

RECORD GROUND IS AT LEWISTON SHOW

Maximum Interest Aroused by Acres of Livestock on Exhibition.

PORTLAND MEN WELCOMED

Judging of Animals On and Their Quality Is Beyond Dispute. World Champion Light Charger Displayed.

BY ADDISON BENNETT.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The second day of the stock show is past, but it has a record for attendance and interest, while the weather was magnificent. The thermometer has been flitting about in the 50s, the sun has shined with splendor and every condition was ideal. The dampness of yesterday had disappeared and the grounds are in perfect condition.

Decisions Are Explained.

When, however, the professor announced his decision, he did so by summing up the case and explaining how and why he decided as he did. And at the conclusion of his remarks even the most skeptical and defeated owners had to admit that the decisions were just and wise.

Never was there a mass of people at a livestock show more generally interested than today's crowd. Perhaps one of the chief pleasures of many was to see the cavalry and artillery horses and equipment of the United States Army, from Fort Riley, Kansas. There were four cavalry and four artillery horses, in charge of Captain Hall of the Sixth Cavalry and First Lieutenant Patton of the First Field Artillery, assisted by six privates. All these came from the training school at Fort Riley, but more directly from the great horse park, Madison-Square Garden, New York.

Among the eight horses they showed was one that had taken the blue ribbon in New York, and had won more competition ever seen in this country, animals from practically all of the great nations of the world competing.

This was in the light charger class, and the animal that won was picked up on the Montana range for \$125. And yet one of his competitors, entered from the French army, was insured for \$30,000, and others were from the royal stables of some of the great European nations. This horse has a diamond brand on his left jaw, and that is his only known pedigree.

Portland Delegates Welcomed.

The people were overjoyed to see so large a delegation from Portland. They arrived here over the O.-W. R. & N., at 11 o'clock this morning, and were met at the depot by a large number of Lewiston residents. Then they all marched up between the festoons of corn to Hotel Hollinger, where quarters had been arranged for. After breakfast the party, almost intact, went out to the show and spent the entire day there.

It is said the large delegations will arrive from Spokane, Walla Walla and other cities of Eastern Washington and Eastern Oregon, while large parties will come from Astoria, Warrenton, Grandview and other Idaho points. For, be it remembered that the great show has just got fully started. Real interest will come along about Friday, and touch the highwater mark Saturday, or perhaps at the society show Friday evening.

Of this, one is sure, the affair has been and will be one of the great successes of the kind. More than likely it will not be outdone in number of animals exhibited, or the quality at the future shows to be held annually here under the same auspices.

Yakima Growers Exhibit.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Yakima Valley growers have 71 entries in the O.-W. R. & N. Corn Show at Colfax this week, according to C. F. Van de Water, district passenger and freight agent of that company, who says the water will prove the Yakima Valley the best corn producing section on the O.-W. R. & N. lines. All of the entries are in the 12-car exhibit.

ROAD CONTRACTS AWARDED

Washington Commission Gives Orders for Work Costing \$120,000.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Contracts calling for \$120,000 worth of road work were awarded by the Washington Highway Commission Monday. A contract for the extreme northern portion of the Pacific Highway from Blaine to Custer went to L. H. Geerig, of Seattle, for \$38,968.77. The contract for 17.3 miles of the Sunco Highway in Lincoln County went to Henry Styles, of Tacoma, for \$57,565 and the one for 6.2 miles in Douglas County to Rajotte & Poberg, of Seattle, for \$24,968.10.

OIL LAND LEASES REPORTED

Twenty-Two Approvals on Quinault Reservations Reported.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—It is learned from reliable sources today that within the past four days 23 leases for prospecting on the Quinault Indian Reservation have been approved by the Department of the Interior. Of these 15 leases are on allotted tracts and four are on tribal lands.

CORPORATION PROFIT GIVEN

Earnings of Washington-Oregon Concern in Washington \$104,944.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Net earnings of all electric light and water plants of the Washington-

Oregon Corporation for the year ending June 30, 1913, were \$104,944.77, according to the report of the company just filed with the Public Service Commission. Considerably more than half of this sum was made from water. The total gross earnings from all electric light and water departments during the year was \$264,032.23. In addition the company earned gross earnings of \$66,215.11 from the Vancouver street railway and \$36,501.55 from the Chehalis street railway, its reports show. The total operating expenses for the year were \$149,022.27 and \$23,020.55, respectively.

The company has submitted its earnings and expenses in various departmental localities to the commission as follows:

Table with columns for location, electric light, water, and total earnings. Locations include Chehalis, Kalama, Vancouver, Centralia, Kelso, and Totem.

OPEN GATEWAY SOUGHT

EASTERN OREGON LUMBERMEN ASK PLUMMER CONNECTIONS.

La Grande Meeting Adopts Resolutions Against Federal Order Affecting Milwaukee Road.

LA GRANDE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Eastern Oregon lumbermen at a meeting here today took steps to prevent permanent closing of the Plummer gateway in Idaho, whereby Eastern Oregon will lose Milwaukee road connections to points east of Minneapolis. The lumbermen have organized a suborganization of the Western Pine Manufacturers' Association.

The Interstate Commerce Commission recently suspended until February its order closing the Plummer gateway, and the Eastern Oregon men will have counsel to bring argument against the closing.

THE DALLES HAS FIRE

ENTIRE BUSINESS DISTRICT FOR TIME IS THREATENED.

Blaze Starts in Vogt Building and, Despite Dense Smoke, Firemen Keep It From Spreading to Extent.

THE DALLES, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—This city experienced one of its worst fire scares in its history this morning when a fire broke out in the basement of the Vogt building, the largest business block of the city, threatening its destruction and also other large structures in the business district.

SEASIDE PROBLEMS ARE UP

New City Government Takes Hold of Beach Town Today.

SEASIDE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—When the reins of city government pass into the hands of a new City Council here tomorrow, one of the principal problems that will await solution by the newly qualified body will be the letting of contracts for a City Hall building. This retiring Council had advertised for bids, which were to have been opened Monday, but J. E. Brallier, one of the members of the Council, was restraining the Council from opening the bids. The restraining order was issued by Judge Eakin, of the Circuit Court of Clatsop county.

LAID FOR STRIKE CHILDREN

Socialists to Raise Fund to Care for Innocent Victims of Strife.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—A permanent fund for the care and protection of children in strike districts is to be maintained for the first time by the Socialist party here today. The fund will be gathered from all sources and will be "non-political," it was said.

CHAPLAIN'S FUNERAL TODAY

Late Rev. F. S. Beck's Only Relatives Live in Switzerland.

The funeral of the late Rev. F. S. Beck, chairman of the St. Agnes Baby Home at Parkplace for the last nine years, who died Sunday evening from pneumonia, will be held at St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral at 9 o'clock today. Archbishop Christie will say pontifical requiem mass. Interment will be in Mount Calvary cemetery.

NOVEMBER WET MONTH

Rainfall at Astoria 12.06 Inches in 30 Days, Says Weatherman.

ASTORIA, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The month of November was an unusually wet one in Astoria. According to the records in Weather Observer Higgins' office, the rainfall for the month was 12.06 inches, an excess of 5.3 inch over the average for the corresponding month of previous years.

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SELF DEFENSE IS PLEA OF SLAYER

Wounded Companion of Slain Man Describes Shooting Near McMinnville.

FIGHT FORCED BY WITNESS

Juror Challenged at Hutchens Murder Trial Because He Played Against Team of Which Victim Was Once Member.

McMINNVILLE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The trial of James Hutchens, indicted for murder in the first degree, for the killing of Walter A. Rodgers, began today. Counsel for the defendant showed clearly that self-defense would be the contention. The examination of witnesses for the state was commenced.

R. W. Jones, City Surveyor, introduced the plot he had prepared for the ground where the shooting took place, then followed Frank R. Wilbur, who was shot by Hutchens, immediately prior to the killing of Rodgers. He said when they met he told Hutchens that he was ready to settle it, and that when he struck Hutchens twice and knocked him to the ground, Hutchens drew his automatic revolver and fired four or five shots at him. He said he ran when a shot struck the rim of his hat and the other shot were fired after him, one striking him in each arm and one in the head.

Wilbur said that after running a short distance, he turned and saw Hutchens fire the last shot and saw Rodgers fall from his horse. Hutchens and Wilbur were en route to McMinnville on horseback on August 2, when they met Hutchens and R. L. Healy. The shooting occurred at a meeting on Pea Vine Ridge, west of this place.

The other witnesses heard this afternoon were Dr. E. E. Goucher and Dr. J. T. Wood, who dressed Wilbur's wounds and examined the body of Rodgers. Coroner C. Tilbury was also examined.

The jurors are: J. C. McCreem, of Dayton; S. L. Elliott, Yamhill; J. W. Baxter, Dayton; Wirt Laughlin, Yamhill; T. A. Shelton, McMinnville; Thomas Black, McMinnville; A. B. Chandler, Sheridan; J. F. Allison, Willamette; Fred Scofield, Yamhill; Henry Ecks, Dundee; George Perkins, Yamhill; and Harry Brennan, McMinnville.

Attorney R. A. Kilks, for the defense, is assisted by George C. Brownell, of Oregon City.

For the state the case is in the hands of R. L. Conner, recently appointed District Attorney for Yamhill County, and Attorney C. E. Crook, of Astoria.

Walter A. Rodgers, the slain man, played with the local baseball team for two seasons, and that fact caused one juror to be challenged, he having played on one of the opposing teams.

FARMERS IN SESSION

Oregon, Idaho and Washington Men at La Grande.

LA GRANDE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Farmers from many parts of Oregon, Southern Idaho and Eastern Washington who are members of the National Educational and Co-operative Union of America convened in their fourth annual convention here today.

The forenoon session was open. Former Mayor Hall welcomed the visitors and speeches in response were made. The afternoon session was executive and was featured by committee deliberations and speeches by a National officer.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEN MEET

Need of Business Training for Leaders Urged at La Grande.

LA GRANDE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Information, education, impression, evangelism and conservatism are the five great phases of Sunday school development, in the opinion of Charles A. Phipps, state secretary of the Oregon Sunday School Association, expressed at the first day of the annual Idaho County Sunday School Convention, which is in session here today. The convention will adjourn tomorrow evening.

The attendance from out of town is large. Mr. Phipps, Rev. R. D. Osterhout and John Crymes are the chief field workers present, and they gave several lectures during the day. Mr. Phipps urged the need of business training for Sunday school teachers.

STORM WRECKS PAVILION

Structure at McCallips Battered to Driftwood by Waves.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—As the result of the storm that swept the north beach Saturday the large pavilion built last Spring by E. E. Sutherland was battered into driftwood and the several cottages, though safe, are on different sites today.

The cottages were pulled back to keep them out of the path of the waves which were undermining the sand on which they rested. The crowds that will visit McCallips next Summer can step off the trains at the water's edge.

Walla Walla Gives Pensions.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Judge E. C. Mills in Superior Court yesterday granted monthly pensions to Mrs. W. H. and Ida A. Kirby. Each has two children. The application of Ella Conner for aid was disallowed.

Williams' Gift Boxes - The Owl is ready for Gift Buyers

PRACTICAL REMEMBRANCES Here A-Plenty for Every One of the Family

Williams' Gift Boxes. This One for Men 50c. Contains Holder Top, Dental Cream, Tooth Powder and Necked Tooth Brush Holder. In artistic Christmas Box. Also Williams' Gift Boxes for women at 50c. Others at \$1 and \$1.50.

THESE PRETTY ALABASTER VASES ONLY \$1.00. They're heavy and resistant. Made of finest Alabaster. Five inches high. A suggestion for something different in a gift. Other designs and pieces in this ware to choose from.

WORTHY OF NOTE IS THIS DOZEN OF "Owl" Specials. For Wednesday, Thursday. 3 in 1 Oil—the 10c size, special, 6c. 10c Bon Ami at the special price of 7c. Dioxogen, 25c size, at the special price of 15c. Poalium Soap, 25c size, special, 19c. Riverita Tricium Powder, 25c size, special, 19c. 35c size Raymond Complexion Cream, special, 19c. Marine Eye Remedy, 50c size, special, 29c. St. Jacob's Oil, 50c size, special, 35c. 75c Baker Cod Liver Oil Emulsion, special, 59c. Mercollized Wax, 55c size, special, 59c. 75c. Pines' Perfume, any odor, on 25c subject, 59c. Vanacore Gagea Tablets, \$1 size, special, 69c.

Popular Soaps Wednesday and Thursday at Special Prices. 10c Burton's Medicated Soap, two for 5c. 10c Grandpa Tar Soap for 7c. 25c Squal Liquid Soap for 15c. 10c Skat Hand Soap, two for 15c. 10c Flash Hand Soap, two for 15c. 15c Churchill Skin Soap, 2 for 15c. 25c Resinol Soap for 16c. 25c Spanish Castile Soap for 17c. 25c Glen's Sulphur Soap for 18c. 25c Glover's Dog Soap for 18c. 25c Excelsior Toilet Soap, 3 for 59c.

Serving Trays 98c Special. Mahogany frames, 15 in. long. Tapestry and other fabric panels set under glass. Unusual value are these at the special price. 98c.

Alabaster Clocks \$1.25. Look not at all unlike genuine ones. An attractive clock for the bedroom or desk, stand 3 1/2 inches high and comes in various colors. Reveled glass over face. Well worth their price of \$1.25.

Buy Now For Christmas—A Deposit Reserves Any Selection. \$4.50. Just like the illustration—eight fine beveled French Plate Glass. A style of Hand Mirror that is popular with all women. A Smaller Size at \$3.50. A Larger Size at \$6.00. Buy Parisian Ivory for Christmas now, while assortment is complete.

Free! A 25c PACKAGE OF REXALL THROAT PASTILLES. Wednesday and Thursday With Every 50c Bottle of Kirk Cough Balm at the Special. 39c.

British Ivory Bonnet Mirror \$4.50. Just like the illustration—eight fine beveled French Plate Glass. A style of Hand Mirror that is popular with all women. A Smaller Size at \$3.50. A Larger Size at \$6.00. Buy Parisian Ivory for Christmas now, while assortment is complete.

A BROWNIE CAMERA FOR THE BOYS AND GIRLS THIS CHRISTMAS—Made in the Kodak factory, the best they have from \$1.00 to \$12.00.

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The Owl Drug Co. 22-408 Prescriptions Filled by The Owl Drug Company During October. WASHINGTON AND BROADWAY. TWENTY STORES ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

FACTS OF DISEASE SOUGHT

Washington Labor Commission Is to Gather Statistics.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—An investigation into occupational diseases of workers in shingle, saw and planing mills, of Washington, has been instituted by Labor Commissioner Olson, and probably will be extended later to the printing trade.

CAPTAIN PICKERELL DIES

Well-Known Lower River Master Is Victim of Stomach Trouble.

ASTORIA, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Captain John R. Pickernell, aged 73, for many years one of the best known steamboat masters in the Lower Columbia River district, died at his home here this morning after a few hours' illness with acute stomach trouble.

Captain Pickernell was born near Salem, Or., March 23, 1840. He was the son of an early Oregon pioneer and had resided in Astoria during the last 35 years. He left a widow, but no children.

Judge Orders Estate Distributed. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Judge Mills has ordered the estate of Joseph LaMar distributed as follows: To James LaMar, Joseph LaMar and Bessie O'Brien, \$28,322 each; to Diana Pence, children of Sarah Martin, Henrietta Hall, children of Ferdinand...

PROJECT ENGINEER NAMED

Sunnyside, Wash., Man to Direct Palouse Irrigation Work.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—At a conference today between Governor Lister and Charles H. Swigart, Government engineer in charge of all reclamation work in this state, E. M. Culloh, of Sunnyside, was selected to have charge of the Palouse irrigation project survey.

PRESCRIPTION AIDS CHRONIC SUFFERERS

Sickness Caused by Impure Blood Is Easily Relieved.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a doctor's prescription of many years, are a tonic that have been of the greatest benefit in obstinate diseases caused by impure blood. These pills build up the blood; the restored blood burns up the poisons and normal health follows. In no disease does the blood show more altering and thinning than in rheumatism. No permanent relief is possible until the blood is restored and the rheumatic poisons are cast out. Good digestion is impossible without a supply of rich red blood. When the blood is thin and poor, the food remains unassimilated in the stomach and ferments, causing gas on the stomach. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make the blood rich and red and the stomach trouble disappears. Get a box from the nearest drug store. Start the treatment at once. Adv.

request yet. Mackay was arrested regarding a charge of check-raising, following which his wife charged him with insanity.

WOMAN EMBELLIZER SENTENCED.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Carlotta Thompson Brown, who was convicted of having embellished \$21,000 from a customer while in the brokerage business with her husband, was sentenced today by Judge Wade Cushing, of the Common Pleas Court, to an indeterminate term in the state prison, which is not less than one nor more than 10 years.

Does Your Stomach Trouble You?

Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy Is Successfully Taken in Cases of Stomach, Liver and Intestinal Ailments. And One Dose Has Often Dispelled Years of Suffering.

This is Guaranteed to Stop Your Cough. Make this Family Supply of Cough Syrup at Home and Save 5c.

This plan makes a pint of better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for \$2.50. A few doses usually conquer an ordinary cough—relieve even whooping cough quickly. Simple as it is, no better remedy can be had at any price.

Mix one pint of granulated sugar with 1/2 pint of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (fifty cents worth) in a pint bottle; then add the mixture. It has a pleasant taste and lasts a family a long time. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

You can feel this take hold of a cough in a way that means business. Has a good tonic effect, braces up the appetite, and is slightly laxative, too, which is helpful. A handy remedy for hoarseness, spasmodic croup, bronchitis, bronchial asthma and whooping cough.

The effect of pine on the membranes is well known. Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of Norwegian white pine extract, and is rich in guaiacal and other natural healing elements. Often preparations will not work in this combination.

This Pinex and Sugar Syrup remedy has often been imitated, though never successfully. It is now used in more homes than any other cough remedy. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.—Adv.

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How to Darken Gray Hair. By a Specialist.

A very satisfactory preparation which darkens gray hair and acts as a corrective agent for dandruff and other diseases of the scalp can be made at small expense and in your own home by dissolving a small box of Barbo Compound in 7 ounces of water and then adding an ounce of bay rum and a quarter ounce of glycerine. Any drug store can furnish these ingredients. This is to be applied once a week until the hair is sufficiently darkened, then every two weeks to keep the hair soft and glossy and the scalp in a healthy condition. It may be used with equal success in darkening the beard. This is a preparation that gives splendid results, both as a hair darkener and a remedy for all scalp disorders, and is well worthy of a trial. You will find it far superior to the ordinary store preparations and much less expensive.—Adv.

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