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A man fell over backwards in leaning back trying to see the top of the 307 foot fir tree flag pole while standing too close to its foot at the Seattle World's Fair.

An orchestra of fifty pieces is composed in the Orchestron which gives daily concerts in the German section of the Foreign building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition at Seattle.

One entire day may be spent by the visitor in "doing" free moving picture shows, so numerous are they, in the buildings at the World's Fair at Seattle.

The allurement of Niagara Falls for people to jump over the guard rails is well known. The beauty of the Cascades at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition with its myriad colored lights, had the same effect on a man at the fair opening. He jumped in but was quickly fished out by the guards.

Five girls from Frankfort Arsenal, Philadelphia, demonstrate the manufacture of small arm cartridges with actual machinery in operation at the Government building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition at Seattle.

A monster sheep with a ton of fleece on its back is one of the curiosities in the Oregon building at the Seattle World's Fair. The fleece was taken from many sheep, one in each county of the state and is on a wooden model as a display of the industry.

Explosion of a submarine mine in Puget Sound wrecked a ship, in miniature in the 30 foot tank in the Government building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition at Seattle. Hourly demonstrations are given by experts to show the results of this sort of defense.

A new construction was given the McBurn railway rate act by the court in several decisions—notably that in the so-called "commodities clause" litigation, wherein the court of last resort, although reversing the lower tribunal's decisions that the clause was unconstitutional, as to practically nullify the obvious intent with which it was enacted by Congress.

During the past term, several noteworthy cases were disposed of by the Court. Some of these will go down in history because of their importance—notably the famous \$29,000,000 Standard Oil case, decided adversely to the Government by refusal of the Supreme Court to review the decision of the Circuit Court of Appeals which had held against the fine.

Of the 908 cases docketed with the Supreme Court of the United States during the session which closed last week, 578 still remain unacted upon. From the opening of the term, early in October, to the last decision day, 430 cases were decided by the court, a number of them having been left over from last year. Not since the passage of the Act of March 3, 1901, creating Circuit Courts of Appeal for the particular purpose of diminishing the work of the country's highest tribunal, have there been so many cases brought to the Court for decision or review.

This is the age of organization and through organization much is accomplished that could not be otherwise.

wise. There are two new organizations in this city and county whose interests are mutual and should work in perfect harmony. Do work in harmony to a much greater extent than those who have not given the matter serious consideration realize.

We refer to the Merchants Protective Association of this city and the Farmers Union. It is to the natural interest of the merchants to see that the farmer gets the highest prices possible for his produce and find markets for him. It is to the interest of the farmer to patronize and help build up the city which naturally increases their home market. Both interests are now organized and should occasionally hold joint meetings where matters of interest could be discussed and closer relations maintained.

In the matter of grand juries Judge Knowles has adopted a system that will certainly meet the appropriation of the tax payers as well as litigants. The old way was upon the opening of the court to draw the grand jury and the first few days of court all criminal work was at a standstill. The District Attorney was more than busy. Under the system of having the grand jury meet the week before court begins, relieves all of the high pressure and delay, which means expense. Again the grand jury can be recalled at any time between court sessions, thus providing for further reduction in expense when a prisoner desires to plead guilty and begin serving his sentence and not be compelled to wait weeks in the county jail waiting court to be in session.

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Notice to Contractors.
 Notice is hereby given, that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Recorder up to 5 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, June 2nd, 1909, for the construction of 1653 square feet of cement sidewalk at the Court House. All works to be done according to the plans and specifications which may be seen at the City Recorder's office. A certified check for 10 per cent of the amount must accompany each bid. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

La Grande, Oregon, May 24th, 1909.
GEORGE KREIGER,
 Chairman ways and means committee.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
 U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Or.,
 May 3, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that
KYLE CHARLTON,
 of Kamela, Oregon, who, on June 24, 1903, made Homestead Entry No. 13067-Serial No. 63975, for W 1/2 SW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 33, Township 1 South, Range 36 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at La Grande, Oregon on the 22nd day of June, 1909.

Claimants names as witnesses:
 Ozro Hunt,
 H. K. Charlton,
 John S. Graybeal,
 James L. Walker, all of Kamela, Oregon.

F. C. BRAMWELL,
 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
 U. S. Land Office at La Grande Or.,
 May 3, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that
NATHAN FARRELL,
 of Hilgard Oregon, who, on May 12, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 11391-Serial No. 63641, for SE 1/4, Section 6, Township 3 South, Range 36 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at La Grande, Oregon, on the 21st day of June, 1909.

Claimants names as witnesses:
 Nels Holverson, of Hilgard, Oregon.
 William Lowe, of Hilgard, Oregon.
 Earl Rugg, of Pendleton, Oregon.
 Link Lynd, of Pendleton, Oregon.

F. C. BRAMWELL,
 Register.

On account of the Rose Festival the O. R. & N. makes a rate round trip of \$12.15, La Grande to Portland. Dates of sale June 7th and 9th. Time limit, June 14th. Extra coach and standard sleeper on train No. 5, June 7th. Those wishing sleeper space please phone ticket or freight office.

SALES PEOPLE WANTED.

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