

GIFT IS COSTLY

Statuary Presented to the Exposition.

VALUE SET AT \$250,000

Expensive Groups Donated by St. Louis World's Fair.

FAMOUS WORKS AMONG THEM

Statues Will Be Placed in Different Parts of the Exposition Grounds, and Will Do Much Towards Beautifying the Fair.

The Louisiana Purchase Exposition has placed the entire collection of its fabulously valuable statuary at the disposal of the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

Statuary valued at nearly a quarter of a million dollars has been secured by the Lewis and Clark Exposition and is now being packed for shipment to Portland.

Statues are interesting. Meriwether Lewis, William Clark and Thomas Jefferson, an admirable piece of work executed by Lopez & Ruckstuhl.

"Daniel Boone," woodsman, hunter, explorer and pioneer, by the sculptor Vaudeville.

"Buffalo Dance," showing Indians in one of their aboriginal dance festivals, executed by Borglum.

"Resting Cowboy," showing one of the rugged cowboys of the early West lying on the ground at the foot of his faithful pony.

"Pioneer Seeking Shelter," a finely conceived piece, and cleverly executed. It shows one of the hardy pioneers of the early days seeking refuge from the wintry blasts and blinding snow.

"Four Neptunes," an idyl of the sea, by Karl Bittner.

"Buffalo Fighting Mountain Lion," in which the supreme struggle for survival between two powerful species of typical Western animals is shown.

"Destiny of the Red Man," a group by Wetman.

In addition to the foregoing list of statues, 12 elaborately carved urns were secured and these will be scattered about the agricultural gardens and natural parks.

Placing of Statues. Where to place these statues in the most appropriate manner is a matter which is receiving the consideration of Mr. Huber and members of the executive board.

DESCENDANTS COMING. Lewis Day Will Be Appropriately Observed at Fair.

Nine descendants of Captain Meriwether Lewis, the explorer, now reside within the borders of the state which was opened up by the Lewis and Clark expedition.

HOTEL INSIDE GROUNDS. Mammoth Hostelry Will Be Erected at Lewis and Clark Exposition.

In addition to the many first-class hotels already in Portland and the many new ones now being built, a large hostelry will

be erected on the inside of the Exposition grounds for the accommodation of World's Fair visitors next Summer. The hotel will be known as the "American Inn."

Mrs. Jeannie A. McCready, of Buffalo, N. Y., will be the manager of this mammoth inn. Mrs. McCready conducted a most successful restaurant at the Pan-American Exposition, and her American Inn at St. Louis was one of the most popular eating places at the fair.

ISSUES ANOTHER LETTER. Chamber of Commerce Attempting to Shield Advertisers.

A second effort is being made by the Chamber of Commerce to protect business men from the wiles of unscrupulous solicitors who importune them for patronage in various publications, alleging in most cases that they have the official sanction of the Chamber of Commerce.

MARCH OF THE WHITE GUARD. The Sunday Oregonian tomorrow will begin publication of a beautiful story by Sir Gilbert Parker, author of "The Right of Way," etc.

thing schemes are and will for the next few months be springing up, the main object of which will be the draining of the purse of the Portland business men.

Attention is called to the fact that the Chamber of Commerce has a special committee of disinterested prominent merchants, which investigates all publications and other advertising subscription and charitable schemes.

KITTEN LOCKED IN JAIL. Sea-Weary Sailor Brings Friend With Him When Arrested.

Drizzling rain was falling in the North End last night, and poor little Fluff, a tiny kitten, looked almost as if he were warm.

Pioneer Seeking Shelter. "Pioneer Seeking Shelter" is a finely conceived piece, and cleverly executed.

NEW GRANGE ORGANIZED. Patrons Start at Woodlawn With a Large Charter Membership.

Woodlawn Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, has just been organized at Woodlawn with a charter membership of 25 to start with.

EMBRYO TAR HEADED OFF. Young Navy Recruit Arrested and May Never Get to Sea.

A career in the Navy was probably cut short yesterday, when Carl I. Cutting was arrested by Detective Vaughn on a charge of robbery.

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CARD OF THANKS. Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Sundleaf, 60 Market street, desire to thank friends and relatives for the tender sympathy and kindness extended them through the death of their baby, Harvey Abner.

BUSINESS ITEMS. Mr. Winslow is Cutting Teeth. He sure will be happy for the Original Musical Comedy.

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MAKES HIS REPORT

Madison Welch Says Bridge is Properly Constructed.

MADE CLOSE INSPECTION

Reports That All Materials Used Were According to Plans and Specifications, and That There is but One Deviation From Them.

From one source the Morrison-street bridge is declared to be a first-class structure so far as measurements and materials are concerned, while from another source another investigation was begun yesterday.

Madison Welch, an engineer, who is a member of the Legislature, was employed by the special Morrison-street committee of the Executive Board to make an examination.

Charles S. Bihler, of Tacoma, has been engaged by the bridge investigation committee of the Council to expert the structure. He was one of the engineers engaged last winter to go over the bids submitted on the bridge in conjunction with City Engineer Elbert.

W. L. Boise: Dear Sir—I have the honor to submit herewith a report of my investigations and examination of the bridge spanning the Willamette River, between Morrison and East Morrison streets, in this city, which is now being constructed.

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AT THE VAUDEVILLE THEATERS. Bijou's Great Variety. Music, thrills and merriment. All of these and some others that are just as good as at the Bijou.

AT THE THEATERS. What the Press Agents Say. "THE PRODIGAL DAUGHTER."

Very Fine Production at Columbia Theater. No prettier piece of stage-work has been seen in Portland for many a day than that acting (and singing, too) of Miss Brandt and Mr. Bowles at the Columbia Theater.

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"The Fatal Week." Frank James is the greatest drawing-card any theater has had since the past two nights the Empire Theater has been crowded to the doors to see this famous Missouri character.

Columbia Matinee Today. This afternoon's matinee and tonight's performance are the last chances Portland has to see the beautiful production, "The Prodigal Daughter," at the Columbia Theater.

COMING ATTRACTIONS. Advance Sale Today. This morning at 10 o'clock the advance sale of seats will open for the Original Musical Comedy, "A Chinese Honeymoon," which comes to the Marquam Grand Theater for two performances, next Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

PERSONAL MENTION. Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Spencer have returned from California. Mr. Spencer is A. E. Ellis, foreman of the Standard box factory, has gone to Southern California on a pleasure trip.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Iching, Itching, Bleeding, or Protruding. Your druggist will refund money if Pazo Ointment does not cure you in 14 days.

"THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY"

"The Princess Chic" Coming. Music lovers are anticipating a real treat in the presentation by the Kirke-La Shella Comic Opera Company in "The Princess Chic" at the Marquam Grand Theater in this city next Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

"Shore Acres." It makes one better to see such a play as "Shore Acres." "Shore Acres" is an old play, and yet it is a new one in the one new twist of setting it and one finds something more to admire in every presentation.

Black Patti Troubadours. The great Black Patti Troubadours will play a five-nights' engagement at the Empire Theater starting Tuesday night.

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BUY HOLIDAY GIFTS NOW PAY LATER Powers THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY First and Taylor MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS, WE WILL HOLD THEM UNTIL XMAS

SEE THE FIREBOAT Insurance Men Inspect the George H. Williams. WELL PLEASSED WITH WORK Agents Praise the Fire Department, but Say Protection Against Fire at Exposition Grounds is Very Inadequate.

PHOTOGRAPHS WORTH SEEING Exhibit of the Salon Club Which Will Be Shown in Portland. Of local interest is the exhibition of the Salon of America this week in New York.

Agents Praise the Fire Department, but Say Protection Against Fire at Exposition Grounds is Very Inadequate. Chief Campbell took the agents over the entire city water front and gave the men who risk their money against fire a splendid chance to see Portland's great river.

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Agents Pursue Him. The telephone in School Clerk Allen's office is kept hot these days and he is much interrupted in his work of closing up his accounts for the year by insurance agents who are anxious to have him renew old policies or take out more and larger ones.

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