

## BLAIR ON THE CHINESE.

**He Roasts the Mongolian and Likewise England and Other Nations.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 23.—Ex-United States Senator Henry W. Blair of New Hampshire, appointed Minister to China and repudiated by that government, delivered an address at the National Service at the Fifth Avenue Auditorium this afternoon before a vast assembly. His theme was "The true relation of our nation to the other great nations of the earth," and he dwelt with particular force on the question of Chinese emigration.

He said: "What are we to do with the great and pressing problem of emigration? Is it our duty to admit them indiscriminately?"

In re-erring to the Mongolian, he said: "Had it been permitted 20,000,000 of Mongolians would now be occupying the western portion of our country." Further on he said: "They come to stay and to debauch the moral influences that now exist," and cited the fact of their population of 15,000 living in New York who were sapping the life-blood out of American labor. He said:

"They can live on 20 cents a day, where it takes \$2 to support an American."

He continued in this strain and urged self-preservation by shutting out the Mongolians. He cited treaties with China as mistakes, as the advantages on the side of the Chinamen, and claimed that the acts of 1888 and 1892 did not go far enough in dealing with the dangerous people. He asserted that the foreign powers were diplomatically trying to create an antipathy between China and this country for selfish commercial objects and declared that Great Britain was the most active nation in inciting the bad blood. Frequently during the address the building resounded with bursts of applause.