

THE STATESMAN

New Hampshire and Vermont at '05 Fair.

TO ERECT FINE BUILDINGS

Each Will Reproduce Historical Structure.

EXHIBITS WILL BE LARGE

Old Constitution House to Be Installed by Vermont, While New Hampshire Decides on Replica of Webster's Home.

Vermont will be represented at the Lewis and Clark Exposition by a reproduction of one of the most valuable buildings, so far as historical value goes, in the United States. Word was received at Exposition headquarters yesterday that a building to be erected by Vermont will be a replica of the old Constitution house of 1777.

In this novel Exposition building, Vermont will have exhibits to show the records, too, will be there, and by this means the state will show her part in the upbuilding of the Nation. Modern exhibits will tell of the progress of Vermont in the present time. The middle age of the state will not be shown; just the past and the present, with a hint of the future.

Following the idea of Vermont, New Hampshire will place her exhibits in the replica of a historical building, the particular edifice to be a reproduction of the old house of Daniel Webster. Here there will be an exhibition public records and data concerning the life of Webster, and other men of New Hampshire whose names have come down to the ages.

Word was received at Exposition headquarters yesterday from Edwin Springmann, transportation commissioner of the United States Government Board, that the first car of exhibits to be transferred from St. Louis to the Lewis and Clark Exposition had been shipped.

FIRECOMPANY TO BE INSTALLED

At the Exposition grounds greater facilities for fighting fires are being installed. This comes, not as a result of the recent visit and report of the underwriters, who made the statement that there was insufficient fire protection on the grounds, but was contemplated before that body made its visit and report.

Club Buildings to Be Erected.

The Emanuel Swedenborg Club, of Chicago, an association interested in perpetuation of the work and data of the illustrious philosopher and scientist, has communicated with Lewis and Clark headquarters here, and has announced the intention of erecting a building.

SHOWERED WITH PEANUTS.

Thursday morning the Christmastide was auspiciously celebrated in the Central school, at East Twelfth and East Washington streets.

mentation from the teacher's superiors.

The children seated themselves at the desks in couples, and proceeded to devour a treat. While the pupils were enjoying their impromptu feast several of the elder girls and Miss Hamilton were admiring a show presented by one of the other teachers.

CROWDS AT POULTRY SHOW.

There was a larger attendance at the poultry show yesterday than on the days before. A large number of people were in the cages from the opening until the closing hour. All the awards have been made, and they give general satisfaction.

LADIES, READ THIS.

How to Get a Box of Six Handmade Handkerchiefs Free.

As our holiday presents to the ladies we have a box of six handsome handkerchiefs to the lady bringing in a gentleman for suit or overcoat, or to the lady purchasing man's or boy's suit or overcoat—besides we have a useful souvenir for men's wear.

LADIES' RAINCOATS.

Don't miss seeing them; elegant coats. Raincoats. A few light tan coats left in the city. Also some dark, nearly black raincoats, special values. Ladies' skirts, tail coats, regular \$8.00 skirts, today \$5.00.

ILLINOIS TO ORGANIZE.

On Thursday evening, December 23, at 8 o'clock, in the Board of Trade rooms, on the second floor of the Chamber of Commerce, former residents of Illinois will meet to organize an Illinois Society for some holiday entertainment.

Laundry Women Escape Fire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The four-story laundry building on Blackwell's Island was destroyed by fire early today. Sixty-five laundresses were on the top floor of the building when the flames broke out.

Day of Final Pilgrimage

THE last trip to toyland will be made today by fathers, mothers, brothers and sisters. There is a station in most every store in town, and the people express, called by grown-up people, "toyland," will be ready to take them to the heart of toyland.

Over in Germany there is a town called Nuremberg, a quaint, old town, which looks like a gigantic toy garden itself, and here is the principal center of toy manufacturing of the world.

Miss Hamilton, of Central School, Meets a New Custom.

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WAGON FOR CLERKS

Legislators Decline Against Parsimony of State.

PLANS LAID TO AMEND LAW

Multnomah Legislators Favor a More Liberal Policy—Many Applications for Positions as Clerks and Stenographers.

Mutterings of discontent are already heard against the clerkship restrictions that have been in force in the Legislature. Many members each wish to have a clerk of his own, and they declare and declare that the parsimony of the state is not economy, but stinginess.

WORK STOPPED ON JETTY.

Stormy Weather Causes Delay Until Spring.

The work of repairing the break in the Columbia River jetty is at a complete standstill now, owing to the extremely rough weather prevailing off the bar. Up to this time there has been about 1500 feet of the inshore end repaired, and in the opinion of the officials, this is all that can be done until early spring.

WILL LEAD THEM ALL.

The World's Fair that will be opened in Portland on June 1 next will surpass all former Expositions held in the West, in the number of its buildings, in the extent of its individual exhibits, in attractiveness of its grounds and in its architectural beauty.

SANTA VISITS SAMPSON

Big Snake Partakes of Christmas Cheer.

SAMPSON, the big snake which graces a local snake show, has enjoyed his Christmas dinner. He was a couple of days ahead of the day of feasting, good cheer and plenty, but he had his dinner. First he was given a bath, which consumed an hour, and then the dinner was served.

SCRAMBLE TO GET ASHORE.

Women's Gowns Torn and Men Lose Hats in Leaving the Deutschland.

1905 FAIR.

People from abroad are asking for information of the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition that will be formally opened in Portland on June 1 next.

Van Sant Announces Candidacy.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 23.—Governor Van Sant, in an interview today announced his candidacy for the Senate as a successor to Senator Clapp.

When You Have a Cold.

When troubled with a cold give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial. It is a sure cure and relieves all the symptoms.

supervision of the chief clerk, who assists them to duty.

Though the law ordained that "no person shall be employed as clerk or stenographer in either house who is not in every way competent to perform any and all work he or she may be called upon to perform," a large number of persons were employed.

FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL

EAST SIDE IMPROVEMENT CLUB ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS.

Suggests That Building Be Provided for by Bond Issue—Taxpayers Urged to Vote for Project.

After full discussion, the East Side Improvement Association, which convened last evening in the Junior Court room, N. W. Boise, vice-president, presiding, unanimously passed the following resolutions:

HUNG ON A NAIL.

Chapter From the Adventures of Truck Eagan, Batsman.

"Truck" Eagan, the big Tiger swatman, who holds the honor record of the Coast League, has assumed a new role. The other day in San Francisco, Eagan sat in a room in the hotel where the poles in a poolroom when the poles descended upon the place.

Drains Make Roads.

THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS-TIDE

Will Bring Cheer to All—Plans for Feasting City's Poor.

When the glad bells ring out tomorrow with the message of peace and happiness, their resonant tones will not only reach the family circles of prosperous homes where children and their elders are accustomed to the sound of life.

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in this: one plain, practical common-sense recommendation was made. "It is impossible to build a good road and maintain it without keeping the water off. This must be done by constructing the ditches so that the water will flow off instead of being retained in reservoirs.

READY ON NEW YEAR

OPEN-AIR SANITARIUM NEARLY COMPLETED.

Great Interest Shown in New Venture for Treating Consumption—Location Is Ideal.

The Open-Air Sanitarium for Consumptives will be thrown open for the admission of patients on New Year's day. This sanitarium has been a subject of much interest and concern to many citizens of Portland during the past few months, and the statement which was announced by Dr. Woods Hutchinson last night, to the effect that by New Year's there will be ample accommodations for six patients, will be received with great rejoicing.

IS WARMER NOW

A CHRISTMAS STORY FROM REAL LIFE.

HUNGRY, cold and weary, Tom Williams wandered up First street at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was wondering from whence his next meal would come. He was out of work and had none in prospect, so could not tell just how or where he would eat on the morrow, or indeed where to go for his supper that night.

Went After the Dealer.

Holiday Beach Rates.

Holiday Mails Are Unusually Heavy This Year.

The unusually heavy holiday work of the local Postoffice has increased last night by the receipt of 77 sacks of Oriental mail. This mail reached Astoria yesterday morning by the steamer Arabia, and was brought from there by train last night in order to expedite its delivery.

LADIES' RAINCOATS.

Light Tan—Elegant.

HOTEL PORTLAND CHRISTMAS DINNER

Proprietor Bowers, of the Hotel Portland, announces that the regular Christmas dinner at the hotel will be served on Sunday, December 25. Reservations for chairs must be made before Saturday night. The meal will be in keeping with the occasion and will cost \$1.50.

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In leather and metal, from 25c to \$1. Seven cigar stores.

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