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OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

Black Sand Cost Investigated.
Grants Pass.—A. E. Smith, of San Francisco, a miner and investor in mining properties, is here looking over the various mining sections. Mr. Smith is much interested in the loss that is occurring in the black sand, and so often discarded by the placer miner. It is declared by mining men that a great deal of the vagrant gold finds its way into the black sands of the Rogue river, where it is lost, as no successful machinery has yet been invented whereby it can be operated at a profit.

Klamath Falls Gets Lecturers.
Klamath Falls.—Dr. Joseph Schaefer, professor of history in the University of Oregon, will deliver a lecture on "Education as Social Adjustment" January 17 at the high school building here. While here he will act as one of the judges in the Ashland-Klamath High School debate. Dr. Hodge, of the university, also will lecture to the students in the high school several days following Dr. Schaefer's visit.

Linn County Dry All Over.
Albany.—Linn county is again entirely "dry." There were no "wet" spots in the county from July 1, 1906, until a year ago, when Harrisburg went "wet" in a local option election. Harrisburg returned to the prohibition column in the election last November, but at that time Sweet Home went "wet." Owing to election contests both cities are now "dry."

Conference at Roseburg.
Roseburg.—The social welfare of Roseburg and community will be the subject of a conference on social service to be held in Roseburg on January 17, 18 and 19. The aim of the conference is to awaken the people of the community to its needs for social welfare and, if possible, to suggest plans for bettering these conditions.

MONROE GROWING

Since the completion of the new electric road, giving daily train connection with Portland, the town of Monroe is making a rapid growth. A \$5,000 depot, a \$4,000 schoolhouse and gymnasium and a number of fine residences have recently been completed, and the city council is inaugurating extensive improvements in the way of better streets, sewers and sidewalks.

A. S. Cain and wife visited relatives in Portland last week.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEETING JANUARY 23

The program committee of the Parent-Teachers Association, together with the teachers of the public school have arranged a nice program for the meeting to be held Friday, January 23, at 7:30 P. M. at the school house.

The subject for discussion will be: "Shall Stayton Have a School Fair in 1914?" Prof. Gauntt will open the question and it is expected that all present will take a part in the general discussion to follow. The business men of the city are urged to be present and to present their views on the subject, as it is of importance to them in more ways than one.

The school has prepared a nice program which will be something as follows: Song, by the 4th and 5th grades; Exercise or drill by the 1st grade; Dialogue by the 6th and 7th grade pupils; Song by high school girls.

Everyone is invited to attend, and parents are especially urged to be present. The meeting is entirely free, and the building should be crowded.

SWITCHBOARD ASS'N MET ON MONDAY

The Switchboard Association of all the independent telephone lines that enter Stayton met on their regular meeting day, Monday, January 12, in the city hall with Pres. L. S. Lambert in the chair.

After a thorough discussion, it was decided to remit the extra switchboard charges for the Stayton Mutual which had been paid in order obviate the direct phone charges when outsiders use the phones. It was also voted to abolish all extra toll charges on all the lines except in a very few instances.

W. E. Chrisman of Linn county was elected president for the ensuing year, with C. J. Hunt Secretary, and I. J. Boedigheimer treasurer. The meeting then adjourned to meet on Feb. 7, to discuss the advisability of buying a permanent home for the central.

A. L. SHREVE RETIRES FROM LIGHT COMPANY

A. L. Shreve, who started the electric light business in Stayton a number of years ago, was bought out by Mrs. Dora Shreve one day this week.

There will be no change in the management or incorporation at present, although Mrs. Dora Shreve is practically sole owner.

The retiring partner stated in an interview yesterday that his future plans were not fully made, but that he expected to be identified with the Oregon electric business again in a few months.

World Noted Sculptors Produce Marvels In the Plastic Art

Superb Decorative Statuary Fast Assuming Form at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition

PRODIGIOUS works of sculpture are now being completed in the sculptural warehouses of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. Many of them have already long been finished. The works are remarkable for imagery and vigor and for beauty of conception.

Not for many years will the world be enabled to enjoy so marvelous a collection of the works of contemporary sculptors. The World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago first proved that the greatest talent might be employed to produce even work of temporary value. Since then more and more attention has been given at each succeeding exposition to sculpture as a form of decoration, and now the Panama-Pacific International Exposition promises to surpass even Chicago's exquisite display.

Viewing the superb groups and individual pieces of statuary, the visitor feels like a Lilliputian who has been transported into a land of giants. Some of the great groups are of colossal dimensions. Many of these great pieces of statuary will adorn huge triumphal arches and when so placed will seem of natural size to the visitor who stands upon the floors of the exposition courts.

We present upon this page some classical examples of the sketch models and the enlarged figures. A number of America's foremost sculptors have been engaged in the production of these figures. Among the sculptors are many names widely known both in America and abroad. The list includes A. Stirling Calder, acting director of sculpture; Albert Jaegers, Furio Piccirilli, Leo Lentell, Robert I. Aitkin, Adolph A. Weinman, Isadore Konti, Evelyn Beatrice Longman, Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Douglas Tilden, Gutzon Borglum, H. A. MacNeil, James E. Fraser, Charles C. Rumsey, Halg Patigan, Paulanship, F. G. B. Roth, Charles Neihaus, D. C. French, Herbert Adams and others.

The sculpture of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition will carry out the note of the exposition in celebrating the opening of the Panama canal. The spirit of achievement as exemplified by America's work will be idealized.

When the sculptors began to plan their work they had as an inspiration an undertaking which has appened to the imagination of the world for centuries. In the opening of the Panama canal they saw the final result of four centuries of effort to secure a passageway between the oceans. The statuary will reproduce upon a wonderful scale the historic incidents connected with the Panama canal. Figures of the early explorers of the oceans, groups symbolizing the effort to pierce the rocky backbone of the continents, compositions designed to symbolize occidental and oriental themes, colossal representations of struggle and achievement, will illustrate many of the dramatic topics inseparably associated with the search for a passageway to the Pacific and with the final building of the canal at Panama.

And while the sculptors are fast completing their splendid productions, which reveal the ideals of sculptors of the present day, other work upon the exposition is fast progressing. When the gates of this, America's Panama canal celebration, swing open to the world on Feb. 20, 1915, it will be upon a fully completed and perfected spectacle, the setting of the greatest international celebration that the world has ever beheld.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS INSTALL

The Catholic Order of Foresters, Immaculate Conception Court No. 1776 of Stayton held a joint installation with St. Boniface Court No. 1400 of Sublimity Saturday night January 10.

The installing officer was Paulenus McDonald, Deputy High Chief Ranger of Portland.

The Sublimity court came down forty strong, and with the Stayton crowd made quite an assembly.

A banquet was served at midnight to about seven hundred Foresters, and all did full justice to many good eats prepared.

Geo. Spaniol is Chief Ranger of the Stayton Court and W. F. Klecker is Past Chief and the recording Secretary is Herman Marking.

F. A. Zimmerman is Chief Ranger of the Sublimity Court and Anton Van-Handle Past Chief, while Henry Steinkamp is recording Secretary.

MILL CITY WINS BASKET BALL GAME

(Special to the Mail)

The Mill City Basket Ball Team defeated the Silverton aggregation at the lumber town Tuesday night in a good fast game. The score was 21 to 9.

The game was one of the best that has been played in Mill City for some time. Scotty and Walford of Silverton made some phenomenal plays but the steady team work of the lumber-jacks defeated them in the end.

FORMER STAYTON PEOPLE MARRIED

(Special to The Mail)

Miss Acta B. King and A. B. Ray, both of Lewis County, Washington, and former residents of Stayton and vicinity, were married at Chehalis, Washington on Saturday, January 10.

The young couple immediately started for their new home on Cowlitz Prairie, but they failed to lose a crowd of about sixty merrymakers who followed them.

A bountiful lunch had been prepared by the invaders and after a bombardment of dynamite and shotgun music the lunch was enjoyed by all.

The Stayton friends of the newlyweds will join in with those of Lewis County in wishing a long and prosperous life to the young couple.

Dr. Brewer reports two births this week, a 13 pound boy to Mr. and Mrs. Nels C. Johnson, of Union Hill Saturday and a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seigmund of Fern Ridge Monday.

DEFEATED FEDERALS CROSS BORDER LINE

Six Mexican Generals and 2,800 Soldiers Surrender to American Troops.

Presidio, Tex.—Twenty-eight hundred Mexican federal soldiers, six generals, 200,000 rounds of ammunition, two cannons, four large field pieces and 1500 civilian refugees are in the custody of the United States army border patrol as the result of the federal army's evacuation of Ojings, Mexico, its flight to American territory and the occupation of the village by General Francisco Villa's rebels.

The distress of the refugees is appalling. Men, women, children, dogs and chickens and cattle are packed together in a space covering several acres. About them are scattered all the wreck and turmoil they brought in fleeing from the Ojings battle.

From a military viewpoint the situation was regarded as being without precedent, since in time of peace the United States army has never had to surround, disarm, hold in custody and care for so large a body of aliens. Fewer than 500 cavalrymen handled the panic stricken mob of almost ten times their number.

"It was hopeless," said General Mercado. "Our men had left only 70 rounds of ammunition apiece and we could not have resisted a charge by the rebels. It would have been a massacre. I ordered the evacuation and flight to safety across the river on grounds of humanity."

STATE BEGINS TO PROBE

Washington State Officials Investigate Spokane City Treasury.

Spokane, Wash.—From two different directions the state of Washington began investigation of persons in the county treasurer's office under the administration of Zach Stewart, who is under bond awaiting trial on a criminal charge.

Scott Henderson, assistant attorney general, has arrived to take up a line of investigation whose purpose and direction he declined to state.

C. F. Watson and N. G. Hawkins, examiners for the state bureau of supervision and accountancy, have begun work on the records in the treasurer's office.

The visit of the attorney general's agent is more or less mysterious. Rumor said it was due to the fact that Prosecutor Crandall, in his last attempt to get the superior judges to call a grand jury, had declared a state officer to be implicated.

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BANKS HOLD THEIR ANNUAL MEETING

According to a provision of the Oregon law, the banks of this city held their regular yearly stockholders meeting on Tuesday of this week.

The Farmers and Merchants Bank officers were all re-elected and are as follows: A. D. Gardner, Pres; J. T. Hunt, V. P.; S. L. Stewart, Cash; J. M. Ringo, Ass't. Cash. The directors are: A. D. Gardner, J. T. Hunt, S. L. Stewart, S. C. Stewart, L. S. Lambert, John Sandner. Quite a number of changes were made in the official membership of the Stayton State Bank. The officers now are: John A. Ditter, Pres; Geo. Spaniol, V. P.; W. Richardson, Cash; Eliza Roy, Ass't. Cash. The directors are: John A. Ditter, Geo. Spaniol, Jos. Susbauer, Jos. Eriesterstein, C. H. Brewer, Henry Miller, Lee Tate.

FIRE RELIEF ASS'N MET JANUARY 3

At the Farmer's Fire Relief Association of Sublimity which met January 3, F. A. Bell was elected president to succeed Jos. Susbauer, Chas. Hottinger was re-elected Secretary and Treasurer.

The new directors of the company are: W. H. Downing, B. Minton, Geo. Smith, F. L. Pound and P. C. Freres. The company has \$260,000 worth of insurance in force and has issued \$30,000 in new policies the past year.

Only \$112.00 fire losses were paid in the past year. The company has about \$500 cash on hand and it is also stated by the Secretary that the expense for the past 18 years has been but \$1.50 per thousand per year, which shows good management and a solvent condition of the company.



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"SUNSHINE" AND "SPRING" AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION, SAN FRANCISCO, 1915.

THE large group at the right is "Spring," by Furio Piccirilli, one of the groups in the Court of the Four Seasons at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, 1915. At the left is "Sunshine," by A. Jaegers, who has created a companion statue, "Rain."



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TWO NOTABLE PIECES OF STATUARY AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION, SAN FRANCISCO, 1915.

STRIKING examples of the decorative sculpture at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition are shown in these two illustrations. At the left is "Rain," by Albert Jaegers, a figure that will be a companion to "Sunshine," by the same sculptor, ornamenting the Court of the Four Seasons in the main group of exhibit palaces. The camel with its Mohammedan rider is by Frederick G. R. Roth.