

DYNAMITE USE TO SCARE CREW

Hill and Harriman Gangs of Construction Have Second Disagreement.

CARSON SCENE THIS TIME

Trouble on the North Bank Grows More Serious, and It Is Decided to Test Rights in the Courts.

Hill and Harriman construction gangs at Carson, Wash., on the north bank of the Columbia, came together in a serious clash at noon yesterday.

agreed by Mr. Kerr to withdraw the Hill forces from property claimed by the Harriman gang...

A letter was received by Attorney Stapleton yesterday that Judge McCredie will not return to Vancouver until next Tuesday.

An extended answer to the allegations in the complaint will be presented by the Columbia Valley attorneys...

ELKS IN SESSION

Want the State Associations Recognized.

F. T. WRIGHTMAN PRESIDENT

Two Hundred Delegates From Eleven Lodges in Oregon Pledge Judge Melvin, of California, Support for Exalted Ruler.

F. T. Wrightman, of Salem, was elected president of the Oregon State Association of Elks at the second annual convention of Elks at Baker City...

MEETINGS FOR MEN

Y. M. C. A. Arranges for Its Campaign Series.

FOLLOWS EASTERN IDEA

Instead of Clergymen, Professional and Business Men Will Be the Speakers at the Big Gatherings.

Through the initiative of the Young Men's Christian Association, a systematic campaign is to be started to hold special religious meetings to reach the men of Portland...

ITS TWELFTH CONFERENCE

United Evangelical Denomination in Session in Portland.

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Instead of Clergymen, Professional and Business Men Will Be the Speakers at the Big Gatherings.

The twelfth annual session of the Oregon Conference of the United Evangelical denomination opened yesterday morning in the auditorium of the St. Johns United Evangelical Church...

IMPERIAL SMYRNA RUGS

are being advertised extensively in the leading magazines of the United States.

If you are interested in these Rugs we invite you to call and look at our stock, which embraces all sizes from 18x36 inches to 9x12 feet.

These rugs are heavy, rich and extremely durable. They are reversible, which doubles their wearing qualities.

"EXCLUSIVE CARPET HOUSE"

J. G. MACK & CO.

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PHIL METZCHAN, Pres. G. W. KNOWLES, Mgr.

Imperial Hotel Co. Seventh and Washington Streets, Portland, Oregon. European Plan \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 per Day.

Malarky considered that it would be advantageous to the widow to accept the sum tendered...

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, April 12.—Maximum temperature, 66 deg.; minimum, 47. River reading at 8 A. M. 7 1/2 feet...

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

Table with columns for STATIONS, Maximum Temperature, Minimum Temperature, Precipitation, Wind, Direction, State of Sky.

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SCENE IN THE ELKS' LODGE ROOMS WHEN THE ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE OREGON STATE ASSOCIATION OF ELKS OPENED.

Levey Surprised at News.

TACOMA, Wash., April 12.—C. M. Levey, president of the Portland & Seattle Railroad Company, when shown the dispatch relative to the use of dynamite...

A. B. CHURCH PASSES AWAY

Pioneer of Sixty Years Dies After Long Illness.

A. B. Church, who came to Oregon 60 years ago, died yesterday at his home at North Mount, after a lingering illness of nearly a year.

Mr. Church was born in Vermont, April 2, 1838, and in the early part of the year 1866 he caught the westward fever...

He did not stop at Portland, for it was not then dreamed of as a place of importance.

Mr. Church had taken up a considerable portion of the city under the donation land claim.

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Great Enthusiasm Shown.

Great enthusiasm was aroused during the convention, which was held behind closed doors, and the delegates all unite in the opinion that it was very successful.

It began at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and did not adjourn until about 5:30 o'clock.

Governor Chamberlain presided over the convention.

Probably the most important action taken during the convention was the passage of a resolution which contained the recommendation that the Oregon delegates to the grand lodge...

The resolution recommended that all of the delegates from Oregon support the movement.

A delegate was elected to represent the association. Each of the 12 lodges in Oregon will send delegates to the grand lodge...

The purpose of these associations is to bring the Elks of the various states into closer relationship...

The social phase is a pleasant feature of the associations.

The conventions afford the Elks of the state an opportunity to become acquainted with each other...

At the convention of yesterday various speakers expressed great satisfaction over the organization of the Oregon State Association...

The officers of the Oregon State Association, the sentiment that the grand lodge should recognize the state associations was very strong.

Vote for Melvin.

A resolution introduced by George L. Hutchins, exalted lecturer and knight of the Portland lodge...

The resolution also resolved that the grand lodge should create a position for Frederick Ward, to be known as grand exalted orator and lecturer knight in the field.

It is the idea to have Mr. Ward travel about the country lecturing upon the order, expounding the principles of the order and the good fellowship that exists among all Elks.

It is proposed to have the office sufficiently remunerative to warrant Mr. Ward in making the upbuilding of Elksdom a life-work.

Those Who Spoke.

Among those who made short addresses yesterday were Governor Chamberlain and President Wrightman.

The latter voiced his appreciation of the high honor which had been bestowed upon him in electing him the head of the organization.

Governor Chamberlain was not a candidate for re-election.

The Oregon State Association of Elks elected yesterday follows: President, F. T. Wrightman, Salem. Vice-presidents, W. S. Lewis, Baker City; C. S. Phillips, The Dalles; E. B. McDaniell, Baker City.

Secretary, Malcolm Barber, Astoria; treasurer, J. H. Peare, La Grande; chaplain, Rev. J. N. Bell, Baker City; sergeant-at-arms, H. F. McKay, Portland; trustee, F. W. DeWitt, The Dalles; J. D. Fenton, Portland; H. E. Henderson, Astoria; H. H. Olinger, Salem; F. W. Benson, Roseburg; E. V. Carter, Ashland; C. H. Burgess, Albany; C. D. Goodenough, La Grande; J. L. Rand,

FIRE IN A CANDY STORE

It Does Damage to the Extent of Several Hundred Dollars.

The fire which broke out in the confectionery store of John Gebhardt at 443 1/2 Washington street at 4:43 o'clock last evening, completely destroyed the one-story frame building it occupied, and damaged the adjoining building, occupied by the Fluff Rug Company...

The first meeting of the series will be held one week from next Sunday night, but the place has not yet been determined.

It was intended to begin the series in Astoria, but this has been changed, and the opening service will probably be held in one of the large churches on the West Side.

The following Sunday, however, there will be two meetings in Astoria, one in the Forbes Presbyterian Church, and the other in the Third Baptist Church.

Several Committeemen Chosen.

At the meeting of the general committee yesterday, E. C. Bronaugh was elected chairman, and Reno Hutchinson secretary.

It was decided to enlarge the committee, which will hereafter consist of the pastor and two laymen from each church.

From this general committee an executive committee will be selected, consisting of one pastor and one layman from each denomination.

A portion of the committee has already been selected, as follows: Presbyterians, Rev. A. J. Mortimer and E. C. Bronaugh; Congregational, Dr. E. L. House and M. E. Thompson; Episcopal, Rev. Robert Hops and George C. Burton; Baptist, Dr. J. Whitcomb Brooker; Cumberland Presbyterian, Rev. E. Nelson Allen and R. W. Steele; Methodist Episcopal, Rev. W. H. Heppie and A. F. Fiegel; Evangelical, Rev. Theodore Schauer; Friends, Rev. E. H. Hadley; Christian, Rev. E. S. Mackley and Walter Hanson.

Invitations are being sent to all pastors not yet participating to join the movement, and to appoint two members of their congregations to serve on the general committee.

Arrangements for the opening meeting will be made by Dr. E. L. House, A. F. Fiegel and B. S. Cook.

Damage Suit Compromised.

The \$500 damage suit of Charles F. Candiani, administrator of the estate of Pietro Bonacci, against the Portland City & Oregon Railway Company, now the Oregon Water Power & Railway Co., was settled and dismissed in Judge George's court yesterday afternoon.

Bonacci was killed in April, 1905, in a collision on the Madison-street bridge. The trial was in progress yesterday, and after Austin Matlock, principal witness for the plaintiff, had finished his evidence, W. T. Muir, attorney for the Oregon Water Power & Railway Company, made an offer of compromise with Dan Malarky, counsel for the administrator.

Bonacci left a wife in Italy, who is poor, and as the case might be appealed and continue in the courts for years, Mr.

Will Observe Good Friday.

Good Friday will be observed today at St. Paul's German Lutheran Church, East Twelfth and Clinton streets, by special services. Prayer and sermon will occur at 10:30 o'clock this morning, and a procession and holy communion at 5 o'clock this evening.

Beauty brings, or sets skin clear and hair its complexion pure. Only B.C.



A. B. Church, who came to Oregon in 1846.

act, but did not think it worth while, and went up to Oregon City, while the remainder of the party distributed themselves in the Willamette Valley.

He afterwards operated for 34 years a grist and sawmill at Lewisville, Wash. For some years he has lived in Portland. His wife died July 11, 1905. Mr. Church was able to see the Lewis and Clark Fair. About a year ago Mr. and Mrs. Church celebrated their golden wedding.

With the surviving children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, there are 70 descendants. Following are the surviving children: William, Mrs. C. H. Brown; Mrs. Mary E. Stout, Portland; Mrs. Rosa Olson, Astoria; Edith M. Coltrux, Lewisville; J. O. Church, Ilwaco; Mrs. Nettie H. Collins, Vancouver, Wash.; Mrs. Eva J. Rydell, Vancouver, Wash.; Mrs. Clara Moore, Mount Tabor; Anne O. Church, Lewisville, Wash. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence at Mount Tabor, and the interment will be in Multnomah Cemetery.

Go to the Courts.

In blissful ignorance of the second conflict this week between the opposing forces along the Hill and Harriman roads on the north bank of the Columbia, James Kerr, head counsel for the Portland & Seattle, met in conference yesterday afternoon with G. W. Stapleton, counsel for the Columbia Valley, and arranged an armistice. It was

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