patchwork, or the cunning work of busy knotted, twisted, lovely old hands which long since by the rule of mortality should have laid down their work, are always of interest and the product of kitchen and dairy and the secret of preparation is a source of pleasure and profit incalculable. Will anyone ever tire of looking at sleek cows, or big oxen, or clean-limbed horses, or pretty calves and lambs; of chaffinches and his vari-colored hares? Will they ever tire of seeing well-groomed and well-cared-for horses straying for victory? And the children? Peanuts are never so good, lemonade never so pink and full of flavor, tin whistles never sound so sweet as at the county fair. Never are the Ohs! and Ahs! more heartfelt than when the big balloon ascends. Never do vendors of marvelous compounds, cure for all the ills to which flesh is heir, and more cheerful and prodigal buyers, and crowds stand agape at wonderful inventions, from those for threading a needle to those for making a watch. There is blacking which shines so wonderfully that you can use your boot for a mirror, and soap which will remove the deepest stain without injury to the finest fabric, and will almost remove the stain from the conscience of the teller.

A Great Animal Show.

The International Live Stock Exposition to be held at Dexter Park Amphitheater, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 1 to 8, 1900, is out with its preliminary classification rules and regulations and premium list. Pending the issuing of the regular catalogue, some changes may be made in the classification and premiums published at this time, but they will not be material. The premiums offered are very large, not alone in the aggregate but for individual animals, and these, with other inducements, will doubtless make this the greatest exposition of meat-producing animals ever made in this or any other country. Chicago enterprise has its hand on the lever, and that means that everything that money and energy can do to make this the great cattle, sheep and swine event of the century will be done. For this preliminary publication and other particulars, address W. E. Skinner, general manager, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Ill.

Detroit's Bi-Centenary.

We give herewith the description of a unique and magnificent monument, which it was proposed to erect at Detroit, Mich., in celebration of the bi-centenary of that city, July 24, 1901. The design was to have been a gift, for the sake of art, from five of America's most talented architects, sculptors and painters. The monument, when complete, would have cost about one million dollars, and it was proposed to raise this sum by subscription. A large fund was subscribed, but the amount was so vast that it could not be collected, so the project has been abandoned. However, the artistic design is worth mention, even though it can not be realized. It is given by the artists themselves in the current issue of The Century. "The design contemplates the erection of a great tiered column, the highest in the world—surrounded by groups of sculpture in the water—erected in the character of the memorial column of classic time, and supporting a tripod which could assume a torch-like character at night by the use of electricity, and by a group of natural gas, so characteristic of the West and in possible elsewhere. The light at night would command the river and both lakes. The design further contemplates, as a support and surrounding to the column, a great basin, flanked by flights of steps supporting colonnades. In the center of which would be the statue of Cadillac, or a group of sculpture embodying with the statue of Cadillac, the story of the discoverers; and upon the connecting esplanade positions are afforded for the future erection of statues of distinguished citizens of Detroit. In order that the column should center on the avenue of trees which now exists upon the island and be seen

from one end of the Grand Central Boulevard to the other, the present Casino would have to be removed, and the avenue of trees connected with the column by a formal rectangular lake, in which illuminated fountains might play at night, and upon each side of which formal gardens are part of the design. The column will measure twenty-four feet in diameter at its base and rise to a height of 220 feet. The colonnades forming the court are 300 feet in length, with a wing at each end projecting 200 feet. The shaft, pilasters, corner pavilions and steps will be of America's finest marble, in striking contrast to the deep blue of the river and the background of forest trees, untouched since the days of the Indian. The surrounding tripod of bronze will be a fitting addition, and its flame of gas, direct from nature's laboratory, will be seen far up and down the highway of the Great Lakes.

Notes.

There will be no fair at Port Allegany, Pa., this season.
A horticultural fair will be held in Santa Fe, N. Mex., Sept. 26 to 28.
The Elks of South Bend, Ind., have abandoned their plan for a street fair this year.
There is to be a grand race meet and fall carnival at New Comerstown, O., Oct. 3 to 5.
The second annual street fair and carnival given by the Memphis (Tenn.) Elks will occur week of Sept. 30.
The citizens of Yankton, S. D., have planned to give a free street carnival during every night of the State Fair.
The street fair committee of Columbus, Wis., is putting out some more lively signs. They promise a red-hot time in a white town on a blue day.
The five Knights of Pythias Lodges of South Chicago, Ill., have met together for the purpose of holding a street fair and carnival, week of Sept. 6.
George F. Havers, manager of "The Sarcophagus" Corpus Christi, Tex., also conducts a watermelon, summer theater and ballad hall in connection with it.
The Concord (N. H.) State Fair Assn., which holds its best annual exhibition Sept. 1 to 7, inclusive, has expended \$2,000 this season in improvements upon its grounds.
A street fair is to be given some time in October, in charge of Will S. Heck, at Marion, O., and if any profits accrue, they will be donated to some charitable object.
The opening date of the Santa Rosa (Cal.) Fair has been changed from Oct. 8 to Oct. 15, in order not to conflict with the fair at San Jose and the meetings of the State Grange at Hollister.
Preparations for the big street fair and carnival at Chambersburg, Pa., on Sept. 18 to 20, are steadily in progress. The committee in charge will tender a banquet to the parade who are to be there on the 19th.
A feature of the coming soldiers' reunion at Standish, Mich., Sept. 12 to 14, will be the unveiling of a monument erected by the citizens of Standish to the memory of Meat Cannibals, who died in the Philippines.
Los Angeles, Cal., is to have a new pleasure park, with all sorts of novelty amusements. There will be zoological exhibition grounds, shoot the whites and no lake, vaudeville theater, and numerous other attractions.
The bull fight billed as an attraction for the San Jose (Cal.) Fair may have to be called off. The officers of the Humane Society are after the promoters of it, and may cause them trouble if they put their plans into execution.
Some very liberal purses are offered by the Montevideo (Mont.) Fair Association. Two \$500 purses are guaranteed by the citizens and business men of Montevideo, also, some fast class races and a \$75 farmers' trotting and pacing race, open to horses without records.
The Marion (Ga.) Street Fair, given under the auspices of the mayor and city council, promises to be a big event. The fair is to be held in the middle of one of the main business streets, 150 feet wide, making more than a full half-mile of sights, besides the numerous side-shows, parades, etc.
The Odessa (Mo.) business men have formed a street fair association, with a capital of \$1,200, and will hold a fair from Sept. 19 to 22, inclusive. Great interest is taken in the fair. The live stock and farm product list is especially attractive, and the outlook is that the fair will be a great success.
I. M. Fiske, the well-known carnival promoter, was a "Billboard" caller Sept. 1. Mr. Fiske has just recovered from a very serious

accident, having been confined in a hospital in Toledo, O., several months. He intends to start South shortly and engage in street fair and carnival enterprises, as heretofore.
Secretary E. W. Randall, of the Minnesota State Fair, is making elaborate preparations for the annual exhibition. Pan's spectacle, Dewey's Fleet in the Battle of Manila, will be the principal attraction on each night, to be followed by an extensive display of fireworks and concerts by the Minnesota State Band.
Below is an extract from a letter received from H. P. Bright, secretary of the New Kentucky Fair Association, Danville, Ky. He says: "We find the insertion of our dates in 'The Billboard' a great advantage, as we had inquired from everywhere for privileges, and we succeeded in placing all of our privileges to advantage."
The third annual tree street fair at Tuskegee, Ala., will be held Oct. 8 to 13. Among attractions secured so far are Ferrari's Anglo-American trained wild animals, Lunette, Australian bush girl, and others. The Hanna Amusement Company, of Cincinnati, will furnish the open-air attractions. M. L. Tucker is the secretary of the fair association.

Every indication now points to the fact that the cattle show of 1900 in Kansas City, Mo., is to be the greatest fancy cattle exhibit ever made. The prizes will aggregate nearly \$25,000. It is to be a joint show of Herefords and Shortorns, and the breeders of these two kinds have combined on an attack against their common enemy, the "scrub."
Managers of street fairs and county fairs, etc., will find that by booking Kinksley and his aggregation of five big vaudeville acts, their attendance will be increased greatly. His permanent address is Duquoin, Ill., and he has only a few open dates yet, as he is fast tilling his book through the medium of "The Billboard," of which he is a permanent subscriber.
The preparations for the Indiana State Fair, which is to be held this year from Sept. 18 to 22, have nearly all been completed as far as possible. The fair will be one of the best that has ever been held in the State. Many of the attractions for the week have been secured, and the presence of some very fast horses on the State track this year will be the principal feature.

The Tonal (Wash.) Fair this year will be held Sept. 1 to 7, and promises bigger and better things than ever. H. J. Skane, secretary, thus puts it: "We are going to have a fair this fall, the biggest of them all, is our war-horse. Special attractions each day. Every day a big day. Balloon ascensions and parachute leaps, automobile exhibitions, political speeches, etc. In fact, a fair for everybody."
The Knowles, hypnotists, write that they have spared no expense to make their attraction the strongest of its kind on the road, and after a five seasons' experience, believe they know how to make a hypnotic attraction pay money, please patrons and house managers. They have a few open weeks in November and December that they would like to fill in live acts in Southern Missouri or Southern Arkansas.

George Buntin, better known as the "Kid Cyclist," is meeting with great success this season. He has more than doubled his strength since last year in his fancy riding and difficult balancing act, in which he stands head downward on the shoulders of a man who is peddling a bicycle at a rapid rate. He is now learning to do some line rifle shooting from his wheel, and it is thought this act will be a great feature in the future.
The Colfax (Wash.) Fair Association has closed a contract with William Rice, one of the best all-around artists, as a comedian and singer, to be found on the Pacific coast. He is to appear in free entertainments, to be furnished by the fair association for the benefit of visitors during the week of the fair, Sept. 25 to 29. He will be ably assisted by Polly Hughes, Eddie Erb and a museum of note. Their program will be rendered each evening at the armory, just before the opening of the dances, which will again be a pleasing feature this year.

The Idaho Internontian Fair will be held at Boise, Oct. 8 to 13, inclusive. The fair will have full exhibits from every county in the State along agricultural, horticultural, live stock, mining and all industrial lines. The premiums in all classes of exhibits have been increased about 50 per cent above the premiums offered last year, and Secretary Bogart states that nearly every county in Idaho will be fully represented a state of affairs unprecedented in the history of the fair. The Oregon Short Line Railroad and the O. R. & N. P. have each granted free rates for all exhibits to and from the city.
The unique combination street fair, county fair, horse show, an amusement fair and

brat on that will be held at Winston Salem, N. C., beginning Oct. 30, for five days, is attracting considerable attention throughout the entire country. Winston Salem won a reputation many years ago on the splendid Fourth of July celebrations held there. Two and three years ago there were held there the most successful tobacco fairs ever conducted in the United States. Last year it was an agricultural fair, horse show and carnival. F. E. Webb, the secretary, has a reputation as a fair manager that is almost national.
At a meeting of the Thirty-third Ward (Chicago, Ill.) Improvement Association and representatives of the Knights of Pythias of the Efficient District from eight lodges, it was decided to have a carnival and street fair during the third week in September. There will be two main departments, to be industrial and the amusement. Arrangements are said to have been completed with one of the largest carnival companies to take charge of the latter branch. South Chicago merchants are determined to make their part of the fair a success. The fair will probably be held on Houston avenue, between Eighty-eighth and Ninety-first streets.

An appeal has been issued to the residents of the Island Ridge, Ill., to join Morgan Park in the celebration of Sept. 14 as Morgan Park Day. The movement is under the auspices of the Village Improvement Society, and is in line with the custom followed in many New England towns, from whence so many of the residents of the village have come. It is proposed that the features of the day shall be speeches by various prominent members of the community, together with a race and entertainments of various sorts. The event is to be made an annual affair, and the purpose is to stimulate interest in beautifying the suburbs along the ridge.
The promoters of the vehicle, harness and implement show to be held at Cincinnati, O., on Nov. 18 are more and more confident of success as the time draws nearer. At a recent meeting of the Central Passenger Association, a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip in that territory for the exhibition was granted. In connection with the exhibit, there are to be some entertainment features that will be a surprise to visitors. Mr. Green, general manager of the exhibit, states that had he accompanying the visiting dealers will be taken care of. He expects in the neighborhood of 5,000 visiting vehicle and implement dealers in Cincinnati during the exhibition. Space for exhibits is now being let by the prominent point.

The latest patented device for large fairs and expositions consists of a hollow globe of extensive dimensions, supported upon suitable columns, and provided with an inter-spiral railway track, windows or openings arranged in the globe and disposed spirally following the path of the railway. From the exterior of the globe are delineated the outlines of hemispheres and continents and upon said outlines are arranged electric lights, which at night brilliantly define the contour of the continents, etc. A central shaft and elevator are provided to carry visitors to the top of the globe, which is surmounted by a tower. The interior of the globe is divided into rooms or compartments for the display of goods or natural products, and the structure as a whole is a novelty of merit. Patent Record.

The directors of the Cincinnati Fall Festival, which is to open Sept. 14 and continue for ten days, have built wisely in planning five or six special features for every day of the festival. On Thursday, the second day of the festival, is taken as an example. On this day, in addition to the regular series of exhibitions on the Plaza, the fireworks in the evening, the special athletic programs by the Cincinnati Gymnasium experts, on the stage of Great Music Hall, there will be a special concert on the big organ of the Hall in the afternoon, a mammoth display of cut-flowers in the rotunda, and in recognition of its being Elks and Shrines' Day at the feast, the florists contesting will form their displays in the forms of designs emblematic of those two popular secret organizations. Prizes aggregating \$25 will be awarded the florists showing the four best pieces.

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ALABAMA.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Alabama Fair Association. Nov. 1 to 15. M. Fulkner, chairman; John W. O'Neill, secy.

ARKANSAS

CAMDEN, ARK.—Camden Fair. Oct. 15 to 20. J. W. Brown, Jr., mgr. CANNONVILLE, ARK.—Johnson County Fair. Oct. 9 to 12. A. M. Ward, secy.

PINE BLUFF, ARK.—State Fair. Oct. 2 to 27. W. H. Langford, pres.; H. F. Westbrook, supt.; R. M. Knox, treas.; M. E. Bloom, secy.

CALIFORNIA.

CRESCENT CITY, CAL.—Del Norte Agricultural Association. Sept. 26 to 28. D. W. Finch, secy.

EUREKA, CAL.—Ninth District Agricultural and Mechanical Fair. Sept. 17 to 22. J. F. Quail, pres.; W. L. Lambert, secy.

LOS ANGELES, CAL.—Sixth District Fair. Oct. 13 to 21. F. G. Teed, secy.

MARLBOROUGH, CAL.—County Fair and Races. Sept. 18 to 22. A. B. McKenzie, secy.

OAKLAND, CAL.—Fair. Sept. 21 to 25. Jos. Diamond, secy.

SACRAMENTO, CAL.—State Fair. Sept. 2 to 6. Peter J. Sueds, Sacramento, Cal., secy.

SALINAS, CAL.—Monterey Agricultural Association. District No. 1. Date not fixed. J. H. Carr, pres.; J. B. Iverson, treas.; John J. Kelly, secy.

SAN ANDREAS, CAL.—Fair. Oct. 2 to 6. C. A. Werne, Mokelumne Hill, Cal., pres.; Edward Casey, San Andreas, Cal., secy.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—and SAN MATEO, CAL.—Fair at Tianton Park. Sept. 24 to Oct. 6.

SAN LEUIS OBISPO, CAL.—Sixteenth District Agricultural Association Fair. Sept. 26 to 29. M. Egan, secy.

SAN JOSE, CAL.—Fair. Oct. 8 to 13. H. H. Mann, secy.

SANTA BARBARA, CAL.—Chrysanthemum Fair. Oct. 10 to 12.

SANTA MARIA, CAL.—Agricultural Fair. Oct. 4 to 6. A. W. Cox, secy.

SANTA ROSA, CAL.—District Fair. Oct. 5 to 11.

SUNORA, CAL.—Fair. September. Dates undecided.

STOCKTON, CAL.—Fair. Sept. 17 to 22.

TILLAMOOK, CAL.—District and Citizens Fair. Last week in Sept. A. G. Wilson, secy.

YREKA, CAL.—Siskiyou County Agricultural Fair. Oct. 3 to 7.

VENTURA, CAL.—Agricultural Fair and Races. Last week in September.

COLORADO.

DURANGO, COL.—County Fair and Race Meet. Oct. 9 to 12. John Pearson, sup.

GLENWOOD, COL.—Farmers' Union District Fair. Sept. 19 to 22. C. H. Sewell, pres.; Carbondale; C. D. Fuller, secy.; L. R. Willets, Basalt.

MONTE VISTA, COL.—Driving Park and Agricultural Association. October. John MacArthur, secy.

MONTE ROSA, COL.—Western Slope Fair. Latter part of September.

PUEBLO, COL.—State Fair. Jos. D. Glass, secy.

TRINIDAD, COL.—Las Animas County Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. E. H. Day, secy.

CONNECTICUT.

BEAUFORT VALLEY, CONN.—Naugatuck Fair. Sept. 18 and 19. F. S. Truesdell, pres.; F. M. Cander, secy.

BERLIN, CONN.—Fair. September. H. H. Atwater, pres.; H. Webster, secy.

BRANFORD, CONN.—The Branford Agricultural and Horticultural Society. Sept. 18 to 20. E. Houghton, pres.; J. P. Callahan, secy.; W. R. Foutte, treas.

BROOKLYN, CONN.—Windham County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 20. Joseph H. Stetson, secy.

CHESTER, CONN.—Fair. September. W. J. Chapman, pres.; J. A. Smith, secy.

DANBURY, CONN.—Danbury Agricultural Society. Oct. 4 to 6, 1900. S. H. Rundall, pres.; J. W. Bacon, treas.; G. M. Rundall, secy.

EAST GRANBY, CONN.—Fair. October. U. H. Hanchett, pres.; W. H. Gay, secy.

GRANBY, CONN.—Fair. September. George D. Beach, pres.; U. H. Downing, secy.

GUILFORD, CONN.—Fair. Sept. 25. Wm. H. Lee, pres.; S. Spencer, secy.

HARWINTON, CONN.—Fair. October. Thos. Q. Hogan, pres.; A. W. Buel, secy.

HUNTINGTON, CONN.—Union Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 and 19. U. J. Wakeley, pres.; S. L. Palmer, Shelton, Conn., secy.

MADISON, CONN.—Fair. Oct. 3. S. A. Scranton, pres.; Edward N. Willard, secy.

MERIDEN, CONN.—Fair. September. H. W. Collins, pres.; Geo. W. Fairchild, secy.

NAUGATUCK, CONN.—Beaufort Valley Grange Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 and 19. T. S. Truesdell, pres.; F. M. Cander, secy.; E. A. Hotchkiss, treas.

NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Flower Show. Some time in November. Eli Whitney, pres.; Robt. Veltch, Jr., secy.

NEW MILFORD, CONN.—New Milford Agricultural Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. J. Edwin Hungerford, secy.

NEWTOWN, CONN.—The Newtown Agricultural Fair Company. Sept. 25 to 27, 1900. T. E. Platt, Redding Ridge, Conn., pres.; S. J. Rotford, Newtown, Conn., vice pres.; H. G. Curtis, Sandy Hook, Conn., treas.; P. H. McCarthy, Newtown, Conn., secy.

ORANGE, CONN.—Fair. Date not fixed. W. S. Woodruff, pres.; A. D. Clark, secy.

PITNAM PARK, CONN.—Putnam Park. Sept. 11 to 13. G. D. Bates, pres.; R. Gannon, secy.

ROCKVILLE, CONN.—Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. Ed. F. Badminton, secy.

SIMSBURY, CONN.—Fair. Oct. 3 and 4. Geo. C. Eno, secy.

STAFFORD SPRINGS, CONN.—Stafford Springs Agricultural Society. Oct. 6 to 10. C. Z. Gary, secy.

STEFFIELD, CONN.—Fair. Waldo S. Knox, pres.; A. N. Graves, secy.

UNION, CONN.—Edford Fair. September. Olin T. Olmstead, pres.; M. Hamilton, secy.

WALLINGFORD, CONN.—Wallingford Agricultural Society. Sept. 26 and 27. D. W. Ives, secy.

WETHERSFIELD, CONN.—Fair. Oct. 2 to 4. S. F. Willard, pres.; U. P. Harris, secy.

WILLIMANTIC, CONN.—Willimantic Fair Association. Dates changed to Sept. 25 to 27. M. E. Lincoln, secy.

WINDSOR, CONN.—Fair. H. H. Ellsworth, pres.; G. W. Wesley, secy.

WOLBOTT, CONN.—Wolcott Agricultural Society. Oct. 10. E. M. Upton, secy.

WOODSTOCK, CONN.—South Woodstock Fair. Sept. 17 to 19. S. D. Bowen, pres.; H. W. Hubbard, secy.

GEORGIA

ATLANTA, GA.—Southern Interstate Fair. Oct. 10 to 27. T. H. Moton

LAI RENS, GA.—County Fair. Oct. 4 and 5. H. B. Grifton, mgr.

VALDOSTA, GA.—Georgia State Fair. Oct. 29 to Nov. 4. A. F. Moore, mgr.

WAYNESBORO, GA.—Waycross Fair Association. Nov. 6 to 10. W. W. Sharp, secy.

IDAHO.

BOISE, IDAHO.—State Fair. Oct. 8 to 13. J. S. Begart, Boise, Idaho, secy.

LEWISTON, IDAHO.—Fair and Race Association. Oct. 15 to 20. W. F. Kattenbaugh, pres.; W. A. Austus, secy.

ILLINOIS.

ALEDO, ILL.—Mercer County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18, 19, 20 and 21, 1900. G. W. Williams, Box 346, Aledo, Ill., secy.

LATAVIA, ILL.—Kane County Fair. Sept. 12 to 14.

BENTON, ILL.—Franklin County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. Thos. J. Myers, secy.

CARLINVILLE, ILL.—Macoupin County Fair. Oct. 2 to 5. Geo. J. Castle, secy.

CARROLLTON, ILL.—Greene County Fair. Oct. 9 to 12. S. E. Simpson, secy.

K. Cherrill, treas.; John F. Scott, secy.

CAYTON, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 4 to 7.

CHAMPAIGN, ILL.—Coles County Fair. Sept. 18 to 22. W. D. Glasco, secy.

CLEAR CREEK, ILL.—Magnolia Grange Agricultural Fair. Sept. 25 to 27. Frank E. Smith, secy.

CLINTON, ILL.—DeWitt County Agricultural and Mechanical Association. Sept. 11 to 14. J. Fuller, pres.; Thos. Ewing, treas.; F. McCuddy, secy.

UNAWAUGONVILLE, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 11.

DANVERS, ILL.—Rock Creek Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. John S. Foppie, secy.

EFFINGHAM, ILL.—Farmers' Free Fair. Oct. 2 to 6. H. D. Adams, secy.; J. W. Gravelhorst, chairman, privilege committee.

EL PASO, ILL.—The Twentieth Annual Fair, Woodford County Agricultural Board. Sept. 10 to 14. E. A. Childs, pres.; Geo. R. Curtis, secy.

FARMER CITY, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 11 to 14.

FREEMONT, ILL.—Northern Illinois Agricultural Association. Sept. 11 to 14. J. E. Toggart, Ridott, Ill., pres.; W. H. Foll, Freemont, Ill., secy.

GALENA, ILL.—Joc. Dayless County Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 28, 1900. Wm. T. Hodson, Galena, Ill., pres.; H. B. Chetlain, Galena, Ill., vice pres.; John J. Gray, Galena, Ill., treas.; Wm. Harner, Galena, Ill., secy.

GOLCONDA, ILL.—Pope County Fair. Oct. 3 to 6. Barney Phelps, secy.

JULIET, ILL.—Will County Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. A. E. Dinnet, pres.; R. T. Kelley, secy.

JONESBORO, ILL.—Union County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. H. H. Hilboldt, secy.

JOSLYN, ILL.—Rock Island Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. E. J. Whiteside, secy.

KANKAKEE, ILL.—Kankakee County Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. Leg. Smell, secy.

KEWANEE, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. A. R. Huckins, secy.

LIBERTYVILLE, ILL.—Lake County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. Wm. E. Miller, Libertyville, Ill., pres.; E. W. Arkhurst, Libertyville, Ill., treas.; O. E. Chubbick, Libertyville, Ill., secy.

MARION, ILL.—Williamson County Agricultural Association. Sept. 18 to 21. John Goodall, pres.; W. H. Hundy, secy.; C. M. Kern, treas.

MARTINSVILLE, ILL.—Clark County Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. Edger Summers, secy.

MILANSBORO, ILL.—Hamilton County Fair. Sept. 17 to 21. J. W. Jones, secy.

MEMPHIS, ILL.—Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. Geo. C. Backen, secy.

MIRPHISBORO, ILL.—Jackson County Fair Association. Sept. 25 to 28. P. H. Esom-mayer, pres.; Willard Wall, treas.; J. J. Penny, secy.

NEWPORT, ILL.—Sept. 21 to 29.

NEWTON, ILL.—Jasper County Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. Florent Falter, secy.

THEV, ILL.—Richard County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. B. R. Talley, secy.

GREGON, ILL.—Ogle County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. Ben J. Chaney, secy.

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PARIS, ILL.—Edgar County Fair. Oct. 2 to 6. Geo. H. McFord, secy.

PINKNEYVILLE, ILL.—Perry County Fair. Oct. 2 to 5. R. J. Rushing, secy.

SANDWICH, ILL.—DeKalb County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. E. Randall, secy.

SHELLBURNVILLE, ILL.—Hesse Fair. Sept. 10 to 22.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL.—Illinois State Fair. Sept. 24 to 29, 1900. W. H. Fulkerson, pres.; B. H. Brainerd, treas.; W. C. Garrard, secy.

WATSON, ILL.—Effingham County Agricultural Board. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. Wm. Voelker, Altamont, Ill., pres.; W. M. Abraham, Watson, Ill., treas.; L. P. Manta, Effingham, Ill., secy.

WENONA, ILL.—Marshall County Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. Ettie Therry, secy.

INDIANA.

ANGOLA, IND.—Steuben County Fair. Oct. 9 to 12. Emmett A. Bratton, pres.; A. W. Goodale, secy.

BEDFORD, IND.—Lawrence County Fair. Sept. 23 (undecided). Geo. W. McDaniel, secy.; T. O. Dagg, pres.

BLOOMINGTON, IND.—Monroe County Fair. Sept. 12 to 15. Ben Kirby, pres.; Geo. P. Campbell, secy.

BOONVILLE, IND.—Warrick County Fair. Sept. 10 to 15. Clamor Pelzer, pres.; J. F. Richardson, secy.

BURTON, IND.—Bourbon Fair Association. Oct. 2 to 5, 1900. Robert Erwin, Bourbon, Ind., pres.; L. Johnson, Bourbon, Ind., treas.; B. W. Parks, Bourbon, Ind., secy.

BREMEN, IND.—Twelfth Annual Fair. Oct. 9 to 12, 1900. Bremen Agricultural Society. John Huff, pres.; John T. Weiss, treas.; Edward Heckman, secy.

DAY CITY, IND.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. Burl Kress, secy.; William Naltcamper, pres.

ELMSTOWN, IND.—Bartholomew County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. A. B. Reeves, pres.; Ed. Redman, Jr., secy.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.—Montgomery County Fair. Sept. 10 to 15. J. L. Davy, pres.; W. F. Hulet, secy.

CROWN POINT, IND.—Lake County Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 to 5. A. A. Bibler, secy.; Crown Point, Ind.

EVANSVILLE, ILL.—Tri-State Fair. Sept. 17 to 21. W. M. Akin, pres.; W. L. Sworstedt, treas.; R. L. Akin, secy.

FLORA, IND.—Flora Agricultural and Horticultural Association. Sept. 10 to 14, 1900. J. T. Gilliam, pres.; Wm. R. Myer, treas.; Wm. H. Lesh, secy.

FORT WAYNE, IND.—Allen County Fair. Oct. 2 to 9.

FRANCESVILLE, IND.—Francesville Street Fair Association. Oct. 2 to 5. E. D. Knotts, pres.; Guy D. Brewer, secy.; J. W. Burgett, treas.

HUNTINGTON, IND.—Old Fashioned County Fair. Sept. 25 to 29. A. S. Heck, secy.; Robt. Sention, pres.

HUNTINGBURG, IND.—The Fourteenth Annual Dubois County Fair. Sept. 10 to 15, 1900. H. C. Rothert, secy.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Indiana State Fair. Sept. 17 to 21, 1900. Aaron Jones, pres.; Chas. Downing, Indianapolis, Ind., secy.; J. W. Lagrange, treas.

KENDALLVILLE, IND.—Noble County Fair. Sept. 24 to 28. O. F. Johnston, pres.; G. P. Alexander, secy.

LA PORTE, IND.—La Porte County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14. J. Veno Dorland, La Porte, Ind., secy.

LINCOLN, IND.—Greene County Fair. Sept. 17 to 21.

NEWCASTLE, IND.—St. Joseph County Agricultural Society. Sept. 19 to 21. L. C. Egbert, pres.; A. H. Compton, secy.

NEWPORT, IND.—Fair. Sept. 24 to 29. I. S. Aikman, secy.

NORRISTOWN, IND.—Sixth Annual Grange Fair of Shelby County. Sept. 12 to 14. William M. Howter, pres.; John Douglas, treas.; W. S. Stover, secy.

PORTLAND, IND.—Jay County Fair. Sept. 24 to 28. John Smuck, pres.; C. O. Hardy, secy.

RICHMOND, IND.—Wayne County Fair. Sept. 21 to 28. W. W. Zimmerman, pres.; Joe Stevenson, secy.

ROCHESTER, IND.—The Fulton County Agricultural and Mechanical Association. Sept. 12 to 15. N. A. McClung, pres.; J. Dawson, treas.; F. E. Moore, secy.

SPRANAC, IND.—Brown County Fair. Sept. 11 to 15.

TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Vigo County Fair. Sept. 24 to 29. W. P. Hams, pres.; Chas. R. Duffin, secy.

TIPTON, IND.—Tipton County Fair. Sept. 1 to 14. Jas. N. Waugh, pres.; B. F. Ramsey, secy.

VINCENNES, IND.—The Knox County Agricultural and Mechanical Society. Oct. 8 to 13. M. J. Niblack, pres.; J. M. House, secy.; H. A. Foulks, treas.



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ACTON, IA.—Union County Fair. Oct 2 to 5. J. L. Pollock, secy.
 AIEL, IA.—Dallas County Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. J. H. Dwight, secy.
 ALGONA, IA.—Kossuth County Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 28, 1900. C. A. Lewis, Algona, Ia., pres.; E. P. Keith, Algona, Ia., vice pres.; W. H. Bailey, Algona, Ia., treas.; G. F. Peck, Algona, Ia., secy.
 ALLISON, IA.—Butler County Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. L. J. Rogers, secy.
 AULUBON, IA.—Audubon County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 21. G. W. Hoover, pres.; R. C. Spencer, secy.; H. W. Wilson, treas.
 AVOCA, IA.—The Pottawattamie County Fair Association of Avoca, Ia., Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. G. Brudrick, Avoca, Ia., pres.; F. G. Hetzel, Avoca, Ia., vice pres.; J. H. Jenks, Avoca, Ia., treas.; Board of Directors, mgrs.; Roscoe Bartou, Avoca, Ia., secy.
 BELFORD, IA.—Taylor County Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. W. F. Evans, secy.
 BELLE PLAINE, IA.—Big Four District Association. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. Sully Werthman, Belle Plaine, Ia., pres.; L. F. Sweet, Belle Plaine, Ia., treas.; C. Washburn, Belle Plaine, Ia., secy.
 BLOOMFIELD, IA.—Agricultural Society of Davis County. Sept. 11 to 14. D. O. Harris, pres.; J. C. Broward, secy.; J. R. Sheaffer, treas.
 BRITT, IA.—Hancock Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 13. John Hammill, secy.
 BUFFALO CENTER, IA.—Oct 2 to 4. Address John B. Damm.
 CARROLL, IA.—Carroll Fair and Driving Park Association. Sept. 10 to 13. Wm. Trowbridge, pres.; Geo. Geizer, secy.; J. P. Hess, treas.
 CENTERVILLE, IA.—Appanoose County Fair. Sept. 18 to 21, 1900. R. M. Hicks, pres.; J. C. Ashby, treas.; H. A. Russell, secy.
 CENTRAL CITY, IA.—Wapsie Valley Fair Association. Sept. 11 to 14. P. O. Clark, secy.
 CHARLES CITY, IA.—Floyd County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. Chas. Hammond, secy.
 HAMPTON, IA.—Lucas County Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. Wm. Housholder, secy.
 CLARION, IOWA.—Wright County Agricultural Society. Sept. 15 to 21, 1900. W. C. Brown, Clarion, Iowa, secy.
 CLINTON, IA.—Clinton District Fair. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. Hon. G. D. McDavid, pres.; C. D. May, treas.; C. L. Root, secy.
 CORNING, IA.—The Adams County Fair. Sept. 10 to 13. C. F. Andrews, pres.; J. M. De Vore, secy.
 ORYDON, IA.—Wayne County Fair. Sept. 14 to 28. H. K. Evans, secy.
 DE WITT, IA.—Clinton County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 18 to 21, 1900. L. S. Harrington, secy.
 ELKADER, IA.—Elkader Fair and Wack Association. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. Joseph Lamm, Elkader, Ia., pres.; P. J. Cain, Elkader, Ia., vice pres.; Chas. Johnson, Elkader, Ia., treas.; J. D. Brownson, Elkader, Ia., secy.
 EMMETSBURG, IA.—Palo Alto County Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. H. C. Shadbolt, pres.; J. C. Bennett, secy.; M. L. Brown, treas.
 ESTERVILLE, IA.—Emmet County Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 to 5. J. J. Klopp, secy.
 FAIRFIELD, IA.—Jefferson County Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. John R. McElderry, secy.
 FOREST CITY, IA.—Winnebago County Fair and Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 13, 1900. F. O. Koto, pres.; J. A. Peters, secy.; W. Secor, treas.
 GRAND CANAL, IA.—Fair. Sept. 5 to 17.
 GREENFIELD, IA.—Adair County Fair Association. Sept. 26 to 28, 1900. G. F. Morris, pres.; D. Heaton, treas.; J. E. Brooke, secy.
 GRUNDY CENTER, IA.—Grundy Center Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. E. S. Ensing, secy.
 GUTHRIE CENTER, IA.—Guthrie County Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. A. H. Grissell, secy.

HAMPTON, IA.—Franklin County Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. D. C. Mallory, secy.
 HUMBOLDT, IA.—Humboldt County Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. Carlos Combs, secy.
 INDIANOLA, IA.—Warren County Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. E. B. Dowell, secy.
 IOWA CITY, IA.—Johnson County Fair. Sept. 24 to 27.
 KEOSAUQUA, IA.—Van Huren County Fair. Sept. 11 to 11.
 KNOXVILLE, IA.—Marion County Fair. Date not fixed.
 MALVERN, IA.—Mills County Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. J. J. Swain, secy.
 MANCHESTER, IA.—Delavan County Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 28, 1900. A. S. Coou, Manchester, Ia., pres.; J. W. Receptor, Oneida, Ia., vice pres.; L. J. Gates, Manchester, Ia., treas.; E. J. Couger, Manchester, Ia., secy.
 MARCUS, IA.—Cherokee County Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. H. B. Robeson, secy.
 MARENGO, IA.—Iowa County Fair. Sept. 3 to 6. F. B. Colson, secy.
 MID HANCOCKVILLE, IA.—District Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. A. F. Fairchild, secy.
 MILTON, IA.—District Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. E. O. Syphers, secy.
 MISSOURI VALLEY, IA.—Harrison County Fair. Date not fixed.
 NEVADA, IA.—Story County Fair. Oct. 2 to 4. J. F. Martin, secy.
 NEW SHARON, IA.—New Sharon Agricultural and Fair Association. Sept. 11 to 13. J. Adkisson, pres.; C. E. Wallace, secy.; Jas. G. Hammond, treas.
 NEWTON, IA.—Jasper County Agricultural Society. Sept. 10 to 13. H. D. Parsons, pres.; C. Greibling, treas.; H. C. Korf, secy.
 OGDEN, IA.—Boone County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. F. M. Lorenzen, Ogdén, Ia., pres.; Mc. P. Bass, Ogdén, Ia., vice pres.; G. R. Sucher, Ogdén, Ia., pres.; E. H. Graves, Ogdén, Ia., secy.
 ORANGE CITY, IA.—Sioux County Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. F. J. Lohr, secy.
 PELLA, IA.—Lake Prairie District Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. Chas. Porter, secy.
 PERRY, IA.—Perry District Fair Association. Sept. 24 to 27. Josiah Petty, secy.
 RED OAK, IA.—Montgomery County Fair. Sept. 24 to 28. Wm. Thomas, pres.; D. B. Gunn, secy.
 RHODES, IA.—Eden Dist. Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 20. W. A. Nichols, White Center, pres.; W. N. Mason, McPhoosie, treas.; H. M. Weeks, secy.
 SEYMOUR, IA.—District Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. R. E. Lowry, secy.
 SHELDON, IA.—District Fair. Sept. 12 to 14.
 SIBLEY, IA.—Oceola County Fair. Sept. 7 to 7. R. M. Hunter, pres.; Harold E. Scott, secy.
 STRAWBERRY POINT, IA.—Strawberry Point District Fair Association. Sept. 8 to 21. Ira L. Cole, pres.; H. W. Scofield, secy.; G. H. Scofield, treas.
 TOLEDO, IA.—Tama County Fair. Sept. 25 to 28, 1900. W. J. Malin, pres.; A. G. Smith, secy.; H. G. Shanklin, treas.
 VICTOR, IA.—Victor District Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 13. John M. Graff, pres.; D. B. Connelly, vice pres.; J. F. Schaefer, secy.; John Steffy, treas.
 VINTON, IA.—The Benton County Agricultural Association. Sept. 18 to 21, 1900. Matt Gaasch, pres.; J. B. F. Hunter, vice pres.; G. D. McKinney, treas.; J. E. Marletta, secy.
 WAUKON, IA.—Allamakee County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 20, 1900. S. H. Opper, Waukon, Ia., pres.; P. S. Narum, Waukon, Ia., vice pres.; T. J. Kelleher, Waukon, Ia., treas.; Carl M. Beaman, Waukon, Ia., mgr. and secy.
 WEST LIBERTY, IA.—Union District Fair Association. Sept. 11 to 14. E. L. Henderson, secy.
 WHAT CHEER, IA.—District Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. T. O. Leach, secy.
 WILLIAMSPURG, IA.—District Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. F. C. Rock, secy.

WILTON JUNCTION, IA.—Wilton Agricultural Fair. Sept. 15 to 20. W. D. Harris, secy.
 WINTERSET, IA.—Madison County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. C. A. Lee, secy.

KANSAS.

ARKANSAS CITY, KAN.—Harvest Home. Oct 1 to 5. M. F. Phillips, mgr.
 BURLING, KAN.—Eastern County Fair Association. Sept. 19 to 21. J. M. Henderson, secy.
 BURLINGTON, KAN.—Coffey County Fair Association. Sept. 24 to 28. J. B. Sweet, pres.; S. D. Weaver, treas.; J. E. Woodford, secy.
 CLAY CENTER, KAN.—Clay County Fair Association. Sept. 25 to 28. E. E. Hops, secy.
 COCKNELL GROVE, KAN.—Morris County Fair. Sept. 4 to 28. E. J. Hill, secy.
 EL DORADO, KAN.—Butler County Fair Association. Sept. 11 to 14. J. W. Robinson, pres.; Seth Frazier, treas.; Alvah Shelden, secy.
 FRANKFORD, KAN.—Frankford Fair Association. Sept. 25 to 28. C. W. Brandenburg, secy.
 GARFON CITY, KAN.—Finney County Fair Association. L. A. Mims, secy.
 GARNETT, KAN.—Anderson County Fair Association. Sept. 12 to 15. C. H. Atter, secy.; Garret, KAN., secy.
 HOLLAND, KAN.—Jackson County Agricultural and Fair Association. Sept. 11 to 14. S. B. Morrow, secy.
 HOLA, KAN.—Allen County Agricultural Society. Sept. 10 to 13. Lew Horville, pres.; M. P. Jacoby, treas.; C. H. Wheaton, secy.
 LAWRENCE, KAN.—Kaw Valley Fair Association. Oct. 15. Gress, secy.
 MANKATO, KAN.—Jewell County Fair Association. Sept. 11 to 14. Chas. F. Horn, secy.
 MOUND CITY, KAN.—Linn County Fair Association. Ed. R. Smith, secy.
 NEWTON, KAN.—Newton Fair. Oct. 2 to 5. D. J. T. Atter, mgr.
 NORTHON, KAN.—Norton Fair and Park Association. Sept. 19 to 21. L. Miller, secy.; M. F. Garrity, pres.
 OTTAWA, KAN.—Franklin County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 21. B. C. McQuesten, Ottawa, Kan., secy.
 PAOLA, KAN.—Miami County Agricultural and Mechanical Association. Sept. 25 to 28. C. F. Gannon, pres.; J. F. Douahue, treas.; Jos. F. Prickett, secy.
 RILEY, KAN.—Riley County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 21. R. T. Worboys, secy.
 SALINA, KAN.—Salina County Agricultural, Horticultural & Mechanical Association. Sept. 25 to 28. W. B. Wallace, secy.
 STOCKTON, KAN.—Rooks County Fair Association. Sept. 11 to 14. David B. Smyth, secy.
 TRIBUNE, KAN.—Greeley County Fair Association. Oct. 2 and 3. L. B. Newman, secy.

KENTUCKY.

BOWLING GREEN, KY.—Fair. Sept. 12 to 15.
 ELIZABETHTOWN, KY.—Hardin County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. James A. Kinkaid, secy.
 GLASGOW, KY.—Fair. Sept. 19 to 22. J. T. Carter, secy.
 GUTHRIE, KY.—Fair. Sept. 19 to 22. Geo. Snodan, secy.
 HENDERSON, KY.—Great Tri-County Fair. Sept. 25 to 29. Jacob Zimbro, Jr., secy.
 HOPKINSVILLE, KY.—Elks Fair. Sept. 25 to 29.
 HORSE CAVE, KY.—Fair. Sept. 26 to 29.
 MARYSVILLE, KY.—The Robertson County Fair. Sept. 13 to 16. W. J. Osborne, secy.
 OWENSHORO, KY.—Horse Fair. Sept. 18 to 22. Hugh Williams, pres.; L. Freeman Little, secy.
 OWENTON, KY.—Owen County Fair. Sept. 26 to 29. E. Hambridge, secy.
 PAINESVILLE, KY.—Colored Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. A. W. Watkins, pres.; J. W. Moore, secy.

MAINE.

ACTON, ME.—Shapleigh and Acton Fair. Oct 9 to 11. F. K. Bodwell, secy.
 ANDOVER, ME.—North Oxford Agricultural Fair. Sept. 19 and 20. Geo. O. Huse, secy.
 BELFAST, ME.—Waldo County Fair. Sept. 18 and 19. B. H. Dorant, secy.
 BETHEL, ME.—Riverside Fair. Sept. 11 to 13.
 BLUEHILL, ME.—Hancock County Agricultural Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. Nahum Hackley, secy.
 BRISTOL, ME.—Bristol Fair. Sept. 25 to 27.
 CHERRYFIELD, ME.—West Washington Fair. Sept. 11 to 13.
 DAMASCUS, ME.—Lincoln County Fair. Oct. 2 to 4.
 DURHAM, ME.—Agricultural Society. Sept. 10 to 14. Rufus Parker, pres.; S. S. Parker, treas.; J. H. Williams, secy.
 EAST PITESTON, ME.—Fair. Sept. 25 to 27.
 EDEN, ME.—Eden Agricultural Society. Sept. 19 and 20. Frank S. Wood, secy.



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EXETER, ME—West Penobscot Agricultural Society, Sept. 26 to 27, 1900. L. P. Hubbard, Secy.; J. E. Jewett, Ex-Com. Secy.

FLORENCE, ME—West Oxford Fair, Sept. 24 to 27.

GORHAM, ME—Cumberland County Fair, Sept. 11 to 13. C. H. Longden, Westbrooke, Me., secy.

HANNOCK, ME—Hancock County Fair, Sept. 18 to 20.

HARRISON, ME—Northern Cumberland Agricultural Society, Oct. 9 and 10. J. M. Lunde, pres.; James Thomas, treas.; J. Orin Ross, secy.

HIGHLAND, ME—East Somerset Fair, Sept. 11 to 13.

LIBERTY, ME—West Waldo Fair, W. H. Moody, secy.

MADISON, ME—Somerset County Agricultural Society, Sept. 10, 11 and 12. J. E. W. Howe, secy.

MAPLETON, ME—The Aroostook County Potato Show, Oct. 24 and 25. Geo. B. Tucker, secy.

MINNOC, ME—The Waldo and Penobscot Agricultural Society, Sept. 11 to 13. M. C. Chapman, Newburgh Village, pres.; T. L. Palmer, treas.; T. H. Howden, secy.

NEWFIELD, ME—Barnstable Fair, W. H. Straw, pres.; G. T. Wilson, secy.

PEMBROKE, ME—Washington County Fair, Sept. 18 to 20. Sidney A. Wilder, secy.

PHILIPS, ME—North Franklin Agricultural Society, Sept. 11 to 13 and July 4. C. W. Carr, Strong, Me., pres.; Sumner H. Bird, treas.; M. S. Kelley, secy.

PRESQUE ISLE, ME—N. Aroostook Agricultural and Horticultural Society, Sept. 11 to 13. Ernest T. McLaughlin, So. Presque Isle, Me., secy.

REDFIELD, ME—Kennebec County Fair, Sept. 11 to 13.

RED HUND CORNER, ME—Farmers' Club Fair, Sept. 25.

SOUTH MADISON, ME—South Kennebec County, Sept. 18 to 20. Chas. F. Achorn, Coopus Mills, pres.; Jasper S. Gray, treas.; Arthur N. Douglass, Chelsea, secy.

SOUTH PARIS, ME—Oxford County Fair, Sept. 18 to 20.

SOUTH WINDSOR, ME—South Kennebec County, Sept. 18 to 20. Arthur N. Douglass, Chelsea, Me., secy.

TOPSHAM, ME—Sagadahoc Agricultural and Horticultural Society, Oct. 9 to 11. W. S. Ross, secy.

UNION, ME—North Knox Agricultural and Horticultural Society, Sept. 25 to 27. E. E. Thurston, pres.; H. W. Grinnell, treas.; Geo. C. Hayes, secy.

UNION, ME—North Waldo Fair, About Sept. 10. E. B. Hunt, secy.

UPPER RED ESTER, ME—New Gloucester Farmers' Fair, Sept. 20 and 21.

WEST LAMBERTLAND, ME—Farmers' Club Fair, Sept. 20 and 21.

WEST FARMINGTON, ME—Franklin County Fair, Sept. 18 to 20. A. F. Gammon, secy.

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE, MD—Agricultural Fair and Fall Meeting, Sept. 11 to 13. Jes. E. Paul, secy.

BELLE ABIE, MD—Harford County Agricultural Society, Oct. 9 to 12. Jas. W. McNabb, secy.

FREDERICK CITY, MD—The Frederick Fair, Oct. 9 to 12, 1900. Harry C. Keefer, Frederick City, secy.

FAVERSHAM, MD—Hagerstown Fair, Oct. 6 to 10. John L. Post, secy.

FREDERICK, MD—Prospect Fair & Racing Association, Sept. 11 to 13. H. A. Beach, secy.

MASSACHUSETTS

AMESBURY, MASS—Amesbury Salisbury Fair, Sept. 27 to 29.

AMHERST, MASS—Hampshire Agricultural Society, Sept. 25 and 26. A. M. Lyman, Montague, Mass.; T. R. Hill, secy.

ATHOL, MASS—Worcester Northwest Fair, Sept. 11 and 12.

BAKERE, MASS—Worcester County West Agricultural Society, Sept. 27 and 28, 1900. Austin F. Adams, Barre, Platts, Mass., pres.; Jesse Allen, Oakham, Mass., vice pres.; Charles N. Follanby, Barre, Mass., treas.; Matthew Walker, Barre, Mass., secy.

BLANDFORD, MASS—Union Fair, Sept. 12 to 14.

BRIDGEWATER, MASS—Plymouth Fair, Sept. 12 to 14.

BROCKTON, MASS—Brockton Agricultural Society, Oct. 2 to 5, 1900. Hon. H. W. Robinson, Brockton, Mass., pres.; B. H. Grover, Brockton, Mass., vice pres.; E. M. Thompson, Brockton, Mass., treas.; Beulah Sanford, Brockton, Mass., secy.

HARLEMONT, MASS—Dartmouth Fair, Sept. 11 and 12.

CLINTON, MASS—The Worcester East Agricultural Society, Sept. 12 to 14, 1900. Col. John E. Thayer, Lancaster, Mass., pres.; Warren Goodale, Clinton, Mass., vice pres.; Hon. Lucius Field, Clinton, Mass., treas.; O. L. Stone, Clinton, Mass., mgr.; Wm. A. Kilburn, South Lancaster, Mass., secy.

CLIMMINGTON, MASS—Hillsdale Fair, Sept. 25 and 26.

DANVERS, MASS—Middlesex East Agricultural Association, Sept. 26 to 29.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS—Housatonic Fair, Sept. 26 and 27.

GREENFIELD, MASS—Franklin Fair, Sept. 19 and 21.

HINGHAM, MASS—Hingham Agricultural and Horticultural Society, Sept. 25 and 26, 1900. Ebed L. Ripley, Hingham Centre, pres.; Hon. John D. Long, Washington, D. C., vice pres.; Remond Sprague, Hingham Centre, treas.; Ebed L. Ripley, Hingham Centre, mgr.; William H. Thomas, Hingham, Mass., secy.

LOWELL, MASS—Middlesex North Agricultural Society, Sept. 13 to 15, 1900. Henry S. Perham, Chelmsford, Mass., pres.; Geo. R. Coburn, Lowell, Mass., secy.; S. Drewett, Lowell, Mass., treas.; E. J. Noyes, Lowell, Mass., mgr.

MARSHFIELD, MASS—Marshfield Fair, Sept. 19 to 21.

MIDDLEFIELD, MASS—Highland Fair, Sept. 5 and 6.

MIDDLESEX, MASS—East Middlesex Agricultural Association, Sept. 25 to 29.

NEWBURYPORT, MASS—Old Newbury Agricultural Fair.

NORTHAMPTON, MASS—Hampshire Franklin Fair, Oct. 3 and 4.

NORTH ATTLEBORO, MASS—North Attleboro Fair, Sept. 11 to 13.

PAYSON, MASS—Eastern Hampton Agricultural Society, Sept. 18 and 19. F. D. Barton, secy.

PEABODY, MASS—Essex Agricultural Society, Sept. 18 to 20. G. L. Meyer, Hamilton, Mass., pres.; J. M. Danforth, Lynnfield Centre, secy.; G. L. Streeter, Salem, treas.

PITTSFIELD, MASS—Berkshire Agricultural Society, Sept. 11 to 13. Martin T. Coleman, Richmond, Mass., pres.; Charles H. Wright, secy.; Wm. P. Wood, treas.

ROCKVILLE, MASS—Fair, Sept. 18 to 20. Mr. Washington, secy.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, MASS—South Middlesex Fair, Sept. 18 and 19.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH, MASS—Weymouth Agricultural and Industrial Fair, Sept. 27 to 29. T. L. Tirrell, Nash P. O., secy.

SPENCER, MASS—Spencer Fair, Sept. 20 and 21.

STURBRIDGE, MASS—South Worcester Fair, Sept. 13 and 14.

TAUNTON, MASS—Bristol County Agricultural Society, Sept. 18 to 21, 1900; Edward H. Temple, Taunton, Mass., pres.; Horatio H. Ball, Taunton, Mass., vice pres.; E. Clarence Holt, Taunton, Mass., treas.; Gertrude Williams, Taunton, Mass., secy.

TEMPLETON, MASS—Templeton Grange Cattle Show and Fair, Sept. 14. J. A. Bradshaw, secy.

UNION, MASS—Blackstone Valley Fair, Sept. 11 and 12.

WESTMINSTER, MASS—Annual Cattle Show, Sept. 28.

WEST TISHURRY, MASS—Vineyard Fair, Sept. 18 and 19.

MICHIGAN

ADRAIN, MICH—Lenawee County Fair Association, Sept. 24 to 28. H. H. Ferguson, secy.

ALBION, MICH—Albion Fair and Driving Park Association, Sept. 25 to 28. J. Frank Clark, secy.

ALPENA, MICH—Twenty-third Annual Fair, Alpena County Agricultural Association, Sept. 19 to 21. Walter Gavagan, pres.; G. A. Waldron, secy.

ANN ARBOR, MICH—Washtenaw Fair Association, Oct. 2 to 5. Wm. Campbell, Ypsilanti, Mich., pres.; Jennie Buel, secy.

ARMADA, MICH—Armada Agricultural Society, Oct. 3 to 5. John McKay, Romeo, Mich., pres.; R. V. Edwards, Armada, Mich., treas.; A. J. Freeman, Armada, Mich., secy.

BAD AXE, MICH—Huron County Agricultural Society, Sept. 25 to 28. John Hunt, Virona Mills, Mich., pres.; Geo. W. Clark, secy.; C. E. Thompson, treas.

BANCROFT, MICH—Bancroft Fair Company, Oct. 10 to 12. B. D. Block, pres.; R. Sherman, treas.; F. I. Wixom, secy.

BRIGHTON, MICH—Fair, Oct. 9 to 12. Sturber & Case, mgrs.

CARD, MICH—Tuscola County Farmers' Fair, Sept. 18 to 21. F. B. Ransford, secy.

CALEDONIA, MICH—Caledonia Union Fair Association, Oct. 3 to 5. Wm. McCrodon, pres.; Charles H. Kinsey, secy.; D. P. Hale, treas.

CASS CITY, MICH—Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Fair Association, Oct. 2 to 5, 1900. Henry Dodge, Elmwood, Mich., pres.; Wm. J. Campbell, Cass City, Mich., treas.; A. N. Aila, secy.

CHARLOTTE, MICH—Eaton County Agricultural Society, Oct. 2 to 5. J. H. Gallery, pres.; Jas. H. Brown, treas.; Geo. A. Perry, secy.

CHIPPewa, MICH—Chippewa and Mackinac Agricultural Fair, About Oct. 28 and 29. Hugh Carr, pres.; John A. Taylor, secy.

ELKTON, MICH—Elkton Agricultural Society Fair, Oct. 10 and 11.

FLINT, MICH—Genesee County Agricultural Society's Fair, Oct. 2 to 5, 1900. W. F. Stewart, pres.; E. H. Rankin, Jr., secy.

FOWLERVILLE, MICH—Fowlerville Agricultural Society, Oct. 2 to 5, 1900. C. L. Gordon, Fowlerville, Mich., pres.; D. C. Carr, Fowlerville, Mich., secy.; Fred. Cuhn, Fowlerville, Mich., treas.

GAYLOR, MICH—Oshtego County Fair, Sept. 12 to 14.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH—The Michigan State Fair, Sept. 21 to 28, 1900. M. P. Anderson, pres.; I. H. Butterfield, secy.

HART, MICH—The Oceana County Agricultural Society Fair, Sept. 11 to 14. J. R. Butler, secy.

HASTINGS, MICH—Barry County Agricultural Society Fair, Oct. 9 to 12. C. L. Banner, secy.

HILLSDALE, MICH—Hillsdale Fair, Oct. 1 to 4. W. Terwilliger, secy.

HOLLAND, MICH—South Ottawa and West Allegan Agricultural Society, Oct. 9 to 12. H. Kovker, pres.; L. T. Kanter, secy.; H. Jindens, treas.

IMLAY CITY, MICH—Imlay City Agricultural Society, Oct. 2 to 4, 1900. M. J. Haskin, Imlay City, Mich., pres.; Dr. G. W. Jones, Imlay City, Mich., treas.; F. Rathburg, Imlay City, Mich., secy.

IONIA, MICH—Ionia District Fair Association, Oct. 2 to 5. E. J. Rayle, Saranac, Mich., pres.; Eldon P. Mains, treas.; E. A. Murphy, secy.

IRONWOOD, MICH—O. S. Firemen's Tournament and Gayette County Fair, Sept. 13 to 15. P. E. Hook, secy.

IRONWOOD, MICH—Fair, Sept. 25 to 29.

MARSHALL, MICH—Calhoun County Agricultural Society, Oct. 2 to 5. Wm. Foster, Bante Creek, Mich., pres.; Wm. H. Arthur, secy.; T. J. Shipp, treas.

MARQUETTE, MICH—Marquette County Agricultural Society, Sept. 26 to 28, 1900. E. B. Palmer, Marquette, Mich., pres.; M. E. Astre, Marquette, Mich., secy.; C. H. Owl, Marquette, Mich., treas.

MIDLAND, MICH—Midland County Agricultural Society, Oct. 3 to 5. Jas. G. Culver, secy.

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PONTIAC, MICH—Forty-eighth Fair of the Oakland County Agricultural Society, Sept. 18 to 21. E. Howland, pres.; F. W. Burch, secy.

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STOCKBRIDGE, MICH—Fair, Oct. 9 to 11. E. J. Cain, secy.

VASSAR, MICH—Tuscola County Fair, Sept. 25 to 28. R. S. Weaver, Watronsville, Mich., secy.

YALE, MICH—Agricultural Fair, About October 1.

MINNESOTA

ALBERT LEA, MINN—Albert Lea Street Fair Association, Sept. 26 to 28. T. V. Knatford, pres.; C. A. Ransom, secy.; F. W. Barlow, treas.

AITKIN, MINN—Aitkin County Agricultural and Stock Breeders' Association, Sept. 14 and 15. J. S. Campbell, pres.; T. P. McQuillin, secy.; T. E. Krech, treas.

BIRD ISLAND, MINN—Itasca County Fair, Sept. 19 to 21. H. G. Goke, secy.

CHASKA, MINN—Chaska Agricultural Association, Sept. 27 to 29. Fred Greiner, pres.; F. G. Linenfelder, treas.; T. Craven, secy.

CANBY, MINN—Yellow Medicine County Fair, Dates undecided.

CURRIE, MINN—Murray County Agricultural Society, Oct. 4 and 5. W. H. Mellen, pres.; A. Currie, Sr., treas.; N. Currie, secy.

FAIRMOUNT, MINN—Martin County Agricultural Society, Sept. 10 to 12. J. G. Mitchell, pres.; Cecil Sharpe, treas.; Edwin Wade, secy.

GARDEN CITY, MINN—Blue Earth County Agricultural Society, Sept. 12 to 14. W. H. Over, pres.; E. W. Parker, treas.; S. M. Dickinson, secy.

HUTCHINSON, MINN—McLeod County Agricultural Society, Sept. 11 to 13, 1900. Sam W. Stocking, Hutchinson, Minn., pres.; Ed. A. Temes, Hutchinson, Minn., vice pres.; L. A. Ritter, Hutchinson, Minn., treas.; L. P. Harrington, Hutchinson, Minn., secy.

KASSON, MINN—Dodge County Fair, Sept. 11 to 14. August E. Anderson, box 334, secy.

MONTEVIDEO, MINN—Chippewa County Fair, Sept. 26 to 28. C. P. Silverdale, pres.; Chas. E. Barber, secy.

NEW TLM, MINN—Brown County Fair, Sept. 20 to 22. Fred. Crane, pres.; Henry N. Samsel, secy.

REDWOOD FALLS, MINN—Redwood County Fair, Sept. 19 to 21.

ST. PETER, MINN—Nicollet County Agricultural Society, Sept. 12 to 14. D. T. M. Lambert, pres.; J. A. Johnson, secy.; H. S. Sackett, treas.

WINNEBAGO CITY, MINN—Faribault County Agricultural and Joint Stock Company, Sept. 13 to 15. W. D. Richards, pres.; L. C. Stebbins, secy.

WINONA, MINN—Fair, Sept. 11 to 11. John Rose, secy.; O. F. Burlingame, pres.

WORTHINGTON, MINN—Nobles County Fair and Races, September.

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MISSOURI

ALBANY, MO—Gentry County Fair. Date not fixed.

BETHEL, MO—Riverside Park Association Fair, Sept. 11 to 13. W. E. Abbott, secy.

CALIFORNIA, MO—Maitneau County Fair, Sept. 18 to 21. H. Bascom Hardy, secy.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO—County Fair and Park Association, Oct. 9 to 13. E. H. Englemann, secy.

CHILLICOTHE, MO—Fair, Sept. 11 to 14.

CREVE COEUR LAKE, MO—St. Louis County, Sept. 20 to 23. John Watering, pres.; Floyd Brooks, secy.

DENTER, MO—The Stoddard County Agricultural Society, Sept. 25 to 29, 1900. L. F. Jeffers, secy.

HIGGINSVILLE, MO—Farmers' Fair Association, Sept. 25 to 28. J. T. Willis, pres.; S. J. Klemschmidt.

LEE'S SUMMIT, MO—Jackson County A. and M. Society, Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. E. S. Browning, Lee's Summit, Mo., pres.; W. F. Noland, Lee's Summit, Mo., vice pres.; C. White, Lee's Summit, Mo., treas.; Lewis Lamkin, Jr., Lee's Summit, Mo., secy.

LEWISWOOD, MO—Bade County Fair, Sept. 18 to 21.

MEMPHIS, MO—Scotland County Fair, Sept. 13 to 14.

PARIS, MO—Monroe County Fair, Sept. 1.

ROCKPORT, MO—Thirteenth Annual Exhibition, Rockport Fair, Sept. 11 to 1. John D. Dopf, secy.

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ALLIANCE, NEB.—Alliance Racing Association. Sept. 17 to 22.

ATBURN, NEB.—Nebraska County Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. J. W. Darragh, secy.

AUROKA, NEB.—Hamilton County Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 28. T. A. McKay, pres.; T. E. Williams, treas.; B. F. Isaman, secy.

BASSETT, NEB.—Rock County Agricultural Society. September. J. H. Putnam, Cuba, Neb., pres.; J. D. Brayton, treas.; W. T. Phillips, secy.

BEAVER CITY, NEB.—Furnas County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. J. T. Nickerson, secy.

BEYRITLAND, NEB.—Pheasant County Fair Association. Oct. 2 to 5, 1900. A. J. Sanderstrom, pres.; Alf. Andrews, vice pres.; C. J. Gibbons, secy.; R. P. Larson, treas.

BROKEN BOW, NEB.—Custer County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. J. O. Taylor, Berwyn, Neb., pres.; A. R. Humphrey, Broken Bow, Neb., treas.; E. R. Purcell, Broken Bow, Neb., secy.

CLAY CENTER, NEB.—Clay County Agricultural Society. Sept. 26 to 29. B. W. Campbell, pres.; H. E. McDowell, treas.; O. C. Williams, secy.

FRANKLIN, NEB.—Franklin County Fair. Sept. 26 to 28. W. E. Ewing, secy.

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MINDEN, NEB.—Kearney County Fair. Sept. 19 to 21.

NELSON, NEB.—Nuckolls County Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. W. G. Boardley, secy.

OMAHA, NEB.—Douglas County Agricultural Society. Sept. 24 to 29.

RED CLOUD, NEB.—The Red Cloud Interstate Fair Association. Oct. 2 to 5, 1900. J. L. Miller, Red Cloud, Neb., pres.; S. M. Crabbill, Red Cloud, Neb., vice pres.; G. W. Dow, Red Cloud, Neb., treas.; D. J. Meyers, Red Cloud, Neb., secy.

SALEM, NEB.—Richardson County Fair. Sept. 9 to 13.

SPRINGFIELD, NEB.—Sarge County Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. C. F. Cathsim, secy.

STOCKVILLE, NEB.—Frontier County Agricultural Association. Sept. 18 to 21, 1900. L. H. Cheney, secy.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE.

BRADFORD, N. H.—Bradford Fair. Sept. 26 and 27.

BRISTOL, N. H.—Bristol Fair Association. Sept. 18 to 20.

GREENFIELD, N. H.—Oak Park Fair. Sept. 11 to 13.

NASHUA, N. H.—Nashua Fair Association. Sept. 3 to 6, 1900. J. E. Tolles, pres.; M. H. O'Grady, treas.; T. A. Crowley, secy.

PLYMOUTH, N. H.—Plymouth Fair. Sept. 11 to 13.

ROCHESTER, N. H.—Rochester Fair. Sept. 11 to 14.

ST. JOHNSBURY, N. H.—Caledonia County Fair. Sept. 11 to 13.

NEW JERSEY.

BURLINGTON, N. J.—The Burlington County Fair Association. Oct. 3 to 5.

HUTTENBURG, N. J.—Great Tri-State Fair. North Hudson Park. Sept. 17 to 22. E. F. Young, Jersey City, pres.; Robert Davis, Jersey City, treas.; P. T. Powers, 229 Broadway, New York, gen. supt.; James M. Reilly, secy.

TRENTON, N. J.—Interstate Fair Association. Sept. 24 to 28, 1900. Gen. Richard Donnelly, Trenton, N. J., pres.; Wm. L. Salor, Trenton, N. J., vice pres.; Rudolph V. Kuser, Trenton, N. J., treas.; Mahlon R. Margerum, Trenton, N. J., secy. and mgr.

NEW MEXICO.

LBUQUERQUE, N. M.—New Mexico Territorial Fair Association. Sept. 18 to 22. W. V. McCreight, pres. and secy.; Arthur E. Wright, treas.

OSWELL, N. M.—Roswell Fair Association. Oct. 9 to 12. G. A. Richardson, pres.; W. M. Atkinson, secy.

OSWELL, N. MEX.—Southeast New Mexico Fair. About Sept. 19 to 15.

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ALBION, N. Y.—Orleans County Fair. Sept. 20 to 22. Herby Blood, pres.; G. W. Ough, secy.

ALTAMONT, N. Y.—Albany County Agricultural Society and Exposition. Sept. 10 to 13, 1900. Robert J. McCauley, Albany, N. Y., pres.; Joseph Snyder, Altamont, N. Y., vice pres.; V. P. Donno Lee, Altamont, N. Y., secy.; Edward Becker, Altamont, N. Y., treas.

ANGELICA, N. Y.—Allegany County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 13, 1900. E. S. Bartlett, Belfast, pres.; Charles Lounsbury, Angelica, vice pres.; H. E. Dudley, Angelica, N. Y., secy.; F. H. Jackson, Angelica, N. Y., treas.

BATAVIA, N. Y.—Genesee County Agricultural Society. Sept. 17 to 20, 1900. Daniel Harris, pres.; C. D. Harris, treas.; A. E. Brown, secy.

BATH, N. Y.—Steuben County Agricultural Fair. Sept. 24 to 28, 1900. C. A. Shultz, pres. and secy.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Fair. Oct. 2 to 5.

BRISTOL CENTER, N. Y.—Farmers' and Merchants' Agricultural Society. Sept. 21 and 22. F. M. Perce, secy.

BROOKFIELD, N. Y.—Brookfield Madison County Agricultural Society. Sept. 17 to 20. N. A. Crumh, secy.

CANANDAIGUA, N. Y.—Ontario County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 20, 1900. C. P. Whitney, Orleans, N. Y., pres.; Homer Reed, vice pres.; Jas. S. Hicks, treas.

CANTON, N. Y.—St. Lawrence County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. Leslie W. Russell, Canton, N. Y., pres.; E. H. Gilbert, Canton, N. Y., treas.; A. T. Martyu, Canton, N. Y., secy.; P. R. McMonagle, race secy.

COBLESKILL, N. Y.—Cobleskill Agricultural Society. Sept. 24 to 27, 1900. O. F. Nelson, Cobleskill, N. Y., pres.; Hon. J. S. Pludar, Cobleskill, N. Y., vice pres.; M. D. Borst, treas.; J. V. Guernsey, secy.

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y.—Otsego County Agricultural Fair. Sept. 18 to 20.

DRYDEN, N. Y.—Dryden Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 20, 1900. S. G. Lupton, Dryden, N. Y., pres.; Geo. Cole, Dryden, N. Y., vice pres.; D. T. Wheeler, Dryden, N. Y., treas.; J. B. Wilson, Dryden, N. Y., secy.

DUNDEE, N. Y.—Dundee Fair Association. Oct. 2 to 4. H. B. Harpending, secy.

HUNKER, N. Y.—Chataaugus County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 11 to 16.

ELMIRA, N. Y.—Chemung County Fair. Oct. 1 to 5, 1900. Geo. McCann, secy.

FONDA, N. Y.—Montgomery County Fair. Sept. 19 to 21.

FT. EDWARD, N. Y.—Washington County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14. Judson Edie, North Greenbush, N. Y., pres.; W. I. Bristol, treas.; S. B. Ambler, secy.

GREEN, N. Y.—Riverside Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14. J. E. Bartoo, secy.

HAMBURG, N. Y.—Erie County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. Claytoun C. Taylor, Lawtons, N. Y., pres.; W. H. Abbott, Armour, N. Y., treas.; G. P. Dick, Hamburg, N. Y., secy.

HERKIMER, N. Y.—Herkimer County Fair. Sept. 11 to 13.

ITHACA, N. Y.—Tompkins County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14.

LOCKPORT, N. Y.—Niagara County Agricultural Society. Sept. 24 to 28. Ruthven Kill, Orangeport, N. Y., pres.; C. L. Nichols, 45 Main st., Lockport, N. Y., secy.; J. M. Woodward, treas.

LOWVILLE, N. Y.—Lewis County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. W. S. Windcker, secy.

LYONS, N. Y.—Wayne County Fair. Sept. 13 to 15. E. W. Weeks, pres.; E. D. Leonard, treas.; N. D. Lapham, secy.

MALONE, N. Y.—Franklin County Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. Walter J. Mallon, secy.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.—Orange County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14.

MINEOLA, N. Y.—Queens Nassau Company. Sept. 25 to 29. L. Van de Water, Jr., secy.

MONTICELLO, N. Y.—Sullivan County Fair. Aug. 28 to 31.

MORRIS, N. Y.—Morris Fair Association. Oct. 2 to 4, 1900. T. O. Duroe, New Lisbon, N. Y., pres.; D. I. Lawrence, Morris, N. Y., treas.; V. C. Winton, Morris, N. Y., secy.

NAPLES, N. Y.—Union Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 20.

NASSAU, N. Y.—Rensselaer County Agricultural and Liberal Arts Society. Sept. 11 to 14. W. D. Barnes, Bramard, N. Y., pres.; Dehner Lynd, secy.; C. E. Husted, treas.

NEWARK, N. Y.—Warrensburg Agricultural Society. Oct. 4 to 6.

NORWICH, N. Y.—Chenango County Fair. Sept. 4 to 7.

ONEONTA, N. Y.—Central New York Fair. Sept. 10 to 13. W. L. Brown, pres.; S. L. Huntington, secy.

OSWEGO FALLS, N. Y.—The Oswego County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 21, 1900. W. W. Loomis, Oswego, N. Y., pres.; Edward Quirk, Fulton, N. Y., treas.; Fredk. G. Spencer, Fulton, N. Y., secy.

PALMYRA, N. Y.—Palmyra Fair Association. Sept. 20 to 22.

PENN YAN, N. Y.—Yates County Fair. Sept. 19 to 21. Ira R. Ironudage, pres.; H. R. Brown, secy.

PERRY, N. Y.—Silver Lake Agricultural and Mechanical Association. Oct. 2 and 3.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y.—Clinton County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14.

POTTERSVILLE, N. Y.—Glen Dale Union Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 21. C. E. Benedict, Schron Lake, N. Y., pres.; William H. Taxon, Chestertown, N. Y., vice pres.; James A. Skiff, Pottersville, N. Y., secy.; F. A. Griswold, Pottersville, N. Y., treas.

POTSDAM, N. Y.—Potsdam Agricultural & Horticultural Society. Sept. 18-21. Merrit Wheeler, Potsdam, N. Y., pres.; B. T. Scott, Potsdam, N. Y., vice pres.; H. E. Thompson, Potsdam, N. Y., treas.; H. S. Wilson, Potsdam, N. Y., secy.; Geo. R. Smith, Potsdam, N. Y., mgr.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.—Dutchess County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14. R. W. Rives, New Hamburg, pres.; A. B. Gray, Poughkeepsie, treas.; J. M. Booth, Poughkeepsie, secy.

REED CORNERS, N. Y.—Gorham Agricultural Society. Oct. 4 to 6.

RICHFIELD SPRINGS, N. Y.—Richfield Springs Agricultural Society. Sept. 24 to 28. M. O. Towne, pres.; G. T. Brockway, treas.; Fred. Ironner, Richfield, N. Y., secy.

RIVERHEAD, L. I.—Suffolk County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 21, 1900. Capt. William P. Dayton.

ROCHESTER, N. H.—Rochester Fair Association. Sept. 11 to 14. Geo. E. Wallace, pres.; Chas. M. Bailey, treas.; F. E. Small, secy.; W. G. Bradley, mgr.

ROME, N. Y.—Oneida County Fair. Sept. 24 to 28.

SANDY HILL, N. Y.—Washington County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. S. B. Arthur, secy.

SCHOHARIE, N. Y.—Schoharie County Agricultural Fair. Sept. 17 to 20. H. F. Kingsley, secy.

SHAVERTOWN, N. Y.—Shavertown Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 13. J. W. Davis, secy.

SHERBURNE, N. Y.—Sherburne Driving Park and Agricultural Association. Sept. 25 to 28. E. Daniels, pres.; Chas. L. Carrier, secy.

SHREVEPORT, N. Y.—Fair. Sept. 11 to 13.

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Onondaga County Fair. Oct. 2 to 5. Stephen Thoniton, Syracuse, pres.; N. H. Chapman, Syracuse, secy. and treas.

VERNON, N. Y.—Vernon Agricultural Society. Oct. 3 and 4. L. A. Griswold, secy.

WARSAW, N. Y.—Wyoming County Fair. Sept. 11 to 13.

WATERLOO, N. Y.—The Seneca County Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 27. Edward Nugent, secy.

WEST PHOENIX, N. Y.—Phoenix Union Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. John O'Brien, Phoenix, N. Y., pres.; N. A. Hughes, Phoenix, N. Y., treas.; Jas. A. Peardergast, Phoenix, N. Y., secy.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—Fair. Sept. 24 to 29. James Hopkins, pres.; Joseph B. Lee, treas.; E. B. Long, secy.

NORTH CAROLINA.

BURLINGTON, N. C.—The Alliance Fair. Oct. 15 to 20. J. H. Harden, secy.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.—Cumberland County Agricultural Society. November. Walter Watson, pres.; G. W. Lawrence, secy. and treas.

GREENSBORO, N. C.—Central Carolina Fair Association. Oct. 9 to 12. J. Van Luidky, pres.; J. H. Walsh, secy.

NEW BERNE, N. C.—Fair and Race Meet. Nov. 12 to 17. Wm. Dunn, pres.; Geo. Green, secy.

RALEIGH, N. C.—North Carolina State Agricultural Society. Oct. 22 to 25, 1900. Charles McNamee, Baltimore, N. C., pres.; C. B. Denson, treas.; Joseph E. Pogue, secy.

WELDON, N. C.—Roanoke and Tar River Agricultural Society Fair. Oct. 30 to Nov. 2. T. L. Enry, pres.; J. J. Daniel, treas.; W. B. Green, secy.

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OHIO.

AKRON, O.—Summit County Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 to 5. G. C. Stanford, Boston, O., pres.; G. W. Brewster, treas.; Albert Hale, secy.

ATHENS, O.—Athens County Fair. Sept. 25 to 27. E. G. Biddson, pres.; W. Scott, treas.; C. H. Porter, secy.

BELLEFONTAINE, O.—The Logan County Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 to 5, 1900. Isaac C. Miller, Bellefontaine, O., pres.; John L. Makemson, Degraff, O., vice pres.; A. R. Niven, Bellefontaine, O., treas.; E. Chamberlain, Bellefontaine, O., secy.

Berea, O.—West Cuyahoga Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 27. Wm. Duddall, Dover, O., pres.; W. J. Poots, Strongsville, treas.; O. R. Stone, Berea, secy.

BOWLING GREEN, O.—Wood County Fair. Sept. 25 to 29. W. S. Haskell, secy.

BUYRUS, O.—Crawford County Agricultural Society. Oct. 9 to 12. J. A. McMichael, pres.; G. W. Miller, secy.; M. Anck, treas.

CADIZ, O.—Harrison County Agricultural Association. Oct. 26 to 4, 1900. A. T. Elliot, Shortreek, O., pres.; W. V. Scott, Honeale, O., vice pres.; S. R. Hamilton, Cadiz, O., treas.; J. G. Millike, Cadiz, O., secy.; J. G. Milliken, mgr.

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CHAGRIN FALLS, O.—East Cuyahoga Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. Tryon Bally, Chagrin Falls, secy.

CINCINNATI, O.—Fall Festival. Sept. 19 to 29. E. T. Ziegler, Gibson, House, Cincinnati, general mgr.

COSHOCOTON, O.—The Coshocton County Agricultural Society. Oct. 9 to 12, 1900. J. P. Darling, Nellie, O., pres.; R. Boyd, Coshocton, secy.

CROTON, O.—Hartford Central Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. W. H. Singfried, Croton, O., secy.

DAYTON, O.—Montgomery County Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. W. J. Ferguson, secy.

DELAWARE, O.—Delaware County Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. S. H. Cleveland, pres.; L. Slack, treas.; W. S. Pollock, secy.

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ALFAX, WASH.—County Fair. Sept. 25 to 29. Charles McKenzie, secy.
 AVENPORT, WASH.—Second Annual Fair of the Lincoln County Fair Association. Sept. 25 to 29. J. H. Nicholls, mgr.
 F. VERNON, WASH.—Skagit County Fair. Oct. 4 to 7. H. R. Hutchinson, pres.
 EW WHATCOM, WASH.—Whatcom County Fair. Date not fixed. J. W. Clark, pres.
 FORTH YAKIMA, WASH.—Washington State Fair. Sept. 24 to 29. T. B. Gunn, secy.; M. Baxter, pres.; Matt Bartholet, treas.
 IYALLUP, WASH.—Valley Fair Association. Oct. 4 to 6. L. A. Chamberlin, pres.; P. Nevins, secy.
 OKANE, WASH.—Spokane Industrial Exposition. Oct. 2 to 16. E. D. Olmstead, pres.; W. E. Hawley, secy.
 ALLA WALLA, WASH.—Walla Walla Valley Fruit Fair. Oct. 1 to 7. C. F. Van de Vater, secy.

WEST VIRGINIA.

LIANCE, W. VA.—Fair and Race Meet. about October.
 JUNDSDVILLE, W. VA.—Ohio Valley Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. I. N. Houston, pres.; J. H. Hicks, treas.; S. M. Steele, secy.
 ESTON, W. VA.—Lewis County Fair. Sept. 25 to 27. R. H. Hull, pres.; Frank Whelan, secy.
 HEBLING, W. VA.—West Virginia Exposition and State Fair. Sept. 10 to 14, 1900. C. Reymann, pres.; Geo. Hook, secy.

WISCONSIN.

HERST, WIS.—Portage County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14. G. W. Smith, pres.; A. J. Smith, secy.; J. C. Webster, treas.
 TIGO, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. Fred. Aysson.
 RABOO, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. S. Pelton, Reedsburg.
 RLIN, WIS.—Fair. Oct. 1 to 4. C. M. Mills.
 AVLR DAM, WIS.—Dodge County Fair Association. Sept. 24 to 28, 1900. W. A. Van rant, Horicon, Wis., pres.; A. L. Wallace, Ox Lars, Wis., vice pres.; C. W. Harvey, Beaver Dam, secy.; H. B. Drak, Beaver Dam, Wis., treas.
 ACK RIVER FALLS, WIS.—Jackson County Fair. Sept. 20 and 21.
 SCOBEL, WIS.—Fair. Oct. 3 to 5. F. C. Juffey.
 JARBURG, WIS.—Ozaukee County Agricultural Society. Sept. 17 to 19, 1900. Wm. Rintleman, pres.; L. E. Schroeder, secy.; J. Dietrich, secy.
 PPEWA FALLS, WIS.—Northern Wisconsin State Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. J. R. Harp, pres.; M. S. Bailey, secy.; W. W. Inn, Chetek, Wis., treas.
 OGEVILLE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. J. Davey.
 RAND, WIS.—Pepin County Agricultural Society. Sept. 27 to 29, 1900. E. J. Ryan, pres.; W. B. Smith, treas.; J. Dorwin, secy.
 CLAIRE, WIS.—Combined Street Fair, carnival and Agricultural Fair. Oct. 2 to 6.
 GHORN, WIS.—Walworth County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 21. W. H. Allich, pres.; G. L. Harrington, secy.
 SWORTH, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 19 to 21. B. Doolittle.
 ENE, WIS.—Willamette Poultry and Pet Stock Association's Exhibit. Dec. 27 to 29, 1900.
 ENDSHIP, WIS.—Adams County Agricultural Ass'n. Sept. 13 to 20. F. M. Filns, Arkdale, Wis., pres.; L. N. Morse, Spring Springs, Wis., treas.; Geo. W. Bngm, secy.
 NTSBURG, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 26 to 28. id. A. Anderson.
 TONVILLE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 25 to H. T. Buck.
 OBN, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. F. M. arner.
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 CASTER, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. B. Wheeler.
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 ISON, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. Eugene Shepard.
 WAUKEE, WIS.—State Fair. Sept. 10 to John M. True, Madison.
 LLSVILLE, WIS.—Clark County Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 14. E. D. Webber, pres.; G. L. Redmond, treas.; H. H. ath, secy.
 LONDON, WIS.—New London Agricultural and Industrial Association. Sept. 25 to 28, 1900. A. Roloff, pres.; E. H. Ramm, as.; Henry Cannon, secy.
 RICHMOND, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 19 to O. J. Williams, pres.; J. W. McCoy, as.; J. A. Hughes, secy.
 NTO, WIS.—Oconto County Fair. Oct. 1 to 5.
 PAGE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. J. Jones.
 NELANDER, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 11 to W. C. Ogen.
 LAKE, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. E. Bowers.
 ILAND CENTER, WIS.—Richland County Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 28, 1900. M. Booh, Richland, City, Wis., pres.; A. Matthews, Ithica, Wis., vice pres.; A. Keys, Richland Center, treas.; W. F. Pogo, Richland Center, secy.
 ECA, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 10 to 12. Jas. her, Jr.
 OUR, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. H. J. Vuren.
 VANO, WIS.—Shawano County Agricultural Society. Sept. 19 to 21. M. J. Wallpres.; D. E. Wescott, secy.; F. O. 7, treas.
 TA, WIS.—Sparta Driving and Agricultural Association. Sept. 11 to 14, 1900. W. Teall, pres.; J. M. Fanning, treas.; Rice, secy.

SUPERIOR, WIS.—Douglas County Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 to 28, 1900. G. L. Herreck, West Superior, Wis., pres.; Nick Luclius, Solon Springs, Wis., vice pres.; E. L. Cass, West Superior, Wis., treas.; W. H. Webb, Superior, Wis., secy.
 VIROQUA, WIS.—Vernon County Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 to 21. C. J. Smith, pres.; John W. Mills, Springville, Wis., treas.; F. W. Alexander, secy.
 WAUTOMA, WIS.—Waushara County Agricultural Society. Sept. 26 to 28, 1900. Gilbert Temrant, Wautoma, Wis., pres.; Geo. F. Walbur, Wautoma, Wis., treas.; W. H. Buss, Wautoma, Wis., secy.
 WEST BEND, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 19 to 21. W. P. Rix.
 WEST SALEM, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. F. H. A. Nye, secy.
 WEYAUWEGA, WIS.—Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. David Wafer.

CANADA.

ALMONTE, ONT.—North Lawark Agricultural Society. Sept. 26 to 27, 1900. John Forsythe, Cedar Hill, Ont., pres.; James Robertson, Almonte, Ont., treas.; Wm. D. McEwen, Almonte, Ont., secy.
 AYLMER, ONT.—Aylmer's Great Fair, East Elgin County Fair Association. Sept. 18 to 20, 1900. D. H. Price, secy.-treas.; A. A. Leslie, pres.
 HEACHBURG, ONT.—North Renfrew Fair. Oct. 4 and 5. John Brown, secy.
 BOWMANVILLE, ONT.—West Durham Agricultural Society. Sept. 13 and 14, 1900. W. E. Pollard, pres.; Albert E. Clements, Tyrone, Ont., vice pres.; W. F. Allen, Beach av., Bowmanville, Ont., treas.; M. A. James, Lock Drawer 7, Bowmanville, Ont., secy.
 BRADFORD, ONT.—Bradford Exhibition. Oct. 22 to 24. G. G. Greene, secy.
 BRAMPTON, ONT.—County of Peel Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 and 3. Heury Roberts, secy.
 BRANTFORD, ONT.—Fair. Sept. 15 to 20. George Hatley, secy.
 CALEDONIA, ONT.—Caledonia Fair. Oct. 11 and 12. J. W. Richardson, secy.
 CARP, ONT.—Huntley Exhibition. Oct. 2 and 3. John Argue, secy.
 CAYUGA, ONT.—Haldimand County Fair. Sept. 25 and 26. J. W. Sheppard, secy.
 CHARLOTTOTOWN, P. E. ISLAND—Queens County Agricultural Association Industrial Exposition and Horse Fair. Sept. 24 to 28. F. L. Hazard, pres.; Chas. Smallwood, secy.
 CHATHAM, ONT.—Peninsular Fair. Oct. 9 to 11.
 CITY OF CHATHAM, KENT, ONT.—Peninsular Fair. West Kent Agricultural Society. Oct. 9 to 11. Jas. Chinnick, pres.; R. G. Fleming, treas.; Henry Robinson, secy.
 COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—Great Northern Exhibition. Sept. 18 to 21. Chas. Lawrence, pres.; W. J. France, treas.; J. W. Archer, box 637, secy.
 COOKSHIRE, QUE.—St. Francis Live Stock Association. Sept. 11 and 12. J. H. Taylor, secy.
 DRUMBO, ONT.—Blenheim Agricultural Society. Sept. 25 and 26. R. S. Martin, Princeton, pres.; W. Simpson, vice pres.; T. S. Telfer, secy.
 DUNDAS, ONT.—Wentworth Industrial Fair. Oct. 4 and 5. J. M. Knowles, secy.
 EAST SIMCOE, ONT.—East Simcoe Agricultural Society. Sept. 24 to 26. A. B. Thompson, secy.
 EMBRO, ONT.—West Zorra and Embro Fair. Oct. 4.
 FERGUS, ONT.—Center Wellington Fair. Oct. 11 and 12. J. J. Craig, secy.
 FLESHORTON, ONT.—Fleshorton Exhibition. Oct. 2 and 3. R. J. Sproude, secy.
 FLOS, ONT.—Flos Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 to 4. W. A. Smeath, secy.
 GODERICH, ONT.—The Great Northwestern Exhibition. Sept. 18 and 19. Chas. Mitchell, secy.
 GUELPH, ONT.—Central Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. William Laidlaw, secy.
 HALIFAX, CAN.—Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition Commission. Sept. 12 to 20, 1900. Hon. J. W. Longley, Halifax, N. S., pres.; D. R. Clark, Halifax, N. S., treas.; J. E. Wood, Halifax, N. S., secy.
 K. SLOOPS, B. C.—Agricultural Exhibition. Sept. 26 to 28. J. T. Robinson, secy.
 KEMPTVILLE, ONT., CAN.—Oxford Township Agricultural Fair. Sept. 27 and 28. J. C. Ruthford, pres.; Angus Buchanan, secy.
 KINGSTON, ONT.—Kingston District Fair. Sept. 10 to 14. Thos. L. Minnes, secy.
 LINDSAY, ONT.—Central Fair. Sept. 29 to 22. James Keith, secy.
 LONDON, ONT., CANADA.—The Western Fair Association. Sept. 6 to 15, 1900. St. Col. W. M. Gartsbos, pres.; D. Mackenzie, treas.; J. A. Nelles, secy.
 MARKHAM, ONT.—Canada's Greatest County Fair. Oct. 3 to 5. W. H. Hall, secy.
 METCALFE, ONT.—County of Russell Exhibition. Sept. 26 and 27. P. Saver, secy.
 MORDEN, CAN.—Morden Agricultural Society. Sept. 27 and 28, 1900. J. F. Hutchinson, pres.; J. Gilchrist, secy.-treas.
 NAPANEE ONT.—Lennox Agricultural Fair. Sept. 24 to 26. S. Ming, V. S., secy.
 NEWMARKET, ONT.—North York Exhibition. Sept. 18 to 20. Wm. Keith, secy.
 NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.—Provincial Fair. Oct. 2 to 5. W. H. Keary, New Westminster, B. C., secy.
 NORWICH, ONT.—North Norwich Fair. Oct. 12 and 13. Wm. Fairley, secy.
 OTTAWA, ONT.—Central Canada Exhibition Association. Sept. 14 to 22, 1900. Wm. Hutchinson, pres.; E. McMahon, secy.
 OTTERTVILLE, ONT.—South Norwich Fair. Oct. 5 and 6. Alex. McFarlane, secy.
 OWEN SOUND, ONT.—Owen Sound Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. A. G. McKay, secy.
 PAISLEY, ONT.—Centre Bruce Exhibition. Sept. 25 and 26. Geo. Chambers, pres.; F. E. Sheppard, secy.
 PARIS, ONT.—North Brant Fair. Sept. 25 and 26. H. C. O'Neill, secy.
 PERTH, ONT.—South Lanark Fair. Sept. 17 to 19. W. T. Walker, secy.
 PETERBOROUGH, ONT.—Peterborough Central Exhibition. Sept. 18 to 20. F. H. Dohlin, pres.; W. J. Green, secy. and treas.

PICTON, ONT.—Prince Edward County (Ont.) Fair. Sept. 26 and 27. Thomas Higmar, secy.
 PRESCOTT, ONT.—South Grenville Agricultural Society. Sept. 18 and 20, 1900. G. T. Howard, Prescott, Ont., pres.; R. S. Throop, Prescott, Ont., vice pres.; T. R. Meville, Prescott, Ont., secy.
 RENFREW, ONT.—South Renfrew Exhibition. Sept. 27 and 28. Robert MacLaren, secy.
 RICHMOND, CAN.—Carleton County Agricultural Society. Sept. 12 and 13, 1900. Hugh S. Conn, Ottawa, Ont., pres.; Wm. McElroy, Richmond, Ont., secy.
 ROCKTON, ONT.—World's Fair. Oct. 9 and 10. David Bell, secy.
 SAULT STE. MARIE, ONT.—East Algona Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 and 3. J. Dawson, pres.; Wm. Brown, secy.-treas.
 SHELBOURNE, ONT.—Shelbourne Exhibition. Sept. 25 and 26. D. C. Dunbar, secy.
 SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC.—Canada's Great Eastern Exhibition. Sept. 3 to 8. Hon. J. McIntosh, pres.; W. M. Tomlinson, treas. and secy.
 SIMCOE, ONT.—Norfolk Union Fair. Oct. 16 to 18. J. Thos. Murphy, secy.
 STAYNER, ONT.—North Simcoe Fair. Oct. 9 and 10. Archie Hill, secy.
 STRATFORD, ONT.—North Perth Fair. Oct. 2 and 3. J. Brown, secy.
 ST. JOHNS, ONT.—St. Johns Fair. Sept. 11 to 13. A. N. Diland, secy.
 STRATHROY, ONT.—West Middlesex Exhibition. Sept. 17 to 19. David Evans, secy.
 STUTTON, ONT.—Georgina and North Gwillurburg Fair. Oct. 11 and 12. P. McClellan, secy.
 THREE RIVERS, QUEBEC.—Association Agricole Du District Des Trois-Rivieres. Sept. 5 to 15, 1900. H. Caron, M. P. P., St. Leon, pres.; C. D. Hebert, Three Rivers, mgr.
 WEST SIMCOE, ONT.—West Simcoe Agricultural Society. Sept. 26 to 28. F. Marr, secy.
 YANKLEEK HILL, ONT.—County of Prescott Agricultural Society. Sept. 11 to 13. F. W. Thistlethwaite, secy.
 WALKERTON, ONT.—Northern Exhibition. Sept. 18 and 19. W. G. Stovel, secy.
 WALLACETOWN, ONT.—West Elgin Agricultural Society. Oct. 4 and 5. E. J. Clark, box 35, secy.
 WELLESLEY, ONT.—Wellesley and North-east Hope. Sept. 12 and 13, 1900. A. M. Fisher, Amubree, Ont., pres.; Geo. Bellinger, Wellesley, Ont., secy.
 WATFORD, ONT.—East Lambton Fair. Oct. 2 and 3.
 WHITBY, ONT.—Ontario and Durham Exhibition Association. Sept. 17 to 19. John Burns, secy.
 WOODBRIDGE, ONT.—Woodbridge Fair. Oct. 17 and 18. Richard Willis, pres.; T. F. Wallace, secy.; N. C. Wallace, treas.
 WOODSTOCK, ONT.—North Riding of Oxford, Blanafor and East Oxford Agricultural Society. Sept. 26 to 28, 1900. Valentine Ficht, pres.; F. H. Deut, Woodstock, Ont., vice pres.; R. A. Lawtell, Woodstock, Ont., secy.

Additional Shows.

ATHOL, MASS.—Cattle Show. Sept. 11 and 12.
 ATLANTA, GA.—Southern Interstate Fair, Horse Show. Oct. 23 to 27. T. H. Martin, secy.
 CHICAGO, ILL.—International Live Stock Exhibition. Dec. 1 to 8, 1900. R. Z. Herrick, Chicago, secy.
 CHICAGO, ILL.—Finner Stock Yards. Dec. 1 to 8.
 CINCINNATI, O.—Cincinnati Vehicle, Harness and Implement Show. Nov. 19 to 24. Monte Green, promoter, Grand Hotel, Cincinnati, O.
 KANSAS CITY, MO.—Home Product Show. Sept. 10 to 12. M. Winsborough, secy.
 KANSAS CITY, MO.—Horsford ShortHorn Show and Sale. Oct. 16 to 26.
 NEW YORK, N. Y.—Automobile Show. Nov. 14 to 24, 1900. Marcus Nathan, Grand Central Palace, New York.

Dog Shows.

CLEVELAND, O.—Cleveland Kennel Club. C. M. Munhall, secy.
 DALLAS, TEX.—State Fair, Dog Show. Oct. 9 to 13. W. H. Gaston, pres.; Sidney Smith, secy.
 DANBURY, CONN.—Danbury Agricultural Society. Oct. 2 to 6. Jas. Mortimer, supt.
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 BUFFALO, N. Y.—Pan American Exposition. May 1 to Nov. 1, 1901. John G. Milburn, pres.; Edwin Fleming, secy.
 CHARLESTOWN, S. C.—South Carolina, Interstate and West Indian Exposition. Dec. 1, 1900, to May 31, 1902. F. W. Wagner, pres.
 CHENAIL GROVE, CAN.—Morris County Exposition. Sept. 25 to 28. E. L. Dill, secy.
 DALLAS, TEX.—State Exposition. Sept. 29 to Oct. 14. W. H. Gaston, pres.; J. B. Adams, treas.; Sidney Smith, secy.
 KANSAS CITY, MO.—Home Products Exposition. Sept. 20 to 26. Geo. L. Brankin, pres.; R. W. Hillken, vice pres.; W. C. Winsborough, secy.; John H. Powell, treas.
 LONDON, ENG.—EARL'S COURT.—Women's International Exposition. 1900. Imre Kiralfy, manager.
 MIWAUKEE, WIS.—Industrial Exposition. Sept. 8 to Oct. 13. John C. Koch, pres.; E. I. Lindsay, vice pres.; A. Trumpf, secy. and gen'l mgr.
 SEATTLE, WASH.—International Exposition. 1901.
 ST. JOHN, N. B.—St. John Exposition. Sept. 11 to 19. Charles A. Everett, secy.
 ST. LOUIS, MO.—St. Louis Exposition. About Sept. 24 to Nov. 13. W. J. Atkins, gen'l mgr.
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AKRON, O.—Elks' Exposition and Carnival. Sept. 3 to 15. Address Elks' Entertainment Committee, Akron, O.

BANY, GA.—Street Fair and Hay Carnival. Nov. 21 and 22. H. M. McIntosh, secy.

BERT LEA, MINN.—Freeborn County Street Fair and Autumn Carnival. Sept. 10 to 15. C. A. Ransom, secy.

BERT LEA, MINN.—Albert Lea Street Fair. Sept. 13 to 15. W. F. Gage, pres.; A. A. Ransom, secy.; F. W. Barlow, treas.

BUQUERQUE, N. M.—Great Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 18 to 22.

BEXANDRIA, IND.—Milwaukee Avenue Street Fair. Sept. 3 to 26.

BRAMA, NEB.—Alma Street Fair. Sept. 12 to 16. W. A. Myers, secy.

BROOKA, MINN.—Street Fair. Sept. 20 to 22. Address Lock Box 49, Anoka, Minn.

CANSAAS CITY, KAN.—The Arkansas City Harvest Home. Oct. 2 to 5. M. F. Phillips, En'l mgr.

CHICAGO, ILL.—Corn Carnival. Sept. 20.

CHENNA, GA.—Street Fair and Carnival. Date not fixed.

CINCINNATI, OH.—Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 8 to 13. Lester L. Tilden, secy.

CLINTON, MINN.—Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 25 to 28. Chas. L. West, pres.; J. D. Jedy and C. F. Cook, secys.

DELAWARE, ILL.—Street Fair Committee, Belleville Commercial Club. Sept. 10 to 15. Albert Hucke, Belleville, Ill., pres.; R. S. Halstead, Belleville, Ill., treas.; Chas. Fleischblen, Belleville, Ill., secy.

DELAWARE, ILL.—Riverside Park Association. Sept. 11 to 13. Wm. E. Abbott, secy.

DELAWARE, ILL.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 10 to 20. I. V. L. Garrett, pres.; Jas. R. Bennett, mgr.; John W. Tribolt, secy.

DELAWARE, MASS.—Old Ladies' Home Society Fair, at City Hall. Oct. 9 to 11.

DELAWARE, CONN.—Big Brauford Fair. Sept. 18 to 20. Harry Cushman, room 605, First National Bank, New Haven, Conn.

DELAWARE, CONN.—Centennial Anniversary. Nov. 12.

DELAWARE, MD.—Street Fair. Sept. 25 to 28.

DELAWARE, IA.—Monster three-day picnic. Sept. 11 to 13.

DELAWARE, OH.—Caledonia Free Fair. Sept. 10 and 14. C. D. Kessler, pres.; W. W. Burt, secy.

DELAWARE, ARK.—Ouachita Valley Fair and Carnival. Oct. 15 to 20. Address Secretary, Ouachita Valley Fair Association.

DELAWARE, MO.—Street Fair. Sept. 11 to 14. M. Green, pres.; N. L. Adams, vice pres.; G. G. Sain, secy.; Clark Packard, treas.

DELAWARE, IND.—B. M. A. Street Fair. Oct. 1 to 12. Early, secy.

DELAWARE, MO.—Canton Street Fair. Oct. 2 to 5. Dr. R. B. Turner, pres.; F. C. Mills-Clugh, secy.; W. F. Hodges, treas.

DELAWARE, ILL.—Free Street Fair. Oct. 3 to 6. H. C. Noreness, secy.

DELAWARE, KY.—Street Fair, Carnival and Farmers' Reunion. Sept. 19 to 22. Edward G. Davidson, pres.; S. D. Bromley, mgr.; Gus. W. Hampton, treas.; Harry G. Marcum, secy.

DELAWARE, N. Y.—Francis N. Wilson Fire. Oct. 10 to 12. Noble P. Martin, mgr.

DELAWARE, ARIZ.—Carnival and Street Fair. Oct. 1 to 6. Geo. K. Barton, pres.; M. L. Miller, treas.; Alex. Charles, secy.

DELAWARE, MICH.—Street Fair. Sept. 10 to 27. T. M. Rushton, pres.; H. A. Stevens, treas.; Carl Strobel, secy.

DELAWARE, PA.—Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 18 to 20. J. H. Dechert, pres.; A. A. Hamilton, secy.; B. B. Holler, treas.

DELAWARE, TENN.—Masonic Fair. Sept. 11 to 12. Noble P. Martin, mgr.

DELAWARE, KAN.—Reunion and Free Street Fair. Oct. 1 to 6. Jos. Craft, mgr. of premises; A. R. Bell, secy.

DELAWARE, OH.—Cincinnati Fall Festival. Sept. 19 to 29. E. T. Zeigler, gen. mgr., Mason House, Cincinnati.

DELAWARE, GA.—Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 29 to Nov. 3. R. O. Howard, pres.; J. H. Chappell, vice pres.; T. J. Hunt, secy.; Geo. S. Perot, treas.

DELAWARE, WIS.—Columbus Street Fair and Carnival Association. Oct. 2 to 4. W. Leitsch, pres.; John Topp, vice pres.; R. Wheeler, treas.; A. M. Hellack, secy.; J. H. Williams, mgr. of amusements.

DELAWARE, CAL.—Clusa Ladies' Fair. Oct. 6 to 13.

DELAWARE, GA.—Street Fair. September.

DELAWARE, ONT.—Cornwall Fall Fair. J. N. Harkness, secy. treas.

DELAWARE, VA.—Free Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 1 to 6. Geo. D. Benson, Roanoke, Va., director gen'l.

DELAWARE, IA.—Street Fair. Cally Foster, secy.

DELAWARE, KY.—Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 10 to 19. B. C. Patterson, Mgr., 908 First Ave. B'n, Ky.

DELAWARE, FLA.—De Funiak Street Fair Association. Sept. 28 and 29. M. L. Cawthon, pres.; W. T. May, vice pres.; R. W. Storrs, secy. treas.

DELAWARE, O.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 13 to 20. Geo. Knowles, secy.

DELAWARE, IA.—Dexter Street Fair Association. Sept. 25 to 27. J. C. Seales, pres.; C. Patton, treas.; A. R. Eastman, secy.

DELAWARE, O.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 5 to 10. W. W. Kingsbury, secy.

DELAWARE, ILL.—Street Fair. Sept. 1.

DELAWARE, WIS.—Carnival and Street Fair. Oct. 2 to 6. J. N. Signor, mgr.

DELAWARE, IND.—Elks' Street Fair and Carnival. Dr. De Garmo Grey, mgr. Write for dates.

DELAWARE, ME.—Old Home Celebration. Oct. 1 to 3. Chas. Drummary, pres.

DELAWARE, WIS.—Fair. Oct. 2 to 4.

EMPORIA, KAS.—Emporia Street Fair. Sept. 26 to 28. J. E. Evans, pres.; Harry McCandless, secy.

EUREKA, CAL.—Street Fair. Sept. 15 to 22.

FAIRBAULT, MINN.—Street Fair and Carnival. Under auspices of fraternal orders. Sept. 10 to 15. G. L. Smith, pres.; P. H. White, secy.

FAYETTE, MO.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 26 to 28. John Freeman, pres.; Lee Crews, secy.

FORT SMITH, ARK.—Free Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 15 to 20. S. A. Williams, pres. and gen. mgr.; H. B. Salls, treas.; A. E. Edie, secy.

FRANKFORT, KY.—Free Street Fair and Carnival Association. Sept. 25 to 28. Geo. H. Steblin, pres.; J. M. Williams, secy.; W. Bridgford, vice pres.; John A. Brislan, treas.

FREMONT, NEB.—Big Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 10 to 16.

FULTON, MO.—Street Fair. Sept. 26 to 28. E. Levy, pres.; T. W. Rasser, vice pres.; J. R. Penn, secy.; W. C. Harris, treas.

GAINESVILLE, GA.—Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 14 to 20. J. T. Leonard, pres.; A. A. Wertham, secy.

GAINESVILLE, TEX.—Merchants' Association Street Fair. Oct. 16 to 20. A. A. Wortham, secy.

GALLATIN, MO.—Street Fair. Sept. 18 to 22.

GIBSONBURG, O.—Street Fair. September.

GIBSON CITY, ILL.—Old-Fashioned Corn Carnival. Oct. 2 and 3.

GRAND JUNCTION, COL.—Peach Day Celebration. Sept. 11 to 13.

GRAYVILLE, ILL.—First Annual Carnival and Street Fair. Sept. 11 to 15. C. H. Osman, pres.; W. A. Mussett, vice pres.; Nat. March, treas.; T. F. Hoover, secy.

HARRISBURG, ILL.—Street Fair. Sept. 26 to 29. J. B. Lee, treas.; C. S. Willis, secy.

HARTFORD CITY, IND.—Street Fair. Sept. 10 to 15.

HEALDSBURG, CAL.—Harvest Festival. Date not fixed. J. C. Keene, pres.; F. W. Cook, secy.

HOUSTON, TEX.—Fruit, Flower and Vegetable Carnival. Nov. 5 to 10. Tom Richardson, mgr.

HOWELL, MICH.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 25 to 28. R. B. McPherson, secy.

HUDSON, MICH.—Hudson Free Street Fair Association. Sept. 18 to 22. O. R. Pierce, pres.; Henry Kellogg, vice pres.; Henry C. Hall, secy.; C. C. Please, treas.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Carnival. Oct. 8 to 12. D. M. Parry, pres.

JACKSON, MICH.—Maccabees' Parade and Carnival. Sept. 12.

JOHNSTOWN, PA.—Johnstown Centennial Celebration. Oct. 5 to 7. E. E. Conrath, secy.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Home Products Show. September.

KEOKUK, IA.—Third Annual Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 25 to 29. John Nagel, pres.; J. H. Finigan, treas.; E. F. Carter, secy.

KNOX, IND.—Business Men's Free Street Fair. Sept. 12 to 15. J. P. Whitson, pres.; A. H. Knosman, treas.; Wm. Soliday, secy.

KNOXVILLE, TENN.—Merchants' and Manufacturers' Free Street Fair and Trades Carnival. Oct. 10 to 12. J. C. Sterchi, pres.; W. H. Hall, vice pres.; W. H. Kepphart, secy.

LA FAYETTE, IND.—Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 21 to 29. Geo. Seeger, Jr., chairman of advertising committee.

LONDONVILLE, O.—Free Street Fair. Oct. 3 and 4. J. A. Lingen, pres.; J. P. Pownum, secy.

LOS ANGELES, CAL.—Midway Carnival. Sept. 21 to 29. Ford Smith, pres.

LOUISIANA, MO.—Street Fair. Sept. 5 to 8. E. A. Parks, chairman of amusement committee.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Elks' Street Fair. Sept. 17 to 29. H. V. Cohn, chairman advertising committee; Frank Febr, dir. gen'l.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 17 to 29. Al. Bourlier, secy.

LOVELAND, COL.—Loveland Free Street Fair and Northern Colorado Exposition. Last of September. W. C. Stiles, pres.; G. H. Patterson, secy.; R. S. Coe, treas.

MACON, GA.—Tabernacle Fair. Sept. 20.

MACON, GA.—Macon Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 24 to 29. Hon. Birdges Smith, secy.

MACON, MO.—Big Free Barbecue. Sept. 12 and 13.

MANCHESTER, TENN.—Manchester Street Fair. Oct. 6 and 7. J. E. Willis, treas.

MARLETTE, MICH.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 18 to 21. C. C. Hubbell, secy.

MARSHALL, MO.—Street Fair. Sept. 10 to 15. Joseph Hamill, pres.; H. H. Downing, vice pres.; M. P. Lyons, asst. secy.

MARYVILLE, MO.—Street Fair. About Oct. 17 to 20.

MASON, MICH.—Mason Street Fair Association. Oct. 2 to 5. Lawton T. Hemans, pres.; W. M. McCrossen, vice pres.; E. Demore, treas.; Vol. L. H. Ives, secy.

MATTOON, ILL.—Free Street Fair. Oct. 9 to 13. Thos. M. Lytle, secy.

McDONALD, PA.—French Fair. Sept. 15.

MEMPHIS, TENN.—Elks' Carnival and Street Fair. Oct. 1 to 6. Dr. C. D. Gray, gen. mgr.

METROPOLIS, ILL.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 18 to 22, 1900. C. P. Treat, pres.; W. A. Fitch, treas.; S. B. Kerr, vice pres. and secy.

MIDDLESBOROUGH, KY.—Grand Fair and Carnival. Sept. 12 to 15. J. L. Manning, pres.; Ray Moss, vice pres.; H. H. Sprague, treas.; L. F. Epley, secy.

MIDDLETON, CT.—Anniversary Celebration. Oct. 10 and 11.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—"Ya e Markt" Carnival and Festival: South Side. Sept. 10 to 14.

MITCHELL, MINN.—Corn Palace Festival. Sept. 26 to Oct. 4.

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MOHENTO, CAL.—Street Fair. Date not fixed.

MONTGOMERY CITY, MO.—Street Fair. Sept. 19 to 22.

MUSCATINE, IA.—Street Fair. Sept. 10 to 15. Barney Schmidt, pres.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—Carnival and Street Fair, under auspices of Retail Business Men's Association. Oct. 9 to 21. Dr. C. L. Gray, mgr.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—Fall Festival. About September. L. C. Garbraut, pres.

NEVAHA, MO.—Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 8 to 14. L. Oppenheimer, mgr.

NEW CONNERSTOWN, O.—Race Meet and Fall Carnival. Oct. 3 to 5.

NEWFIELD, ME.—Ramebuckle Park Association. Sept. 18 to 20. W. H. Strow, pres.; G. T. Wilson, secy.

NEW PHILADELPHIA, O.—Free Street Fair. Oct. 3 to 12. A. A. Howers, secy.

NEWTON, KAN.—Gigantic Carnival and Free Street Fair, combined with great Harvey County Fair and Industrial Exposition. Oct. 2 to 5. D. J. T. Axtell, gen. mgr.

NORTH PLATTE, NEB.—Street Fair. Sept. 3 to 9. Warren L. Lloyd, mgr.

OHESSA, MO.—Street Fair. Sept. 19 to 22. Chas. R. Creasy, pres.; Bate C. Drummond, secy.

OLNEYVILLE, OH.—St. Anthony Society's Fair. Oct. 19 to 29.

OMAHA, NEB.—Knights Ak Sar Ben. Oriental Street Carnival. Sept. 24 to 29. T. P. Getz, secy.

OMAHA, NEB.—Musical Festival. Sept. 3 to 30. E. E. Sanborn, pres.; Clement Chase, secy.; Alfred Millard, treas.

OTTAWA, ILL.—Ottawa Street Fair Association. Oct. 1 to 6. Geo. M. Trumble, secy.

OTTUMWA, IA.—Colossal Agricultural and Industrial Carnival. Sept. 17 to 21. C. Geo. Hamilton, secy.

PENDLETON, ORE.—Street Fair and Carnival. About Sept. 18 to 21.

PETERSBURG, IND.—Free Street Fair and Merchants' Carnival. Sept. 19 to 15. Hudspeth & Williams, mgrs.

PLAINVIEW, MINN.—Street Fair. Sept. 19 and 20.

PORTLAND, ORE.—Elks Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 4 to 15. J. M. Long, secy.; E. W. Rowe, pres.; E. Ehrman, vice pres.; A. D. Charlton, treas.

PUEBLO, COL.—Free Street Fair. Oct. 3 to 6. Ashby White, pres.; Jos. D. Glass, secy.

QUINCY, ILL.—Street Fair. Oct. 1 to 5.

READING, PA.—Street Fair and Carnival. A. F. Birlen, mgr. Sept. 3 to 8.

RED WING, MINN.—Free Street Fair and Agricultural Society. Sept. 20 to 27. C. W. Barber, pres.; C. S. Sultzer, secy.

ROSEBURG, ORE.—Street Fair. Sept. 17 to 19. C. H. Hildbrand, pres.

RUSHVILLE, IND.—Free Street Fair.

RUTHVEN, IA.—Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 5 and 6. F. H. Goldings, secy.

SARCOXIE, MO.—Street Fair. Date not fixed.

SALINA, KAN.—Free Street Fair Association. Sept. 24 to 29. Jas. A. Kurlall, pres.; Fred H. Quincey, vice pres.; John Bishop, secy.; Oscar Sartz, treas.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Admission Day Celebration. Sept. 8 to 11. General Conference Committee. G. A. Newhall, Frank H. Vail, Henry S. Martin, etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Carnival. Sept. 7 to 11.

SAN JOSE, CAL.—Street Fair, in connection with County Fair. Oct. 8 to 13. H. H. Mann, secy.

SARATOGA, N. Y.—Saratoga Floral Association. Sept. 4 to 6. Spencer Trask, pres.

SAVANNAH, GA.—Elks' Street Fair. Dates not fixed.

SCOTLAND, MO.—Street Fair, auspices of B. P. C. E. Sept. 11 to 15. P. L. Pottle, secy.

SENECA, KAN.—Free Street Fair. Sept. 26 to 28.

SHAKAPEE, MINN.—Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 18 to 20. John Thom, secy.

SIoux CITY, IA.—Interstate Festival. Oct. 1 to 6. Will H. Beek, gen'l mgr.; A. B. Bell, secy.

SIoux FALLS, S. D.—Street Fair and Baseball Carnival. Sept. 17 to 23. M. J. Marley, mgr.

SLEEPY EYE, MINN.—The Sleepy Eye Street Fair Association. Sept. 10 to 17, 1900. G. W. Barnes, pres.; J. P. Bertrand, treas.; H. G. Hays, secy.

SLEEPY EYE, MINN.—Maccabee Carnival. Huston G. Hayes, secy.

SPokane, WASH.—Industrial Exposition and Carnival. Storey Bunk, pres. and mgr.

SPRINGFIELD, MINN.—Street Fair. About September.

SPRINGFIELD, MO.—Red Men's Day. Sept. 7. W. L. Myers, secy.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—Hibernians' Bazaar. Oct. 22 to 27. C. J. O'Brien, chairman committee on arrangements.

SPRINGFIELD, MO.—Elks Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 3 to 8. D. O. Smith, secy.

STILLWATER, MINN.—Street Fair. September.

TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Street Fair. Oct. 8 to 13.

THOMPSONVILLE, MICH.—Street Fair. Sept. 12 to 14. C. F. Jones, secy.

TIMONIUM, MD.—Big Timonium Fair, nine miles from Timonium. Sept. 1 to 8. Ed. W. D. Westlake, 215 N. Front street, Baltimore, Md., secy.

TUSCALOOSA, ALA.—Free Street Fair and Agricultural Carnival. Oct. 8 to 13. W. A. Collier, pres.; M. L. Tucker, secy.

UTICA, N. Y.—Street Fair. Dates not fixed. Frederic A. Thomas, secy.

VEDERSBURG, IND.—Elevventh Annual Street Fair. Oct. 20 to Nov. 3. CLAS A. Berry, pres.; Chas. R. Osborne, secy.

VENTURA, CAL.—Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 2 to 6. L. W. Buckley, dir. gen'l.

WASHINGTON, IND.—Free Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 1 to 6. Pietro Eschridge, pres.; L. H. D. Dunhill, secy.; R. C. Davis, treas.; J. G. Godwin, pres. gen'l.; Logan Horrold, ch. amusement com.

WELINGTON, KAN.—Sumner County Jubilee and Wheat Carnival. Sept. 18 to 22. J. W. Haughey, secy.

WHITEHALL, ILL.—Street Fair. Oct. 3 to 5. R. E. Luthar, adv. mgr.

WICHITA, KAN.—Carnival and Fall Festival. Oct. 3 to 9. Chas. G. Tolson, pres.; H. C. Lockwood, secy.

WINDNA, MINN.—Street Fair and Agricultural Association. Sept. 11 to 14. F. Burlingame, chairman, John Rose, secy.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.—Some Centennial Street Fair. Oct. 30 to Nov. 3. G. E. Webb, secy.

WOLFF, IND.—Street Fair. Sept. 13 and 14. E. Spencer, secy.

YUAKIM, TEX.—Street Fair. Nov. 8 to 10. H. T. H. chairman. J. W. Cook, secy.; W. L. Johnston, treas.

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AKRON, O.—Lakeside Park, Randolph Park, Summit Lake Park.

ALBANY, N. Y.—Lagoon Island, Weber's Park, Duck Farm Hotel, Central Park.

ALLENTOWN, PA.—Manhattan Park (Rittersville), Dorney's Willow Grove Park, Duck Farm Hotel, Central Park.

ALTOONA, PA.—Lakemont Park.

ANNISTON, ALA.—Oxford Lake Park.

ASBURY PARK, N. J.—Schnitzler's Ferris Wheel and Palace Carousel.

ASHLAND, KY.—Cliffside Park, J. W. Mayo, mgr.

ATCHISON, KAN.—Forest Park; Ry. Summer Park, Atchison Ry., Light & Power Co.; J. A. Bendure, mgr.

ATLANTA, GA.—East Lake Park, Lakewood Park, Exposition Park.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Columbia Garden, Fortescue Pavilion, Doyle's Pavilion, Young's Pier, Casino Garden, Gubernator's Summer Theater.

AUBURNDALE, MASS.—Morumbega Park.

AUSTIN, TEX.—Zoo Park Pavilion, Hyde Park Pavilion.

AYLMER, QUE.—Queen's Park.

BALTIMORE, MD.—Deer Park, Fairy Grove, Woodside Park, Electric Park, Floods Park, Riverview Park, Hollywood Park, Metera Park, Hamburg's Park, Diamond Point Park.

BATH, ME.—Merrymeeting Park.

BATTLE CREEK, MICH.—Gull Lake Park, Goguc Lake Park.

BAY CITY, MICH.—Winona Beach Park.

BERGEN BEACH, L. I., N. Y.—Resort.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Casino Park, J. P. E. Clark, mgr.; Ross Park, J. P. E. Clark, mgr.; Elm Garden.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Lake View Park, East Lake Park.

BOSTON, MASS.—Charles River Park, Casino, Nantasket Beach, Crescent Beach, Point of Pines, Oak Island, Mystic Park (Medford), Combination Park, The Chutes.

BRADFORD, PA.—Clarkdale Park.

BRANTFORD, CAN.—Mohawk Park.

BRANTFORD, CONN.—Brantford Driving Park, Harry Cushman, New Haven, Conn., secy.

BRATTLEBORO, VT.—Brookside Park.

BRIDGEPORT, CT.—Pleasure Beach.

BRISTOL, CONN.—Lake Compounc.

BROCKTON, MASS.—Highland Park.

BROOKLAND, N. Y.—Vanderveer Park.

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Ulmer Park, Brighton Beach, Ridgewood Casino, Bellevue Park, Elmwood Beach, Kenmore Park, Crystal Beach, Hendersous's Music Hall (Coney Island).

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Museum Garden.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Bellevue Park, Elmwood Beach, Woodlawn Beach, Lein's Park, German-Amer. can Roof Garden, Kenmore Park, Crystal Beach.

BURLINGTON, IA.—Otter Island Park, Ferris Wheel Park, Opera House Cafe.

BUTTE, MONT.—Columbia Gardens.

CAIRO, ILL.—Suburban Park, A. Holiday, mgr.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS.—Charles River Park.

CAMDEN, N. J.—Stockton Park.

CANTON, O.—Summer Garden.

CARLISLE, PA.—Cave Hill Park.

CHARLESTON, S. C.—Chicora Park.

CHARLOTTE, N. Y.—Harris Summer Theater, Ontario Beach Park.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—Latta Park.

CHESTER, PA.—Lindethorpe Park.

CHICAGO, ILL.—Electric Park, Fort Sheridan Garden (near Ft. Sheridan), Chicago Water Chutes and Midway, E. P. Simpson, mgr.; Academy of Music, 85 S. Halstead st.; Sunnyside Park, Bismark's Garden, Ferris Wheel Park; Sans Souci, Alfred Russell, 87 Washington st.; Masonic Temple Roof Garden.

CINCINNATI, O.—Lagoon, M. C. Anderson, mgr.; Chester Park; Coney Island, L. T. Anderson, mgr.; The Zoo, Red Bank Park.

CLEAR LAKE, IND.—Tuxedo Park, J. C. Christman, mgr., 916 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Chicago.

LEVELAND, O.—Euclid Beach Park, Garden Theater, Lake View Park, Scenic Park, Hainorth's Garden, Geauga Lake, Manhattan Beach Park.

LINTON, IA.—Joyce Park, Henry F. Sanger, Lyons, Ia., mgr.; The Schutzen Park, German Shooting Society, Lyons, Ia., props.

OHIOES, N. Y.—Slip Street Park.

COLUMBIA, PA.—Chickie's Park.

COLUMBIA, S. C.—Hyatt's Park Casino.

COLUMBUS, GA.—North Highland Park.

COLUMBUS, O.—Minerva Park, Olentangy Park, Great Southern Roof Garden, Collins' Garden, Great Southern Roof Garden.

ONCORDER, N. H.—Contocook River Park.

ONNEAULT, O.—Lake View Park.

ONEY ISLAND, N. Y.—The Chutes.

CORNING, N. Y.—Painted Post Park, Bronson Park.

COTTAGE CITY, MASS.—Lagoon Heights.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA.—Lake Manawa.

COVINGTON, KY.—Lagoon.

CRYSTAL LAKE, CONN.—Crystal Lake Park.

DALLAS, TEX.—Cyele Park and Summer Theater.

DANBURY, CT.—Kenosia Park.

DARTFORD, WIS.—Terrace Beach.

DAVENPORT, IA.—Shutzen Park.

DAYTON, O.—Fairview Park, Sander's Roof Garden, Lucas Grove Park, Lakeside Park.

DECATUR, ILL.—Riverside Park.

DELIHAM, MASS.—Gorman's Theater.

DELIANCE, O.—Island Park; F. P. Elliott, mgr.

DELAWARE WATER GAP, N. J.—D. L. & W. R. R.

DENVEN, COL.—Chester Park, Cyele Park, Chutes Park, Elitch Gardens, Manhattan Beach.

DERBY, CT.—Holliston Park.

DES MOINES, IA.—Ball Park, D. A. Kooker, mgr.; Crocker Woods Auditorium.

DETROIT, MICH.—Stock's Riverside Park.

DOVER, N. H.—Central Park.

DUBUQUE, IA.—Stewart's Park.

DULUTH, MINN.—Hill Top Casino.

EAST AUBURN, ME.—Lake George Park.

EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.—Reed Lake.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.—Edgemont Park.

EASTON, PA.—Island Park.

ECHO LAKE, N. J.—Erie R. R. Co.

ELGIN, ILL.—National Park, Railway Park.

ELMHURST, N. Y.—Rorwick Glen Park, Harry F. Dixey, Binghamton, N. Y.; Eldridge Park, E. M. Little, mgr.; Queen City Gardens.

EVANSVILLE, IND.—Cook's Park.

EXPOSITION, PA.—Exposition Park.

FALL RIVER, MASS.—Lightning Rock Park, Lincoln Park, Mount Hope Park.

FRANKFORT, KY.—Cove Spring Park, Col. W. H. Fremont, mgr.

FITCHBURG, MASS.—Pinehurst Park; Whalom Park, Fitchburg & Leominster St. Ry. Co.

FOND-DU-LAC, WIS.—Athletic Park.

FT. SMITH, ARK.—Park, Chas. E. Taylor, mgr.

FT. WAYNE, IND.—Rehinson's Park.

FT. WORTH, TEX.—Grunewald Park, Tyler's Park.

GALION, O.—Seecanin Park.

GALVESTON, TEX.—Olympia Garden.

GALT, CAN.—Idlewild Park.

GARDNER, MASS.—Crystal Lake Park.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y.—McGregor Park.

GRAND LEDGE, MICH.—Grand Ledge Park, J. S. Mudge, mgr.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.—Reed Lake, Romona Park, Godfrey's Summer Pavilion.

GREEN BAY, WIS.—Street Railway Park; Washington Park, O. Fiedeler, mgr.

GREEN LAKE, WIS.—Terrace Beach Casino.

GREENWOOD LAKE, N. J.—Erie R. R. Co.

GUTHRIE, OKLA.—Island Park.

GUTTENBURG, N. L.—Casino.

HAMILTON, O.—Ligonwood Park.

HAMPDEN, ME.—Riverside Park.

HAMPTON BEACH, N. H.—Hampton Beach Pavilion.

HARRISBURG, PA.—Paxtago Park, Midway Park, Reservoir Park.

HARTFORD, CONN.—Address P. J. Casey, Springfield, Mass.; Werder's Park.

HASLETT'S, MICH.—Pine Park, Wm. McGiveror, mgr.

HAVERHILL, MASS.—Pines.

HOLYOKE, MASS.—Mountain Park.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK.—Whittington Park.

HOUSTON, TEX.—Magnolia Park, Forest Park.

HOWELL, IND.—Glen Park (near Evansville).

HURON, O.—Rye Beach Resort.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Broad Ripple Park.

IONA ISLAND, N. Y.—West Shore R. R. Co.

ITHACA, N. Y.—Renwick Park.

JACKSON, TENN.—Highland Park.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Crystal Roof Garden.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y.—Celoron Park, Julie Delmar, mgr.

KALAMAZOO, MICH.—Lake View Casino.

KANKAKEE, ILL.—Electric Park.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—East Side Electric Park, H. Willard, mgr.; Fairmount Park, Troost Park.

KEOKUK, IA.—Pechstein & Nagel's Garden, Hubinger Park.

KEUKA LAKE, N. Y.—

KINGSTON, ONT.—Long Island Park, Joseph Brophy, mgr.

LAMPASAS, TEX.—Hancock Sulphur Springs Park.

LANCASTER, MASS.—Pen Traction Co.

LANCASTER, PA.—Conestoga Park Theater (operal), McGrann's Park.

LANSING, MICH.—Grand Ledge Park, Hasbett Park; Leadley's Park, Irving S. Fogz, mgr.

LA PORTE, IND.—Tuxedo Park; J. C. Christman, Metropolitan Block, Chicago, pres.

LAWRENCE, MASS.—Glen Forest.

LEAVENWORTH, KAN.—Electric Park, Leavenworth Park.

LEBANON, PA.—Mt. Gretna Park.

LEOMINSTER, MASS.—Leominster Park.

LEWISTON, ME.—Grove Park.

LIMA, O.—Hoover's Park, McCullough's Lake Park.

LINCOLN, NEB.—Lincoln Park.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—Park, Chas. E. Taylor, mgr.; Glenwood Park Theater.

LOS ANGELES, CAL.—Fiesta Park; L. A. & P. Ry. Co.

LONG BRANCH, N. J.—Pleasant Bay Park.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Lion Garden Park, Phoenix Hill Park.

LOWELL, MASS.—Lakeview Park, Willowdale Park.

LUDLOW, KY.—Lagoon.

LYNCHBURG, VA.—Westover Park, Rivermont Park Auditorium.

LYNN, MASS.—Willow Park Theater, Gorman's Summer Theater, Crescent Gardens, Suntain Park.

MACON, GA.—Crump's Park.

MANCHESTER, CONN.—Laurel Park.

MANCHESTER, N. H.—Lake Massabesic Park.

MANHATTAN BEACH—Long Island, N. Y., Oriental Hotel Co.

MANISTEE, MICH.—Orchard Beech Theater.

MANSFIELD, O.—Mansfield Park, Shertuan-Heinemann Park.

MARCUS HOOK, PA.—Chester Park.

MARIETTA, O.—Church Street Theater.

MARINETTE, WIS.—Lakeside Park, Mari-Blossom Grove, Riverside Park.

MAYSVILLE, KY.—Electric Park.

McKEESPORT, PA.—Versailles Park.

MEDFORD, MASS.—Mystic Park, Combination Park.

MEMPHIS, TENN.—East End Park.

MERIDEN, CT.—Hanover Park.

MIDDLETON, N. V.—Midway Park, Cottage Theater.

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MOBILE, ALA.—Monroe Park.

MONTGOMERY, ALA.—Highland Park.

MONTREAL, CAN.—Queen's Park, Solmer Park, Arena.

MORTIMER, O. (near Findlay) Norris Park and Pavilion, William Norris, owner and mgr.

MT. CLEMENS, MICH.—Monroe Garden.

MT. VERNON, O.—Hawatha Park.

MUSKOGON, MICH.—Lake Michigan Park.

NAHAUT, MASS.—Casino Theater.

NANTASKET BEACH, MASS.—Hotel Nantasket Music Hall.

NAHRAGANSETT PIER, R. I.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—Glendale Park, Y. C. Alley, mgr.; Shelby Park.

NEVADA, MO.—Lake Park Springs, Harry C. Moore, propr.

NEWARK, O.—Idlewild Park.

NEWANAN, GA.—Pearl Spring Park, Walter New Bedford, MASS.—Buttonwood Park.

NEW BRITAIN, CT.—White Oak Park.

NEWBURG, N. Y.—Glenwood Park.

NEWBURYPORT, MASS.—Sallybury Park.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Cascade Park.

NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Winchester St. Railway Park; Israel A. Kelsey, West Haven, Conn., mgr.; New Open-Air Seaside Theater; Israel A. Kelsey, West Haven, Conn., mgr.; Elm City Park; Jos. E. Hubinger, 819 Chapel st.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—West End, Athletic Park, Audubon Park, City Park.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—Koster & Bial's, Casino Roof Garden, Grand Central Palace Roof Garden, Lion Palace Roof Garden, Venetian Terrace Roof Garden, Cherry Blossom Grove, Riverside Park.

NORFOLK, VA.—Oceanview Park, Atlantic Garden, Buckroe Beach, Hotel Chamberlain.

NORTHAMPTON, MASS.—Meadow Park.

NORTH BEACH, L. I., N. Y.—Erie's Casino.

NORWICH, CONN.—Cliff Terrace, R. M. Powers, propr.; Sachem Park, A. Wilson Snow, amusement director, 51 Broadway.

OAKLAND, CAL.—Oakland Park.

OAKLAND BEACH, R. I.

OCEAN CITY, N. Y.—New Ocean Pier.

OCEAN VIEW, VA.—Ocean View Park (near Norfolk).

ODGEN, UTAH—Glenwood Park; W. C. Weaver, mgr.

OLEAN, N. Y.—Riverhurst Park, C. F. Merriam, mgr.

OMAHA, NEB.—Mullen's Garden.

ONTARIO, N. Y.—Ontario Beach Park.

ORANGE, MASS.—Central Park.

OSHKOSH, WIS.—Citizens' Traction Co.

OSWEGO, N. Y.—Oswego Beach.

OTTAWA, ONT.—Can. Victoria Park, Ottawa Electric Railway.

OTTUMWA, IA.—Orpheum Summer Park Theater.

OWOSSO, MICH.—Caledonia Park.

PADUCAH, KY.—La Belle Park.

PAINTED POST, N. Y.—Bronson Park.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA.—Terrapin Park.

PARIS, ILL.—Reservoir Park.

PATERSON, N. J.—Passaic Falls Park, East Side Park (city), West Side Park (city), Schutzen, Saal Bros., mgrs.; Idlewild Park, Traction Company.

PEAKS ISLAND, ME.—Underwood Springs Park.

PENSACOLA, FLA.—Kupfric's Park.

PEORIA, ILL.—Central Park, The Alps, Prospect Heights Park, Glen Oak Park, Pfeifer's Pavilion, C. G. Pfeifer, mgr.; Stony Hill Garden; Stoeker's Summer Garden.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Willow Grove Park, Central Park, Baseball Park, Woodside Park, Neshannong Park, Torresdale Park, Washington Park, Chestnut Hill Park.

PHILLIPSBURG, N. J.—Cedar Park.

PIQUA, O.—Midway Park.

PITMAN GROVE, N. J.—Meevon Park.

PITTSBURG, PA.—Kennedy Park, Monongahela Street Ry. Co., Jas. G. Samsom, mgr., 512 Smithfield st.; Oakwood Park, John Harris, West End Traction Co., mgr.; Schenley Park, Oakum Park, Calhoun Park, Oak Hill Park.

PORTLAND, ME.—Riverton Park, Underwood Springs Park, Cottage Park.

PORTLAND, ME.—Gem Theater.

PORTLAND, ORE.—Hawthorne Springs Park.

PORTSMOUTH, VA.—Columbia Park.

POTTSTOWN, PA.—Lining Rock Park, Tumbling Run Pavilion.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.—Darrow Park, Upton Lake Park, Riverside Park.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Rocky Point, Crescent Park, Roger Williams Park, Dan's Park, Blackstone Park.

PUEBLO, COL.—Lake Minnequa Pavilion.

QUINCY, ILL.—Baldwin Park, T. S. Baldwin, mgr.; Highland Park, Harry H. Franklin, mgr.

READING, PA.—Carsomia Park, Driving Park.

REVERE, MASS.—Point of Pines (near Lynn).

RICHMOND, VA.—Putnam's Summer Garden, Broad Street Park, Auditorium, Jefferson Roof Garden, Athletic Park, Main Street Park.

RICHMOND, IND.—Glen Miller.

ROCKVILLE, CONN.—Pleasure Park.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Ontario Beach, New Culver Park, Inverdrop Park.

ROCKAWAY BEACH, L. I., N. Y.—Delmonico's Casino.

ROCKFORD, ILL.—Harlem Park.

ROCKLAND, ME.—Broadway Pavilion Theater.

ROCKVILLE, CONN.—Snipsie Park.

ROCKY POINT, R. I.—Mr. Harrington, mgr.

ROME, GA.—Moberly Park.

ROUND BAY, MD.—D & O Short Line Ry Co.

SAGINAW, MICH.—Riverside Park.

SALEM, MASS.—Salem Willows, Dana and Parker's Pavilion, Casino, Gorman's Summer Theater.

SALISBURY BEACH, MASS.—Pavilion.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH—Saltair Beach, Lagoon, Salt Palace, Candler's Park.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX.—Mutt's Garden.

SAN DIEGO, CAL.—S. D. P. B. & S. J. Ry.

SANDUSKY, O.—Cedar Point Park.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Paul Boynton Chutes, Presido Athletic Park, Glen Park.

SARATOGA, N. Y.—Edin Garden.

SAVANNAH, GA.—Tavah Park, Thunderbolt Park.

SCIO, O.—Pavilion Theater.

SCRANTON, PA.—Laurel Hill Park.

SEA CLIFF, L. I.—Aud. Manager of Lyceum.

SEATTLE, WASH.—Leschi Park, Madison Park.

SEDALE, MO.—O. T. Crawford, Topeka Kas.

SENEGCA FALLS, N. Y.—Cayuga Park.

SEVILLA, N. Y.—Erie R. R. Co.

SKOWHEGAN, ME.—Lakewood Grove.

SOUTH BARTONVILLE, ILL.—Casino.

SOUTH BEACH, S. L. N. V.—Munby's Casino.

SOUTH BEND, IND.—Springbrook Park.

SOUTH FAIRMINGHAM, MASS.—Wayside Park.

SOUTH NORWALK, CT.—Rolan Point Theater.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—Suburban Park.

SPOKANE, WASH.—Natastadium Park.

STANTON, VA.—Highland Park.

STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.—Boynton Beach.

ST. CLOUD, N. J.—Highland Park (near Newark).

ST. JOSEPH, MO.—Address O. T. Crawford, Topeka Kas. Lake Centre; Krug Park, Alder Park.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—Bellevue Gardens, Koerner's Garden, Keadyke Park and Chutes, Forest Park, Highlands, Southern Electric Park, Suburban Garden, Altonia, Highlands, Marquette Park, Pomar Gardens, Ufers Cave Athletic Park.

ST. PAUL, MINN.—Palma Garden, Elmo Park, Palace Garden.

ST. THOMAS, CAN.—Pinnacole Lake Park.

STOCKPORT, N. Y.—Pine Side Park, F. W. Deboe, mgr.

STOCKTON, CAL.—S. Elce Ry. Co.

SULVAN BEACH, NEW YORK.

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Electric Park, Valley Theater, Lakeside Park, Cass. Leaf Stylus Station, mgr.; Kirkwood Park, Elmwood Park.

TAMPA, FLA.—Isoto Park, Tampa Electric Co., Henry G. Bradlee, mgr.

TALNTON, MASS.—Nipponet Park, Digh Ten Park, Sudda Park.

TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Rijou Garden Theater.

TULEID, ILL.—Lake Erie Casino, Farm Theater, Presque Isle.

TOPEKA, KAN.—Address O. T. Crawford, Garfield Park.

TORONTO, ONT.—Hartley's Point, Munro Trenton, N. J.—Spring Lake Park, New Park Theater, Broad Street Park.

TROY, N. Y.—Lagoon Island.

TROY, N. Y.—Casino.

UTICA, N. Y.—Summit Park, Flora Park, Brand's Casino Park, Rockwell Park, Elmira Park.

VICTORIA, B. C.—Fairview Park, A. G. Traube, mgr.

WAKEFIELD, MASS.—Wakefield Park.

WARSAW, IND.—Lake Side Park.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Marshall Hall Park, Wildwood Park (formerly Glen Shoo), Columbia Park, Lawrence Summer Garden, Buena Vista, Chevy Chase Lake, Eureka Park (celebrated), Settle Hall (celebrated), Chesapeake Beach, River View Park, Cabin John's Bridge Park, Glen Echo Park.

WASHINGTON, IND.—Street Railway Park.

WATERBURY, CT.—Lakewood Park, Bellevue Lake Grove, Forest Park, Jean Jacques, mgr.

WATERTOWN, N. Y.—Schler's Summer Garden, Glen Park.

WATKINS GLEN, N. Y.

WEBB CITY, MO.—Olympia Park.

WEBSTER, MASS.—Benson Park, Beaver Park.

WESTFIELD, MASS.—Warren Park.

WHEELING, W. VA.—Wheeling Park, Mozari Park, Pleasant Valley Park, Bader & Maurer, mgrs.

WHITE BEAR LAKE, MINN.—Wildwood Park, Lake Shore Park, White Bear Beach.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA.—Valhalla Park.

WILMINGTON, DEL.—Shedport Park, Branwyn Park, Summer Park.

WINNIPEG, CAN.—Ryegate Park, Elm Park.

WINSTON SALEM, N. C.—Piedmont Park.

WIRESTEL, MASS.—Lake Quinsigamond Park.

YONKERS, N. Y.—Yockers Pleasure Park.

YONKINGTOWN, O.—Idora Park, Millrock Park.

YORK, PA.—Highland Park, Maplewood.

ZANESVILLE, O.—Grant Park, Maplewood.