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BANKER SANGUINE.

Country Safe No Matter Who Is Made President.

COLONEL HUGHES OPTIMISTIC.

In Addressing Financiers' Convention in Denver He Declares Campaign Contributions Ought to Be Published.

Denver, Sept. 30.—The day's session of the convention of the American Bankers' association was devoted to the meeting of the trust company section of the association at the Brown Palace hotel.

William E. Hughes in his speech of welcome congratulated the assembly that it was in no sense partisan. It was a truth apparent to all, he said, that there is a great moral awakening in the land, and neither of the great political parties could, in his opinion, hope to retain or acquire power that did not promptly recognize this fact.

Political bribery and secret political campaign contributions and all black-mailing must go. Our forests and other national resources must hereafter be better preserved and education in the public schools adapted to meet the practical wants of everyday life.

All fair minded men feel that they owe more to their country than to any party, and they should refuse to contribute to any political victory that they do not think will make for the final good.

Men of the American Bankers' Association.—We have the promise of both the great parties that the tariff and most of the other reforms called for shall in the end be brought about, and we have this to congratulate ourselves with—the country is fairly safe whichever way the election goes.

The secretary's report and the reports of the executive committee and the committee on protective laws were presented, and the remainder of the day was taken up with addresses and discussions.

OBJECT TO MONEY.

Numismatics Say Indian Girl on Penny is Irish.

Philadelphia, Sept. 30.—The coinage of the United States was criticised at the opening session of the American Numismatic association. In the report of the committee on new coin designs the present issue, with the exception of the St. Gaudens' eagle and double eagle, were pronounced inartistic and unappropriate.

Accused of Bigamy, Man Kills Self. New York, Sept. 30.—Following a quarrel during which his wife accused him of being a bigamist, George Von der Schuenburg, a druggist living at 109 East One Hundred and Twenty-eight Street, hurried himself from a fourth floor window down an airshaft to the basement. He died in Harlem hospital of fracture of the skull.

McLAURIN EXPLAINS.

Says Money Must Be Obtained to Achieve Political Progress.

New York, Sept. 30.—Ex-United States Senator John Lowndes McLaurin of South Carolina gave out the following statement regarding letters made public by W. R. Hearst: "An effort has been made to create a sensation by the publication of certain correspondence between John D. Archbold, vice president of the Standard Oil company, and myself. At the time the letters were written I was engaged in a bitter struggle in which was involved not only my own political future, but the economic and political principles for which I stood.

Ben Ban Wins Stake Race.

Takes First Place Easily in Feature Event at Aqueduct.

New York, Sept. 30.—Obdurate was the real good thing in the first race at Aqueduct, but the best he could do was to finish second to Bird of Flight after making nearly all the running.

"FAN" ATTACKS UMPIRE.

Blow Breaks Nose of an American League Arbitrator.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Robert E. Cantwell, the well known local criminal lawyer, will be arrested on complaint of Umpire Kerin of the American league, who he assaulted following a game between the White Sox and the Boston team on the south side.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Results of Games Played in the National and the American Leagues. NATIONAL LEAGUE. At New York—New York, 6; Philadelphia, 2. Batteries—Mathewson, Bresnahan and Needham; McQuillin, Jacklitich and Doolin.

CLEVELAND LETTER A FAKE.

Brandenburg Admits Former President Did Not Write Taft Indorsement.

New York, Sept. 30.—Broughton Brandenburg, who sold the New York Times a letter indorsing William H. Taft for the presidency and purporting to have been the work of former President Cleveland, will be the subject of an investigation by District Attorney Jerome.

More Votes for New York.

Suspended Sentence Doesn't Cancel Citizenship, Court Rules.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 30.—In a decision handed down by the court of appeals it is held that a person who has been convicted of a crime and upon whom sentence was suspended can vote without first having been restored to citizenship.

Rejected Man Kills Niece.

Shoots Widow While Her Children Endeavor to Protect Her.

New York, Sept. 30.—Mrs. Helen Roach, an attractive widow, was shot dead by her uncle, Robert Woods, because she refused to marry him. Police have been unable to find him.

Efficiency in the Public Schools.

Colonel Charles W. Larned's indictment of the public schools of the country on the ground of their inefficiency, recently published in the North American Review, is timely in so far as it can impress the individual teachers of the country perhaps.

It appears that out of 351 applicants for the cadetships examined last March 233 failed, and all of them had studied an average of ten years in the country's common and high schools.

LOCAL MENTION.

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Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup is used nearly everywhere, because it not only relieves irritation of the throat and stops the cough, but it drives the cold out of the system through its laxative principle by assuring a free and gentle action of the bowels.

AT THE LYRIC OCT. 6.

With "Othello."

SHERIFF'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.—By virtue of process issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Wayne county, and State of Pennsylvania, and to me directed and delivered, I have levied on and will expose to public sale, at the Court House in Honesdale, on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1908, at 2 P. M. All the defendant's right, title and interest in the following described property, to wit:

One of the most versatile and one of the most interesting conversationalists, and one of the best read men I have met in some time is Rev. Dr. Edwin MacMinn, pastor of the Baptist church of Dalton, Pa.

There is an impression in many parts of Pennsylvania that the roads built under the supervision of the State Highway Department, at an average expense of \$8,000 a mile, are costing too much, and in some localities experiments are being made to determine whether or not they can be constructed by the township officials equally well and at a much lower figure.

It seems like a step from the sublime to the ridiculous for the winner of a Marathon race to go upon the vaudeville stage, but one cannot live and keep house on glory alone.

Here's hoping that if any fake lion hunter mistakes Roosevelt for lawful game down in the African jungle he will do his shooting with a fake gun.

When the airy navies get to scrapping, the chief worry of the victors will be to land their captiveships.

Members of 'Don't Worry' clubs don't need to worry over their unpaid dues.

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