### IN MEMORY OF THE FATHER OF OREGON

Great Tribute to Dr. John Mc-Loughlin's Work on the Pacific Coast.

#### EULOGY BY F. V. HOLMAN

Pioneers, by Standing Vote in the Auditorium of the Exposition, Ratify the Remarks Made by Orator of Day.

#### ORDER OF THE DAY, OCTOBER 7.

S A. M .- Gates open.

9 A M -Exhibit buildings, Government buildings and Trail open. 9 A. M. to 12 M .- De Caprio's Administration Band, Transportation

building bandstand, 9 to 10 A. M .- Arrival of school children at Exposition. 10 to 11 A. M .- Concert by United

States Artillery Band, Government 10 A. M. and hourly thereafter-Free

moving pictures. Nebranka Pavilion, Agricultural Palace 10 A. M. to 12 M .- Free moving picture shows, Interior Department, Gov-

ment building Il A. M. to 6 P. M .- Free moving picture shows, California building.

1 P. M .- Illustrated lecture on forestry, Government building, 2 P. M.-Weaving blankets by Chilkat Indians, Alaska building.

2 P. M .- Illustrated lecture on Alaska, Government building. 2:30 P. M .- Organ recital by Profensor F. W. Goodrich, Forestry build-

2:30 P. M.-Thomas Jefferson day exercises, Festival Hall, Auditorium. 2 P. M .-- Hinstrated lecture on the American Navy by Barry Bulkley, Navy Department, Government build-

3:30 P. M .- Lecture on Panama Canal, Navy Department, Govern

building 3:30 to 5:30 P. M.—Concert by United States Artillery Band, Govern ment Terrace. 2:30 P. M.-Grand concert by the

Eilery Royal Italian Band, Gray's Boulevard bandstand 3:30 P. M .- Timber-testing exhibition, Government forestry building,

4 P. M.-Illustrated lecture on Yelowstone National Park, Interior Department, Government building. 4 to 5 P. M .- Concert by De Caprio's Administration Band, Transportation

building bandstand. 2:30 P. M.-Special concert, Oregon

5 P. M.-Government buildings 6 P. M.-Exhibition buildings close. 7:30 P. M .- Grand concert by the

Ellery Royal Italian Band, Auditor-8 P. M .- Grand illumination of Ex-

grounds and buildings. 11 P. M .- Gates close. 11:30 P. M.-Trati closes. Grounds

Further information may be ob-

Honor was paid at the Exposition yesterday to the memory of Dr. John McLoughlin, father of Oregon. Four generations were represented in the assemblage that gathered in the Auditorlum to pay tribute to one of the greatest figures in early Oregon his-

There were present men upon whose shoulders rest the burden of four-score years and more. They had been personal friends of Dr. John McLough-lin in the old days, and to them the occasion was doubly impressive. Then occasion was doubly impressive. Then there were those of a younger generation, who as children had known the great ploneer, and a third generation which knows of him only through the pages of history. The fourth generation is barely old enough to know at this time, but like the fifth, sixth, and probably the 16th and 60th generations, will ultimately learn of the exploits of a man who did more than exploits of a man who did more than any one other white man towards the settlement of the Pacific Coast by

#### Exercises in His Honor.

The exercises in the Auditorium opened at 2 P. M. with an assemblage that nearly filled that edifice. The ex-ercises were held under the auspices of the Oregon Historical Society. Old

pioneers and members of the society occupied the platform.

President W. D. Fenton was unable to be present, and the duties of of-ficiating fell to Judge William Galleway. In calling the assemblage to or-der, Mr. Galloway said there was no man connected with the history of

man connected with the history of Oregon more deserving of a special day at the Exposition than Dr. John McLoughlin, who had done more for early Oregon than perhaps any other man. He introduced Robert Livingstone as the first speaker.

Mr. Livingstone delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the Exposition management. He also took occasion to eulogize Dr. McLoughlin briefly, reliterating Mr. Galloway's statement that there is no figure in Oregon's history more worthy of special bonor that there is no figure in Oregon's history more worthy of special bonor from the Lewis and Clark Exposition than Dr. McLoughlin. Mr. Livingstone concluded with a brief outline of the hardships encountered by early pioneers, by way of introducing Imogene Harding Barlow, great-granddaughter of the man who built the first wagon rond across the Cascades. She sang Dr. McLoughlin's favorite song, "Bonnie Annie Laurie," and for encore sang "Auld Lang Syne."

#### Tribute by F. V. Holman.

The speaker of the day, F. V. Hol-man, was then introduced. Mr. Hol-man gave an exhaustive account of the exploits and life of Dr. McLoughlin. He brought authority to bear in estab-lishing that Dr. McLoughlin was a great and good man. A giant in stat-ure and a man of undaunted courage and quick temper, he was humane, huand quick temper, he was humane, human, great, kind and generous. Mr. Holman said. The early feeling against him was attributed to misrepresentation, and since the real facts of his life had been sought out by historians, his life as chief factor in the Hudson Bay Company in the establishment of trading-posts on the Coast is now understood as that of a great and good man. Mr. Holman's historical account was interesting and instructive, and brought out many interesting historical facts in connection with the ploical facts in connection with the neer-day of Oregon. The address

such interest and importance that It will be printed in The Sunday Oregonian.

Oregon Pioneers Ratify Eulogy. At the close of the address, Akio S. Matt, the well-known ploneer of 1848.
Moved that by standing vote the Gregon phoneers present ratify, approve and confirm all the statements of fact and the conclusions in Mr. Holman's address. John Minto, the noted ploneer of 1844 seconded the motion. of 1844, seconded the motion. Several hundred Oregon pioneers stood up in favor of the motion. There were no

negative votes. megative votes.

The heavy attendance was a matter of particular pleasure to members of the Historical Society, showing a wide interest in matters pertaining to early Oregon. A large percentage of those present were of the younger generations. The Auditorium was fitted with attractive decorations, flags, streamers and bunting. A striking portrait of and bunting. A striking portrait of "the Great White Chief," as the Indians called Dr. McLoughlin, stood on an easel in the center of the platform. De Caprio's Administration Band was in attendance and gave a short

PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT THE FAIR

Fourteen Thousand Children Get Tickets for Today.

This is "Public School day" at the Exposition, and 14:400 special compli-mentary school tickets have been issued to those in charge of the public schools of Portland for proper distribution among those who are entitled to them. distribution There will be no special exercises for "Children's day." The youngsters will be privileged to go where they please and enjoy themselves in every proper

Exposition management is to correct a mistake made when it was announced that the dren would be expected to meet at the ball grounds and enter the Exposition in a body. This is not the case. The tickets issued yesterday will admit the young holders thereof at the main gates and at any time in the day, whether they come singly or in parties

#### Art Exhibit Open Sunday.

The gallery of the Portland Art Association, Fifth and Taylor street, will be to the public tomorrow (Sunday) after-noon, from 2 to 5 o'clock. This will give many who are occupied through the week an opportunity to see the fine collection of water-colors, original illustrations, outof-door sketches, etc., now on exhibition. As these are a part of the Lewis and Clark fine arts exhibit, they will be re-moved with the closing of the Exposition,

Poultry Show Displays Many Birds of Prize Rank.

WINNERS THUS FAR NAMED

Judges, Who Are Now Determining the Awards, Find Difficulty Owing to Unusual Excellence in Many Classes.

ADMISSIONS, 17,284. The turnstiles recorded 17,284 admissions to the Fair yesterday.

Cocks that crow and hens that cluck, all the sights and sounds that used to rouse from their bucolic slumbers those who now hurtle themselves against the strife of the city, can be found at the yesterday 1300 of the pick of the proudest eackled and crowed and scratched while o'clock awakening and warm milk for \$10. Of

the Rocky Mountains as is now to be seen at the poultry yards of the Exposition. More than 1000 fowls are there, the pick of the flocks from the Pacific Coast States, while there are strings of exhibits best individual exhibit of one special various.

To a man ignorant of the points of Soap.

Chickens and of the means of discovering which are good and which are not so good—for none of them are bad—it is best-k

FALL AND WINTER

hobby. But they are all good, so good in fact, that the guards keep special watch of people who visit the place, lest the goodness of the display make kieptomaniacs of men whose blood calls for

poultry. An Official Opinion.

If one of the officials was asked about one variety of the exhibits he might be biased in his judgment, but if he is asked about the show as a whole he tells you a wondrous story. And this is what one of the judges has to say of the show:
"In the exhibits of Barred and White Rocks, Buff Orpington and several varieties of Wyandottes, and in Brown Leghorns, the quality is A-1 and the compe-tition is strong. There are so many good fowle that it is hard to make selecgood fowise that it is nard to make genec-tion for the awards. In the Asiatics, the Brahmas and the Cochins, the exhibits are not heavy, but of very good quality, especially in the hens. There is one of the biggest shows of Buff Cochin Ban-tams ever held and the qualuity is some.

thing hard to beat: "One of the sights of show is the exhibition of Blue Andalusians—perhaps the best ever given East or West. This exhibit is made by S. M. Smith, of Tacoma, and shows a collection of rare birds not

"All through the exhibits the quality is good and the entries come from many of the states of the West and Middle West. Washington has the largest exhibit in point of numbers, having 374 fowls here. Oregon comes next, with 236, and Cali-fornia third with 125."

#### Poultrymen to Organize.

The poultrymen of the Northwest are very much pleased with the great success of the show and plans are being made for a permanent organization which will fix poultry show at the Exposition. There the standard of quality for fowls through-

At this show there will be \$2000 distribthe men who once knew the joys of a 4 uted in prizes ranging from 50 cents to s sum \$1500 has been donated breakfast stood in little secluded places by the Exposition management, while and dreamed of the old farmhouse as the \$500 has been raised for special prizes by practical judges spoiled the hopes of the Oregon State Poultry Association. Several cups and other special prizes will Never before has there been such a coi- be offered, among them being a cup to be from St. Louis and many of the states of the Middle West and East. fewl of any variety washed with Ivory

chickens and of the means of discovering the control of the means of discovering which are good and which are not so good—for none of them are bad—it is puzzling to visit the Exposition and ask any of the exhibitors watching the fowls president American Poultry Association. moved with the closing of the Exposition, October 15.

With Jealous eye what is the best breed to buy for eggs, for fries or for any other purpose. Each man has a breed which by his experience is the best to be found by his experience is the best to be found in the world. The breed he raises is his Louis; H. H. Collier, Tacoma, Wash., and

Awards to Date.

Barred Plymouth Rocks-L. Gedney, Orch ards, Wash, sixth pullet, third pen; George Leuder, Jr., Scattle, Wash., second and fifth ocks, first and second cockervis; Keeney, Eugene, Gr., fifth and sixth cocker els. first pen; H. W. Illman, Hartford, Wash, fourth, fifth sixth, seventh hen; S. M. Butler Lamanda Park, Gal., first cock, seventh cock erel; Riverside Poultry Farm. Spokane, third cockerel; J. J. Stage & Son. Spokane, fourth pen; J. Murrow, Oregon City, second, third fourth and fifth pullet; W. H. Arps, Santh Cruz. Cal., sixth cock, second ben let, second pen; E. M. Calkins, Lent's, Or., fifth pen; J. L. Anderson, Fremont, Wash, fourth cockers!, first and third hen, seventh

White Plymouth Books, W. M. Homebras Los Angeles, sixth pullet, seventh pen; Mil-ler Bros., Fern Hill, Wash, sixth hen, sev-enth pullet; William Casteel, University Park, fourth cockerel, sixth pen: A. Harrley, Fern Hil, Wash, first cock: Hazelwood Farm, first, second, third, sixth, seventh cockerels and second and third pullets, first, second, fifth hen, third, fifth, seventh cocks, first, second, third pen; Sears' Poultry Yards, Tacoma, second, fourth, sixth cocks, fourth cockerel, third fourth, seventh hen, first, fourth, fifth pullet, fourth, fifth pen,

Buff Plymouth Rocks-C. J. Hockins, Newberg, first cock, third pullet; Mrs. E. A. Durr, Fern Hill, Wash., third cockerel, first hen, first pullet; J. H. Wylle, Tacoma, first colks. erel, second, fourth pullet; S. H. Schremer, North Yakima, second cockerel. Silver Plume Plymouth Rocks-E. J. Lar-

son, Tacoma, first cock, first hen, first put

White Wyandottes-F. S. Craig & Son, Salem, Or., first cockerel; Meadow Brook Farm, Hood Biver, first cock, first and fifth hen; C. J. Church, Portland, second pen; Dr. John Robertson, Alameda, Cal., seventh pullet; C. C. Johns, Tacoma, second cock; H. W. Not-ter, Woodlawn, Or., third pen; Dr. Bower-lester, Corvallis, Or., fourth hen, fifth pul-let; Winamers Poultry Parm, Scattle, fourth and sixth cockerel, sixth pullet: F. W. Mun., Ellensburg, Wash, second and third cockerel, first and fourth pullet: D. N. Lash, Wood-lawn, Or., first pen, second and third pullet, seventh cockerel, second and third hen, third and fourth cock; Mrs. C. J. Grenache, North Takima, fifth cockerei, Silver Laced Wyandottes-J. H. Moore, El-

lensburg, fourth cockerel, first and third pul-let; Henry Stenmesch, St. Louis, third cock, first hen, fifth cockerel, fourth pullet; J. L. Craib, Seattle, Wash., third ben, second pullet, first cock, first cockerel; F. A. Ball, Portland, second and fourth cock, second and fourth hen, second and third cockerel, fifth and sixth pullet, first pen.

Silver Penelled Wyandottes-J. M. Porter. Curvallis, second and fifth pullet; L. F. Durr, Tacoma, first cockerel, first, third, fourth Henry Steinmesch. St. Louis, first cock, first hen, second cockerel, Partridge, Golden Laced and Columbian Wy-indottes-All awards to Henry Steinmeach.

St. Louis, Mo. Single Comb Rhode Island Reds-W A Pacoma, third and sixth cockers, first cock. first pen; C. H. Burnett, Seattle, Wash. cockeret, first and sixth pullet; C. W. Vimk, Albany, Or., second cock, third hen, sev-enth pullet; E. Larson, Ogden, first cockerel, third and fourth pullet; Fifberta Poults Yards, Gresham, fourth cockerel, first and se ond hen, second and fifth pullet, second pen, Light Brahmas-Mrs. W. B. Chandler, Tafirst and third cock, second, third and

fourth hen, second cockers!, first, second, fourth pellet, first pen; C. P. Nettleton, Shelton, Coan, first hen, first cockers!, third pullet; Mr. A. E. Stanford, Olympia, second Buff Cochine-All awards to Frank Tem ple, Eisherry, Mo.
Partridge Cochins—All awards to Adam

Schaeffer, Chester, Wash.

Black Langshams-All awards to F. Fenwick, Buff Orpingtons, single comb--Winsmer Poultry Yards. Scattle, seventh cockerel; F. L. Miller & Son, Corvallis, first cockerel, first pullet, first hen, second pen; Richards Bros., Ogden, Utah, second hen; George Mellar, Williams lows, Cal., sixth cockerel; Frank Fenwick, Portland, third and fourth cock, fourth and fifth hen, third cockerel, second, fourth, sixth pullet, fourth and fifth pen; William Black-hurst. Tacona, first and third pen, second, fourth, sitth cockerel, first and second cock, third, sixth, seventh hen, third, fifth, seventh

IN HONOR OF JEFFERSON

Exercises Today Will Commemorate President of a Century Ago.

This is "Thomas Jefferson day" at the Exposition, and the great man who occupied the position of President of the United States when Lewis and Clark started on their long journey across the continent, 130 years ago, will be remembered by Exposition visitors. The naming of a "Thomas Jefferson day" has no political significance, but it is a day for Republicans and Populists as well as Democrats, a day designat-ed to honor the far-seeing President who so actively aided in the acquisi-tion of territory in what was then gen-erally regarded as an unexplored land

of wild wilderness and arid plains. Exercises will be held in the Auditoritim at 2:33 this afternoon, to which everybody is invited. Officials of the Exposition and of the states and Government buildings are arranging to asked, attend and do honor to the man who rera"? did so much for the West,

# The list of awards, so far as completed

Witnesses Declare Bonando Was Pursuing Defendant When Killed.

#### STATE'S CASE IS ATTACKED

Prosecuting Attorney Shows That Several Witnesses Have Changed Their Testimony Since

Coroner's Inquest.

Ferraris, charged with the murder of Carlo Bonando, is whether Ferraris was following Bonando just prior to the shoot ing, or Bonando was pursuing Ferraris They both came down Sheridan street from Fourth, towards Third, and Bonando was shot down 80 feet before Third street was reached. If Bonando was running af-ter Perraris, there is room for the claim of the defendant that Bonando attacked Ferraris with a knife, and that the latter turned and shot in self-defense. contrary, if Bonnedo was ahead and Ferraris closely pressing after him, the con-tention of the prosecution that Ferraris was the assailant is established.

A vital question in the case of Louis

Deputy District Attorney Moser, in the midst of the proceedings yesterday morn-ing, sprang a sensation by intimating that witnesses were being influenced to change their testimony, although he did not make a positive accusation. When Mrs. H. Brown was on the stand for the state she testified that she saw the two men nearly opposite her house at 24 Sheridan street and witnessed the shooting. They were about 15 feet apart, and Ferraris was in the lead. She did not see Bonando strike at Ferraris. Mr. Moser asked the witness if she had not been talking with H. W. Kassebaum, her son-in-law, and she admitted it. Counsel asked if she had not previously testified before the Coroner and in the office of the District Attorney that Bonando was ahead. She acknowledge: that she had done so, and excused herself by saying that after thinking over the relative positions of the two men she had concluded that if Bonando was being chased by Ferraris when the shooting of curred the shots would have come toward her, which did not happen. After some persuasion on the part of Mr. Moser, Mrs. Brown decided to adhere to the evidence first given by her.

#### Against State's Contention.

A. W. Kassenbaum testified, after an swering the preliminary questions, that he saw the shooting, and assisted in plac-ing Bonando in the police patrol wagon. The shooting took place about 80 feet west of Third street and he, the witness, was standing at the southwest corner of Third and Sheridan streets, facing east He turned around after the first shot. Bonando was near the south side of the street and Férraris the north side. Bo-nando backed toward the southwest. He fell after the last shot was fired, but never made any move towards Ferraris.

The evidence of Kassebaum to the effect that Bonando was near the south ride

cross-examination proceeded to grill the "You have changed your testimon; since you appeared before the District Attorney"?

of the street in a southwesterly directlo from Ferraris indicated that Bonando ha

been the pursuer, and Mr. Moser

Kassenbaum explained that he had sub

beginning. "In your evidence before the District Attorney did you not say Bonando was further down the street than Ferraris"? "If I said so, that was my best knowledge and belief at that time, but after went home I examined the place. changed my mind." .
"Who has been talking to you about

this case"? "Nobody."

Mr. Ferrara, defendant's attorney, interrupted: "Didn't Mr. Moser buildoze you when court adjourned at noon"?

Mr. Moser—I told you you couldn't change your testimony without making an explanation, didn't I? I also told you you couldn't buildoze witnesses, didn't I'?

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Kassenbaum made no denial, and, re-suming the examination, Mr. Moser asked, "Have you talked with Mr. Fer-

"Have you talked with any Italians"? "You talked to Mrs. Brown, didn's

'Very little.'

"Whom did you tell that you were go-ing to say that Ferraris was farther down the street than Bonando"?

"How did they know about it, then"?

#### "I don't know Shows Contradictions.

To impeach the witness, Mr. Moser read his evidence given at the Coroner's inquest that the man who was shot was moving away and the man who did the shooting was following, and backing the other, "Did you say that"? he asked. "I did," was the reply. Angelo Canaparoli testified through an

interpreter, and having seen the shooting from some distance, he said that Borando was behind Ferraris.

Joseph Coffey, who saw the latter part the shooting, was of the same opinion. Henry Benando, who parted with his brother at the corner of Fourth and Sher-idan streets, said Ferraris followed his brother Carlo. This witness also testified that the knife with which Carlo is said to have assaulted Ferraris was not his

John Kraetsch also placed Bonando a little behind Ferraris.

Policeman L. K. Evans, who found the pocket knife on the scene of the shooting the following day, testified to that fact.

### GOES BACK TO CALIFORNIA

#### Governor Chamberlain Orders Extradition of H. E. Floyd.

H. E. Floyd, who is wanted in Eureka, Cal., to answer to a charge of embezzlement, was released yesterday morning by Judge Frazer, on a writ of habeas corpus, on which final action had been pending for ten days. Before Floyd had time to leave his seat he was rearrested by Chief Deputy Sheriff Morden on a warrant of extradition signed by Governor Chamberlain. Floyd was arrested on September 13 by the police, and has been held in jail ever since. Sheriff Brown, of Humboldt County, California, was slow in making the trip to Portland, but has finally ar-

rived. Floyd, soon after his arrival in Portand, was married to Mrs. Bessie Brooks, and when securing his license in the County Clerk's office, made the statement that he had formerly been City Physician in San Francisco. This assertion true. In Eureka, he was engaged in selling gas generators. His attorneys say they will apply to the United States District Court for a writ of habeas corpus.

### Four Marriages Are Dissolved.

Three divorces were granted yesterday morning by Judge Frazer. Louise Berreth was divorced from John Berreth because of cruel treatment. They were married in June, 1903, in Portland. The plaintiff was granted & allmony per month, to be paid by Berreth for the sup-port of a minor child. She was formerly narried, and had five children. Berreth

published a notice in a newspaper that he would not support her or any of these

Because of desertion, beginning on September 17, 1904, in this city, H. C. Jenkins was divorced from Louise Jenkins. They were married at Vancouver, Wash., in

January, 1909. C. A. Blakely was divorced from Emma Biakely on account of desertion, since July 15, 1904. They were married at Van-couver, Wash., in May, 1901.

Alberta M. Proebstel was granted a diorce from Henry O. Proebstel by Judge Frazer yesterday for desertion, beginning June 23, 1903. She obtains the legal custoday of two children, age 9 and 4 years. ectively. The litigants were married in Clark County, Washington, in 1889.

#### Sues for Son's Services.

Elnar Olson, a boy of 14 years, by his father, Charles L. Olson, began suit against the Portland Consolidated Street Railway Company, in the State Circuit Court yesterday, to recover \$20,000 damages for personal injuries. He alleges that on July 11 he was thrown from a car at the second station from St. Johns sequently looked where the pool of blood was and measured the distance from against a bank and on the track, and where the parties stood, and concluded that he might have been mistaken in the was amputated above the knee. The company is charged with negligence in failing to stop the car as Olson was alighting. The boy is crippled for life, and the father sues for the value of his services.

#### Attachment Against "The Tavern."

The Storey & Brookes Puel Company filed an attachment suit in the State Cir-cuit Court yesterday against August Kratz, doing business at The Tavern, to recover \$282 for goods sold. Mr. Kratz filed an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to W. J. Van Schuyver, in the County Clerk's office yesterday afternoon, which was immediately afterwards withdrawn by Paxton, Beach & Sim

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HARRY MURPHY'S IDEA OF THE POULTRY SHOW IN SKETCHES AND WORDS I approach my present subject with about the same degree of tumultuous joy and unrestrained enthusiasm with which I might mount the gallows. Not that I have anything against poultry-on the contrary, I am quite fond of itbut I have been scanning the list of entries, and when the startled eye encounters such appellations as Andalusians, Brahmas, Wyandottes, Langshans, etc., there is nothing left for the untutored mind but to shrink at the contem-

plation of its own murky ignorance. The only variety of fowl that I am on anything like speaking terms with is fried chicken, and this, through some strange oversight, doesn't seem to be in the catalogue.

Yesterday, having appointed myself a committee of one to investigate, I journeyed out to the Fair ground to see the poultry exhibition. As an authority on the subject, I take pleasure in recommending this show to the gracious reader as the best I have ever seen—and, if my memory correctly serves me, the only one.

Ducks: geeze, pigeons and chickens of every conceivable and inconceivable breed, quack or crow, in their several tongues, a welcome to the visitor into this feathery commonwealth. For is with feathers enough on their classic

brows to endow the pillow industry stagger up and down under their unseemly burdens; pigeons with umbrella-like tails; and a thousand other feathered idiosyncrasies, from behind the long, trim rows of coops, await the fancier.

While the judging was in progress I approached a large, coarse man, whom I recognized as a judge-I knew he was a judge because he wore a linen duster. All poultry judges wear linen dusters; otherwise, they might be taken for common people like you and me, which would be too horrible. As I was saying. I approached the judging functionary, determined to demonstrate that there were others who knew things about chickens, and inquired in my cute, artiess way, where the chicken a la Maryland was. I anticipated, with secret exuitation, his astonishment at so sublime an exhibition of wisdom in one so young. To my complete surprise, however, the rude person bestowed such a look of disdain upon me as not only to convince me of his total unfitness to mingle with our set, but also to lacerate my feelings in a manner at once painful and humiliating. But, weak-kneed quips and enervated jests aside, this show is all the poultry. Don't miss it.