

# Congressmen Praise the Exposition



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## NOT AN ACCIDENT MARS THE PLEASURE

### Hospital Ambulances Have Dull Day and Hurry-Up Wagons Are Not Needed.

### ONLY THREE ARRESTS ON FAIR GROUNDS

#### Stranger Demands Interview With Fairbanks on Aerial Supremacy of Nation.

Only three arrests were made by the exposition guards yesterday and not one by the police at the gates. A more orderly and good-natured crowd was never seen at an exposition.

Two men indeed with spirituous and mental enthusiasm became boisterous on the trail about 11 o'clock last night and were taken in charge by the guards and escorted to the outer darkness.

The third man arrested is John Connell, who insisted on entering the New York building at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and having an audience with Vice-President Fairbanks. The guards told Connell that it would be impossible to see the vice-president, and when he became insistent, arrested him. Connell protested vehemently against this, saying that he desired to outline a plan to the vice-president by which the government could gain control of the navigation of the air. He declared that the people should ride free when they desired and that money for maintenance of airships and balloons should be derived from a tax on foreign immigrants and by taking a portion of the wealth of the rich. He deplored the reckless extravagance of President Roosevelt, who had spent \$4,000 on his Colorado hunting trip, and said this sum could have been used for erecting mile posts and signboards for the aerial navigators. He was held in custody until 11 o'clock last night, when he was taken outside the gates and released.

The entire exposition guard, consisting of 98 sentries and three noncommissioned officers did 20 hours' duty yesterday. The absence of accidents and disturbances was largely due to the excellent management of the crowds by the guard under Commander C. E. McDonell. Captain T. N. Dunbar was officer of the day. This morning at 9 o'clock he was relieved by Captain Charles A. Murphy. These men will alternate as officers of the day every 24 hours.

Many of the men who were on duty for 20 hours yesterday after eight hours' rest last night, reported this morning for 10 hours' duty.

One of the officers stated this morning that the number of guards employed last night and this morning should be at least 175 additional men. Acting Captain Slover, in charge of the police substation outside the fair gates, said 18 men on duty yesterday. "A more orderly crowd I have never seen," said Captain Slover this morning.

### FAVORS TO GUESTS FLOWER FILLED CANOES

#### Grand Banquet and Reception to Mr. Fairbanks Climax of Opening Exercises.

The culminating feature of the great opening day was the dinner in the New York building in honor of Vice-President Fairbanks and his distinguished men who accompany him.

There were 240 guests at dinner and probably 2,000 at the reception. The banquet hall, the big reception hall and the veranda all were utilized. The entire building was beautifully decorated. The favors were birch-bark canoes filled with flowers.

The guests at dinner: Vice-President and Mrs. Fairbanks, Governor and Mrs. George E. Chamberlain, President and Mrs. H. W. Goode, Speaker Joseph G. Cannon, Mayor and Mrs. Williams, H. W. Scott, ex-Governor and Mrs. George W. McClure, Congressman and Mrs. Binger Herman, Colonel Henry E. Bosch, director of exhibits, and Miss Camille Bosch, Senator Samuel H. Piles of Washington, General and Mrs. Robert ex-Senator Thomas Carter of Montana, Representative Tanney of Minnesota, ex-Senator Thurston of Nebraska, Senator Clark of Wyoming, Mrs. C. E. S. Wood, Miss Nan Wood, James McL. Boyd, ex-Senator J. S. Alden, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Mears, President of the North Pacific Saengerbund Paul Wessinger, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ladd, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd, Charles E. Ladd, Rev. J. B. Wilson, D. D., Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, W. D. Wheelwright, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mackenzie, Fred V. Holman, Dr. and Mrs. K. A. J. Mackenzie, A. A. Schell, Thomas Raley, Mr. and Mrs. Warren E. Thomsen, Mrs. T. B. Wilcox, Clifton N. McArthur, Lewis A. McArthur, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Reed, Adolph Wolfe, T. Scott Brooke, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Boies, Joseph Dohy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Major Clarkson, George W. Bates, Henry Ladd Corbett, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. H. W. Corbett, W. H. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Boies, Mrs. George Good, Mr. and Mrs. Van Dusen, A. L. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wittenberg, Mr. and Mrs. L. Allen Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. David R. Rattley, Miss Ruby, Harry Montgomery, Cyrus A. Dolph, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Connell, Director of Works Oscar Huber and Mrs. Huber, H. R. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Fleischner, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Devers, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Hopkins, Colonel Steever, Mrs. Walter F. Burrell, Major Scofield, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Alinworth, Miss Laurie King, Mrs. Hanna Robinson, Mrs. Roy C. Norton, William Moore, W. Gifford Nash, Frank Dresser, Colonel Clay and Miss Clay.

### TRAIL HAS APPLAUSE OF EDWARD M. BAYLISS

#### President of Concessionaires Says It Compares Favorably With Midway and Pike.

Ed M. Bayliss, whose long experience in exhibitions led to his recognition by the other concessionaires as the man best fitted for the presidency of their association, was more than pleased with the events of the opening day and the appearance of the trail.

"While the Portland midway is not so large as those of some other exhibitions," said Mr. Bayliss, "in proportion to the territory covered by the various exhibitions, the trail ranks very favorably."

"I have noticed for some years past a tendency on the part of the public to get away from the old class of show and to give their attention to attractions which appeal actually and intellectually through beauty and art interest. The concessionaires have learned this, and from what I have heard, the trail will, when complete, present a larger proportion of meritorious, beautiful, mechanical, electrical and scenic productions than have ever before been seen—proportionately speaking, of course."

"It is my best judgment that two weeks hence will find the trail complete in every detail, while at St. Louis two months were necessary after the opening to produce this result."

Mr. Bayliss expressed keen satisfaction at the location of the trail. The Pike at St. Louis was off to one side of the grounds, far removed from the exhibit buildings, necessitating a special journey to visit it, while the trail is in the connecting link between the exposition and government exhibits and necessarily one of the busiest thoroughfares.

"Since the public demands something worth while, and the public has been catered to here," he concluded, "I can but believe that the trail and its attractions will be successful, individually and collectively."

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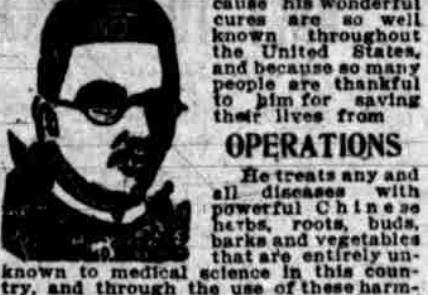
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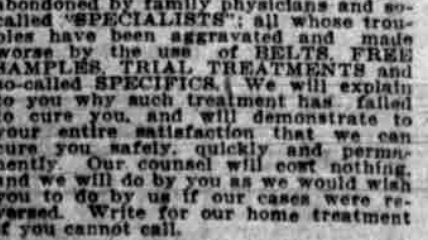
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