

Practical Basis For Road Work

Permanent Organization to Cover State May Grow Out of Conference.

MANY WILL BE PRESENT

Judge Webster and Judge Scott Mentioned as Rival Candidates for Position at Head of System.

Delegates to the good roads conference, which will be held in the rooms of the Portland Commercial Club tomorrow, are arriving in the city from every section of the state.

The sessions of the conference will be called to order at 10 A. M. tomorrow by C. W. Hodson, president of the Commercial Club, who will introduce County Judge Webster as chairman of the gathering.

Plan for Entire State. The purpose of this gathering of practical and experienced men on the subject of road building is to formulate some feasible plan by which there may be co-operation among the different counties in the construction of more good roads.

To that end it has been proposed that some competent person be employed to give his personal attention as a Good Roads Commissioner towards promoting this work in the different counties.

Two Men Want Position. Report that such a suggestion would be made and probably acted upon favorably has started keen rivalry for the job among at least two aspirants.

Elliot Block Handsome Structure. HOOD RIVER, Ore., Aug. 9.—(Special.)—The new \$20,000 brick block, which is being built here by Dr. T. L. Elliot, of Portland, is nearing completion.

Road Work in Baker. J. B. Messick, County Judge of Baker County, was among the first of the delegates to tomorrow's conference to reach this city.

Delegates From Salem. The Salem Board of Trade will be represented at tomorrow's conference by the following delegates: J. H. Scott, H. B. Thielson, P. B. Wallace, I. Greenbaum, Dr. N. Smith, Hon. A. Crockett, W. Power, August Hucksleider, Dr. W. B. Morse, J. H. Lewis, J. L. Stockton, Wait Shipp, E. Hofer, M. O. Buren, T. E. Kay, H. D. Foster, E. M. Beckwith, W. H. Haherty, S. H. Lima, W. W. Lander, Bent Jones, D. A. Harris, W. F. Davidson, Charles A. McKee and E. M. Croison.

PREPARING FOR SHRINERS Eugene Plans Elaborate Decorations for Big Convention.

EUGENE, Ore., Aug. 9.—(Special.)—The committee on arrangements for the

big Shriners' convention, to be held here early in September, has been appointed and is now at work. The committee on decoration has arranged for 58 emblems to be set along Williams street.

FAMILY IN PITIABLE PLIGHT At 925 East Thirty-first street, North, there is a pitiable case of "everybody works but father," according to a report of Police Officer Joe Keller.

POLICE FIND CASE OF EXTREME DESTITUTION. Charles Sanos Said to Live in Idleness, While Wife Works and Children Suffer.

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REAL ESTATE AND BUILDING NEWS

WORK ON HOTEL ANNEX PROGRESSES



HOTEL OREGON ADDITION, PARK STREET, NORTH OF STARK.

On the night of July 22, and also from the sites of the big fire in the North End that burned over parts of three blocks on July 23.

The south and west walls of the Resemblant Hotel, at Alder and Tenth are under way, and the largest office building yet constructed in the "Smoky city."

Work is started on the site at Seventeenth and Alder where John McCall is to have erected a garage 50x100.

Building Inspector Dobson and his force moved into the offices recently vacated by Captain Speier, harbor master.

One of the new buildings to be erected in the North End is that of M. Palfay that is to occupy the southwest corner of Third and Everett. It is estimated to cost about \$20,000.

Within a space of three blocks in Holladay Addition, buildings costing \$275,000 are under construction.

On East Third and Clackamas, three two-story flats are to be built for P. H. Tynan. J. M. Haller is having a two-story residence on Schuyler street.

The trustees of the Sunnyside Congregational Church have adopted plans for the new church, provided certain financial arrangements are made.

H. C. Davis is drawing preliminary plans for the District Fair building of the Grange Fair Association, to be held at Gresham this Fall.

The Portland Railway, Light & Power Company will start work on the new car barn at the Golf Links, Sellwood, in a short time.

N. C. Poulsen has secured the contract to build an addition to the south side of the Washington Presbyterian Church, East Tenth and Welder streets.

M. C. Mace is to have a two-story frame residence built on Tillamook street, between East Tenth and Thirteenth streets, to cost \$4500.

Among the building contracts awarded last week are the following: A. E. Oberg, for a \$2000 residence for H. Back, Victoria street, between Broadway and Welder street.

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A SIMPLE BUNGALOW



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If readers are looking for something in the bungalow line, this is one little gem to study. This is what they call a six-room bungalow.

The size of the house is 30x35 feet over the main part. The first story is nine feet in the clear, finished with hardwood floors throughout, and Oregon fir finish in each room.

By special arrangement with The Oregonian, the architect will furnish one complete set of plans and specifications for this design for \$15.00.

The new edition of Glenn L. Saxton's popular architectural book, "American Dwellings," regular price \$1.50, is for sale for \$1.00.

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