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Governor Folk's Recommendation to Missouri.

FOR EXHIBIT AT THE FAIR

Special Message Asks Addition of \$25,000 to Appropriation That Missouri's Resources May Be Adequately Displayed.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 7.—(Special.)—Governor Folk today sent a special message to the Legislature recommending an additional appropriation for the Lewis and Clark Exposition as follows:

"The last General Assembly appropriated \$10,000 to have the resources of Missouri suitably exhibited at the Lewis and Clark Exposition to be held in the city of Portland this year. The appropriation two years ago was intended, as the act states, as merely preliminary, in order that the exhibits made at the World's Fair in St. Louis might be gotten together for the Portland Exposition.

"In accordance with the act of the last General Assembly, a commissioner from Missouri to the Portland Exposition was appointed by my predecessor and many of the splendid exhibits shown at the World's Fair in St. Louis have been shipped to Portland. By reason of having these exhibits on hand, and they are such as to arouse the pride of every Missourian and the admiration of those of other states, Missouri will be enabled, by a small additional appropriation, to make a showing that could not be done under ordinary circumstances by expending many times the amount that will now be granted.

"In order that Missouri's resources may be adequately exhibited in this exposition, I recommend a further appropriation of \$25,000 and that the Governor be authorized to appoint three commissioners to represent the state, one of whom shall be the commissioner already selected and now acting.

"It is particularly appropriate that Missouri, in whose Metropolis the greatest World's Fair of history has just successfully closed for the celebration of the acquisition of Louisiana, should take part prominently in the Portland Exposition, and the purpose of this Exposition is to celebrate the centennial of the Lewis and Clark exploration up the Missouri River and the subsequent crossing of the mountain range and the finding of a way to the Pacific Ocean, thereby adding all of that vast domain to the territory of the United States and supplementing lands acquired by the purchase of Louisiana."

EDITORS COMING TO THE FAIR

Large Delegation From Convention at Guthrie Will Visit Portland.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 7.—(Special.)—Fifty members of the National Executive committee of the National Editorial Association held a meeting here today and made final arrangements for the national convention which will be held in Guthrie, Okla., in June. Arrangements were also made for an extended trip through the West after the close of the convention.

June 6, 7 and 8 were determined upon as the days for the convention. Delegates and members of the national body, with their wives, children and guests, from states East of the Mississippi River, will meet in St. Louis on June 4 and leave on the evening of that day for Guthrie in special trains.

On June 9 the convention party will go on to San Francisco and then to Portland, Or., where it will visit the Lewis and Clark Exposition. No definite time was fixed for the stay at the Exposition, but the party will remain there several days.

ASSAYER WOOLLEY TO RESIGN

He Padded Payrolls and Barely Escaped Criminal Prosecutions.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 7.—Bishop H. Smith Woolley, Assayer of the United States Assay Office, at Boise, is again in the public eye. His resignation has been called for on account of irregularities in the conduct of his office, and it is doubtful if his resignation will save him from criminal prosecution.

Recently it was reported to the Treasury Department that Woolley was carrying the name of his brother, K. E. Woolley, on the rolls of the Assay Office, when in reality he was not on duty and absent from that office on leave of absence without pay. Secret Service Agent Taylor was sent to investigate, and found that, while K. E. Woolley was absent, his name had been carried on the pay roll from September 15 to October 21, 1904, and the pay rolls had been received.

On this showing it was proposed to immediately remove Assayer Woolley from service, but appeal was made in his behalf by friends here, and it was decided to permit him to resign. His resignation has not been reached here, but it is understood to be forthcoming.

Much chagrin is felt by Woolley's friends in the Senate and House from Idaho. Senator Heyburn and Representative French, at the time of his resignation, it was upon their strong personal appeals that the long-drawn-out fight against Woolley's appointment was decided in his favor. Ex-United States Marshal Joseph Pinkham is said to be under consideration as Woolley's successor.

New Northwest Postmasters. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 7.—Postmasters appointed: Oregon—Geisler, Baker County, Edna C. Hall, vice W. K. Kirby, removed. Washington—W. Kamichie, Mason County, G. G. Hantley, vice C. W. Flah, resigned.

Rural carriers appointed: Oregon—Hood River, route No. 1, A. J. Friedley, carrier; H. C. Friedley, substitute; "Monroe, route No. 1, Lewis A. Peck, carrier; W. A. Peck, substitute. Washington—Tekoa, route No. 1, W. M. Shaw, carrier; David H. Shaw, substitute.

Water on Palouse Land in 1907. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 7.—Replying to inquiries made by Senator Foster, the directors of the geological surveys state that, if it is possible to award contracts for the Palouse irrigation project in the State of Washington early this year, water may be delivered to some of the lands in 1907, and to all of the lands in 1908.

Portland's Largest and Foremost Store. Olds Wortman King. The "Quality Shop".

THE INVENTORY SALE IS IN FULL SWING

Something new every hour of the day. The lights in the store do not go out this week when the great gong strikes at closing time—6 P. M. A special force comes on and from every box and counter, showcase and shelf, goods come to be written down in the great stock books, and when the week is over we shall know to the smallest minutiae the amount of stock in the store at the end of this fiscal year that finishes Saturday night.

Inventory Sale in the Toggery



New Sixth-Street Annex, 1st Floor. MEN'S SWEATERS WORTH \$2.50 FOR \$1.50. A line of men's fancy Sweaters in combinations of scarlet and emerald and emerald and pink. A misty good Sweater at our \$2.50 value. Special at, each \$1.00.

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All orders by mail or phone filled at advertised prices. Largest mail-order house in the North. West Phone "Exchange 12."

A GREAT SPECIAL SALE OF Magnificent Ball Costumes and Evening Wraps



ELKS' GRAND BALL ON FRIDAY EVENING. STARTS TODAY—GRAND SALONS OF DRESS—SECOND FLOOR. HERE IS OUR INVITATION—Come and select from our matchless, surpassing stocks of these beautiful creations; choose from the best values ever shown on the Pacific Slope at prices ranging from \$40.00 to \$250 at

CLOSING OUT THE BOOKS

Second Floor. All must go, we are going out of business. BOOKS OF PROSE AND POETRY. Worth 25c for 10c. A select series of the world's best literature in prose and poetry, neatly bound in white and silver, or in darker bindings. Each book in new book form. Our \$2.50 value. Special Clearance Sale price, each \$1.00.

INVENTORY SALE IN THE UNDERMUSLIN AND WARDROBE SALONS—CORSET SHOP AND INFANTS' WEAR SECTION.

Second-Floor Annex. Monster sale of Odds and Ends of Ladies' Fine Muslin Underwear. LADIES' \$5.75 SILK PETTICOATS \$3.25. Ladies' gloria silk Petticoats, very best quality, deep knife plaiting, some with three ruffles and high Oxford, Coblin, and adjustable belts; regular value \$5.75, special, each \$3.25.

INVENTORY SALE AND GREAT

LOT 1—Polka-dot founard and novelty suit Silks, good color assortment; special for yard, \$1.50. LOT 2—Swell novelty suit silk, all good colors and designs; special at the dozen, 7c. LOT 3—Swell novelty suit silk, all good colors and styles; special for yard, \$1.50.

YOUNG FOLKS' LIBRARY.

Books for boys, nicely bound, with handsome cover design, painted edges. The series includes books by many of the popular boy authors of the day; many of them being copyrighted. Following is a partial list: Capt. Jack, by Horatio Alger, Jr., Winfield, Otis, St. George Rathbone, Lemit Lounsbury and many others. The Jack Harkaway series is also included in this lot. Our \$1.50 value. Special Clearance Sale price, each \$1.00.

In the Art Department

CUSHION COVERS WORTH 35c TO 75c FOR 19c. The Cushion Covers are made of art denim and linen stamped in floral and conventional designs; our regular 35c to 75c values, special sale price, each \$19c.

Special Annual Inventory Sale Notions, Small Wares

DRUG SUNDRIES. LePage's Liquid Glue, 1 ounce bottle. Our 10c value. Special at, bottle \$5c. BOX WRITING PAPER FOR 12c. Box Writing Paper, in white, plain or ruled, envelopes to match. Our 20c value. Special at, box \$12c.

Men's 15c-Linen Collars

To close 4 for 25c. "THE TOGGERY." A clean-up. Another snap for the "Togger's" patrons. We've made a round-up of all the collar stocks and found a lot of odds and ends we don't want to count in the inventory, so we've wanted to give our customers a "hook" for their money. These collars are in good styles and best made with better case binding and full kid lining—some of them are indexed. Our regular \$2.50 value. Special Clearance price, each \$1.40.

Great Bargains Today

Infants' Caps of white India or Bengaline silks, nicely trimmed, with ruche around face; others in plain effects, special at, each \$1.00. WOOL TOQUES WORTH 90c FOR 25c. Children's Wool Toques, with fancy Persian borders, others of striped alyaline in colors or white, pretty and warm; our regular 90c value, special at, each \$25c.

Housefurnish'gs

Startling reductions are quoted for this week, throughout the monster fourth-floor stocks. Every article from the costliest to the least expensive being marked at unmistakable bargain figures. Examples of the way we've gone about making bargains are printed below.

Table Covers Half Price

Small line of heavy Tapestry Table Covers 6-4 and 8-4 size. Oriental and floral designs. Special, HALF PRICE. Regular \$10.00 value, special \$5.00. Regular \$12.00 value, special \$6.00. Regular \$15.00 value, special \$7.50. Regular \$20.00 value, special \$10.00. Regular \$25.00 value, special \$12.50. Regular \$30.00 value, special \$15.00. Regular \$40.00 value, special \$20.00. Regular \$50.00 value, special \$25.00.