

Fair, colder tonight and Sunday; showers near the coast.

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THIRTY-EIGHT NATIONS PAY THEM HONOR

Hudson-Fulton Fete

Spectacular Celebration Now in Full Blast in New York—Commemorating Deeds of Explorer and Inventor.

New York, Sept. 25.—Little ships and big ships, tugboats and ferry boats, steam yachts and motor boats, and scows and craft of every conceivable size and description rendered in the vicinity of Governor's Island at noon today, and upon the firing of a single gun proceeded in two imposing columns up the Hudson river.

More than 600 vessels of various kinds took part in the pageant, which was, of course, the great part of the day's celebration, though land parades, commemorative exercises and other features were included in the program.

On arriving at the beginning of the line of warships anchored in mid-stream of Forty-fourth street, the Half Moon and the Clermont went to the east of the line, while the squadron in the parade passed on the outer edge and proceeded to the end of the line of warships, where they turned and came back to the official reviewing stand at 110th street.

When the scout squadron heading the parade reached the beginning of the line of warships the deep-throated guns of seven great nations voiced a salute in unison to the American flag.

The roar of the initial salute had not died away when all the steam craft along the line took up the noisy jubilation. It would require a stretch of the ordinary unaided imagination to realize that there are so many people in New York as lined the shores of the river today.

The program culminated in the official reception of the Half Moon and Clermont at 110th street, where countless thousands assembled in Riverside Park and along Riverside Drive to witness the ceremonies. As the Half Moon and Clermont passed each man-of-war the men-of-war saluted them with twenty-two guns with the Netherlands or Hudson-Fulton flag hoisted.

FOREST FIRES CAUSE GREAT LOSS TO COUNTRY

Last Year Memorial

Will Be Several Months Before the Total Destruction Will Be Known—This Year's Losses to Be Compared.

Forest fires are causing considerable damage in many parts of the country at present. It will be several months before the total destruction is known, for the fire season has considerable time to run.

A dry season, combined with an even more than the usual indifference toward small fires which might easily have been extinguished at the start, says Mr. Cleveland, "has destroyed constructive configurations in practically every State, with losses aggregating \$100,000,000.

The methods by which the government keeps down the fire losses on the national forests include: Constant and systematic patrol by picked forces of rangers and guards.

Cooperation with railroads, timberland owners, and settlers, in fire protection, in this way making it possible to protect both the lands of the companies and the forest service at a much smaller cost to the government than would be the case were the national forest lands alone protected by the local officers.

Just as the practice of forestry is important in the movement for the conservation of all natural resources, so is the protection of the forests from fires important in the furtherance of national forest work.

TO CELEBRATE MASS. Father F. J. Gallagher, of New Bern, will celebrate low mass at the residence of Dr. James Gallagher, on East Main street, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. All are invited.

SPANISH AND MOROCCO WAR THREATENING

Complications Arising

The Sultan Makes Protest Which France Disregard—Russia, England and America Will Pursue Same Policy.

Madrid, Sept. 25.—A Spanish-Moroccan war, that is, a war between Spain and the forces of the Sultan of Morocco in distinction to the fighting going on today which is limited to the Moorish tribesmen inhabiting the Rif country will result, it is generally believed here from the complications which have arisen between Spain and Mulai Hadd, the Sultan of Morocco.

Spain today has over 50,000 troops in Northern Africa, with 11,000 more mobilizing for service there, and the government feels that only the brilliant completion of the work begun can defeat the plans of its political enemies at home.

The situation at Barcelona is causing renewed anxiety. Bomb explosions on the streets there are almost of daily occurrence, but the newspapers that print even the rumors of such occurrence are seized by the authorities.

The minister of the interior insists that the government is not fighting its political enemies, but rather a widespread anarchistic plot.

The decision of France to disregard Mulai Hadd's protest has caused great satisfaction here. Furthermore, it is understood that the United States, Germany, Great Britain and Russia will adopt the same attitude as has France.

Being assured of a policy of non-interference, it is understood that Spain, using the precedent of 1893, intends to demand the payment of an indemnity to cover the cost of the military operations in Africa and to occupy territory around Melilla until the indemnity is paid or the Sultan provides sufficient troops to maintain order in the Rif country.

Mulai Hadd, the Sultan of Morocco, recently despatched a note to the powers protesting against Spain's course of action in the Rif country, declaring it to be contrary to the terms of the Algeiras agreement and asking for intervention by the powers.

Spain's trouble with the Rif tribesmen began in July last, with the killing of Spanish workmen by Moors. Madrid started to send in a punitive expedition of 7,000 men, but the Moors gathered in such formidable numbers that it became necessary for Spain to increase her forces.

Gem Theater Draws Ruminating Crowd

Last night was certainly a busy one for the Gem people. The crowd kept coming and the cheering kept going and the odor of Spearmint filled the air for miles.

PROGRAM STATE MISSION DAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

An Interesting Event

The Baptists Will Celebrate State Mission Day Sunday Evening—All Who Attend Will Hear Something Good.

The following program will be rendered at the First Baptist Church tomorrow night, in celebration of State Mission Day.

- 1. Hymn, "All hail the power of Jesus' Name." 2. Bible reading and prayer, by Rev. J. A. Sullivan. 3. Recitation, "A Welcome" Miss Vira Edwards. 4. Motion song, By the infant class. 5. Recitation, "A Boy Can Do This" John Spain. 6. Exercise, "Early to Rise and Early to Bed." Misses Helen Lewis, Margaret Cozzens, Beanie Davenport, Ruth White, Rosie Spain, Maud Allgood. 7. Pantomime, Misses Zelma Russ and Vernon Allgood. 8. Recitation, "A Little Girl" Miss Ruth White. 9. Song, "Pass Along the Invitation." 10. Dialogue, "Preparing for Missionary Day." Misses Ethel Weeks, Margie Spain, Ortel Weeks, Ruth Gainer, Ethel Vanhook, and Edna Willis. 11. Song, "Sunshine." Miss Zelma Russ. 12. Song, "Gospel Bells." 13. Exercise, "The Word of God." Misses Bertha Carmack, Lilla May Hodges, Verma Davenport, Gladys Allgood, Pattie Wilson, Maggie Dougherty and Mary Whitley. 14. Motion song, "Can You Tell?" Class of girls. 15. Recitation, "Beulah Land." Miss Margie Spain. 16. Song, "Bring Them In" Miss Mary Thomas Stewart. 17. Exercise, "Christ Our Friend." Misses Cassie Lewis, Lilla May Hodges, Ethel White, Maggie Dougherty, Gladys Allgood, Pattie Wilson, Mertha Carmack, Mary Whitley. 18. Wreath drill. Misses Cassie Lewis, Ruth Gainer, Mertha Carmack, Gladys Allgood, Pattie Wilson, Maggie Dougherty, Ethel White, Allie Gainer. 19. Solo, "The Unseen Christ." 20. Collection. 21. Hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee." 22. Benediction.

THE YOUNG MEN URGED ATTEND

Hon. John H. Small to Speak at Methodist Church Sunday Night.

Those who are contemplating attending the First Methodist Church Sunday evening have a rich treat in store for them. Hon. John H. Small is to deliver an address on "The Life of Service." This address was to have been made several weeks ago under the auspices of the Laymen's Movement, but had to be postponed due to the inclemency of the weather.

Mr. Small is a speaker of national reputation and always pleases and interests. It is especially desired that the young men of the city attend as the speaker will direct his remarks more particularly to them.

Assistant Cashier of Norfolk Bank

The following item is taken from the Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch, which will be read with pleasure by The News' readers:

"At a recent meeting of the Bank of Norfolk, Mr. T. J. Latham, Jr., was elected assistant cashier. Mr. Latham comes with the Bank of Norfolk from Washington, N. C., where he has had fifteen years experience in banking, being connected with the Bank of Washington. Mr. Latham returns to Norfolk after fifteen years absence, and will be pleased to serve his friends at the Bank of Norfolk."

PAPER LATE YESTERDAY. On account of a small breakdown of the sea engine, yesterday the News was delayed to such an extent that the early mail was missed. This is regretted, but could not be avoided under the circumstances. It is to be hoped the patrons of the News will understand and not be harsh in their criticism.

TWENTY-ONE DAYS ADRIPT AT SEA IN AN OPEN BOAT

At Mercy of Waves

American Mission Yacht Capsized and the Missionary Died From Exposure—Castaways Fell Ill and Some Went Mad.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 25.—The American missionary yacht Hiram Bingham, capsized at Yatul, in the Marshall group recently. Rev. T. Walkup died from exposure. The others passed three weeks in an open boat with little food. The yacht was from Boston. Details were brought here last night by the steamer Germania, from Australia.

The survivors were rescued by the steamer Germania and landed at Sydney August 26. The Hiram Bingham was bound from Butariti with Rev. Dr. Walkup, eight Carolina Islanders and a native child on board.

The schooner was lost 70 miles north of the Gilbert Islands. A tropical squall came suddenly and keeled the vessel over on her beam. The ship's company clung to the rigging, while several natives succeeded in releasing a rowboat from the wreckage.

For 21 days the castaways drifted at the mercy of the wind and waves. Before leaving the wreck 15 coconuts were picked up, this being all the food for nine adults and one child for three weeks. Rain squalls prevailed and the missionary caught rain in his oilskins and served rations on the coconuts shells.

The castaways fell ill and some went mad. Sharks in large numbers followed the boat. On May 28 the boat was sighted, and Islanders assisted the castaways to land on Edah Island.

Rev. Mr. Walkup died soon after landing and was buried on the beach. His wife and family returned to America just before the fatal voyage began.

DAY OF ATONEMENT

New York, Sept. 25.—The large Jewish population of New York, in common with the Jews throughout the world, engaged today by the observance of Yom Kippur, or Day of Atonement, the most important of all Jewish holidays. The holiday marks the end of the ten penitential days which began with "Rosh Hashono," or the Jewish New Year. These ten days are devoted by orthodox Jews to prayer and to seeking their accounts with one another, for it is the ancient belief that all sins committed by Israel against the Divine commands are forgiven on the day of atonement, but the wrongs committed by man against man do not receive Divine forgiveness unless some attempt has been made to right these wrongs.

In all the Jewish calendar there is no occasion which is so solemn and so fraught with deep sentiment as is the Day of Atonement. During the entire 24 hours observed no food or water passes the lips of the devout Hebrews. Even those who remain passive during the other 364 days of the year and who seldom, if ever, are seen in the house of worship, observe this day strictly. Beside the long 24-hour fast the day is devoted to prayers and other religious observances.

BIG DEMONSTRATION OF "DRYS"

Chicago, Sept. 25.—The two days' celebration held here in honor of the fortieth anniversary of the founding of the prohibition party culminated in a monster parade of temperance workers through the business section of the city this afternoon. Major-General Frederick D. Grant headed the line, which was in twelve divisions and comprised a total of over 50,000 marchers, together with numerous floats. Nearly 1,000 Grand Army veterans were in line. Other divisions included representatives of the various churches, religious societies and prohibition organizations of Chicago and other cities of Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan.

Rev. Mr. Plyler the Speaker

There will be a meeting of the Young Men's Christian League at the Chamber of Commerce room Sunday afternoon at 8 o'clock. The speaker for the occasion will be Rev. M. T. Plyler, pastor of the First Methodist Church. His subject will be "Who Rules in Washington?" Mr. Plyler is a speaker of magnetism and no doubt a large number will hear him. The ladies are cordially invited to attend.

GIGANTIC SWINDLE SYNDICATE HAS BEEN INDICTED

Lose Over Half Million

The Victims Reside in Eighteen States, Canada and Alaska, and Eighty-five Men Are Included in the Fraudery.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Sept. 25.—Jas. C. Mabray and 84 alleged associates were today indicted by the United States grand jury for the Southern district of Iowa, charged with conspiring to defraud by illegal use of the United States mails. With the exception of Mabray and three or four others, none of those indicted are in custody and for that reason the names of the defendants were not made public.

It was stated that the list includes many persons known in criminal annals in all parts of the country and that nearly every name is followed by one to four aliases. Each of these alleged confederates had a number, which is given as one of the aliases accredited to the defendant.

Although specific amounts are not mentioned in the indictment, it is authoritatively stated that the amounts lost by the alleged victims of Mabray and others named will exceed half a million dollars. The sums lost range from \$1,500 to \$20,000, the latter sum having been placed on a fake horse race, according to the evidence at hand, by a Missouri banker.

Victims in eighteen States, the Territory of Alaska and the Dominion of Canada are named in the indictment, indicating the wide range of territory over which Mabray and his associates are alleged to have plied their vocation.

A GALA DAY AT OLD FORD

Hon. J. Y. Joyner to Speak Followed by a Big Picnic Next Tuesday.

The people of the Old Ford are looking forward to the visit of Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner next Tuesday. He will deliver an address on education, after which a picnic will be the feature. All the citizens of Washington township are urged to take a basket and aid in making this day a memorable one. Several of the local speakers will be present and will make short talks. Mr. Joyner is doing a great work in the State for education and no citizen should be absent from Old Ford next Tuesday. A large number will attend from this city. It will be a gala day for Washington township.

A Liberal Offer

The Daily News presents another opportunity to the citizens of the county. A forty-two piece dinner set will be given to the person securing five yearly subscribers who pay in advance, or the set will be presented to the one securing ten subscribers for six months, who have paid in advance. Persons interested can see the set on display in The News office window.

The News also makes another liberal offer. A seven-piece dinner or berry set will be presented to the subscriber who pays one year's subscription before November 1. This set is also seen in our window. Now is your chance to secure an elegant set of china for a little work at odd times. Suppose you try for the dinner set, or at least the berry set.

Opening Prospects Are Excellent

The prospects for a fine opening of the East Carolina Teachers' Training School at Greenville, N. C., written the prospect, Mr. Robert H. Wright, are more than encouraging. Every mail received brings in applications, and the management feels highly elated over the prospects. The faculty selected is one of ability and experience and the future of this school teaching and promoting. Quite a number of students will attend this excellent school from Beaufort and Wayne counties.

THE HEARSTITES AND FUSIONISTS AT LOGGERHEADS

The Republican Ticket

Trust Company President for the New York Mayoralty to Oppose the Nominee of Tammany Hall.

New York, Sept. 25.—With the announcement from the platform that practically all the fusion and independent forces of Greater New York, except the Independence League, would work in harmony to elect its candidate, in the coming municipal election, the Republican city convention in Carnegie hall unanimously nominated these candidates for the three leading municipal offices last night:

For mayor, Otto T. Bannard, president of the New York Trust Company.

For comptroller, William A. Fendegast, for many years president of the Credit Men's National Association.

For president of the Board of Aldermen, John Purser Mitchell, present commissioner of accounts and an independent Democrat.

Mr. Bannard's selection was a surprise, for he had not been included even in the half dozen or more preliminary possibilities. The fusion elements centered in a non-partisan committee of one hundred, a subcommittee of which has been trying for the past week to agree on candidates. The Independence League delegate withdrew from the conference yesterday, but the League would not be a party to "bargaining for office" as the dissenting delegate expressed it. But, notwithstanding the Independence League's defection and some minor friction among the fusionists, the Republican leaders say that the alliance in opposition to Tammany is still formidable.

Church Directory For Tomorrow.

First Baptist Church, Market street, Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., S. P. Willis, superintendent; lesson subject, Temperance, 11 a. m. morning worship, Sermon subject, "God's Jewels," 8 p. m., State Mission Day; special exercises, Monday, Sept. 27, 4:30 p. m., Sunbeam meeting, Wednesday, Sept. 29, 8 p. m., Pastor meeting, led by Misses Vanhook and Peterson's classes, 8:45 p. m., choir practice, Saturday, October 2, 8 p. m., Deacons' meeting. All strangers are cordially invited to attend. Polite kind attentive ushers. Good music.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Bonner street, Rev. Nathaniel Harding, rector. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., C. H. Harding, superintendent. Morning prayer with sermon by the rector at 11 a. m. Evening song at 6 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church, Gladstone street, Rev. H. B. Searlight, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Jno. B. Sparrow, superintendent. Praying at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. All receive a cordial welcome. Excellent music.

First Methodist Church, West Second street, Rev. M. T. Plyler, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., C. F. Band, superintendent; E. R. Miron, assistant superintendent. Praying at 11 a. m. by the pastor; subject, "Religion at a Cost." At 7:30 p. m., the Laymen will have charge of the services. Hon. John H. Small will deliver an address on "The Life of Service." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. All invited. Seats free; excellent music.

Christian Church, East Second street, Rev. Robert V. Hope, pastor. Sunday school, 4 p. m., J. B. Latham, superintendent. Praying at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by the pastor; morning subject, "We would see Jesus." Evening subject, "The Will of God." All strangers in the city are cordially invited.

New Advertisements in Today's News.

- A. C. Hathaway—Wharf Warehouse.
- E. L. Archbell—Hayler's Cocoa.
- Washington Drug Co.—Hayler's Candy.
- The Hub—Millinery Opening.
- Knight Shoe Co.—Ladies' Shoes.
- Russ Bros.—Thoroughbred Horses and Supplies.