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GOV. M'CRAY TO SPEAK AT COUNTY FAIR

Chief Executive Promises To Deliver Address on Sept. 14—Big Crowd Expected for Event.

WEBER'S BAND COMES

An address by Gov. McCray on the afternoon of Thursday, Sept. 14, will be one of the features of the first Wayne county fair, the executive committee announced Saturday. It was stated that Gov. McCray had accepted an invitation to speak.

Weber's band of Cincinnati, one of the finest in the country; Miss Katherine Hoch, famous soprano, of the same city; an immense dance pavilion 80 by 140 feet, with music by the Dixie jazz orchestra of Chicago; a horse show which already promises to exceed the plans of Superintendent C. L. Gifford; and, as a thriller, a diving horse act in which a white horse will dive off a 40-foot scaffold into a tank of water, are features expected to draw record-breaking crowds.

To Be Memorable Event

These attractions all added to the stock exhibits already promised will make the event this fall the biggest in the history of the city for years, the committee feels, and will give a worthy start to the plans for an annual fair, of which this is expected to be the first.

The many attractions that are offered in addition to the excellent stock exhibits this year are expected to interest city as well as farm folks, and to assure hearty support for the permanent fair plans.

New Features Added.

Contrary to rumors circulated in some parts of the country, absolutely no changes have been made in fair plans, and in fact several additional features were decided upon at the executive committee meeting Friday night.

The horse diving act, which was agreed upon by the committee, is believed to be a stellar attraction, and on account of the presence of this act and of Weber's band, several other high class concessions have applied for space, explaining that they know these will be drawing cards for a large crowd.

The high regard in which these are held is shown by the fact that many other concessions are locating their space primarily with reference to the first two. Testimony of the I. and I. fair secretary at Danville, Ill., in a telephone conversation with Elmer Eggemeyer Friday night, also was very enthusiastic in favor of the strength of this attraction. "It has been the best feature we have ever put on," he said, "and has proved more popular than any other act on the grounds."

Four Horses Employed.

This act employs four horses, which take turns in diving, as none can stand the effect of a continuous day-after-day performance for a week. Two of these horses will be sent to Richmond for the fair, and the other two will perform at Atlanta, Ga., at the same time. The whole party, with two riders will be at the Minneapolis fair next week.

In addition to the diving horse, another is an exhibition diver and will give displays of his skill in high diving from the same scaffold.

The American Legion band has been engaged in addition to Weber's band for the three days. Weber's band will be accompanied by Miss Katherine Hoch, soprano, of Cincinnati, who will sing for some of the programs.

Other Music.

Other music will be provided by the Dixie Jazz orchestra, a colored musicians' organization of Chicago, which will play for the dance pavilion which will be located on the grounds. This has proven an especially popular concession where it has been engaged, and the apparatus will be trucked into the Glen Miller park next week and set up, five days being necessary to erect the dancing floor and tent. The floor is of white maple.

Automobile dealers of Richmond are planning an auto show that will be a feature in itself worthy of drawing the crowds that will attend, and one believes is sure to prove of great interest.

Horse Show Entries.

Entries for the horse show also are being signed up rapidly. Mr. Gifford having scoured the country in search of attractive entries and securing a promise of enough to make this a feature another feature.

For additional amusements, an extensive program of mule races, horse shoe pitching, and other diversions is being planned by Director Slocum of the Community Service organization.

A babies' nursery will be maintained by the county Red Cross organization during the three days, and an emergency hospital with some member of the medical society in attendance also will be located on the grounds.

The eligible lists for the postmaster at Richmond and Shelbyville have not yet been submitted to Representative Elliot by the civil service commission. He expects to receive them soon, however. Terms of incumbent postmasters in those two cities also expire next Tuesday.

DEATH OF TAYLOR IS PROBED BY WIFE

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Cut Off With \$1



NEED \$1,500 TO PROSECUTE HIAST CASE

Judge Bond and Prosecutor Beckett Ask Commissioners for Funds To Prosecute Former Bank President.

BOARD HOLDS BACK

Prosecution of Edgar F. Hiatt, on indictments returned by the grand jury last spring, may be seriously hampered through refusal of the county commissioners to allow a \$1,500 appropriation for assistant counsel, it was learned Saturday.

Prosecutor Beckett, in a request filed with the court several weeks ago, asked a special appropriation "for the prosecution of several important felony cases, such money to be paid out only upon order of the court."

Judge W. A. Bond, to whom the request was made, approved and forwarded the requisition, setting the amount at \$1,500, when it went to the county commissioners. The requisition was presented with others when the county commissioners met to go over the additional appropriations for the balance of the year, 1922.

Take No Action.

No action was taken by the county commissioners. The additional appropriations for the year go before the county council next Tuesday for approval. Unless action is taken then the prosecuting attorney will be seriously hampered in his action against Hiatt, both in the investigation and the trial of the case, it is said.

County officials who are opposed to the appropriation are said to have taken the stand that the \$1,500 is a mere drop in the bucket in the trial of the case.

Employs Good Counsel.

"It is well known that Hiatt has employed some of the best legal talent in the state, that he has not confined himself to one firm alone, but is prepared to fight the case of the state every inch of the way," said a member of the Wayne County Bar association Saturday.

"Now, if the state is to conduct the prosecution of this case properly, it must have enough legal talent to balance the defense. It is merely a question of having the state as well represented as the defendant. In many cases it is the other way round. The defendant, too often, is a poor man who can not employ legal talent. If we are to be consistent in our administration of the law, the county should be prepared to prosecute wealthy offenders just as much as poor ones."

Need Greater Speed.

"The only obstacle which has been in the way of transmitting moving pictures has been the need of greater speed in the process. And that is being developed now, will be perfected before long."

There will be many uses for Mr. Jenkins' radio picture broadcasting process once it has been perfected for commercial use. Then it will be possible for a family to sit in a radio-equipped room and enjoy seeing as well as hearing an opera; for instance, being staged many miles away.

Among the other advantages of the device are the possibility of receiving news photographs from great distances as quickly as the telegraphic text; the transmitting of photographs of criminal suspects when there is an urgency for immediate identification, and the transforming of the nation's strike.

Robertson declared that a "Labor Day message he wrote Aug. 28," attacking the open shop, must "stand as written." It was to have been made public Monday.

In this message the brotherhood chief attacked advocates of the "open shop" as "unjust and un-American." He predicted the loss of the "open shop" movement. He urged the unions to stand solidly against it. Attorney General Daugherty, in urging the injunction yesterday, said:

"But it may be understood that so long and to the extent that I can speak for the government of the United States I will use the power of the government within my control to prevent the labor unions of the country from destroying the 'open shop.'"

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ELLIOTT RECOMMENDS BUFKIN FOR POSTAL JOB AT NEWCASTLE

PALLADIUM NEWS BUREAU

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Sam J. Bufkin, highest Republican of the eligible list submitted today by the civil service commission, has been recommended by Representative R. N. Elliott for appointment as postmaster at Newcastle, Ind. The present postmaster at that city, Edward Smith, Democrat, whose term expires next Tuesday, was first on the eligible list.

Bufkin was the second eligible, and Clyde Hardesty, Republican, was the third. It is understood that in the event Bufkin's appointment has not been confirmed by the Senate before Tuesday the postoffice department will be asked to appoint him acting postmaster at that city, Edward Smith, Democrat, whose term expires next Tuesday.

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RESCUERS BELIEVE 47 MINERS PERISHED

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, Sept. 2.—A dispatch to the Times says that according to official Bolshevik figures the Cheka executed 1,766,118 persons before being named the supreme political administration last February. The total includes 6,775 professors and teachers; 355,250 other intellectuals; 1,243 priests; 54,650 officers; 260,000 soldiers; 59,000 policemen; 12,950 landowners; 192,250 workers; and 815,100 peasants. During the civil war the Bolsheviks have had more killed than all Russia during the great war.

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