

Y. M. C. A. ELECTS BOOTH PRESIDENT

Many Delegates Attend Idaho-Oregon Annual Convention at Eugene.

MEMBERSHIP GAIN HEAVY

Report Shows Increase From 2630 to 7293 in Ten Years—Rich Property Is Held—Prominent Speakers Give Addresses.

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The seventh annual convention of the Oregon-Idaho Young Men's Christian Association opened in this city this afternoon with 140 delegates present.

The following committees were appointed: Nominations—E. A. McConnell, Oregon Agricultural College; F. E. A. Smith, Portland; Lester Bennett, of Philomath; E. M. Roworth, of Salem, and E. C. French, of Portland.

The following officers of the convention were elected: President, R. A. Booth, of Eugene; vice-presidents, Fletcher Homan, of Salem; C. E. Fetherald, of Payette, and Jesse Edwards, of Newberg; Harry J. E. Russell, of Portland; assistant secretary, Fred M. Weatherford, of Corvallis.

Bandon, Or., Dec. 2.—There is considerable enthusiasm in Bandon over the prospect of a direct boat to be put on the regular run between Portland and this city.

BIGAMY CHARGE THREAT Man Says Wife Declares She Already Had Spouse.

DATTON, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Mrs. Emma Carpenter, said to be living in Portland, is defendant in an unusual divorce complaint filed here today by Jesse Carpenter, of Huntsville, this county.

DEALERS DENIED REBATES Liquor Men Knocked Out by Local Option Cannot Get Money Back.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The state will not allow a rebate of

any portion of the \$25 annual liquor license collected from all places where intoxicants are sold; the Tax Commission may permit the transfer of the unused portion of a state liquor license from one person to another; the Commission also has authority to permit the transfer of the unused portion of a state liquor license from one unit to another.

U. OF W. PLANS SCHOOL

Teachers and Students Will Study Geology of Washington.

STEAMBOAT IS REQUIRED TO ENABLE SHERIFF TO EXECUTE COURT'S ORDER.



SOBY'S FLOATING FARM. VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Jens Soby's floating farm, covers more than an acre of surface on the Columbia River.

now planning for a traveling Summer school to begin about June 20. The object of the new school will be to train teachers preparing for high school work and students preparing for geological work.

MARINE PRIZE VALUABLE

Steamer Montegale Picks Up Liner Armenia.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 2.—The steamship Montegale, which reached Victoria today from the Orient, earned a large salvage, the amount to be decided by Lloyd's, by picking up the Armenian liner, the Armenia, 16 miles from the Soetra rock, in the China Sea, halfway between Nagasaki and Shanghai, on October 13, as already cabled.

RAILROAD MEN AT MOSCOW

Howard Elliott Is Much Interested in Harvester Plant.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Howard Elliott, president; Thomas Cooper, assistant to the president; George T. Slade, third vice-president; Henry C. Nutt, fourth vice-president, and Henry Blakely, general Western freight agent of the Northern Pacific, together with a dozen friends, in a special train, under the direction of W. J. Jordan, of Lewiston, were the guests of the Comstock Harvester Company for an hour this noon.

Ten Churches in Eugene Revival. EUGENE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Rev. W. H. Stugh, of Wheaton, Ill., is conducting a series of evangelistic services in this city. Ten evangelical churches are joining in the campaign.

INCREASE IS TOPIC

Legislature May Add Two Members to Bench.

NEW LAW MAKES FOR WORK

Appointment of Additional Justices by Governor West Will Be Opposed by Republicans. Contest Is Expected.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—That the addition of two Supreme Justices to the five now connected with the court will be one of the liveliest topics to be considered by the next Legislature, is the opinion of several of the members-elect of both the Senate and the House.

Work Ahead for Bench. The great amount of extra labor which will be entailed by fully examining into the records of the various actions coming up on appeal, will result in swamping the work of the five Justices, who are already over a year behind in their work, so it is argued.

Job for West Disliked. Some of the Republicans who are in favor of additional Justices do not express themselves as being in favor of their appointment by Governor-elect West, and there may be a hitch in the proceedings on that ground alone, if no other.

SAN FRANCISCO WINS TWO

Washington Organizations Favor City as Exposition Site.

SEATTLE, Dec. 2.—Two organizations of statewide importance went on record today as favoring San Francisco as the proper place for holding the world's fair to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal in 1915.

CONTRACTORS DOES OWN STREET WORK

Springfield Does Own Street Work at Cost Far Below Bids.

SPRINGFIELD, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Street work will be stopped for the winter Saturday night, and 40 men and a dozen teams will be taken off. There will be completed just 10 blocks of macadamized pavement, and 40 blocks which have been graded and covered with one coat of crushed rock.

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Portland's Leading Furniture and Complete Homefurnishing Store.

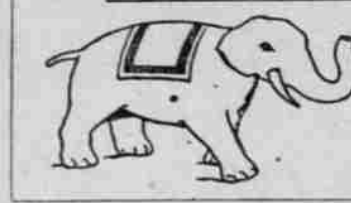
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Every Section of the Store Splendidly Ready for Christmas—The Most Varied, the Most Complete, the Most Interesting Stocks We've Ever Assembled. Your Holiday Selections Will Be Easily and Most Economically Made Here.

Holiday Shoppers Will Find the Wistaria Tea Room a Convenient and Enjoyable Place for Breakfast, Midday Lunch and Afternoon Tea. On the Balcony. Store Remains Open This Evening Until 9:30.

There Is Christmas Activity in Toyland



And everything is going full blast—those express trains and trolley cars that have real electric motors and, of course, operate by electric power—the flying machines and racing autos—the steamboats and steam engines—the climbing bears and the elephants—the mooring cows and buffaloes and the swimming ducks.

These Previously Announced Specials End Today—\$3.48 for \$5 and \$7.50 Lily of France and Madeleine Corsets. \$4.29 for \$6.50 to \$10 Lily of France and Madeleine Corsets.

Today in the Shirtwaist Shop These Attractive Holiday Savings in Waists

Lingerie Waists Specially Marked at \$1.75 Perfect-fitting waists of soft chiffon lawn, all hand embroidery trimmed and with numerous small pin tucks.

For \$3.98 For \$5.95 and \$7.50 Black Silk Waists

Of silk taffeta and silk messaline—the guaranteed quality. What's more, they're all the newest models—strictly plain tailored and fancy styles.

For Today—\$3.95 Buys Silk Kimonos Worth \$7.50

More of those pretty Kimonos, a previous offering of which was responded to by many. They're all silk, figured, and in solid colors, with contrasting band edge of solid color silk.

79c for Belts That Were \$1.25 and \$1.50

They're specially priced for today only, these Belts of very best quality patent leather—Hyle's leather, which we guarantee against cracking.

Art Brassware, Chafing Dishes, Fancy China, Clocks, Lamps, Table Silverware, Crockery, Sewing Machines, Etc., in the Basement. Easy Payment Terms.

STATE OFFICER DEPOSED

GOVERNOR BRADY REMOVES BANK EXAMINER.

Charges Made That W. G. Cruise Knew of Unstable Condition of Halley Institution.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—H. S. Geary, Deputy Bank Commissioner, was today appointed State Bank Commissioner by Governor Brady, to succeed William G. Cruise, who was ousted from office following charges of perfunctory examination of the Idaho State Bank at Halley, Idaho, in which institution he had notes aggregating \$2500, when it closed last month.

"MR. DOOLEY" ON THE MEXICAN REVOLUTION

In the Sunday Oregonian tomorrow, "Mr. Dooley" philosophizes on revolutions in general and Mexico's in particular. Here are a few excerpts: "I never believe in a revolution till I see new faces in th' windows at th' City Hall."

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The Neckwear Shop Offers Today 500 Linen Collars at 10c Ea.

Plain Collars, Hemstitched Collars and Embroidered Collars, in all heights, in sizes from 12 to 14 1/2 or 3 for 25c

19c for Women's 25c, 35c Ties

Tube Four-in-Hands and Windsor Silk Ties in plain colors, Persian design and fancy plaids.

\$1.95 for Bissell's Carpet Sweeper That Sells Regularly for \$2.75

A helpful addition to the household utilities is a Bissell Sweeper—the standard of excellence in carpet sweepers. Give the woman who sweeps one of them and her work will be easier and pleasanter. Carpet Store—Sixth Floor.

Week-End in Drapery Store

10c EACH for Remnants of Drapery Fabrics that can be used for pillow tops and other Christmas gift purposes.

Another lot of Remnants grouped at the special price, 50c EACH.

10c YARD for Silkoline in floral and conventional designs in light and dark colors, 36 inches wide and worth 15c yard.

15c YARD for Silk and Cotton Drapery Fringe worth 25c yard.

25c YARD for Plain Serim Curtaining in white and ecru, 36 inches wide and worth 40c yard.

SCRIBNER'S CHRISTMAS BOOKS

AFRICAN GAME TRAILS By THEODORE ROOSEVELT

His own account of his celebrated expedition. Splendidly illustrated from photographs by Kermit Roosevelt and the naturalists of the expedition, as well as by full-page photographs from drawings.

At the Villa Rose A Detective Story By A. E. W. MASON

Rest Harrow By MAURICE HEWLETT

Once upon a Time By RICHARD HARDING DAVIS

The Fugitive Freshman By RALPH D. PAINE

Mr. Dooley Says By the Author of "Mr. Dooley in Peace and in War," etc.

Cupid's Cyclopedea Compiled for Daniel Cupid by OLIVER HERFORD and JOHN CECHL CLAY.

Charles Scribner's Sons, 153 Fifth Ave., N. Y.