

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS

Their Thirteenth International Convention Held in Boston.

THE CITY A TENTED FIELD.

Thousands Camp on the Famous Common --Mass Meetings Held Daily--The Society's Marvelous Growth--A World-Wide Organization, With Nearly Two Million Members.

There is hardly a spot on the civilized globe that was not represented at the thirteenth Christian Endeavor Convention, which assembled this year in Boston, Mass.



REV. DR. F. E. CLARK, Founder of the Y. P. S. of C. E.

A mammoth dry-goods house in Tremont street had its entire front covered by an electrical design. The Park Square station of the New Haven road was tastefully decorated.

In New York City Michael McGowan lay in wait for his sweetheart, Rosie Finn, who had rejected him, and shot her dead.

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Dernberg, Gilek & Hornor, proprietors of the Leader, one of the large department stores of Chicago, have failed. Creditors hold a chattel mortgage for \$225,000. It is said that the assets of the firm will realize over \$400,000.

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The Minister of the Interior of Korea has fled; the King had ordered his arrest on the charge of treason.

Spain asked for a disavowal of the Ambassador's alleged interview, in which he was reported to say that the United States favored the cause of the Cuban insurgents, and a denial was officially made by Minister Taylor at Madrid.

Cornell University crew won the first heat at the Henley regatta in England owing to the failure of the Leander crew, their strongest rivals, to finish the race.

THE NEWS EPITOMIZED

Washington Items.

Attorney-General Harmon telegraphed Assistant District Attorney McKissick at San Francisco to use his discretion in taking an appeal in the Stanford case...

Henry Clay England, a lawyer of Rockville, Md., was struck by an electric car on the outskirts of Washington and killed instantly.

Report of the final trial of the Olympia, which reached the Navy Department, show that the vessel maintained a speed of nearly twenty knots in Sausalito Channel for four hours on natural draught...

Secretary Herbert wrote to Commodore Stuard censuring the Brooklyn Navy Yard methods. Ten ships of the United States Navy were placed under the command of Rear-Admiral Bunce for squadron practice at sea.

John W. Foster has arrived at his home in Washington from China, where he served as ambassador to the Chinese peace envoys in the negotiations to end the war with Japan.

Secretary Herbert's investigation of the labor system in Brooklyn Navy Yard led to the removal of Naval Constructor Fernald and Civil Engineer Assessor.

President Cleveland has pardoned Edmund I. Crittenden, of Kentucky, sentenced on June 28, 1894, to eighteen months' imprisonment in the Ohio Penitentiary on the charge of robbing the mails.

Secretary Carlisle has directed that the new revenue cutter now being built for service along the New England coast be named the Daniel Manning, and that the one being built for service on the great lakes be named the W. Q. Gresham...

The appointment of Willis L. Moore, of Illinois, as Chief of the Weather Bureau was announced from the White House.

Fishermen who, by squatter sovereignty, occupy shanties at Sandy Hook, were ordered to leave by the War Department. They threatened to resist eviction by arms.

The State Department instructed Ambassador Eustis to take steps for the relief of ex-consul Waller, who is ill in a French prison.

Daniel Werling was hanged at Pittsburg, Penn. He murdered his wife at her market stand on April 17, 1894.

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THE MARKETS.

Late Wholesale Prices of Country Products Quoted in New York.

28 MILK AND CREAM. The market has shown general activity during the week...

Receipts of the week, fluid milk, gals. 1,466,543. Condensed milk, gals. 15,410. Cream, gals. 65,339.

BUTTER. Penn.-Fresh, extras. 17 @ 17 1/2. Firsts. 16 @ 16 1/2. Thirds to seconds. 13 @ 15.

CHEESE. State-Fullcream, white, fancy. 7 3/4 @ 7 3/4. Full cream, good to prime. 7 3/4 @ 7 3/4.

BEANS AND PEAS. Beans-Marrow, 199 choice. @ 2.45. Medium, 189 choice. @ 1.97 1/2.

FRUITS AND BERRIES-FRESH. Cherries, # basket. 25 @ 50. Blackberries, # qt. 8 @ 12.

HOPE. State-1894, choice, # bbl. 8 1/2 @ 9. 1894, common to fair. 4 1/2 @ 6 1/4.

HAY AND STRAW. Hay-Prime, # 100 lb. 50 @ 55. Clover mixed. 45 @ 50.

LIVE POULTRY. Fowls, # lb. @ 10. Spring chickens, # lb. 12 @ 15.

DRESSED POULTRY. Turkeys, # lb. 9 @ 10. Chickens, Phila. broilers. 18 @ 22.

VEGETABLES. Potatoes, new choice, # bbl. 2.50 @ 2.75. Poor to fair, # bbl. 1.50 @ 2.00.

GRAIN, ETC. Flour-Winter Patents. 3.85 @ 4.00. Spring Patents. 3.75 @ 4.00.

LIVE STOCK. Beeves, city dressed. 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2. Milch cows, com. to good. 6 @ 8.

Four Lost in the River. Two men and two women were drowned in the East River of the foot of Rutgers street, New York City.

Newly Gleaming. The railway rate war is over. Labrador's seal fishery is a failure this year.

Two Varieties in One. Bass-And of which variety is your wife, the clinging vine or the self-assertive?

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THE MERRY SIDE OF LIFE.

STORIES THAT ARE TOLD BY THE FUNNY MEN OF THE PRESS.

The Rose From Her Hair-His Bustness-No Longer Aristocratic-Talking Shop, Etc., Etc.

She gave him the rose from her hair; He had called and was going away; She gave him the rose, but she did not pass.

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SELECT SIFTINGS.

South Dakota has a soap well. Our copper production is more than two-fifths that of all other countries.

San Diego, Cal., has a dewberry plant which is one year old and fifteen feet high.

The native home of wheat is supposed to be the mountain regions of Armenia.

It is said that in some parts of Japan robbers are convicted on a majority vote of the community.

It is estimated that in the large cities of the country there are twelve saloons to every church.

A pneumatic-tired harse is the attraction advertised in display type by an Atlanta (Ga.) undertaker.

Diocletian, the Roman Emperor, was born in slavery, and obtained his freedom by service in the army.

An automatic nickel-in-the-slot restaurant which dispenses with waiters is said to have been opened in Berlin, Germany.

A girl in Lancaster, Ky., died of fright in a dentist's chair the other day while preparing to have a tooth extracted.

The late Professor Blackie used to write "Speak the Truth in Love" on the corner of each envelope he mailed.

At the age of ninety-eight Mrs. Ann Featherstone, of Columbus, Ohio, has just cut a large tooth.

The Life Guards and Oxford Blues Regiments, of the English army, were formed in 1661.

A four-year-old child fell out of the window of a tenement house in New York the other evening and landed on a policeman's shoulders...

The market price for fine sheep, in first-class condition, in the Northwest just now is \$2 a head.

Two renegarians died within a few miles of each other in Fayette County, Pennsylvania, one day recently.

Fans, umbrellas, kites, spectacles, gongs, bank notes, postage stamps are all the invention of the Chinese.

A duck in East Bluehill, Me., was struck by lightning and lost one eye and a part of its head...

The Scottish Highlanders' dress as worn at the present time is sometimes very expensive.

A census recently taken in New York City shows that in the district bounded by Fifth, Canal, Essex and Mercer streets...

There will be good deer hunting in Maine this year. In many districts recently numbers of the animals have been seen on farms and in fields...

Flags are used as the symbol of rank and command, the officers using them being called flag officers.

The red flag is a sign of defiance, and is often used by revolutionists. In our service it is a mark of danger.

The yellow flag shows a vessel to be at quarantine, or is the sign of contagious disease.

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NEWS & NOTES FOR WOMEN

Mrs. Langtry's jewels are valued by experts at over \$850,000. Portugal has 1,080,000 women more than seventeen years old.

Holland, though small in size, has 1,070,000 women, young and old. There is a flourishing Young Women's Christian Association in Calcutta, India.

All over Washington State the ladies are organizing co-operative home industrial associations.

"Onida" is small, with a seamed and wrinkled face, overhung with gray ringlets, and is afflicted with a distinctly bad temper.

Unless a Chinese father happens to be a schoolmaster, and at home with nothing to do, he never thinks of teaching his daughter to read.

Durham (England) University has been authorized to bestow degrees upon women. Oxford and Cambridge Universities, however, still refuse.

The widow of John Brown, of slavery-day fame, lives in a pretty cabin in the Sierra Azure Mountains, about fifty miles from San Francisco, Cal.

Over 40,000 women are attending colleges in America, yet it has only been twenty-five years since the first college in the land was opened to women.

The furniture revival next year for the drawing room will be the rosewood and red velvet of over fifty years ago, when there was less style, but more solidity.

The glove manufacturer who will make "black kids" of a kind that will not "rub off on everything" may not be knighted, but he will be blessed by everybody.

The first woman admitted to practice law before the courts of California was Clara S. Foltz, who was admitted to the bar of that State on September 5, 1878.

The first woman to act the part of a woman character on the stage was Margaret Swartz, who made her first appearance in London on the night of November 9, 1656.

A few courageous women have appeared carrying canes on the promenade. Of course, it is generally understood that these articles are more ornamental than useful.

The first woman elected Mayor of an American city was Mrs. Susanna Madora Salter (nee Kinsey), of Angonia, Kan. Mrs. Salter was elected in the spring of 1887.

Dickerson County, Virginia, has a woman mail carrier. She is a widow, sixty years old, and covers her route regularly and punctually in all weathers, rendering the best of service.

Mrs. Frances Klock introduced a bill in the Colorado Legislature providing for an industrial school for girls, and the general feeling seems to be that she has struck in good time.

Mrs. Langtry declares herself so much pleased with the United States that she has determined to put her daughter Jeanne, who is now thirteen years old, at school in New York City.

It is now reported that since the presentation of a copy of the New Testament to the Dowager Empress of China, a Christian Chinese woman has been called to the royal palace to fill the position of nurse.

Ex-Empress Eugenie, who is now in Paris and is showing herself more than at any time since the death of the Prince Imperial, was present at the dinner given by Princess Mathilde on her seventy-fifth birthday.

Women have worn corsets from the earliest times. The mummy of the Egyptian Princess, who lived 2000 years B. C., was discovered in 1872, and around the waist was a contrivance closely resembling the modern corset.

The quiet Swedes, who make capable servants, are now in such numbers in Boston that an attempt is being made to raise funds to finish the structure, partly completed, designed for a Methodist Episcopal Swedes' Church.

Miss Mary M. Haskell, of Minneapolis, is about to exhibit her courage and endurance by venturing alone on horseback, in her capacity as census-taker, into the wilds of Cass County, Minnesota, which is largely inhabited by Indians.

Princess Nasse, of Egypt, one of the most intelligent and progressive women in Europe, is a constant laborer for the advancement of her sex.

Miss Maria M. Love, of the Buffalo (N. Y.) W. C. T. U., told the local conference of charities and corrections, a few days ago, that if girls would learn to cook, sew and keep house tidily, there would be much less drinking by men.

Tacoma, Wash., claims the only woman custom house broker on the Northern Pacific coast.

She is Miss Florence B. Moffat, daughter of a steamboat captain, and is said to be actively interested in shipping interests, and to know more on the matters of transportation and commerce than many men in the business.

Miss Fanny Elkins is a New York artist in a special line of work who received an exhibition medal and diplomas awarded for "accuracy, detail and beauty." She devotes her attention to making drawings for physicians and surgeons.

These drawings she renders from dissections, photographs, sketches or books. She has recommendations from leading physicians in New York, and probably is the only woman who has made a distinct success in this work.

Not Orleans Picayune.