

LOUISIANA WILL CELEBRATE, DEC. 18

Louisiana Will Have Her Own Celebration to Mark the Transfer of her Ancient Territory to the United States-

(By Associated Press.) New Orleans, Nov. 18.—The State of Louisiana which has appropriated \$100,000 to cover its share in the St. Louis Purchase Exposition next year, will hold transfer commemoration exercises of its own December 18 and 30 next. The Louisiana Historical Society, the members of which have long been working on such a celebration to take place on the day of the actual transfer, have just announced the exercises. The three days program will be opened Friday evening, Dec. 18, with a reception and ball in the Cabildo at which there will be addresses by Governor Heard and the representatives of France and Spain and the United States, followed by a military parade and a naval review before the city. On Sunday, Dec. 20, the real centennial of the transfer, the day will begin with high mass and to close in the old St. Louis Cathedral, after which at one hour when the actual transfer took place, there would be an oration from the balcony of the Cabildo and the National colors will be raised with salutes in the Place d'Armes.

JUDGE JONES TO GRAND JURY

(Special to The News.) Asheville, Nov. 17.—Judge E. B. Jones in his charge to the grand jury yesterday spoke in unmistakable terms, and his clear-cut ideas of the grand jury's duty met the appreciation of every thinking citizen. He said there were six classes of crime, namely: offenses against the person, against property, against peace and order, against public justice, against public health and against public morals. Among the offenses specifically mentioned were lynchings, which he declared as national in character, being confined to no locality, quackery in medicine, which should be suppressed, and men who are conscientious and are willing, night and day, in relieving suffering humanity, should be protected; keeping disorderly houses, giving publicity to obscene literature, and the usual category of crimes received attention at his hands. He emphasized the fact that the county jail was inadequate and unsanitary. The county like Buncombe, with its enormous wealth, its railroads, factories, magnificent court house, splendid roads and palatial homes should not be content with a 2 by 4 jail, that is crowded and poorly ventilated, and unsafe. Report comes from Barnardville, this county, that Lon Wells and Lawrence Hagar on Saturday engaged in an altercation over a lumber yard, in which Wells received nine knife wounds and Hagar three. When the cutting began in Nichols' store Mrs. Nichols ran out frightened, and when those came that she notified, they found both men lying on the floor, exhausted and gory. The local papers yesterday published that a true bill for embezzlement had been found by the grand jury against Tennant and Champlain, officers of the Blinnore estate. The fact is, the grand jury of three weeks ago found a true bill, at the end of the term, but it was held as a court secret. The News, however, published the information exclusively, at that time.

ST. LOUIS DRUMMER ACQUITTED.

The Coroner's Jury Acquits Him For Killing the Young Millionaire Who Followed Him and the Ladies Under His Protection.

(By Associated Press.) St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 18.—Joseph Francis Furlong, of St. Louis, the traveling man who shot to death Irving McDonald, the young St. Joseph millionaire, Sunday morning at the Hotel Metropole, was acquitted by a coroner's jury and discharged from custody, Furlong, in company with Wm. Lynch, another traveling man, Mrs. Lester Myrick and Miss Grace Holt, of the "Governor's Son" theatrical company, visited a cafe late Saturday night and started for their hotels in the morning. They were followed by four young men, McDonald among them, and in a fight at the hotel, McDonald was shot through the stomach.

M. PHILIPPE BUNAU-VARILLA.

The Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary Addresses a Note.

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Nov. 18.—Accredited to the United States, the Republic of Panama and the world at large as minister plenipotentiary and envoy extraordinary of the Republic of Panama, M. Philippe Bunau-Varilla, under special instructions from his government, has addressed a note to the envoys of the powers represented at Washington requesting that they notify their respective governments of the formation of the sovereign State of Panama and expressing the hope that his government will receive recognition at their hands.

PANAMA AND COLOMBIA.

Panama Refuses to Accept the Colombian Overtures.

(By Associated Press.) Colon, Nov. 18.—The Panamanian commission, composed of Senores Arias, Morales and Arosemena, which left Panama yesterday to meet the peace commission from the department of Bolivar boarded the Mayflower today and held a short conference with the Colombians, who only represent the department of Bolivar and the governor of that Department and who have no credentials from Bogota. The Colombians asked the Panamanians if they would return to the republic of Colombia, assuring them concessions and considerations on the passage of a canal treaty. The Panamanians replied that they would not return to the Republic of Colombia and declared the assurances came too late as Panama's position was so advantageous and strong that they could not see any reason for changing.

During the conference, Nicauor Insignares, a brother of the governor of the State of Bolivar who was the spokesman of the Colombians, made a strong appeal to the Panamanians not to disrupt the republic of Colombia, and he supplemented his appeal by the solemn assurance that Colombia would grant all the rights demanded by the Isthmians and eventually carry out their grand project of building the canal.

Replying to Senor Insignares, Senor Tomas Arias, representing the Junta, said that the Bogota government and the Colombians generally did not appear to grasp the actual conditions prevailing on the Isthmus. The revolution, Senor Arias said, was born absolutely of the unanimous desire of the entire people of Panama and was irrevocable. Senor Insignares, in answer expressed his deep sorrow at finding that the hopes of reconciliation were impossible of realization. He declared that all the people of Colombia would unite in an effort to enforce the rights of the Republic on the Isthmus of Panama, even at the cost of great sacrifices. It was unofficially announced by the Colombian commissioners that Sen Reyes was coming to the Isthmus to confer with the provisional government of Panama.

A dozen marines from the Dixie have been ordered to remain ashore to act as signal men for the communication of routine messages between the shore and the United States fleet.

SEC. SHAW ON THE CANAL.

Toward the End of His Speech He Grew Enthusiastic and Departed From His Manuscript.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 18.—At the Belmont banquet given by the Chamber of Commerce last night, Secretary Shaw had carefully prepared speech but towards its end he departed from it. He said in part: "We are going to dig the Panama canal. Do you realize that this is equal to our voting a subsidy to the commerce of all the countries of Europe. It will benefit them all but we believe it will benefit us still more. "Your shipping men know that if two vessels started from Liverpool for San Francisco one by the Suez canal and one by Cape Horn, they would both beat a vessel sailing from New York to San Francisco around the Horn. That's one of the reasons why we must have the canal. "We must have the ships to carry the trade. We could dig a Panama canal every day without hurting anybody's pocket. Hence if we must raise money to help merchant marine it will not be hard."

AMERICAN PROTECTIVE LEAGUE.

A New Organization for Lessening Friction Between the Races.

(By Associated Press.) Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—Nearly 200 delegates representing a large number of negroes in the United States organized as the American Protective League met in convention here yesterday. The president of the league, Joseph W. Henderson, of Providence, R. I., was in the chair. The object of the league is to promote the material and educational status of the negro and to "solve the race problem without creating another—to lessen the friction between the two races."

RUN ON READING BANK.

The Bank Officials Ascribe It To Malicious Reports—The Bank Solvent.

(By Associated Press.) Reading, Pa., Nov. 18.—A serious run was started yesterday on the Pennsylvania Trust Co. the cause for which the company's officials say they cannot understand. There had been a number of withdrawals of deposits during the past few days and when the bank opened a long line of depositors pressed forward for their money. All were paid as rapidly as possible. The officials ascribe it to malicious persons in their efforts to injure the credit of the institution.

The run continued all day in spite of efforts of bank officials to reassure depositors but it is thought the worst is over. Notice was posted that the bank was solvent and there was no cause for alarm on the part of any depositor. The company's deposits are \$1,770,851, capital surplus and undivided profits \$321,460. The Reading clearing house will extend assistance.

A STARTLING TEST.

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of No. Michopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c, at Burwell & Dunn's.

SISTERS OF CHARITY RELY ON PE-RU-NA TO FIGHT CATARRH WHEREVER LOCATED IN THE SYSTEM.



MISS BEATRIX CALLAN.

Interesting Letters from Catholic Institutions.

In every country of the civilized world the Sisters of Charity are known. Not only do they minister to the spiritual and intellectual needs of the charges committed to their care, but they also minister to their bodily needs. With so many children to take care of and to protect from climate and disease, these wise and prudent sisters have found Peruna a never-failing safeguard. A letter recently received by Dr. Hartman from Sister Beatrix B. Callan, 410 W. Thirtieth street, New York, reads as follows: "I cannot say too much in praise of Peruna. Eight bottles of it cured me of catarrh of the lungs of four years' standing, and I would not have been without it for anything. It helped several Sisters of coughs and colds and I have yet to find one case of catarrh that it does not cure."—Sister Beatrix.

From a Catholic Institution in Central Ohio comes the following recommendation from the Sister Superior. "Some years ago a friend of our institution recommended to us Dr. Hartman's Peruna as an excellent remedy for the influenza of which we then had several cases which treated to be of a serious character. "We began to use it and experienced such wonderful results that since then Peruna has become our favorite medicine for influenza, catarrh, cold, cough and bronchitis. "Another recommendation from a Catholic Institution of one of the Central States written by the Sister Superior reads as follows: "A number of years ago our attention was called to Dr. Hartman's Peruna, and

since then we have used it with wonderful results for grip, coughs, colds and catarrhal diseases of the head and stomach. "For grip and winter catarrh especially it has been of great service to the inmates of this institution. SISTERS OF CHARITY

All Over the United States Use Pe-ru-na for Catarrh.

Dr. Hartman receives many letters from Catholic Sisters all over the United States. A recommendation recently received from a Catholic Institution in the Southwest reads as follows:

A Prominent Sister Superior Says: "I can testify from experience to the efficiency of Peruna as one of the very best medicines, and it gives me pleasure to add my praise to that of thousands who have used it. For years I suffered with catarrh of the stomach, all remedies proving valueless for relief. Last spring I went to Colorado, hoping to be benefited by a change of climate and while there a friend advised me to try Peruna. After using two bottles I found myself very much improved. The remains of my old disease being now so slight, I consider myself cured, yet for a while I intend to continue the use of Peruna. I am now treating another patient with your medicine. She has been sick with malaria and troubled with leucorrhoea. I have not a doubt that a cure will be speedily effected."

These are samples of letters received by Dr. Hartman from the various orders of Catholic Sisters throughout the United States.

The names and addresses to these letters have been withheld from respect to the Sisters but will be furnished upon request.

One-half of the diseases which afflict mankind are due to some catarrhal derangement of the mucous membrane lining some organ or passage of the body.

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Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

"The Mocking Bird" at the Academy last night was witnessed by far two small an audience. The opera is both tuneful and pretty, the costumes handsome, even gorgeous and the cast was thoroughly good. Miss Beasley was a charming central figure. Her voice while not strong, was delightfully sweet and her every appearance was greeted with applause. Miss Beasley is by far the prettiest actress that has ever graced the Academy stage, and should she play a return date in Charlotte her audience will be much larger than the one of last night. The other members of the cast—those who took prominent parts—were thoroughly capable. The chorus was good and all in all "The Mocking Bird" was decidedly an attractive performance.

Hall Caine's great play, "The Christian" will be presented at the Academy of Music on next Monday night by a company said to be fully capable in every respect to do justice to this production. The scenery is adapted to

been engaged for this big revival of the opera while the chorus is said to be the prettiest and the best in voice that the musical comedy has yet had. The production and the costumes are new. In the company are Ruth White as "Willie," Oscar L. Pizman as the Burgomaster, William Riley Hatch, Thomas Ricketts, Charles Sharp, R. J. Moye, George McKincock, Helen Dexter, Harriet Shelton, Loulae Brackett and Josephine Ditt.

THE GLASS BLOWERS PLEASE THE PEOPLE. Notwithstanding the weather, the Glass Blowers were liberally patronized yesterday afternoon and last night. They were still open until the dismissal of "The Mocking Bird," the attraction at the Academy of Music last night. It is an attraction that will be liberally patronized all of this week. The souvenirs they give to their patrons are such that cannot be bought at any of our larger stores and can be seen made by the several artists they employ. Open from 2 until 5:30 p. m. and from 7 until 9:30. Admission 10c, and every visitor receives a souvenir made of glass.

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