

FAREWELL TO THE FAIR

The Great Exposition Now a Part of History.

Thousands of Visitors Wait for the Signal Guns and Watch the Lowering of the Flags on All the Buildings—An Impressive Scene.

World's Fair Grounds, Chicago, Oct. 31.—In harmony with the World's fair city's sorrow came the closing of the World's Columbian exposition as directed by the United States congress.

At sunset, last evening, the colors of all nations which have been flying at half-mast since sunrise on Sunday were lowered together as they were unfurled within sight of President Cleveland at noon on May 1st last.

Six months with the exception of a day have passed and the glory of the exposition has been woven into history of the world's progress.

At the word of command from artillery officers the guns of a battery facing Lake Michigan belched forth a signal, telling the world that the World's fair was dying with the setting sun, dying while dirges were being sung, and tears shed and heads were bowed in grief over the bier of Chicago's murdered mayor.

Awaiting the Signal.

When the sunset hour arrived a hundred men stationed at the various flag staffs of the nation's colors on the departmental buildings stood ready to lower the flags and bare the poles which should tell to the visitors to-day that the Columbian exposition was at an end forever.

It was an impressive scene and the thousands of visitors who viewed the closing spectacle could not refrain from sighing and regretting that the exposition was at an end.

The only music which was heard outside of festival hall came from the Innis 13th regiment band, which played in the court of honor during the afternoon.

The Farewell Air.

While the noise of the cannon was heard on the lake front and the flags on the palaces of the vanishing city were being furled, the New York band waited to play the farewell to the fair.

The last flag to be pulled down from its staff was one of the three facing the court of honor from the administration building. The hands which pulled it down were those of the World's fair newspaper men and as Old Glory reached the ground a great cheer and a tiger arose in the evening air.

Only a Part of History Now.

While the last flag in the exposition was being pulled to the ground in the court of honor, the New York band played the "Star Spangled Banner" and concluded with "America." A cheer went up from the thousands assembled within hearing of the patriotic strains and after the sound of the bugle from administration building the World's fair became a part of history.

In festival hall the memorial programme was carried out in the afternoon as announced.

Russia's Army Increased.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A special despatch to the Standard from St. Petersburg says that a ukase has been issued ordering the formation of fifteen new reserve brigades. The formation of these brigades will be equivalent to an immediate increase of the army to a war footing by the addition of 150,000 men. It is a noteworthy fact that the Official Journal does not publish the ukase.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Money and Stocks.

WALL STREET, NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Money on call is easy at 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5a7 per cent. Sterling exchange is firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.90 1-4 for 60 days, and 4.83 1-2 for demand; posted rates 4.81 1-2 54 1-4; commercial bills 4.79 1-2 28-4 for 60 days, and 4.82 1-4 1-2 on demand.

Clearing house statement: Exchanges, \$72,318,869; balances, \$6,604,098. The sub-treasury was \$517,184 debtor at the clearing house.

The Mercantile Safe Deposit company reports silver bullion on hand 155,312 ounces; deposits none; withdrawn none; certificates outstanding 154; bar silver 69 3-4; Mexican dollars 57. Government bonds have been steady. State bonds dull. Railroad bonds strong.

The impression prevailed in professional circles this morning that the advance in stocks has run its course, at least for the time being, and that a substantial reaction is due. Brokers who usually execute orders for Cammack and other leading sea operators were very active, and under sales for their account prices fell 1-2 to 11-2 per cent. Lackawanna fell 2 1-2 to 165 1-2. Whisky 1 7-8 to 33 3-8. New England 2 1-4 to 32 1-4. Western Union 1 5-8 to 92 1-4. General Electric 2 1-4 to 48 1-4. St. Paul 1 7-8 to 66 7-8. Rock Island 1 1-4 to 71 1-4. Burlington & Quincy 1 3-8 to 36 1-8. and Manhattan 2 1-2 to 132 1-4. Sellers were confident that the good effect of the early passage of the silver repeal law had been discounted for the present.

Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Wheat—Dull, steady. Receipts, 409,225 bu. Nov., 76 1-2 266 1-4; Dec., 71 1-4 272 1-4; Jan., 72 1-2 273 1-4; Feb., 71 1-8; May, 76 3-8 76 7-8. Corn—Dull, steady. Receipts, 120,400 bu. Nov., 46 5-8 47; Dec., 47 1-8 47 3-8; May, 49 1-8 49 1-4. Oats—Dull, firm. Receipts, 129,500 bu. Nov., 33 1-2 33 7-8; Dec., 35 1-8 34 1-4; May, 35 1-8. Butter—Quiet, weak. State dairy, 19a27; Western dairy, 17 1-2 22; Eggs, 28a29; State creamery, 24a25 1-2; Western do., 20 a29; imitation do., 19a24.

Cheese—Firm, quiet. State large white and colored, 9a11 3-8; do. fancy, 11a11 3-8; do. small, 10 1-2 12; part skims, 4a9 1-2; full skims, 2a3 1-2. Eggs—Quiet, easy. State and Pennsylvania, 22 1-2 23 1-2; Western, 22a23.

WITH FITTING CEREMONY.

Arrangements Completed for the Funeral of Chicago's Murdered Mayor.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—With all the manifestations of sorrow and regret shown by a great city to its murdered executive the remains of Carter Harrison will be borne on Wednesday to the beautiful city of the dead on the northern outskirts of the city.

By general consent, although there is no one in authority to issue the necessary proclamation, business throughout the city will be generally suspended. All public and many private buildings will be draped with emblems of woe.

The procession itself will be long and imposing, including many civic, fraternal and semi-military bodies.

This morning the casket containing the remains will be conveyed in a hearse, under proper escort, to the city hall, where in the centre of the rotunda it will be placed on a magnificent catafalque, where it will lie in state until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Promptly at that hour the doors will be closed and the casket, under escort, will be returned to the house on Ashland avenue.

Here for the brief space of half an hour the members of the bereaved family will be left alone with their honored dead.

In the meantime the funeral procession will form on the boulevard fronting the residence, and at 12 o'clock the remains will be borne to the Protestant Episcopal church of the Epiphany at Ashland avenue and Adams street, where the services will be held. After the benediction has been pronounced the procession will be reformed, and this time headed by a band will take up the march to Grace-land cemetery.

SIR JOHN ABBOTT DEAD.

The Ex-Premier Passes Away in Montreal Last Night.

MONTREAL, Oct. 31.—Sir John Abbott, ex-premier of Canada, died at 9 o'clock last night. His end was peaceful.

John Joseph Caldwell Abbott was the son of an Anglican clergyman who settled in St. Andrews, county of Argenteuil, Quebec, in the early years of the century. He was born in 1821 and entered public life as a member of the old Canadian assembly in 1853. In 1862 he held office as solicitor general. In 1864 he introduced and fought through the house the "Insolvent Act," his masterpiece of legislation. This measure greatly added to his reputation as a lawyer and a legislator and in 1867, upon confederation, Mr. Abbott was returned to the house of commons. Then followed the Pacific scandal and the defeat of the government in which he shared. But he soon recovered public favor and was again elected to the house, serving through the parliament of 1883-87. Subsequently he was elected to the senate and was made premier upon the death of Sir John Macdonald, two years ago. After serving a short time he retired because of ill-health and has since lived in Montreal.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S APPOINTMENT

He is Very Wealthy and Related By Marriage to Ambassador Van Alen.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—James Roosevelt Roosevelt, who was yesterday nominated by President Cleveland to be secretary of the embassy of the United States at London, England, is a son-in-law of the late William Astor and consequently is related by marriage to Mr. James J. Van Alen, recently appointed minister to Italy.

He is a man of independent fortune. Mr. Roosevelt served for three years as secretary of the American legation in Vienna during President Cleveland's first term. He has lived abroad during the greater portion of his life.

The new secretary was well known for his hospitality while at Vienna, and gave many costly entertainments.

THEY LOSE THEIR DIAMONDS.

Uncle Sam Gets Possession of a Valuable Lot of Smuggled Gems.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The trial of Eugene and Jennie Leroux came up before Judge Benedict in the United States court, Brooklyn, yesterday.

The Lerouxes are defendants in a suit brought by the custom authorities for the possession of \$10,000 worth of jewelry which is alleged to have been smuggled from France by them or their friend, Alexander Fiamant.

Judge Benedict directed the jury in the case of the Custom house authorities against Jennie Leroux to bring in a verdict for the plaintiff.

CHICAGO'S DILEMMA.

Without an Executive and Does Not Know How to Get One.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—It was with no disrespect to the dead executive, but in the interest of a matter of grave importance, that an exhaustive search was made yesterday into the charter law of the city with the hope of finding some provision providing for temporarily filling the vacancy in the mayoralty, but without success.

The city is therefore confronted at this time with a situation most serious, and one that may lead to no end of complications.

The corporation counsel agrees that the city council must call a special election at once.

No Secret Treaty With Brazil.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Secretary Gresham was seen to-day regarding a rumor from Rio de Janeiro to the effect that a secret treaty had been signed between the United States and Brazil. He stated that there was no truth in the report.

Issue of Silver Coin.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The issue of standard silver dollars from the mints and treasury offices for the week ended Oct. 28, 1893, was \$975,745; for the corresponding period of 1892, \$835,442.

Stenographer Yerrington Dead.

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—J. M. W. Yerrington, the widely known court stenographer, died last evening at his home in Chelsea. He was 65 years of age and was a native of Providence, R. I.

Crow Saved.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The British steamer Victoria which arrived this morning from Trieste brought the crew of the Norwegian bark Saigon abandoned at sea.

Why Grow Old.

I find that if old people are put on a good meat diet in the way of strong soup, beef tea, and animal food, and only just sufficient farinaceous food and fats and sugar to maintain the heat of the body, they increase wonderfully in energy and, as they often express it, feel twenty years younger. This is only natural; it is a food of energy; the food that builds up muscle, nerve, and constitutional stamina.

The requirements of the system in old age, as a rule, are not very great, and more harm is done by taking too much food than by taking too little. I have known people considerably over seventy derive the greatest benefit from a thorough change in diet. It seems to rejuvenate them. Of course, in old age care should be taken that the body is not subjected to rapid changes of temperature. When the nervous power is decreasing as the result of age and the system is losing the power of combating cold and strain upon its energy, a stimulating diet invigorates and is conducive to maintaining constitutional stamina better than any other.

And natural death but from old age and general decay is an accidental death; that is, it is due to causes which might and even perhaps, could have been entirely avoided and remedied in earlier years. But, of course, all the secrets of attaining extreme age are not even now within our reach, and the few that I have pointed out are but a very few and those of the commonest.

It is the inevitable law of nature that we must die. The vital energy that is implanted in the body at birth is only meant to sustain it for a certain number of years. It may be husbanded or wasted, made to burn slowly or rapidly. It is like the oil in a lamp and may be burned out to little effect in a little time or carefully husbanded and preserved, and thus made to last longer and burn brighter.

It is a moot question whether every individual is not at birth gifted with the same amount of vital energy and of life-sustaining power. The probability is that each is. The circumstances of the environments from the cradle to the grave determine its future destiny.—Gentlemen's Magazine.

Cream—not Skim Milk.

Every farmer and villager, their wives and boys and girls, will be interested in the big, little, cream-not-skim-milk paper, the FARM JOURNAL, of Philadelphia. Its 200,000 subscribers are scattered from Maine to Washington, and from Michigan to Texas. It's breezy, crisp, boiled-down pages contain as much information in the course of the year as many of the high-priced weeklies; while its earnest, manly tone and its bright and common sense way of treating farm matters leaves a good and lasting taste in one's mouth. The subscription price is 50 cents a year. We have made arrangements with the publisher by which he will send it one full year free, to all who promptly pay up for our paper. Sample copies will be sent free by addressing a postal request to FARM JOURNAL, Philadelphia, Pa. 10-6-2 m.

A Hopeless Case.

From the New York Weekly.

Friend, "Perhaps you could frighten your wife into treating you better if you'd threaten to commit suicide."

Mr. Henn Peck. "No use. She'd give me Hail Columbia if I didn't."

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2-24-117.

Tolling a Death in Maine.

A CURIOUS CUSTOM MAINTAINED IN REMOTE REGIONS OF THE PINE TREE STATE.

The traveler through some of the more remote rural regions of Maine occasionally hears what most men of three score and ten remember as a familiar sound in their young days—the tolling of a church bell on the death of a denizen of the neighborhood the strokes numbering the years of the person's life. There is something peculiarly solemn about the use of the bell, so long neglected in the more populous communities, and to a writer for the Lewiston Journal no funeral service ever brought the fact of death home with the same pathos as listening to the unexpected sound of "the death bell," startling the community into a hush, broken for a few minutes only by the low, whispered query, "Why, who can that be? Then, as the tolling went on, the count was kept carefully to help solve the mystery. The tolling began usually very soon after the breath had left the body, and before the news had spread through other channels. If a very aged person, the count would require a considerable time, while all would sit very still and listen for the strokes. A very dramatic scene connected with this old custom of tolling the age of the dead is told by Miss Mu'ock in her novel, "A Brave Lady." It is where the shalloon rector has used other money than his own, and is on the point of exposure, and his wife sees no way to avert the disgrace about to settle on her husband and children, when the solemn sound of

the death bell peals over the little village. Breathlessly the count is kept and the bell goes on tolling until there is only one person in the community whose age will compare with its stroke—the wealthy old dean who has told the rector's wife he has made her his heir. A dear friend lost, a fortune gained—the means brought to hand to make good her husband's wrong-doing—that is what the death bell tells her. Hearing the old familiar sound pealing solemnly over a Maine hamlet the other day brought this scene to mind most vividly.

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Penicillings.

From the Somerville Journal. It isn't at all fair to estimate the cost of cigarettes to the smoker at only 25 cents a bunch.

An exchange argues that all women should keep books, and so they should—but not the ones they borrow.

Every young boy should learn to swim, but it's a bad way to begin by breaking through the ice in the fall when it first begins to form.

No man has a right to say that the times are hard just because he has found it impossible to borrow anywhere among his friends.

Stolen kisses may be sweetest, but other kind aren't to be sneezed at, if people who claim that they have had experience are to be believed.

Fowls That Lose Their Feathers.

Loss of feathers may be due to either of two causes—disease, or the frequent habit among fowls of pulling each other's plumage and eating them by reason of a depraved appetite due to disease. These diseases are both caused by the food being insufficiently varied, so that the necessities of the system are not met, and an unhealthy craving for something wanting excites them to this habit. Meat scraps are always good for fowls, which are partially carnivorous, but a large quantity of vegetable food is also needed, and of this clover and grass are the most desirable. The food for fowls should consist of a portion of grain, of which corn or barley is the best. This may be varied by a mixture of buckwheat, oats and rye given occasionally. If the fowls are confined, plenty of cut clover will be most useful and will have a strong tendency to prevent troubles of the kind referred to. Kerosene oil is not to be used as a medicine, but is very useful as a remedy for vermin and an insecticide, when applied outwardly.—N. Y. Times.

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