

NEAR FAIR PRIZES

Lincoln County Will Make a Strong Display.

CLOSE RIVALRY IS SHOWN

Twenty-Four Oregon Counties Working Hard for Awards and Honorable Mention—Exhibit Plans Kept Secret.

Lincoln County is coming to the Exposition with a view to taking back all the prizes in sight for county competition.

"In our exhibit," said Judge Brown yesterday, "we are going to bring timber, stone, minerals, fish and game, oysters and everything that is portable."

EXHIBIT FORCE IS SELECTED

Appointments Made for Important Positions at Fair.

The appointment was announced yesterday at Exposition headquarters of the various superintendents of buildings and heads of subdepartments to serve from this date until the close of the Exposition.

H. B. Hardt, assistant director of exhibits, and J. F. Hatcher, superintendent of mines and metallurgy.

Dr. David T. Day, honorary commissioner of mines and metallurgy.

W. H. Wehring, superintendent of agriculture, horticulture and forestry.

James Thompson, superintendent of electricity and machinery.

M. B. Wisdom, superintendent of livestock.

Elmer Dixon, superintendent of poultry.

GOLD NUGGETS FROM ALASKA

Governor Brady Wires That Fine Collection Has Been Secured.

Joseph Marvin, special agent of the Government in charge of the Alaskan exhibit at the Exposition, received a telegram from Governor Brady yesterday stating that the largest and finest collection of gold nuggets and bullion possible to secure in Alaska had been assembled ready for shipment to Portland.

Dates of Organ Recitals at Fair.

Dates were announced yesterday by Theodore Harter, assistant to President Goode, for the series of 12 organ recitals which will be held in the Auditorium during the Exposition, under the auspices of local musicians.

Lane County at the Fair.

FIGURES, Or., May 5.—(Special).—The Lane County exhibit for the Lewis and Clark Exposition is now being packed by Superintendent E. M. Warren, and will soon be shipped to Portland and placed in the space allotted to the exhibit.

President of Chicago Fair Coming.

H. G. Higginbotham, who was president of the famous World's Fair at Chicago, has accepted President Goode's invitation to attend the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

Compiling the Official Catalogue.

Exhibitors who do not send in descriptive matter regarding their exhibits by May 20 will be cut off in the official catalogue with a brief mention, according to a circular letter mailed to 300 exhibitors yesterday morning by Exhibits Director Dosch.

Day for Washington Bankers.

Washington bankers are to have a special day at the Exposition. A party of 70 bankers, relatives and friends are arranging to come to Portland July 23, which is the date of opening the bankers' annual convention.



TRIAL FOR MURDER

Blanche Thompkins Claims the Death Was Accident.

NORA STONE THE VICTIM

The Two Had Quarrelled, and the Accused Woman, It Is Charged, Threw a Lighted Lamp at the Other.

Blanche Thompkins, a young woman of ill repute, who struck Nora Stone with a lighted lamp on March 25 last, causing the death of the latter, was tried before Judge Cleland yesterday.

Blanche Thompkins followed Nora Stone upstairs and struck her with her fist. Moeller said he had previously told Nora Stone to keep her mouth shut and stop quarrelling, but to no avail.

Coming to the time of the fatal assault, Moeller testified that Nora Stone entered the room occupied by Blanche Thompkins and answered the light. Mrs. Thompkins was carrying a lamp, and Mrs. Stone grabbed her by the hair. They struggled, and Mrs. Stone was struck by the lamp.

The witness then related that assistance was summoned and told of the removal of Nora Stone to the hospital. Mrs. Thompkins and others testified concerning the quarrel and its consequences.

LEAVES A VALUABLE ESTATE

Will of Thomas M. Richardson Admitted to Probate.

The will of the late Thomas M. Richardson, disposing of an estate valued at more than \$250,000, was admitted to probate in the County Court yesterday.

JURY ACQUITS V. TASONE.

Accused of Hiding Murderer Fiorebello From the Officers.

Vincenzo Tazone, accused of concealing Joseph Fiorebello, the murderer of Amelia Striani, was tried before Judge Cleland yesterday as an accessory after the fact of the commission of the murder, and was acquitted.

Fiorebello shot and killed Mrs. Striani in her store on First street on February 10, and he committed suicide in a closet adjoining the house occupied by Tazone on Fifth street, north of Marquam Gulch, at midnight on February 14.

At the trial yesterday the evidence showed that Fiorebello was hiding in the closet for three days and that Vincenzo Calabretta was aware of the fact. The only evidence showing knowledge on the part of Tazone was that he started to put some kindling-wood in the closet and Calabretta told him not to go there because Fiorebello was there.

Sues for Loss of Hand.

The suit of Fred Saastad against the Portland Lumber Company to recover \$10,000 damages for the loss of a hand, was placed on trial yesterday before Judge Sears and a jury, and will be continued today.

1-2-3 Sung to Sleep by Coffee.

"The fearful work coffee has done for me is difficult to describe. I had no idea how weakened one can become from the breaking-down effect of coffee on the nerves."

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"From the beginning the Postum Coffee had a beneficial effect on me. I improved in every way, my sleep came back, health and refreshing, and in a few weeks I went home a well woman, as I am to this day. I still use Postum, of course, and will never return to the kind."

"Noting the good effects of Postum in my case, I wrote home urging that it be given to my 15-year-old daughter, who was very delicate and frequently ill from a complication of diseases connected with the stomach. Well, my people tried it, but were disgusted with it—they didn't make it right. They said it was impossible for them to drink it, and my daughter rebelled and cried for the old kind of coffee."

"I came home I changed all that by making it right—allowing it to boil for 20 minutes after it first came to a boil, and served it with cream. The child collapsed it at once, and benefited from the first strength came to her day by day, and she began to develop, and was enabled to go to school much more regularly."

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