

MORE CROWDS-- Greater St. John Fair Still Holds All Attendance Records
PEACE REMOTE-- Turkey Refuses Peace Terms Offered By Italy

ITALY'S TERMS TO END THE WAR
RESTRICTION OF SETTLERS URGED

Demands Absolute Sovereignty of Tripoli.
MAKES CONCESSIONS
Offers to Reimburse Porte for Government Property Destroyed, but Turkey Finds it Impossible to Agree to Proposals.

Chasso, Switzerland, Sept. 4.—Italy is determined to maintain its hold on Tripoli and Cyrenaica. No great advance has yet been made to give in the official negotiations for peace which are now going on in Switzerland between the Italian delegates and representatives of the Turkish government.
The former, while expressing their readiness to make concessions in the half of Italy in secondary matters, have declared it impossible to give in several vital points. Italy demands absolute and complete sovereignty over Tripoli and Cyrenaica, without exacting its recognition from Turkey. It demands the evacuation of the Turkish troops and it is pointed out that the administration at Constantinople might find a way to the independence of these territories, entrusting the Arabs with their own government.
Italy pledges herself to grant general amnesty to all Arabs not undertaking any reprisals against the Italian government and promises that the sovereignty of the Kalph in religious matters shall be respected. Italy will reimburse the Porte in an amount corresponding to the value of the government properties which existed in Tripoli before the war and also that the Ottoman debt guaranteed by Tripoli's revenues, deducting from this sum the expenses for the maintenance of several thousand prisoners.
It is also proposed that Turkey shall immediately readmit Italians to the Ottoman empire under the same conditions as prevailed before the war. Italy will keep Stampalia as a naval station while she will return to Turkey the other islands in the Aegean on condition that their nationality shall be respected and that their political and administrative organization shall be conducted on the lines set forth in the proposal of Count Leo von Berchtold, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister. Finally, Italy will grant Turkey the same concessions as were granted by Austria when the latter country annexed Bosnia and Herzegovina.
The representatives of several of the islands, including Rhodes, although they have not been received officially by the Italian delegates here, have communicated with the Italian premier, Marquis De San Giuliano, whom they submitted a memorandum outlining the desires of the islands. In brief they declare that if it is impossible to remain under Italian sovereignty or to be annexed to Greece, autonomy must be granted in similar form to that granted Crete, otherwise they will oppose by force the re-establishment of the old order of things.

CALAIS RACES.
Calais, Me., Sept. 4.—The races though won in straight heats, were well contested and resulted as follows:
Free For All.
Vesta Boy, Steele, 1 1/2
Oswego Boy, Dowse, 2 2/4
O'Planagan, Groves, 3 4/4
Prince Louis, Haley, 4 3/4
Best time—2:15.
228 Trot and Pace.
Roland Leslie, Jordan, 1 1/2
Lady Fondley, Johnson, 2 2/2
Pills, Haley, 3 3/2
Luch, Kyle, 4 4/4
Dot D., Groves, 5 5/5
Best time—2:21.

THE RECEPTION TO MR. BORDEN
Those who intend going to Montreal to take part in the welcome to be extended to Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden, are requested to call on their arrival at Room 118, Windsor Hotel, where information as to the details of the parade and the reception on Saturday evening can be secured.

CALLS FOR IMMEDIATE REVISION
Col. Roosevelt Tells Iowa Progressive Convention Payne-Aldrich Law is a Sham.

ELECTION NOT THREE-CORNERED.
Fight Between the Bosses and the People the Real Situation.
Des Moines, Iowa, Sept. 4.—Upon Woodrow Wilson the hopes of the standpatters are gradually becoming centred. Col. Roosevelt told the progressive convention of Iowa here today. He asserted that the reactionaries of both parties were now turning to the Democrat candidate, Col. Roosevelt also called for speedy downward revision of the tariff and denounced the Payne-Aldrich tariff law as containing sham and humbug. "This is only nominally a three-cornered fight," he said. "In reality the fight is between the party of the people on one side and on the other the bosses and the beneficiaries of privileges, who will throw their weight to which ever of the old parties they think can beat us."
"You will find long before election day—already there are symptoms of it—between the Republican party and the Democrats, that the fight lies between us and the old machine Democracy."
Turning to the tariff Col. Roosevelt said: "I have remained attached to the doctrine of the progressives taught three years ago. I don't believe in free trade. On the other hand I don't believe I believe there are a great many shams and humbugs in the Payne-Aldrich tariff law. Among the shams and humbug was the tariff law. A little sham board was established. It was better than no board, but it has such small power that it worked with extreme slowness and nothing was accomplished. Our position is to have a real tariff commission. We favor a commission which will work speedily so that in a few months if the progressive administration comes in, it can take up and report our schedule after schedule."

DOGS WILL GUARD ROCKEFELLER FROM ITALIAN BANDITS
Private Detectives Reinforced—All Trains Are Being Watched for Friends of Hold-up Men.
Tarrytown, Sept. 4.—The private detectives who have been keeping a close watch over the John D. Rockefeller estate at Pocantico Hills, were today equipped with a squad of watch dogs, which will assist them in pursuing the Italian bandits who have been responsible for the recent hold-up and petty crimes on the estate. All trains arriving here from New York City are being scrutinized by the detectives who believe that the hold-up men have summoned assistance from friends in that city.

CHEMISTS GATHER IN CONGRESS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD
President Taft Unable to Welcome Delegates to International Gathering as Was Expected.
Washington, Sept. 4.—The eighth international congress of Applied Chemistry formally opened here today. Hundreds of delegates representing most of the larger countries attended. President Taft, who had

LARGEST WEDNESDAY CROWD IN HISTORY OF EXHIBITIONS
Nearly Eighteen Thousand People Visited the Big Show Yesterday—All Previous Records Broken.
Prof. Bonnette Drops from Balloon to Waters of Courtenay Bay and is Picked Up by Boat—Amusement Dines Judges and Exhibitors of Live Stock—Amusement Features Still Proving Popular—Excellent Musical Programme—Judging Continued.

TODAY'S PROGRAMME
Morning.
8 o'clock—Doors opened.
9 o'clock—Pike shows opening.
10 o'clock—Live stock judging continued.
10:30 o'clock—Aeroplane flight for altitude.
Afternoon.
2 o'clock—Aeroplane flight for distance.
2 o'clock—Judging continued in unfinished classes.
2:30 o'clock—Concerts by Ladies Orchestra in main building.
3 o'clock—Outdoor programme features in front of grandstand.
3:30 o'clock—Prof. Bonnette in his balloon ascension and parachute drop.
4 o'clock—Amusement Hall performance starts.
Evening.
6:30 o'clock—Field meet on the grounds under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Field meets.
7 o'clock—Programme in Amusement Hall.
7 o'clock—Concerts in main building by ladies or orchestra.
8 o'clock—Grand Stand programme.
8:30 o'clock—Grand fireworks display.

THE ATTENDANCE RECORD.
1912 1910 1908 1906
Saturday... 4,000 3,862 3,968 4,072
Monday... 19,922 14,808 6,514 10,468
Tuesday... 19,200 8,718 11,330 11,384
Wednesday... 17,875 7,812 16,472 16,172
49,297 35,195 38,284 42,236
Breaking still another record with the largest Wednesday crowd in attendance in the history of exhibitions in St. John, the Greater St. John Exhibition of 1912 was more successful than ever yesterday.
During the day no less than 17,875 who paid admission were recorded, and the total attendance to date has reached 49,297, an increase of 14,000 in excess of the Dominion fair record, and at least 7,000 ahead of the best previous record for the first four days. If today's crowds live up to the mark, it is believed that the attendance record tonight will still be far ahead of the previous records, although the Thursday attendance in the Dominion fair was the record breaker of that year, and all previous years, when more than 22,000 people were in attendance.
The probabilities today are for fine weather, and the attendance figures will be very heavy. There is a very large number of

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Two Inches Fell Near Winnipeg Tuesday Night and Operations Held Up for Twenty-Four Hours.
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FIRE INSURANCE FIGURES.
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RAIN WILL LAY OUT THE HARBOR AT PORT NELSON ONCE
Steamer Boethic Despatched With Buoys to Mark the Channel—Modern Facilities to be Provided.
Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, Sept. 4.—The marine department has decided to proceed with the proper laying out of Port Nelson as an up to date harbor, and with this purpose in view, 15 buoys will be despatched by the steamer Boethic belonging to the Clough interests, which leaves Montreal for Hudson Bay next Sunday. The buoys will be placed in position by Mr. Hazen, engineer of the department of railways and canals, who is at present in that locality engaged in surveying work for the department.
The channel to the mouth of the harbor is from twelve to fifteen hundred feet wide with a depth of 60 feet, but hitherto there has been no mark to indicate the channel. The Boethic will also carry provisions for the government steamers Minto and Arctic which are engaged in Hudson Bay. The Boethic will arrive here in ten days.
SCHOONER THOMAS BURNED.
Halifax, Sept. 4.—The auxiliary schooner Monica A. Thomas was destroyed by fire at Lunenburg today. The crew were filling the tanks with

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ROOSEVELT'S PLEAS WITH THE OUTCOME
Did Not Expect Victory for State Progressive Ticket in Vermont Says Bull Moose Leader.
DIDN'T MAKE TERMS WITH THE BOSSES.
Would Have Secured Their Nomination if He Had Says the Colonel.

Ottawa, Iowa, Sept. 4.—If he had made terms with the bosses at the Republican convention, Col. Roosevelt said today, they would have turned him with the presidential nomination. Speaking at Mount Zion, the colonel said: "Our opponents did not steal the nomination from me at Chicago last June. They stole it from you. They did not like me, but it is you they are really afraid of and they opposed me because they believed I really represented you. If I had been content with a moment to stop representing you, the bosses would have turned to me with a whoop of delight. All I would have had to do would have been to stretch out by little finger, and they would have come to me. If I had stopped representing you."
On receiving returns from Vermont, Col. Roosevelt said he was greatly pleased with the progressive vote. "I am greatly relieved at the result in Vermont," he said. "While on my serious concern lest there should be practically no support whatever for the progressive state ticket, because a third or a half of the men who spoke to me stated their belief in the progressive national ticket, but in the progressive national ticket, there is going to be everything that will be detrimental to the community as well as detrimental to the immigrants. And thus therefore it is to the interest of the government, that the government itself should supply, or at any rate encourage the instrumentalities which will prevent that very thing. Multiplying the ports of entry for that purpose, for example, will ease and facilitate and guide the process of distribution and will above all things also supply the sympathetic information which is the only some that is acceptable to those who come."
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LARGE SUM STOLEN FROM HOUSE NEAR MONCTON TUESDAY
Four Hundred Dollars Taken From Residence of Arthur Hudson at Coal Branch—Consider Commission Plan.
Special to The Standard.
Moncton, Sept. 4.—The residence of Arthur Hudson, of Coal Branch, was entered last night and four hundred dollars stolen from a cash box. The mystery about the affair is that the cash box was locked and the key taken from Mr. Hudson's pocket and left there after the box had been robbed. Entrance had been effected from a rear window.
Charges of crooked work in connection with the laying of concrete sidewalks, were made at tonight's meeting of the city council. It is alleged that the work has not been done in accordance with the specifications, and the sum of \$25 has been deposited with the mayor by a citizen to defray the cost of taking up a section of the walk for the purpose of testing the charge. An investigation was ordered.
At tonight's meet of the city council a special committee was appointed to act with similar committees to be appointed by the board of trade and trades and labor council for the purpose of considering the matter of governing the city by commission.

PREMIER ACCEPTS INVITATION TO THE QUEBEC RECEPTION
Mr. Borden Sends Wireless Message from S. S. Victorian to Say He Will be Present at Function.
Quebec, Sept. 4.—Premier Borden, who is on the Victorian due here Friday next, has accepted the invitation to a civic reception to be tendered to him by the City of Quebec. He sent to Mayor Drouin the following wireless telegram this morning:
"S.S. Victorian, via Cape Race, Newfoundland, September 4.
"Pray accept warm thanks, we sincerely appreciate great honor of civic reception which we are delighted to accept."
(Sgd) BORDEN."

BADLY SHAKEN UP.
A young lad named Downie met with a rather painful accident on Main street last evening when he fell from a street car. Although the lad escaped serious injury, he was badly shaken up, being removed to his home in the ambulance.
MEETING POSTPONED.
The regular monthly meeting of the King's Daughters has been postponed and will be held Friday, Sept. 13th.

WOODROW WILSON IN FIRST POLITICAL SPEECH
TO KEEP UP STANDARD
Must Regulate Immigration, Says Democratic Nominee for Presidency--Fears Glut of Labor Market at Ports of Entry.
New York, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Governor Woodrow Wilson spoke for the first time tonight in New York city as the Democratic nominee for the presidency. His first political address in the metropolis was at the Waldorf Astoria dinner of the Woodrow Wilson Working Men's League. Governor Wilson confined his remarks to immigration. "If we can hit upon a standard which admits every voluntary immigrant and excludes those who have not come of their own volition with their own purpose of making a home and a career for themselves, but have been induced by steamship companies or others to come in order to pay the passage money, then we have what we will all agree upon. I am speaking to you as an American and just as much American as myself and if we all take the American point of view, namely, that if we want American life kept up to its standards and that the only standards of American life shall be the standards of restriction, then we are upon a common ground."
"I am not saying that I am wise enough out of hand to frame the legislation that will meet this ideal. I am only saying that that is the ideal and what we ought to hold ourselves to."
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