

LABOR PARLIAMENT.

An Important Conference to Be Shortly Held in Chicago.

The Relations of Capital and Labor to Be Discussed from All Standpoints—Prominent Speakers Who Will Participate.

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—The parliament of labor which has been called by the Civic federation to meet in Chicago November 18 promises to be a most notable gathering. Replies to the circular letter of invitation have been received from a great many men of prominence as thinkers on economic subjects, or as employers or leaders of labor. There is a striking consensus of opinion in favor of making the conference as practical as possible. The suggestion comes from all sides that the employers of labor and the representatives of labor, as the ones best knowing the actual conditions to be met, should be brought to the front in such a discussion.

The plan of the parliament is modeled on that of the parliament of religion, so successful last year. There is to be nothing in the nature of con-

TWO OF A KIND.

A Pair of Bold Train Robberies Net the Thieves \$100,000.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 13.—The north-bound passenger train on the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac railway which left here at 7 o'clock Friday night was held up near Quantico. The engineer and fireman were forced from their engine and the engine was cut loose and sent ahead. The express car was then entered, the messenger covered with pistols and forced to open the safe. The runaway locomotive was stopped at Quantico by obstructing the track. It is stated here that there was an unusually large amount of money on the train, probably \$50,000. The robbers, seven in number, were masked. The railway company has offered \$1,000 reward for the arrest of any of the robbers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—The bandits who held up a Southern Pacific overland train a few miles west of Sacramento late Thursday night and looted the Wells-Fargo company express car secured over \$50,000. They seem to have eluded the officers and escaped with their plunder, which was nearly all in gold coin, and consequently a heavy burden. The astounding success of the hold up was not known un-

MILES ON THE STRIKE.

The General Makes His Annual Report to the Secretary of War.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The annual report of Maj. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, commanding the department of Missouri, showing the conduct of affairs at that department, is a remarkably short document, considering the stormy period of internal strife covered by it. But, notwithstanding its brevity, it contains some very terse and significant statements relative to the strike. The report says there have been no changes of troops in the department during the year, and continues as follows:

"As in previous years, the troops in the Indian and Oklahoma territories have been occupied during much of this time in removing trespassers from the public lands, in preserving order in the newly-settled region, and in keeping the peace between the hostile factions of the semi-civilized Indian tribes. In addition to removing and expelling intruders from the Choctaw nation and from the Osage and Kaw reservation, the troops have been called on for the purpose of protecting United States mails, guarding railroad bridges and supporting the United States marshal in making arrests."

"All of these difficult duties have been performed in a manner which shows good judgment and discretion on the part of the officers and a good state of discipline and faithful service on the part of the troops, and it is believed that but for their prompt intervention much bloodshed would have resulted. The troops, having quickly and efficiently accomplished the arduous duties assigned to them, have been withdrawn from the field and returned to their respective stations."

"The conduct of the troops in restoring order and confidence when mob violence and a reign of terror existed in Chicago, was marked by great forbearance, fortitude and excellent discipline, and their presence and action there very greatly contributed to the maintenance of civil law, and, in my opinion, saved this country from serious rebellion when one had been publicly declared to exist by one most responsible for its existence."

An appendix to the report is contributed by J. M. Lee, Ninth infantry, assistant to the inspector general, in the shape of a brief history of the strike movement in Chicago. The officer says that he hopes to be able to make a more comprehensive report later on, "covering as fully as possible the operations of the United States troops in this storm center of violence, disorder and arson which at times threatened the overthrow of all law and government." In this report Capt. Lee says:

"Throughout all these perilous times it is gratifying to state that the conduct, discipline and efficiency of the troops were so pronounced that even their presence overawed the turbulent and lawless and won from every reputable, law-abiding citizen, whether laboring man or capitalist, and every newspaper without exception—the highest encomiums and the warmest expressions of gratitude from all who were not in sympathy with anarchy, arson and pillage."

WHERE THE CASH GOES.

Annual Showing of Appropriations by the Last Congress.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The annual volume showing the appropriations made and the new offices created by congress, etc., shows that the total specific appropriations made at the first and second sessions of the Fifty-third congress amounted to \$391,156,005 and the permanent appropriations \$101,074,680, making a grand total of \$492,230,685. The new offices created are 474 in number, at an annual cost of \$654,712, and the offices omitted and abolished are 923 in number, at an annual cost of \$1,235,992, making a net reduction in number of 449 and in amount \$581,170. The salaries increased are ten in number at an annual cost of \$33,741, and the salaries reduced are sixty-nine at an annual cost of \$26,500, or a net reduction of fifty-nine in number, and a net increase in cost of \$6,941. The appropriations by bills for the two sessions were as follows:

Agricultural.....	\$3,223,433
Army.....	13,529,434
Diplomatic and consular.....	1,503,918
District of Columbia.....	5,535,774
Fortifications.....	2,247,004
Indian.....	10,645,045
Legislative.....	46,835
Military academy.....	46,835
Naval.....	53,371,170
Pensions.....	13,581,550
Post office.....	87,289,600
Rivers and harbors.....	11,643,180
Sundry civil.....	34,353,775
Delicacies.....	11,311,000
Miscellaneous.....	57,750
Total.....	\$391,156,005
Permanent appropriations.....	101,074,680
Total appropriations.....	\$492,230,685

STOLEN MONEY IN A WELL.

Sixteen Hundred Dollars Found on the Property of a Bank Cashier.

HOMER, Neb., Oct. 17.—In October, 1891, \$1,600 were stolen mysteriously from the Homer state bank and never found. H. L. Frisbie, the cashier of the bank, was found the next morning in the bank with his hands tied behind him and himself tied to the door knob. He said two masked men held him up on the street the night before and compelled him to let them into the bank, after which they tied him as found. Tuesday the money stolen was found in a glass fruit jar at the bottom of a well on the place on which Frisbie lived at the time of the robbery. The money had been sealed up, but the jar was broken and it was in bad condition. Frisbie is now in Antelope county, Neb., where he is a candidate for county attorney. The money was nearly all in silver and bills.

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Oct. 17.—A warrant has been issued in County Judge Heffernan's court for the arrest of H. L. Frisbie, a resident of Elgin, this state, and a candidate for county attorney in Antelope county on the independent ticket. He is charged with embezzling \$1,500 from the Homer state bank.

At an expense of \$25,000,000, voted by the imperial government of Germany, and \$12,500,000 by Prussia, the kingdom of Denmark and a part of the German state, Schleswig-Holstein, have been made an island. A few days ago the canal, extending from the Kiel bay in the southwestern limit of the Baltic sea to Brunsbuttel, on the River Elbe, was formally opened. This canal is 61 miles long, 200 feet wide and 28 feet deep and so capable of floating the largest warships. It saves the necessity for ships traversing the Skager Rack and the Cattegat and going around the deadly Skag.

HIS JUBILEE FESTIVAL.

Great Honors Shown Herr Strauss, the "Waltz King," at Vienna.

VIENNA, Oct. 17.—The jubilee of Johann Strauss, the "waltz king," was celebrated Monday. The reception and presentations took place in Herr Strauss' house in Segelgasse in the Wieden. As the guests entered all the tables, sideboards and other pieces of furniture were covered with costly presents from all quarters of the globe. Herr Strauss and his wife and his brother, Edouard, greeted the distinguished company.

The actual ceremony of the celebration began with a serenade composed by Robert Fuchs, sung by students, who were accompanied by the Conservatorium orchestra. Then followed the presentation of a little silver table of choice design, ornamented with gold. After this a gold medal from the members of the celebration committee was presented to Herr Strauss. Baron Bezeany made a speech.

At 10:45 o'clock Burgomaster Gruber arrived from the Rathaus. The crowd was then so dense that he found it difficult to reach a position beside the "waltz king." After he had reached Herr Strauss the burgomaster tendered greeting in the name of the city. Addresses were made by the spokesman of a deputation of the Vienna press, presented by Government Counselor Winterit, and Dr. von Spiegel and Dr. Gustav Kohn from a deputation of the Vienna Mannergesangverein. Then Herr Strauss, his voice displaying intense emotion, spoke a few words of thanks. The festivities closed with a banquet, which was attended by the burgomaster, all the world of music and letters and a number of foreigners.

UNCLE SAM'S WARDS.

Synopsis of the Report of the Commissioner of Pensions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The report of Commissioner of Pensions Lochren for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, has been submitted to the secretary of the interior. The report states that the number of pensioners on the rolls June 30, 1893, was 966,012; that during the year 39,085 new pensioners were added to the rolls, 37,951 were dropped for death and other causes and 2,358 previously dropped were restored. The number of pension certificates issued during the year was 80,213, and 132,873 claims of all classes were rejected. On July 1, 1894, there were undispensed of and in different stages of preparation and advancement claims for pensions and for increase to the amount of 619,027, of which 287,200 claims, originals, widows' and dependents', are on behalf of persons not already on the rolls. These claims, save some recently filed, have been examined more than once and found lacking. The amount paid for pensions during the year was \$139,804,461, leaving a balance in the treasury of \$25,205,713 of the appropriation.

WORK FOR GOOD ROADS.

A Conference to Be Held at the Atlanta Exposition.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The road parliament to be held in connection with the Atlanta exposition October 16, 17 and 18, 1895, is looked upon by the advocates of the good roads movement as perhaps more important than any meeting held to advance the interest in this cause. An official invitation has been sent to Gen. Roy Stone, in charge of the road inquiry bureau of the agricultural department, to preside. The programme of the parliament, as outlined in the invitation, will include discussions of the construction and maintenance of public highways, employment of engineering skill, utilization of convict labor, use of improved road machinery, and regulation of the width of wagon tires. Preparations are being made to place some practical demonstrations of the various road construction ideas about the public grounds there.

STRICKEN BY APOPLEXY.

Sudden Death of Hon. Daniel C. Taylor at Kankakee, Ill.

KANKAKEE, Ill., Oct. 17.—Daniel C. Taylor, cashier of the First national bank of Kankakee, suffered a fatal stroke of apoplexy Monday forenoon, while attending to his duties at the bank. At the time of his death he was also treasurer of the Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane and one of the democratic leaders in eastern Illinois. Mr. Taylor has been a resident of Kankakee for forty-two years and one of its leading citizens. He served in the Illinois house of representatives and through his efforts the great hospital was located at this point. He was about 65 years old and a native of New York.

Miss Willard on Suffrage.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—At Monday's session of the Woman's Christian Temperance union convention Miss Frances Willard made an address. The big Baptist temple was filled with people and the famous advocate of temperance was greeted with much enthusiasm. Miss Willard said that women should have the right of suffrage, not because the women were better than men, but because they were different. Miss Willard concluded by making an appeal for funds with which to send women to the south for the purpose of organizing the colored women.

Must Keep Out of Politics.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 15.—The Northern Pacific Railway company has startled labor circles by issuing a circular warning its employees to refrain from taking an active part in politics and announcing that the acceptance of nomination for political office by any employee must be followed by a resignation from the company's service.

Dragged to Death by a Horse. ZANESVILLE, O., Oct. 17.—Mrs. W. L. Aburritain, of Spratt, was dragged to death by her horse running away. The saddle girth slipped and her foot caught in the stirrup.

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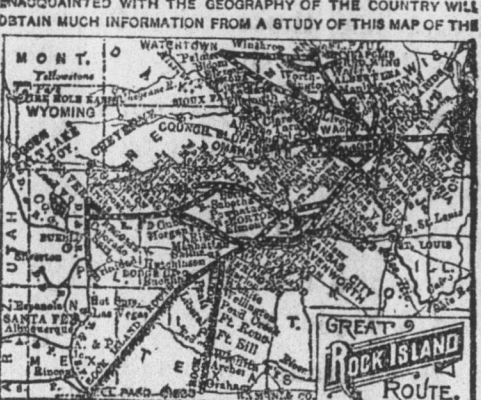
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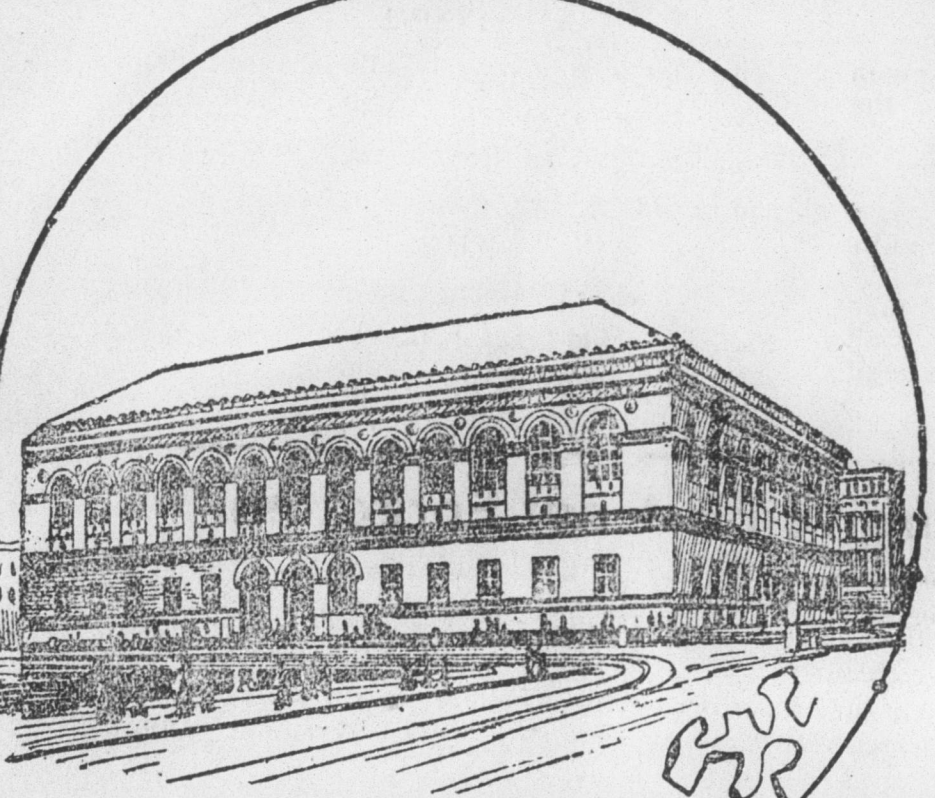
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troversy. Each speaker is to present his own views, not to antagonize or controvert those of others. There is to be the utmost catholicity of tolerance and every speaker is expected to respect this tolerance. Differences of opinion are not to be allowed to appear as hostilities of thought. Into this parliament is to be poured the result of the thought and investigation of the individual thinkers and investigators of the country. It will form, as it were, a comparative exhibit of all that has been accomplished along the lines of the prevention and settlement of labor troubles and labor disturbances. It will be a collation of the work of many men striving for the same end by different means.

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