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Arrive	Southern Pacific	Depart
11:30 a. m.	Passenger	1:30 p. m.
5:40 p. m.	Freight	6:40 a. m.

**Corvallis & Eastern**

Arrive	Depart
11:15 a. m.	11:15 a. m.
8:35 a. m.	6:30 a. m.
1:20 p. m.	2:15 p. m.
4:35 p. m.	6 p. m.
8:35 p. m.	1:40 p. m.

**Sunday Trains**

Arrive	Depart
11:15 p. m.	11:15 a. m.

\*Daily except Sunday. All other  
trains daily.

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Mails Open	Mails Close
7, 10 a. m., 12 m.	Portland 5:30, 10:30 a. m., 12 m.
4:30 p. m.	Albany 5:30, 10:30 a. m.
11:15 a. m.	Washington and Eastern states 5:30, 10:30 a. m.
1:20 p. m.	California and points south 5:30, 10:30 a. m.
4:35 p. m.	Philomath and points west 12:30, 5:30 p. m.
8:35 p. m.	Monroe 1:30, 5:30 p. m.
11:15 p. m.	McMinnville and We side points 12:45 p. m.
10 a. m.	Way City and Philomath 8:45 a. m.
12 m.	Alsea 2 p. m.
7 a. m.	Monroe stage 9 a. m.
5 p. m.	Philomath stage 9 a. m.

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**PROFANITY IN BOYS.**  
It is a regrettable fact that profanity has become common among the boys. It is not in the least out of the ordinary, where a group of boys of 10 to 15 years is together upon the street or in any open space to play a game of ball, to hear them using oaths that might suit the tongues of the proverbial fishwife or costermonger, but which are shocking falling from the tongues of children of tender years. Of all stupid and silly vices, profanity is one of the worst and most abominable. A simple statement of fact is much stronger than any statement embellished with swearwords, and no lie is made any the more believable by being framed in profanity. In fact, both truth and falsehood are only weakened by swearing and taking the Lord's name in vain. Foul epithets and comparisons are not convincing, but are almost invariably disgusting, except to those making use of them. Profanity among men seems to be growing less and less, at least in public places and among those who lay claim to decency and some education. But the habit seems to have firmly fixed itself upon a great many of the boys, who may imagine it manly to use profanity and smoke cigarettes.

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## HUDSON-FULTON FETE

### Discovery of the Great River to Be Brilliantly Celebrated.

### AFFAIR TO LAST TWO WEEKS.

Ships of Many Nations, Representatives of Foreign Governments and Thousands of Visitors Expected at New York—Facsimile of the Clermont to Travel Under Her Own Steam.

The committee of prominent men in charge of the arrangements for the Hudson-Fulton celebration announced the other day that the details for the great festival had all been worked out and that little was left in the way of planning except to smooth out the minor matters of the program.

The celebration is but a few months off. It will begin on Saturday, Sept. 25, in New York city and will end two weeks later in Troy. It is expected to land a million persons in New York in a week. It will take hundreds of thousands up the Hudson, following in the wake of the Half Moon and the Clermont. It will make, it is hoped, the name of Henry Hudson, the Englishman who discovered New York's great river in a Dutch ship, and the name of Robert Fulton, who first applied steam to the navigation of that river, well known to the children of the public schools. It is expected to bring to New York harbor and the waters of the upper Hudson ships of many nations and representatives of most of the foreign governments.

While the time for preparation was short, much has been done. As a member of the committee said the other day at the headquarters of the celebration commission, nothing remained to do but to handle the details and "stir up the enthusiasm."

"Never mind about the enthusiasm," another observed. "New York city never gets enthusiastic until a week before the event, while the forty-six cities along the Hudson, which share directly in the celebration, are almost ready now to throw their hats into the air."

The celebration will not be a great exposition or anything like it. No great effort will be made by the commission to get crowds to New York from every part of the country. They will be invited, but no advertising campaigns as are usual in the case of expositions will be attempted. But the people will attend from the outside; the commission is assured of that. On the other hand, every possible effort will be made, it is being made, to interest the people of New York state and tempt them to New York.

The celebration is New Jersey's affair also, and her citizens are represented in the commission.

All nations will also be invited to send representatives and to participate in the celebration. Invitations have already been sent to the state department at Washington to be transmitted through the diplomatic staff to all governments of the world. Maritime countries are invited to send ships as well as representatives of the government.

A source of satisfaction to the commission is the interest which the government of Holland has manifested in the affair. The reproduction of the historic Half Moon is being made under the immediate supervision of the queen's aid-de-camp, Vice Admiral E. G. Ellis. Progress with the work has been rapid, the commission hears, and the quaint little ship will be ready to enter the Narrows on the day set. It will be manned by a crew in the costumes of the period of Henry Hudson. Work has already begun on the reproduction of the Clermont, Fulton's steamboat, which 200 years later steamed up the Hudson. Secretary Hall said that the Clermont would certainly proceed up the stream under her own steam, driven by an engine similar to Fulton's.

The Hudson-Fulton celebration will be first of all educational. The first two days of the celebration, Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 25 and 26, will be devoted to religious service, the commission declaring that it is unwilling that the people should overlook the "Divine guidance in the two great events to be commemorated, one of which opened up our state to modern civilization and led to the founding of New York city and the other of which laid the foundation for the vast commerce upon which the prosperity of the city and state so largely depends."

The secular observance will begin on Monday, Sept. 27, with the city and harbor a-flutter with bunting and the flags of all nations—city, state and national. The city will be gayly decorated, including thousands of private dwellings not only in New York city, but in every hamlet from Tottenville to the head of the river. Early features of the day will be a rendezvous of American and foreign vessels in the harbor and the entrance at the Narrows of the facsimile of Hudson's Half Moon, which will once take her place in the world's exhibits of paintings, prints, objects of art and relics will be opened to the public by the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the American Museum of Natural History, the Historic museum and other institutions of similar character throughout the state. Musical celebrations will be held in the evening throughout New York city.

On Tuesday, historical day, there will be a historical parade in New York, the procession consisting of floats and moving tableaux representing the principal events in the history of the city and state. Official literary exercises will be held in the evening in the Metropolitan Opera House, the great hall of the City college and the Brooklyn Academy of Music. In the

observance of Wednesday, commemorative day, exercises will be held at Columbia university, New York university, Cooper Union, the University of St. John and at other educational institutions in New York and all over the state as well. Aquatic sports and contests are also to be features of this day, with the official dinner to distinguished guests to be given in the evening. It is expected that this will break all records for attendance among New York dinners, the size of the dining room being the only limitation. More than 500 guests from outside of New York city are expected.

The military display will take place on Thursday, the chief feature of which will be a parade of 25,000 troops of the regular army and the national guard, with sailors from the ships in the harbor. The naval parade is the feature for Friday, when the ships, led by the Half Moon and the Clermont, will proceed up the river, shifting the scene of festivities from New York to Newburg. At the same time it is proposed a counter procession will leave Albany for Newburg, where the two parts of the celebration will unite, the New York section returning in the evening.

Saturday, the last day of the distinctly New York city celebration, is expected to be the greatest day of all in popular interest. The carnival is planned for every one's enjoyment, but particularly the children. The celebration will culminate in the evening with a carnival parade, consisting of moving allegorical tableaux, all the nationalities represented in New York taking part. Members of the commission say it will exceed in beauty and interest the carnivals of Europe.

Brilliance will be added to the general spectacle by the illumination of the fleet and the public and private buildings and by a pyrotechnic display. All the bridges across the East river will blaze with fireworks throughout the evening, while at 9 o'clock a chain of signal fires will be lighted on the mountain tops and other suitable points along the whole river from its source to New York bay.

The rest of the celebration will be held in the cities up the Hudson, for which attractive programs are now being worked out, in most instances taking the form of an old home week.

### DISPLAY OF HORSE INTELLECT

How Proud Arab Protested Against Use of a Spur.

Nipping his rider gently on the leg as a protest against the use of a spur in riding him, one of the beautiful little Arab horses at the Durland show in New York the other night brought down the house by a display of intelligence and independence worthy of his breed. In the class for cavalry chargers each competitor was required to show his training for army work by a series of tests, one of which was wheeling with his fore legs as a pivot. Every one of the entries was spurred around like a willing slave until it came to Max A. Mosie's bay stallion Beaming Star. The moment he felt the steel this high bred Arab, instead of yielding to the spur, turned his head and gave a knowing nip at the rider's offending leg, as if to say, "Don't try force if you want me to wheel for you." Every spectator in the boxes and balcony saw the move, and a wave of applause greeted the striking exhibition of equine character.

### FEAST IN THE CLOUDS.

Amateur Balloonist Will Entertain Party at Luncheon Up Aloft.

A limited number of invitations is to be issued by C. G. Fisher of Indianapolis for perhaps the most novel entertainment ever given in the United States. He is arranging for a luncheon in the clouds, and his invitations are to be sent to a party of six or seven who he thinks will enjoy the event.

The luncheon will be given in the basket of a giant balloon in charge of himself and G. L. Bumbaugh, a professional aeronaut. Fisher was instrumental in having the Aero Club of America select Indianapolis as the starting point for the great national balloon race on June 6 next.

A large balloon belonging to Bumbaugh will be used for the event. The basket will accommodate eight persons, and if any of the first timers feel like eating an elaborate luncheon while in the clouds the victuals will be before them. The feast in the clouds will be given some time in May.

### CONGESTION IN U. S. CITIES.

Exhibition to Help Solve Evil to Be Held in New York.

The congested conditions of large American cities will be shown in the Twenty-second regiment armory in New York city from May 3 to 16, when the exhibition on city planning and municipal art will be held. The exhibition is being held under the auspices of the committee on congestion of population in New York and the Municipal Art society. The purpose is to solve the problem of congestion and develop the growth of cities along hygienic, economic and aesthetic lines.

A three days' conference, beginning with the opening of the exhibition, will be held to discuss conditions in the largest cities. Data will be gathered on which to formulate a definite plan of improvement in the future. There are ninety cities in the United States where congestion is said to be an evil. The exhibits will show all phases of municipal development in New York and other cities.

**Popularizing Himself.**  
The discovery that President Taft is fond of peanuts will further endear him to the populace.

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