

WEEK'S EVENTS IN COLORADO

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Dates for Coming Events.

Sept. 23-26.—Mesa County Industrial and Fruit Fair at Grand Junction.
Sept. 23-26.—Colorado - New Mexico Fair and Indian Carnival at Durango.
Sept. 23-26.—Trinidad-Las Animas County Fair at Trinidad.
Sept. 27-28.—Bankers' Convention at Denver.
Sept. 29-30.—Inter-County Fair at Limon.
Oct. 1-3.—State W. C. T. U. Convention at Fort Collins.
Oct. 2-4.—Sedgwick County Fair at Julesburg.
Oct. 2-4.—El Paso County Fair at Calhan.
Oct. 7-12.—Meeting Society of American Indians, at Denver.
Oct. 21.—Colorado State Baptist Association at Pueblo.
Sept. 24-25.—Good Roads Conference at Pueblo.
Oct. 27.—I. O. O. F. Annual Encampment at Grand Junction.
Oct. 30.—Nov. 1.—Colorado Kennel Club Show at Denver.
Jan. 12-15.—Colorado Poultry Fanciers' Association Show at Denver.
Jan. 19-24.—National Western Stock Show at Denver.
1915.—Last Grand Council of North American Indians, Denver.

Clyde L. Starrett resigned as police magistrate of Colorado Springs.

Neil D. McKenzie, Boulder pioneer, banker and mining man, died at his home from pneumonia.

Governor Ammons honored Crowley county by paying his first visit to a county fair held in the state this year.

The Board of County Commissioners at Boulder appropriated \$2,000 for the employment of a county agricultural expert.

A search of nearly a month's duration has failed to disclose the whereabouts of Heller Baker, a Belgian non-union miner who disappeared August 18 from Louisville.

Grand Junction people are protesting to Colorado's congressmen and senators against a proposal to build a cheaper federal building in Grand Junction than was originally planned.

In an effort to return to the joyous days of the pioneers, the Western Slope Industrial exposition, to be held in Grand Junction, beginning September 23, has adopted many unique features.

A long procession of grief-stricken relatives and friends followed the caskets of Harry Smith and his bride, Celia, who were drowned together in the Denver City Park lake, to Golden Hill Cemetery.

The Colorado African Colonization Company will hold an open meeting at the Denver auditorium of the Young Men's Christian Association in ten days to discuss colonization of Liberia, Africa, with American negroes.

The funeral of Miss Kathryn Oldland, the young society girl who was killed in an automobile wreck between Meeker and Rifle, was held at Meeker. The procession was the largest in the history of the town.

A bolt of lightning struck the trolley wire at the Englewood tramway loop, caused one end of the severed wire to drop and weld itself to the street car track and delayed cars between Denver and Englewood two hours.

Englewood politics has proved too much for its woman pastor. The resignation of the Rev. Kate Hans, pastor of the Mayflower Congregational church, was announced, her friends declaring that politics forced her to leave.

Samuel Long, Sr., father of Samuel Long, who shot and killed Philip Sandoval in a bar room in Denver, walked into his son's cell at the country jail. The boy looked up, gave one hysterical cry of joy and fell sobbing on his father's breast.

James B. Lansing, who a number of years ago gained the sobriquet of the "Death Valley poet" of Nevada, and whose writings were copied from one end of the country to the other, was married to Miss Albee Burt at the Terhune ranch, near Yampa.

The town of Center, which has been without railroad communication with the rest of the outside world, was hostess to the entire San Luis valley. The celebration was for the completion of the San Luis Central railroad from Monte Vista into Center, a distance of fourteen miles.

Statistics purporting to show that the human race gradually is becoming insane, and the prediction that the time will come when there will be no more births, were the features of an address before the American Public Health Association at Colorado Springs by Dr. J. H. Kellogg, of Battle Creek, Mich.

A splendid showing was made by the Denver & Rio Grande railroad in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1913, a detailed report of which has been made by President B. F. Bush. For the first time in the history of the road gross earnings amounted to more than \$2,000,000 per month, the total for the year being \$24,331,047.55. Total operating expenses for the year were \$17,047,172.01, leaving a net revenue of \$7,493,792.85.

COLORADO'S BIG CROPS

REPORTED THAT LONGMONT FARMS WILL YIELD \$5,000,000

Ranchers Will Garner Riches From Bountiful Production of Land During Present Season.

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Longmont, Colo.—Reports from agricultural centers in Colorado bring in better and better news about the size and value of Colorado crops this year. Longmont's grain and hay crops alone will amount to nearly \$5,000,000, according to a report sent by the Longmont Chamber of Commerce to the Denver Chamber of Commerce. This report follows, in part:

The year of 1912 was a banner year with Longmont, as with other parts of the state and nation; and 1913 bids fair to rival, and in some instances, outstrip its predecessor. A million and a quarter bushels of wheat will go on the market from Longmont this year. Including barley and oats the Longmont territory will receive more than \$3,000,000 for grains alone.

The pea crop has been harvested and it brought over \$100,000 net to the farmers of Longmont.

The season has been very good for alfalfa and when the last cutting is in the stack the hay will represent over a million and a half dollars.

Sugar beets are ripening well. The land sown to beets this year will aggregate 17,000 acres and for this crop the farmers will receive a million and three-quarters dollars.

With the growth of the sugar industry has grown the practice of feeding cattle and sheep. During the season of 1912-13, 10,000 cattle were fed in and around Longmont; for the coming season of 1913-14 there is feed enough for 15,000 cattle and indications are that it will all be consumed.

Hayes Predicts Strike.

Trinidad.—"Before God, we will win this strike and it seems that a strike is certain! Nothing on earth can keep us from winning! And I shall remain in this state until every miner is a union miner and every mine is a union mine." This was the statement of Frank J. Hayes, international vice president and general organizer of the United Mine Workers of America, to 600 miners in the Palace hall at Walsenburg Sunday afternoon. Deafening applause followed Hayes' utterance and at the meeting's close 300 cheering miners formed behind a brass band and paraded the streets. A similar scene marked the close of the meeting addressed by "Mother Jones and Hayes in the West Opera house at Trinidad.

Thrashed an Affinity.

Denver.—Mrs. J. J. Laton, wife of a well known Denver man and former member of the Legislature, publicly thrashed Mrs. Ethel Flenniken. The exhibition occurred in a downtown department store. Mrs. Laton used a silver handbag in the assault. Mrs. Laton claims that Mrs. Flenniken has wrecked her home.

Falling Rock Kills Miner.

Lafayette.—Mike Annenickoff, thirty-one years old, an Austrian coal miner, was instantly killed while working in the southern part of the Standard mine in this district. A huge rock, falling from the side of the wall, struck him in the chest, crushing him to death.

Girl Found With Sheep Rancher.

Walsenburg.—Margaret Reynolds, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Joseph Reynolds, a sheep rancher, was found at the home of Juan Lucero, cousin of the man who is now accused of abducting her. The finding of the girl ended a three-day search over southern Colorado and northern New Mexico.

Spring May Get Moose Home.

Colorado Springs.—Colorado Springs has a good chance to win the national home for the Loyal Order of Moose, according to Walter E. Gorn, supreme dictator, who is here from San Francisco and who addressed the local lodge.

Union Dines Former Leader.

Colorado Springs.—The Union Printers' home was the scene of a dinner marking the departure of former Superintendent and Mrs. Charles Deacon for California. The trustees gave Deacon \$1,000.

Wine Suit Against City

Gunnison.—Charles Mueller was awarded \$6,400 damages against the city for injuries sustained more than a year ago. Mueller was working on a city light pole when it broke.

Marries Man Who Shot Husband.

Grand Junction.—Waiting only until Fred Wade was freed on the charge of killing her husband, Mrs. Joseph Gurr married him.

MAYOR GAYNOR IS DEAD

VOYAGE OVER SEAS FOR HEALTH ENDS IN DEATH.

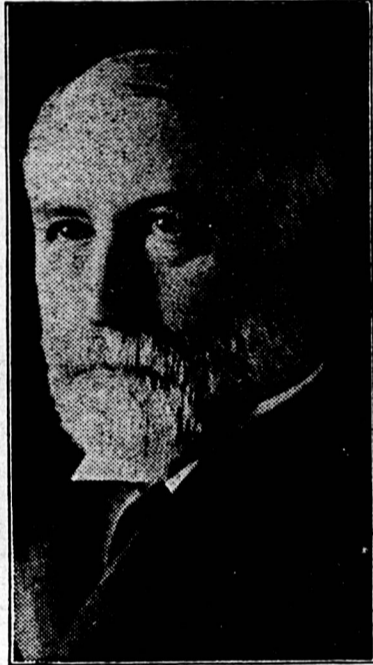
Life of New York's Fighting Executive Ends Like Candle Flicker in Deck Chair on Baltic.

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New York.—William J. Gaynor, mayor of New York city, voyaging over sea on the steamer Baltic in the hope of regaining his strength to enter the three-cornered municipal campaign as a candidate for re-election, died suddenly on the Baltic as the steamer was within a few hundred miles of the Irish coast. The first news of his death, flashed by wireless and relayed by cable from Europe, reached his secretary, Robert Adamson. The mayor had succumbed to heart failure, the message said.

The death of Mayor Gaynor automatically transferred the office of mayor to Colonel Ardolph L. Kline, a Republican, president of the board of aldermen.

William Jay Gaynor was born in 1851 on a farm near Whitestown, Oneida county, New York. He was of mixed Irish and English ancestry. The neighborhood in which he lived was called "Skeeterboro." His was the usual life of a boy on a farm in a poor country. He worked in the fields and woods and did the chores. He went to the little district school each win-



WILLIAM J. GAYNOR.

ter for a few weeks. He afterwards went to the village school and the seminary and afterward taught school, and finally achieved a good education.

Mayor Gaynor had three unmarried daughters, two married daughters and two sons, Mrs. Gaynor, with one of the unmarried daughters was at St. James.

Later dispatches from his son, Rufus W. Gaynor, who was his father's only traveling companion, gave details which showed that the end had come with shocking suddenness.

"Father died at 1:07 p. m. on Wednesday, the 10th," said the message from the son, received by Secretary Adamson. "His death was due to heart failure. He was seated in his deck chair at the time. I and the nurse and the ship's doctor were with him. I discovered him unconscious in his chair, though still alive. He died about three minutes later without recognizing any of us. Everybody possible was done, but he seemed to go as a candle flickers out. Am all right and am trying to arrange to bring the body back on Lusitania, sailing from Liverpool on the 18th."

That the mayor's heart had been in a weakened condition for years was the statement of physicians who treated him at the time he was shot in the neck and almost killed by an insane discharged employe of the city in August, 1910. They would not declare their belief that the wound inflicted by the assassin's bullet had led directly to the end, but did affirm that his general resistance had been lessened thereby to a very great extent.

Plans for a public funeral, to be held probably on September 22, will be made by the board of estimates. Late advices from abroad say the body will be transferred from the Baltic to the steamer Cedric, sailing from Queenstown, or if that arrangement cannot be effected, to Lusitania.

Colonel Kline took the oath of office and his first official act was to call the board of estimate together to lay plans for the public funeral services of his predecessor. Mayor Kline then declared that during his short term of office, which will terminate on January 1, 1914, he would carry out the policies of Mayor Gaynor, so far as he knew them.

LINK DENTIST WITH PRIEST

WHO DISMEMBERED GIRL, BY DISCOVERY OF COUNTERFEITING MOLDS.

PRIEST RETELLS STORY

DR. MURET AND HOUSEKEEPER ADMIT KNOWING ANNA AUMULLER.

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New York, Sept. 17.—Inspector Faurot, who on Sunday arrested Father Hans Schmidt, who later confessed to having murdered Anna Aumuller and cut up her body and cast it by pieces into the Hudson river, arrived at police headquarters having in custody Dr. A. E. Muret, a dentist of 301 Saint Nicholas avenue, and his housekeeper, Bertha Zeck. Dr. Muret is being held on a technical charge of counterfeiting and the woman as a material witness.

It is said that under the name of George Miller, Muret hired an apartment in West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and that in this apartment were found plates and presses and portions of partially-destroyed proofs of \$20 gold certificates. The detectives allege that they also found in Father Schmidt's room at St. Joseph's rectory, a plate from which counterfeit money had been struck.

Dr. Muret was arrested at his home, which is in the vicinity of St. Joseph's church. The dentist seemed unconcerned when he was taken into custody.

Dr. Muret is thirty-one years old. He was born in Chicago, but went to Europe as a boy and studied in the public schools of Berlin. He graduated from a dental college there in 1902-1903 and came to New York in the latter year.

Dr. Muret said he first met Schmidt when the priest visited him to have some dental work done and it is said by the police that Muret told Inspector Faurot that Schmidt first broached the subject of counterfeiting.

From far-off Mainz, Germany, there came to Monsignor Joseph F. Mooney, vicar general of the Archdiocese of New York, a cablegram from the secretary of the bishop, which said that Schmidt had been declared insane there, and suspended by the bishop. The message read:

"Schmidt born at Aschaffenburg. Priest of the Diocese of Mainz. Ran away from Mainz because of attempted frauds; arrested by police; declared insane by court and discharged. Suspended by bishop for acts and for presenting falsified document regarding studies he pretended to have made. Then left diocese."

In his cell Schmidt told and retold the story of his crime and how, after the woman was dead, he cut up the body with a knife and saw, and sank it, portion by portion, in the waters of the Hudson river, from the stern of a ferryboat. "The Lord told me to do it," or "St. Elizabeth, my patron, demanded the sacrifice," were the only reasons he gave for his deed, and he invariably added: "God in His own time will clear it up. God and Abraham know why I killed her."

Mexicans Celebrate Independence Day

Mexico City.—"Viva La Independencia! Viva Mexico!" was the cry which ushered in the celebration of the 103d anniversary of Mexico's independence. As in the capital, so every city, town and hamlet observed the time-honored custom marking the hour of the ringing of the first liberty bell.

Masonic Branches Hold Conventions.

Denver, Sept. 16.—Four Masonic branches are meeting in Denver. Yesterday the grand council of Select Masters of Colorado convened and today and to-morrow the fifty-third annual communication of the grand lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Colorado, will be held. Thursday the Grand Royal Arch will meet. Friday the grand commandery of Knights Templar of Colorado will meet. This will be the thirty-eighth annual convention of the grand commandery and is second in importance to the recent triennial convave.

Hallett Dies of Heart Disease.

Aspen, Colo.—Former State Senator Samuel Irving Hallett, one of the regents of the University of Colorado, died at his home in this city from heart disease brought on by indigestion. Senator Hallett was born in Hornelsville, N. Y., in June, 1856. He was married, in Kansas City, Mo., September 13, 1879, to Miss Julia Gilham. Senator Hallett came to Colorado in 1880 and followed mining in Tin Cup, Alpine, St. Elmo and Ashcroft.


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