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FACING THE WORLD.

The one hundredth anniversary of the signing of the treaty of France and the United States which ceded to us the territory of Louisiana was celebrated in St. Louis on Thursday, April 30, by the dedication of the Louisiana Purchase exposition.

The ceremonies were conducted on a scale of grandeur commensurate with the remarkable event in the country's history which they intended to recall and glorify. President Roosevelt, former President Cleveland, members of the Cabinet, members of both houses of Congress, representatives of the army and navy, members of the diplomatic corps, Governors of many states, and distinguished people generally from all parts of the country and all parts of the world lent their presence to the dignity of the occasion.

The exposition of 1904 has made such progress as to justify the prediction that it will equal, if it does not excel, the World's Fair of 1893. The buildings are farther advanced than were ours a year before the opening, and people who have visited the grounds bear cheerful testimony to the fact that St. Louis has displayed not only intelligence and artistic taste in choosing designs for the great palaces in Forest Park, but that she has exhibited wonderful energy in their construction.

As the fourth city of the country, the second of the mighty West, the metropolis of the empire that has arisen within the boundaries of the Louisiana purchase, and, more than all, as the seat of the third of our great international expositions, St. Louis will be called upon to face the world during the next twelve months, and that she will acquit herself creditably, there can be no doubt in any quarter where the spirit which animates her citizenship is known and understood.

The output of the Klondike mines for this year will be \$15,000,000, as against \$12,000,000 last year, which goes to show that the confidence of those who have dared the Alaskan winters since the boom began, has been justified.

We may now confidently look for spring, while at the same time taking the usual precautions against possible setbacks until the middle of next month.

Remember when you go to the lower Nebalem, that you can get clean beds and first class meals at the new hotel in Mist.—Mrs. F. M. Dippold, manager.

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SILLY LEGISLATION AND RUINOUS TAXATION

Warren, Oregon, May 9, 1903.

Editor Mist:— If the inhabitants of Columbia county can find any enjoyment in paying taxes, next year will doubtless see the fruition of their greatest joy, as the taxes for 1903 and 1904 will, under the new law be collected in the latter year.

Anticipating the gratification the people would derive from this cataclysm of tax paying, the legislature very thoughtfully, in addition to the double dose, made appropriations aggregating the mere trifle of, in round numbers, \$2,300,000, or about \$600,000 more than two years ago, all of which the people must pay unless Morgan or Carnegie should, through kind philanthropy, step in and pay it for us. Added to this the County Court is required to levy a school tax, under a law which makes it obligatory on the Court amounting to, at least \$6.00 per capita, for each and all the school children within the county, between the ages of four, and twenty years, which means an increase in this county, of more than \$600,000 over this year. Of course no fair minded citizens objects to reasonable taxation for school purposes, but when added to other costs and expenses of government, it never the less may become burdensome. As it stands, however, the taxes of this county will be raised without the addition of contingencies other than those already considered, about \$10,000. But these are, unfortunately, not. Not content with showering inconsiderable blessings on the State generally, the legislature, through the efforts of our respected Solon, M. Both, whose toastensible is an animated advertisement of fatuous legislation, considerably made Columbia county a special target for taxation, by foisting upon it two special county seat elections, thinking it necessary, probably to make some immediate disposition of the "surplus," for all of which the taxpayer should be duly thankful; and should the county seat be moved then an extra \$50,000 or \$60,000 may safely be added for a new court house and the expense of removal.

Kind citizens, take your last tax receipt and add to it 15 per cent thereof then multiply this amount by the numeral two, and it will give you an inkling of the joy in store for you, in 1904. In other words if you paid \$100 taxes for 1902, then next year you will pay \$400 plus \$15 multiplied by 2, equal to \$230.00 and if the county seat is a kind providence and the County Commissioner only, can tell what you will be required to pay.

It is freely admitted that the above figures are to some extent an estimate, yet it is a careful one, and made after consulting the law on the subject and several of the county officers whose knowledge of these matters cannot be questioned.

Verily, the bubble of joy doth dance merrily in folly's cup, while the property owners pay the fiddler.

MAX BECK.

SCHOOL MATTERS.

The graduating exercises of the Rainier school will be held in the opera house, Saturday evening May 23. The following is the programme.

Fairy Drill..... 16 small girls.
Selection by the Orchestra.
Opening Address by Marguerite Hill.
The Hidden Stream—The River of the West..... Estella Prichard.
Lewis and Clark..... Alice Wilson.
Song..... Small boys.
The Man with the Hoe.....
Justina Lorain Herman.
Selection by the Orchestra.
Oregon Literature. Anna Katrina Moeck Daet..... Rozena B. Sexton and Justina Herman.
The Beautiful Willamette..... Florence Zwemer.
Nymphs of the Cascades..... Rozena B. Sexton.
Selection by the Orchestra.
Address to graduating class by Rev. Taggart.
Double Quartet.—Soprano, Ruby A. Jackson, Alice Perry, Altos, Mrs. C. I. Hooghkirk, Laura Propst. Tenor, G. B. Joenson, J. H. Kemp. Basses, J. E. Bourne, A. L. Clark.
Presentation of diplomas by Supt. I. H. Copeland.
Selection by Orchestra.

Following is the report of the Goble school, in district No. 37 for the month ending May 8.

No. of pupils enrolled, 26.
No. days attendance, 464 1/2.
Average daily attendance, 23.
Days absent, 38.
Times tardy, 2.
Pupils neither absent nor tardy: Daisy Jones, Mildred Jones, Freddie Peoples, Maud Bishop, Alice Kratze, Grover Kratz, Emma Bucher, Hattie Bucher, Orrie Cushman.
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Mesdames Henshaws' visited Portland Tuesday.

Lots of people around now on account of court week.

E. Hight has been visiting in Portland the past month.

Mrs. N. A. Perry has been visiting in Seattle for the past week.

A gang of men left last Monday to work on the Bunker Hill road.

A few of our people visited Corvallis last Sunday on the excursion. All report a good time.

Fred Frantz made a trip to Greenville Or., last Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late Phenas Rymal, who was killed at that place last Monday by falling from a fence. Mr. Rymal was a member of the Woodmen of this place.

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A Farmer Straightened Out.

"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Expeller and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says U. P. Rayder, of Fattens Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Expeller. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.'" For sale by Edwin Ross, St. Helens.

FISHHAWK.

Wm. Elliot made a trip to Clatskanie Saturday.

G. T. Dawalt, brought in a new wagon Saturday, which he received from Chicago.

Will Miller brought in his wife and Mrs. Carl, Sunday, from outside, where they have been visiting friends.

Sunday was a regular fizzle of a day. A drizzle which was not really a rain, but was too wet to be called sunshine, kept up all day.

The editor of the Chief must have been short of chink last week, therefore he felt weak in the knees. The next time the writer at Mist wants any thing funny printed, just send along a little something in a bottle, and he will publish anything from a funeral sermon to a prize fight.

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VIRCHOW AND HIS WAYS.

Werr Professor Was Blunt, but He Once Met His Match.

The late Professor Virchow was, in his own country at least, almost as famous for his excessive bluntness of speech as for his very remarkable mental attainments, says the Philadelphia Press. Often he spoke so unfeelingly to the students who sat under him in the lecture rooms that they have been known to leave his classes and not return. According to Berlin traditions, one of the professor's favorite replies to a wrong answer to one of his questions was: "Certainly not. Any cook would know better than that."

On the other hand, he seemed to appreciate the spirit in some of his students which prompted them to answer him back in very much his own tone. Once when he was presiding in a very old and faded suit of clothes he turned suddenly upon a seemingly bashful man sitting near him and asked: "Do your eyes tell you the truth? What color is this coat of mine?" Without an instant's hesitation the young man rose and said: "I presume it was once black. Now it is any color except white."

That student was passed.

The Man Who Stayed.

For one woman who dominates her husband in China there are doubtless nine of the approved oriental stripe of humility. Nevertheless Chinese humor literature abounds in references to hebeheaded husbands. Professor Herbert Allen Giles of the University of Cambridge told one of these stories:

Ten hebeheaded husbands resolved to form a society to resist the imposition of their wives. The ten wives heard of the plan and while the meeting for organization was in progress entered the room in a body. Nine of the rebellious husbands fled, but the tenth one remained his place, apparently unmoved by the unexpected visitation.

The ten wives, after smiling contemptuously on the one man who remained, went back to their homes, well content with the success of their raid.

The nine husbands thereupon returned to their meeting, resolved to make the heroic tenth man the president of the society.

When they entered the room, however, to inform him of the honor, it was found that he was dead. He had died of fright.

A Baseball Game.

Four wide ones in the third and Hogan paraded! Dooley tilted the pellet to the outermost post precinct for a hassock and invested second citadel through Grogan's insane heave.

Jones' agile mitt engulfed Smith's tower to left garden, but failed to ferry it in before Hogan's extremities soiled the rubber. Donovan jabbed a solitaire to left pasture, stabling Dooley, but met his death purloining a bag. Huggins made three frantic lunges at the leather, but Guff's saffron muff let him amble down the trail to the initial root.

Duffy's steaming grasser to right meadow incinerated Guff's fingers. Doyle dunked safely to larboard, but Brown's swift return of the globe contributed to Huggin's demise at the plate.—Kansas City Independent.

CASTORIA.

The Kid You Have Always Bought

"It was close here," said the opium planter, "that they caught a tiger credited with having done to death 300 natives. Only last week while out for a walk I saw a tiger leisurely pass across the road. Are you likely to be attacked? Well, I don't know. You may and may not, but I rather think a bicycle would frighten a tiger."

Of course we said it would be rather close to see a tiger, that it would provide an appreciated adventurous filip. But, as a matter of fact, we regretted having talked determinedly about the absolute necessity of getting away with the moonrise. We tried to shake our host's convictions that it was at night tigers were on the prowl. But he would not accommodate us.

Maybe, we conjectured, the animals keep close to the roadway, watching for victims. So as our Rovers went spinning along in the mellow moonlight eyes were strained ahead for any prowling object. Once there was a quick steady down of paws. There was some beast running along in the shade. It wasn't big enough for a camel, it was too big for a dog, so it must be a tiger. Never a word was said. Each pretended not to notice anything. Still there was an affinity of funk. "Now, I wonder what brute that is?" one of us at last asked in a pretended don't care voice. "Oh, nothing particular—byens or something," was the reply. All the while the animal was behaving in a distinctly mysterious way. We could see its dark form in the gloom. It was traveling ahead at a leisurely pace, occasionally rustling the branches. We settled down to a dead crawl in its wake. Suddenly the brute strayed upon a patch of moonlight. It was a poor little insignificant donkey.—Travel.

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Secretaries are requested to send in corrections of this directory.

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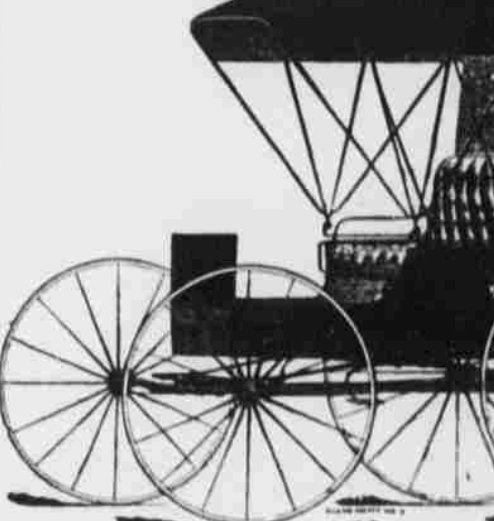
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