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UNITY MOVEMENT

Co-operation and Federation,
Brokers Cry, at Meeting
in Chicago.

SPEAKER CANNON TALKS

Says Country Is Not on Toggling
Slide to the Everlasting Bow-
wows—No Flies on Farmer
or Manufacturer.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Co-operation, a closer federation for the purpose of preserving their common interests and the defeat of adverse legislation served as the keynote for countless speeches when Board of Trade men from all parts of the United States and Canada gathered in Chicago today. There seemed to be absolute unanimity of opinion among the men who control the vast grain trade of America and at the business session held at the Princess Theater, a movement was launched which will result in a very short time in the formation of a National organization or federation, covering the United States and Canada and as powerful in its way as that which now exists among the bankers of the Nation.

Idea Approved.

The suggestion was greeted with great enthusiasm at the afternoon session of the grain men's convention and served either as a starting point or as a conclusion for most of the speeches which followed the banquet held at the La Salle Hotel in the evening, at which 1600 of the largest grain dealers in the country were assembled. The Chicago Board of Trade has pledged itself to take the initiative in bringing about such an organization, and President John A. Bunnell is expected to call a meeting within a month to which all Boards of Trade represented at today's gathering and such others as may desire to join.

Cannon in Fine Fettle.

Speaker Joseph G. Cannon was in fine fettle, when he addressed the convention tonight. He "cut loose" from his usual almost every issue now before the people, advocating a strong merchant marine, defending with great heat the "stand-pat" policy in the Philippines, taking a satirical "shot" at the modern conception of "conservation" of the Nation's resources.

UNCERTAINTY IS APPARENT

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tion is strengthened by the fact that his term of office expires in October, and he has already been assured that he will be named for re-election by both the Democrats and the Republicans. So his personal position cannot be attacked. Tammany men who are favorable to the selection of Justice Gaynor as a Mayor candidate declare that Murphy has secured the consent of Thomas M. Mulry to run for Comptroller. Mr. Mulry is one of the leading Catholic laymen of the country, and is at the head of his church's charitable work in the city. He had been mentioned as a probable nominee for Mayor when McClellan was first named, and was again mentioned this year. Report had it that Mr. Mulry did not care to run at the head of the ticket, and so informed Murphy last Spring.

Gaynor Organization Meets.

A conference committee, made up of five bodies, with Michael E. O'Connor, a Brooklyn builder, as its chairman, met on Thursday to discuss the plan for holding a mass meeting in advance of the party conventions, and to draw up a platform and name a ticket.

The organization which has united to further the Gaynor candidacy are the Boards of Trade, the Brooklyn Municipal Ownership League, the Brooklyn Democratic and several labor unions. Five representatives of each of these bodies were selected some time ago to act as a conference committee, and the meeting of this committee have already been held.

This movement, it is said, had its inception a month ago, before Justice Gaynor had announced his willingness to run. A meeting was held in Brooklyn, made up of representatives of some 24 Boards of Trade, ostensibly to take action in regard to transit matters. This meeting was turned into a Gaynor ratification soon after it started, and the other organizations have come in since.

According to some of the prime movers in its affairs, 44 labor unions have been represented lately. A. H. Eastwood, of the Civic Union, and ex-Sheriff Flaherty, who was put in office by William Randolph Hearst, are the leaders in the affair. They announce that they have sent a letter to Justice Gaynor appraising him of their plans, but so far as their lettering has been replied up to date, these independent plan to nominate, in addition to Gaynor, a full borough and county ticket—Borough President, two Coroners, Sheriff, County Clerk, Register and Supreme Court Justice. In this they expect not only to help Tammany Hall, but to injure McCarrren's Brooklyn Democracy so far as possible.

William Randolph Hearst, in 1905, personally requested Gaynor to take the Independence League nomination for Mayor. But he and his organization are decidedly against him now. In an interview in the Brooklyn Eagle Mr. Hearst says:

"I do not care to discuss Justice Gaynor and his letter. I like Justice Gaynor very much personally. It unfortunately appears to me, however, that

Justice Gaynor is preparing to accept a Tammany nomination.

And Mr. Hearst is qualified as an expert. He "accepted" two Tammany nominations for Congress and one for Governor. So it is safe to assume he is qualified to pass upon the "symptoms" of the Knights of Columbus, who commenced the original attack upon Gaynor, are keeping up the battle, and already have sent three committees to confer with Murphy. They declare the Judge's nomination would be regarded by them as an insult to their faith, and that they would feel compelled to resent that insult at the polls.

"If you nominate Gaynor," declared Congressman John J. Fitzgerald, who is a past grand knight of New York State, "you will find that practically the solid Catholic vote of a city will land on the other side of the political fence. And it means that your entire ticket is doomed to defeat."

Of course, Fitzgerald is a friend of Senator McCarrren, and the selection of Gaynor would be a death blow to the Brooklyn leader. But many other men of his religion have made practically the same remarks, and Murphy is badly worried.

For this is a very bad year to make mistakes. And between the cheers of Gaynor's friends and the hisses of his enemies, an unhappy political leader is in danger of making a wrong guess which will cause disaster to his army.

All of which explains why Justice F. Murphy, once a barkeeper, later a streetcar conductor, and now a political dictator, is a mighty busy and bewildered individual these days.

COOS PEOPLE VICTIMS

BUY STOCK IN PHONY RAILROAD SCHEME.

Engineer Awarded Damages by
Court and Other Suits Are
Now Threatened.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—A jury in the Circuit Court today decided a suit which attracted more interest than any other legal action at this time of court. The action was that of Fred Gettins, civil engineer, against Patrick Hennessy, in which Gettins was awarded \$30 for services rendered as engineer.

The result of the case is important because there are other actions depending upon the same decision. About a year ago M. N. Knuttenberg came to Marshfield and announced that he would buy the property of the Oregon Coal & Navigation Company, including the steamer M. F. Plant, the Liberty coal mine and 900 acres of land. He also posed as general manager of the Spokane, Yakima and West Coast railroad. Hennessy writes that his name as treasurer of the paper road was used without his consent.

Knuttenberg left the city without buying the property or building a railroad, and left many unpaid bills, among them Gettins' claim. He also sold or pretended to sell to a number of local people, part of the property which he was supposed to have purchased, but for which he held no title. These people are also suing to recover. Hennessy is local representative for the Oregon Coal & Navigation Company and a leading business man of the city. He alleges that Knuttenberg, in connection with the outsiders who created the local obligation. He will appeal the case.

THIRD WOMAN ENTERS

MYSTERY GROWS DEEPER IN CHICAGO DOUBLE KILLING.

Witness Testifies She Saw Unknown
Female Emerge From House
Where Two Were Found Dead.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Mystery was injected today into the tragic double shooting of Mrs. Leah Tripp and Mrs. Anna Silver, one of whom was found dead and the other dying. At first believed to be a case of murder and suicide, clues now in the hands of the police point to a third woman as the slayer of both victims.

This third woman emerged from the Tripp-Silver apartments, at 599 Prairie avenue, shortly before the tragedy was discovered. She has not been seen since. The authorities now believe this woman will be able to explain the mystery of the knife wounds on the victims and the absence in the house of any weapon that might have inflicted those wounds.

The story about the third woman was told by Mrs. Ben Hyman, a widow, who was called to the witness stand at the inquest.

"I never had seen the woman before," said Mrs. Hyman. "She was excited and her actions aroused my suspicions at the time."

"Something awful has happened," she screamed when she ran out.

POSSE HUNTS OUTLAWS

BAND PURSUES MEN WHO HELD UP COLORADO TRAIN.

Would-be Robbers Flee to Mountains—Every Pass Guarded by Armed Officers.

DENVER, Sept. 17.—A posse is still in pursuit of the outlaws who held up the Denver & Rio Grande passenger train on the Colorado and San Francisco express near Malta, Colo., last night. It has been found that there were but three men in the gang. They are in the mountains, but have not been located. The officials of the Globe Express Company, whose safe was attacked, made a statement this morning that the car which was derailed by the robbers was in fact the car containing the funds sought. The safe contained a large sum, but how much the officials refuse to make known. It was further believed the express money was in the first section of the train.

FEAR IS FELT FOR DREDGE

Vessel Puts to Sea and Nothing Is Heard of Her.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Some fear is felt here for the safety of the Government dredge Oregon, which went to sea yesterday, in tow of the tug Richard Holyoke, bound for Portland.

After safely crossing the bar, nothing has been heard of the dredge, excepting when the Breakwater passed her. At that time she was making only about five miles an hour, and it is feared that her seaworthiness will be taxed to the utmost.

OPPOSE TAFT PLAN

Bankers Condemn Guaranty and Postal Savings.

SUBSTITUTE IS OFFERED

State and Federal Supervision Recommended—Officers Elected.
Los Angeles Chosen for Next Convention.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Bankers representing every state in the Union met today in the closing session of the American Bankers' Association convention. Resolutions condemning in strong terms both guaranty deposit laws and the establishment of postal savings banks were adopted. In criticizing these two proposals, Arthur Reynolds, of Des Moines, Ia., chairman of the Federal legislative committee, referring to the postal savings banks, declared that the "danger of the political use of such a power should cause all patriotic men to hesitate before adopting such a radical measure."

He took issue with President Taft on the question of the investment of the funds deposited in such savings banks. In this connection he declared that the legislative committee was opposed, should a postal savings bank law be enacted, to the investing of funds in either United States bonds or state and municipal bonds.

"The investment of \$50,000,000 or \$100,000,000 in United States bonds has been advocated recently by our Chief Executive," he said, "would be a serious mistake and a menace to our Nation's credit, as it is in other countries where such investments are made."

As a substitute for these plans, the committee recommended state and Federal supervision, and the creation of separate departments in National banks. This resolution was referred to the currency commission of the association.

An important feature of the day's programme was an address by James B. Forgan, president of the First National Bank of Chicago, on "The Efficiency and Limitations of Bank Supervision by Examination, and the Responsible Source of Bank Management."

Reports from the various sections and from the standing law and the Federal legislative committees were presented. In the election of officers scheduled for late today, there was no opposition to Lewis E. Pierson, of Brooklyn, for president of the association, for president-elect, Mr. Pierson, now the first vice-president of the association, was unanimously nominated for president by the committee on selection of officers. He has for years been allied with the American Bankers' Association, and has been active as the chairman of the committee on uniform bills of lading and of the executive council. He was born in 1870, in Metuchen, N. J.

Los Angeles was chosen for the 1910 convention of the association, San Antonio withdrawing and putting in a bid for the convention in 1911.

Louis W. Pierson, of New York, was elected president of the association late this afternoon.

F. O. Watts, of Nashville, Tenn., was named as first vice-president.

LABORERS NOW LIVING BETTER

Present Day Workmen Better Fed Than Ancient Rulers.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—"The average laborer is today living better than Queen Cleopatra did in ancient Egypt," declared James Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, upon his return today from a month's vacation on his Iowa farm. He was discussing the prosperous farmers of the West and the high wages of the workmen in the East.

The Secretary was asked if the Western farmers were really investing large sums of money in automobiles.

"There is too much truth in those reports," he responded. "The farmer is out of debt; he has paid for his farm, his fence, and his machinery. He has money in his pockets and big crops continue to come in. He is afraid to invest in Eastern securities, lest a year might bring trouble to him. As a result, he puts his money into luxuries, instead of channels that might give a return. Why, folks in the East do not know what luxuries are; they must go West to find that out."

TREAT TO QUIT TREASURY

Rumors of Unpleasantness Under Present Regime Abroad.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—Treasurer Charles G. Treat has resigned from office, to take effect in October. His successor has not yet been chosen.

The announcement of the resignation was authorized by Mr. Treat, who said it will take effect "some time in October." Large and growing business interests of the East and some of his private business affairs, Mr. Treat said, have made it imperative he should give up his position in the Treasury.

For some time relations between Mr. Treat and some of the high officials of the department have not been so cordial as in the preceding Administration. He has been in close touch with some of the leading banking interests in New York, and is intimate friends of Senator Aldrich, who has frequently consulted with him on financial legislation.

SOLDIER COMMITS SUICIDE

Former Sergeant Fulfills Threat to Kill Himself.

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 17.—Former Sergeant Monroe, whose dead body was found at Fort Harrison yesterday near the residence of Sergeant W. H. Smith, committed suicide, according to the findings of the military court of inquiry. The weapon was found alongside Monroe's body.

Whaley, who had been held as a possible suspect, testified to Monroe's threats to suicide if he were again ejected from Whaley's house, and Whaley, though the suicide threat a "bluff," and made no investigation until morning when the body was found.

Jail for Ticket Scalper.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 17.—E. P. Burke, convicted of ticket scalping, has been sentenced to spend 30 days in the county jail. Burke has been operating in connection with a number of hackmen and taxi-cab drivers and the complaining witness, Frank L. Lynch, bought a ticket only to have it refused by the railroad validating agent.

A New Preparation Is Being Marketed.

called Santaloid Lotion, which is said to be the most remarkable preparation for the skin and complexion ever produced. Women everywhere are raving over it and it is attracting unusual attention on account of its peculiar qualities and properties and its wonderful effect on the skin.

Fine Watch Repairing Done Here at Small Cost—Work Guaranteed

Today Is the Last of the Three Day Mid-September Sale

Children's Day—Big Bargains Olds, Wortman & King

Girls' Fall Dresses \$2.00 to \$4.00 Ea.

Clever costumes for girls from 6 to 14 years of age, especially suitable for school wear, made of galatea or rep, in many styles, plain colored or fancy fabrics, plain or trimmed styles priced at \$2.00 to \$4.00.

KNICKERBOCKER SUITS for boys from 2 to 6 years of age. Plain or fancy colors, galatea cloth, well made and nicely trimmed; extra special values at the very low price of, each... \$2.98

CHILDREN'S WINTER COATS, 2 to 6 years of age, neat styles, extra special at... \$2.97

NEW FALL BONNETS for youngsters up to 6 years of age. Come in red, white or cardinal and are specially priced at low figure of... \$1.87



Girls, Misses, Women's Hats \$2.98

For the girl from 7 or 8 to 16 years of age, these make very desirable hats for school wear. Then, too, they're neat headwear for use with smart tailored suits, either for young misses or for grown-up women. They're the best \$3.50 values to be had and are on sale at, each... \$2.98

Infants' Sweaters \$1.29

These are for tots of 6 months to 3 years. Come in plain or white with pink or blue trimmings. Good quality, decidedly cunning; special... \$1.29

New Coats for Fall and Winter for children from 2 to 6 years of age. Also complete line dresses, ages up to 16 years.

Boys' 25c Hose 15c



Of course, this special in children's hosiery is continued for today. They are fast black, reinforced knee, heel and toe, heavy weight, and regularly 25c pair, special price... 15c

Boys' Underwear at 17c

In medium weight cotton, ecru color, elastic ribbed, shirts and drawers, sizes 24 to 34, regular values to 35c, special sale price... 17c

BOYS' WAISTS in new patterns with attached collar at 25c and 50c; without collar at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR, fleece-lined, elastic-ribbed vests and pants; medium weight; regularly 75c the garment, on sale at... 59c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR, light weight fleeced vests and pants, extra well finished; regular 45c garment; for this sale, price, garment... 29c

Umbrellas \$1.48

For men or women, absolutely fast black and rain proof, with strong frames and attractive handles; plain or fancy. They are regularly worth \$2.25 each. In the sale today at... \$1.48

\$1.50 Hose 95c

Women's silk hose, a special lot in black and all of the shades to go with smart fall gowns. All sizes and regular \$1.50 value. The pair at... 95c

\$1.75 Gloves 95c

Kid gloves in odd lots, sizes and shades, regular values up to \$1.75; also Prix Seam Dye style kid gloves for driving or street wear. Regular \$1.50 values. Choice... 95c

Embroideries 29c

Clean-up sale in the Embroidery Aisle of odd pieces in bands, galloons, edges and insertions, swiss, nainsook, batiste or cambric materials, at the following reduced prices:

Values to 65c for... 29c

Values from 75c to \$1 at... 48c

Worth \$1.25 to \$1.75, for... 69c

Worth \$1.85 to \$2.25, for... 98c



Clever or Tailored Waists

In the lot you will find just such waists as are illustrated above; also Tailored Waists. Extremely handsome bodices of filmy lawn or the correct and plain tailored bodices of linen with stiff collars and cuffs. There are vals. in this lot up to \$12; your choice in any of the assortment at \$2.19

In Our Suit Department—the Style Center of the Northwest—Today we continue our sale of Tailored Suits, values up to \$45, selling at \$21.95. We also offer Tailored and handsomely trimmed Waists, vals. up to \$20 at \$3.85. The largest assortment on the Pacific Coast of Tailored Suits, New Coats, New Capes, New Fall Waists, Etc.

Men's Hose 15c

Every pair of our regular 25c fancy hose for men included at this price. They are stripes, checks, etc., in great assortment and splendid values, sale at... 15c

Underw'r \$1.49

Men's shirts and drawers in Fall weight, mercerized flse, shirts with sweater neck and drawers, four colors. Excellent \$2.50 values... \$1.49

Auto Veils \$1.48

Women's chiffon automobile veils in all the most desirable shades. Two grades specialized. The regular \$3.00 values at \$1.98 and \$2.00 values at... \$1.48

Neckwear at 10c

A clean-up of odd pieces of women's Neckwear in good styles of only a few of a number, including lace stock collars, jabots, coat sets and novelty pieces; values up to 35c, your choice at... 10c

Women's embroidered linen Collars, in all sizes, new designs, the kind that sell elsewhere at 25c, choice... 10c

CREDITORS AFTER THAW

WANT HIM BROUGHT TO NATIVE STATE TO TEST SANITY.

District Attorney to Oppose Order Sending White's Slayer Back to Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Attention of those interested in the mental condition of Harry Kendall Thaw has been turned to the courts of Allegheny County, where an effort was made in open court, before Judge Swearingin, Carahan and Cohen today to secure an order giving his creditors in this and other states the right to have him brought before a jury in the Court of Common Pleas, where a test of his sanity at the present time can be passed upon in his native state.

On its face the petition is that of a creditor who wants to get his money by

TIMBER TRACTS ABLAZE

FIRE THREATENS NATIONAL FORESTS NEAR WALLACE.

Pioneer's Life Savings Swept Away. Flames Started by Incendiaries and Carelessness.

SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Four bad fires are burning on or near the Coeur d'Alene National forest near Wallace. One near Pritchard Creek today destroyed the houses and outbuildings on the homestead of H. C. Campbell, a pioneer who recently spent all he had fixing up the place for a home for the remainder of his life. This fire is fought under the personal direction of Forest Supervisor Jerome.

Another bad blaze is raging at James Haight's ranch, on the North Fork. This fire, it is declared, has been set by incendiaries. Ranger Pulsat is at the scene in charge of the fire fighters.

The most destructive blaze is raging

BLOODY FOURTH STATISTICS

Casualties for Independence Day Break Record in 1909.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—The Fourth of July celebration, according to figures compiled in the current number of the Journal of American Medical Association, as given out today, caused the death of 25 persons in 1908, while this year, in which the "same Fourth" sentiment was supposed to have reached its height, had by far the largest total of deaths in the last five years.