

## ANOTHER LINK IN A RIVER PROJECT

Dedication of Fern Bank Dam, Near Cincinnati, Will Be Big Event.

(Palladium Special)

CINCINNATI, Sept. 1.—The long postponed dedication of the Fern Bank Dam, the thirty-seventh link in the chain of artificial lakes which will give the Ohio river a nine-foot stage from Pittsburgh to Cairo when the last of the fifty-four dams is completed, and which is expected to bring about a thorough revival of river commerce, finally is about to take place. When the Ohio Valley Exposition was planned nearly two years ago, it was decided that a feature of that enterprise should be the dedication of the Fern Bank Dam. But, alas, the elements interferred; the government contractors could not work on the dam as they thought they might, and the opening and closing of the Ohio Valley Exposition last fall found the dam still unfinished; and so there was no dam celebration.

Now, however, this gigantic work, which cost the United States government about \$1,300,000 and which gives Cincinnati a slack water harbor 26 miles in length and a depth ranging from 12 feet at the dam to 9 feet at the upper extremity, is completed and has been used for some time in making the harbor of Cincinnati an extremely active port, where formerly it was decidedly innocuous during the low water period. Nothing, therefore, can interfere with the celebration of the completion of a work that means so much, not only to the people of Cincinnati, but to every person on the Ohio river, as it is another and an important step toward the habilitation of river traffic, promising a new era for this section of the fertile and progressive Middle West.

Program Arranged.

The program arranged for the proper observance of the great improvement covers a period of six days, beginning on Monday evening, September 4, when a mass meeting and concert will be held in Music hall. Addresses on the subject of the Fern Bank Dam and on "Home Coming," will be delivered by prominent speakers, while music will be furnished by an augmented orchestra, the three hundred members of the United German Singers, and the great pipe organ.

On Tuesday there will be a steamboat parade, with the Island Queen as flagship. Prominent visitors from all parts of the Ohio Valley will be guests of honor on this trip, which will have the dam for its destination. Here water from the Great Lakes, the Mississippi river, the Gulf of Mexico, the Atlantic ocean, the Pacific ocean and the Panama canal will be mingled with the waters of the Ohio, several boats will be passed through the lock, and short dedication ceremonies held. On Wednesday there will be band contests at the Cincinnati Baseball

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## PESSIMISTIC VIEW ON LABOR TROUBLES

England Faces Another Industrial Conflict Precipitated by Rail Strike.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—Great Britain stands today upon the verge of another great industrial outbreak. Unrest, precipitated by charges of discrimination against the great Eastern railroad employees, is spreading. Labor leaders predict that if the struggle comes, it will plunge the United Kingdom into a paralyzing conflict.

Employees of the Great Eastern made complaint to the Central strike committee in this city that their employers were not carrying out the terms of the board of trade agreement by which all strikers in the first walkout were to be reinstated.

Government conferences were hastily arranged today and an important meeting between representatives of the railway employees union and the Great Eastern railroad company was called for tonight.

Reports from throughout the United Kingdom were disquieting. At Stratford the strike committee has made preparations to call the men out at once.

The situation has reached such a status that the entire railroad field is

affected by the conditions on the Great Eastern. As a result of this a strike on any one line would precipitate a walkout on all lines throughout England, Scotland and Wales.

The most pessimistic feeling prevailed in the railroad world today, both among workmen and officials of the 27 companies. The stock market was depressed by the outlook and railroad shares were hard hit.

### LAST OPPORTUNITY FOR VEHICLE TAGS

For the benefit of bicycle and vehicle owners, City Controller McMahan will keep his office open this evening until 7:30 o'clock, so that they will have ample opportunity to secure license tags. This is the last day for the securing of tags. After this evening owners without license tags on their vehicles are liable to prosecution. Controller McMahan maintained office hours last evening and a big number obtained license tags. There is quite a number of tags left but it is believed that most of them will be disposed of before the office closes this evening.

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## WILL DISCUSS FARM

At Conservation Meeting at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 1.—The local committee in charge of arrangements for the National Conservation Congress, which is to meet here the latter part of this month, reports that it is in receipt of advices from all sections of the country which give assurance of the largest and most representative attendance in the history of the organization. Among those in attendance will be a score of governors and former governors, senators, representatives and other persons interested in the public welfare.

"The Farm and the Farmer" is to be the general theme of discussion during the three days' session. Under this head papers and addresses will be presented to the congress dealing with a wide range of subjects. County churches, schools and libraries as

community centers will be discussed. Other matters to receive attention will be the transportation of farm products, the live stock industry, the

importance of good roads to the farmer, child life on the farm, co-operation of the farmers, forestry, dairying and soil fertility.

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Frying, Roasting and Stewing

### Fruits

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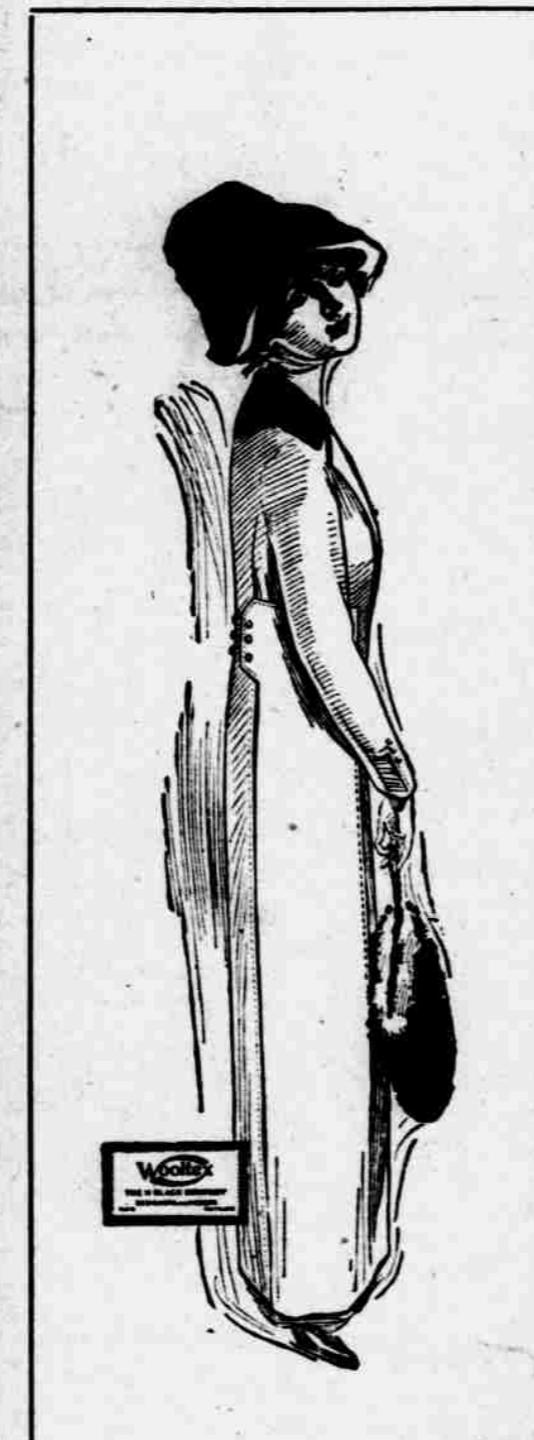
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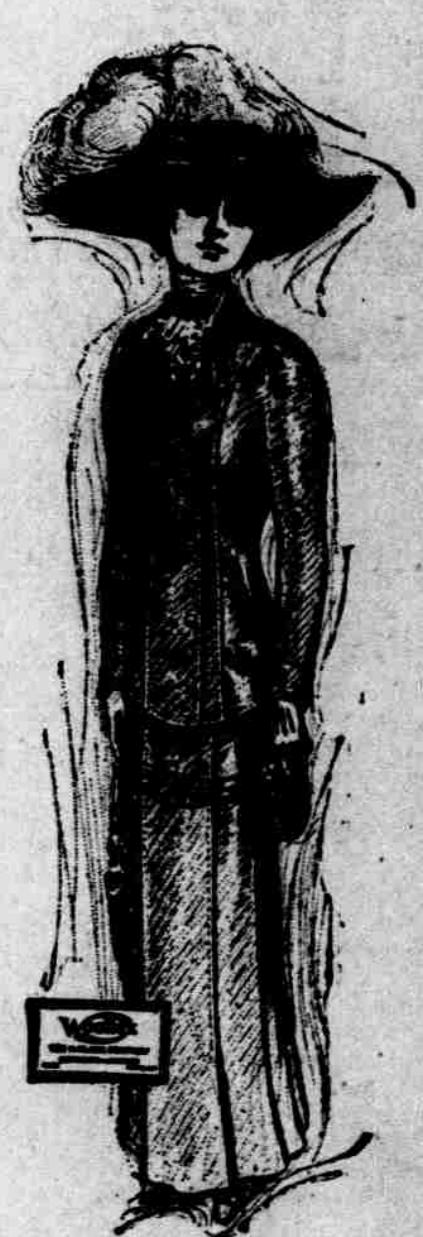
Fashion Exhibition in Our Ready-To-Wear Section



It far surpasses the pleasure of looking over fashion books and magazines and reading the fashion notes. Here you find the prettiest pictured styles in real life. If you like the new skirt in tunic effect, a design of French origin, try it on and see how becoming it is. If the jaunty, short coated, narrow skirted suits look attractive to you, slip into several of them and get the smart effects on yourself. Paris says they are better than ever, you know.

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