

TO MOVE TO FAIR GROUNDS

LEWIS AND CLARK DIRECTORS MAY DECIDE TOMORROW.

Administration Building May Be Erected at Once and Officers of Corporation Installed.

The advisability of erecting an administration building at the Lewis and Clark Fair grounds is likely to be considered by the directors of that corporation at their meeting Friday afternoon. It has been suggested that this building be erected at once, and the offices of the corporation, together with those of the State Commission, be moved from First and Ankeny streets to the Fair grounds.

One of the strongest arguments for erecting the administration building at once is that permanent headquarters at the Fair grounds would give the Exposition an air of permanency and strength that is not obtained from the present showing. It is also insisted that the quarters in the building at First and Ankeny are not large enough for the different departments which will need room within a short time.

The Lewis and Clark corporation has the entire second floor of the old Bank of British Columbia building. Into the rooms on this floor have gone the secretary, cashier, directors and general offices of the Fair Association. The State Commission also has quarters, and a room has been set aside for a model of the Fair grounds.

Within a comparatively short time the press and publicity committee will have to open headquarters with the Fair board, the engineer will have his offices, the director-general will have quarters and other Exposition officials will have to be taken care of. The question has been raised as to whether there is room enough in the building selected for temporary headquarters to take care of these officials.

The contention that the Fair grounds are located at too great a distance from the business section to make it advisable to move into the administration building at once is answered by the argument that the Bank of British Columbia building is also removed from the business section. It was planned when the Lewis and Clark directors secured the quarters in the building at First and Ankeny streets that they would only be used until the administration building was erected. The erection of that building, however, was considered a matter of the indefinite future.

Whether the grounds are in condition for the immediate construction of the administration building is a question easily answered. The allotment of space for buildings would probably have to be made in order that the administration building could harmonize well with other structures, and the architects would probably have to outline the general style of buildings so the first could be erected.

Whether the directors decide to build the administration building at once or not it is believed that this building will go up within a comparatively short time. It is certain to be the first erected on the Fair grounds, but there may be a number of reasons advanced at Friday's meeting for postponing actual work.

The committees of the Fair Board will be announced Friday. The personnel of these committees has not been made known, as there is still one vacancy on the board of directors, occasioned by the resignation of W. W. Cotton. This vacancy will be filled at Friday's meeting.

A special committee was given the task of selecting a new man to fill the place, and the suggestion of this committee will probably determine the matter.

An office of the Fair Association that is to be filled Friday is that of auditor. It is practically certain that a scholar official will be selected to exercise general supervision over the accounts of the corporation, but as yet no name has been given of the person to be selected. There are a number of applicants for the place.

It is expected the question of bringing Portland a number of National conventions to be held in that city will be brought before the board of directors at this week's meeting. Several of the organizations interested in the movement have asked for the location of the Fair board in bringing the conventions to this city, and the matter is likely to be brought to the attention of the directors tomorrow.

TO AGE WHISKY IN EUROPE

Kentucky Distillers Will Export a Large Lot of Young Liquor.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 12.—Kentucky distillers are making preparations for the exportation of 30,000 gallons of young whiskey to Hamburg and Bremen for storage purposes. It is principally of the crop of 1903. This is the first time in the history of Kentucky that any large amount of whiskey was exported and matured in Europe. Heretofore whiskey has only been exported when about to be forced out of bond. This will be the largest exportation since 1887, when an immense amount of whiskey was about to be forced out of bond. At that time the distillers, rather than pay the tax when prices were depressed, sent ship load after ship load to the warehouses in Hamburg and Bremen. At this time there is no depression in the market and the exportation is to be made principally on account of the low storage charge in Europe.

The whiskey to be sent abroad is intended largely for the trade in California and other Western states. Distillers have found it costs less to send whiskey to Bremen and Hamburg and ship it from there to San Francisco than by way of Cape Horn, than it costs to ship it from Louisville to San Francisco by rail.

The annual report of Chief Deputy Collector Edmonson, issued today, showed that there are 85,000 gallons of whiskey in bond in this district.

LEO XIII.

Dr. Hoadley Has Heard of Him, With the Usual Result.

MERTLE POINT, Or., Aug. 12.—(To the Editor.)—The late pope, Leo XIII., was indeed most successful in uniting the Catholics over whom he exercised sway for so many years. Plus IX., with all his plety, was not able to keep divisions at a distance from the multitude who called him their Chief Father. Plus IX. was boisterous and unable to speak with clearness at all times. Leo XIII. knew how to speak with precision and confidence in God and how to handle matters and nations. In life, he was a born diplomat. The late pope was permitted to tarry for three decades in an ill-deserved obscurity, and when an old man his notable career began. There are two places that welcome old men—the Supreme Court of the United States and the tiara at Rome. Let the old men be thankful that so much is left to them, renew their youth and win. Leo XIII. did not permit Rampolla to do his thinking any more than the late President McKinley permitted Mark Hanna to do the thinking of the President. That best aged body was always able to straighten up into its own erectness. When erect he was six feet high from stockings to cap. His two eyes were deep wells, whose bottom could not be sounded with ease. In humor, wit and brightness of repartee he was a master. Catholics loved him and Protestants admired him. It is said that Mr. Gladstone was personally fond of him, and loved to be in his charming presence. But how different was Leo XIII. from Plus IX. in thought! The difference is simply in method and method of utterance. All that Plus IX. said in encyclicals Leo XIII. also affirmed. Mary the Mother of Jesus was not a woman above others in adorning poverty, in knowing sorrow,

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HE PLEADS GUILTY TO BURGLARY IN HOPE OF MERCY.

When He Is Given Seven Years He Regrets Not Fighting, and Is Dazed at Prospect.

Bayard Dudley, burglar and petty thief, was sentenced to a term of seven years in the State Prison, when given a trial before Judge Chittenden yesterday forenoon. The fellow admitted that he had broken into the home of Mrs. Emma Price on East Sixteenth street. He agreed to plead guilty and dispense with the necessity of a trial if the authorities would not urge other charges against him.

He told the court that his misteeds had been confined to the past year, and asked that as much as possible be shown him. When the sentence of seven years was pronounced, Dudley started as if he had been struck and stood about in the manner of one who is badly dazed until the officers led him to a cell in the County Jail, where he will await transportation to the penitentiary.

"Sorry now I pleaded guilty," he said. "I wasn't expecting such a jolt as that or I certainly would have fought the case. Yes, I'm guilty all right."

Schneller Says He Is Deserted. George C. Schneller brought divorce proceedings in the Circuit Court yesterday against Edna Schneller on the grounds of desertion. The couple were married at Baker City six years ago, and Mrs. Schneller said she has deserted her husband after four years of married life.

Will of Luther Cole. The will of Luther Cole, deceased, was filed for probate yesterday afternoon. His estate, consisting of personal property to the value of \$300 and real estate worth \$100, is bequeathed to Lizzie Christian, who is named in the will as administratrix, without bond.

JOY OVER WIF'S DEATH.

Man, Whose Married Life Was Unhappy, Gives a Big Scream.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Despite the strenuous objections of the members of his family, Henry Michael, an east side merchant, has celebrated his silver wedding, two years after his wife's death. It is said his two daughters appealed to the police, who refused, however, to interfere. According to Michael and his friends, his married life was not a happy one, so that he decided to celebrate the anniversary in his own way. Eight hundred guests gathered in a hall, rented for the occasion. Seventy-five kegs of beer, 150 bottles of wine and enough chickens, turkeys, fish, soup, etc., to satisfy everybody present, were served as fast as they could be consumed and Michael footed the bill of several thousand dollars. Several of the deceased wife's relatives were present and said they coincided in Michael's view.

LOCOMOTIVE RUNS WILD.

Stems Away of Itself, Jumps Track, and Nearly Kills a Woman.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—A runaway locomotive on the Erie has caused no end of excitement near Caldwell, N. J., on a branch line. The engine was a big six-wheeler. Its driver and fireman had dismounted to assist a brakeman. Suddenly it steamed away. The road ahead was down grade and the ponderous machine gathered speed rapidly. Passing Caldwell it was running 40 miles an hour. Another engine added to the speed and after passing Pompton the engine was going 75 miles a hour. On a sharp curve the rails gave way and the locomotive tore across a field. A chicken house was wrecked and many domestic animals about the place were killed. Pieces of iron flew in all directions and the farmers' wife, at work in her garden, narrowly escaped death.

CATTLEMAN MAY FIGHT.

Kansas Expects Hot Legal Battle Before Range Fences Are Removed.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 12.—United States District Attorney Dean said tonight that he expected a very determined resistance from the cattlemen of Northwest Kansas against the enforcement of the Federal statute preventing the fencing of Government land.

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MEASUREMENTS

Marriage Licenses.

James W. Cooper, 25; Lucy L. Mathews, 27, Walla Walla.

P. M. Bart, 30; Frances M. Kisor, 29, Portland.

M. R. Godfrey, 32; Winnie E. Miller, 30, Spokane.

John S. Harkins, 21; Grace E. McKinley, 19, Portland.

Ray S. Stryker, 25; Jessie Mae Woodward, 24, Snohomish, Wash.

C. M. Cartwright, 37; Maggie M. Newman, 28, Crooke, Or.

E. P. Alquist, 37; Helma Malben, 25, Portland.

Building Permits.

Dr. Eassey, Williams avenue, near Tillamook building, \$2800.00, lot 12, block 10, Spokane.

Henry Scheller, northwest corner Fifteenth and Lovejoy streets, repairs, \$400.

Mr. Van Zant, McMillen street, near Crosby, dwelling, \$2500.

J. N. Carlson, Eighth street, near Shaver, cottage, \$1200.

J. Perry, Caruthers street, near Second, repairs, \$2000.

T. Mann, Front street, near Harris, repairs, \$200.

C. Anderson, Flinders street, near Third, repairs, \$1000.

J. B. Harrington, Ash and Front streets, repairs, \$1000.

A Congregational Church building, East Sixth street, repairs, \$5000.

Mr. Newberg, Sixth street, near Stark, repairs, \$1000.

Births.

August 4, boy, to the wife of John Adolphson, Sellwood.

August 3, daughter, to the wife of R. C. Beck, Sellwood.

August 2, daughter, to the wife of R. C. C. Cusato, 306 1/2 Fourth street.

Deaths.

August 8, Frederick Turner, 24 years old, Park Place, Bright's disease.

August 9, Newton Harvey West, 40 years old, 33 1/2 First street, drowning.

Mary Adeline Heusler, 54 years old, Hubbard, Or., cancer.

Contagious Diseases.

August 7, four Carlson children, 965 Second street, diphtheria.

Real Estate Transfers.

Julius Mantha and wife to Security Abstractors Trust Company, lot 12, block 10, York.

Herbert E. Davis and wife to Clark & Co., lot 6, block 10, University Park.

Edw. Byrne to James Fisher, 3 acres, section 20, T. 1 S. R. 3 E.

William C. Demarest to C. C. Hansen, lot 4, block 1, Lewis's Addition, East Portland.

German Savings & Loan Society to Victor Land Company, lot 10, block 1, lot 4 and 5, block 1, lot 1 and 2, block 1, Thomas Spillman, lot 1 and 4, block 8, Cope's Addition.

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