## ROSARIANS MAKE MERRY AS THEY GO

Miles of Band Concerts Signalize Entry of Party Into Southern Oregon.

LASSEN WILL BE VIEWED

Oregonians on Way to Dedication of State Building at Exposition to Rise at 5 A. M. to Observe New Volcano.

HORNBROOK, Cal., Dec. 29 .- (Special.)-Fifteen miles of band concert the cement highway between Medford and Ashland signaled the entrance of the Royal Rosarians into Southern Oregon today, en route to California.

En route, two of the automobiles stalled in the road and the trombonist "oom-pahed" an S. O. S. signal until the cars behind came up and relieved them, saving Prince Regent W. J. Hofmann, Edward Boyce and W. L. Thompson, of the Oregon Commission, from being stalled out in the farm districts of Jackson County at the outset of their journey their journey.

Bridal Party Enlivens Trip. At the station in Ashland, while waiting for the train to start, the waiting for the train to start, the Rosarians frolicked about to the music of the band, while the motion-picture operator of the Northwest Weekly faithfully cranked away, making a record of this stage of their trip. A wedding party was boarding the train at this point and when the band saw a trunk tumbled on board, decorated with white ribbons and orange blossoms, it cut loose in an impromptu rendition of Mendelssohn's wedding march that sent the whole

wedding march that sent the whole local delegation of rice throwers into storms of applause. The committee that met the party at

The committee that met the party at Medford and piloted it across country to Ashland consisted of Berjamin Sheldon, vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce; M. Alford, C. M. English, C. E. Gates, J. C. Murphy, Dr. E. H. Porter, Dr. S. Seeley, Fred Powell, Perry Ashcroft, E. J. Trowbridge, A. S. Rosenbaum and J. A. Kidd.

Edward Boyce Initiated.

their berths at 5 o'clock tomorrow or Jr. J. Chunder Bose, of the Univer-morning in hope of seeing the con-sity of Calcutta, who came from India as they go by, and at 9:10 will stop at a meeting of the Botanical Society Sacramento, where they will receive of America some of his experiments the formal welcome of the Governor of With the nerve centers of plants. He California. Governor Johnson, himself, showed plant nerve tissue to correspond is in San Diego, and will be repre-sented by John S. Chambers, State Con-troller. S. Glen Andrus, of the Sacra-nerve movements in the same manner mento Chamber of Commerce, will as- as upon animals. sist in the reception at Sacramento.

The party will reach San Francisco tomorrow and will attend the dedicathe Oregon building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

LARGE CROWD IS EXPECTED

Rosarians to Have Charge of Programme on Exposition Grounds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29 .- (Special.) -The dedication of the Oregon build-ing at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition tomorrow promises to be the liveliest affair of the kind that has been held on the exposition grounds. The ceremonies will begin at 3 o'clock at the north side of the Oregon building, on the exposition Marina. In addition to the Rosarians and members of the Oregon Exposition Commis-sion, a large crowd of Oregonians and former Oregonians now resident in San Francisco is expected.

The committee in charge of arrangements is composed of Louis W. Buckley, A. A. Shell, D. O. Lively, George L. Hutchin, Eugene Shelby and C. C. Craig. The following is the programme for the dedication ceremonies: Reception to W. J. Hofmann, prince regent, and Hy Ellers, chairman of the excursion committee of the Royal Rosarians, and the Oregon Etate Commission, together with members of the Oregon State Society, in the Oregon building.

## WARFIELD SIMPLICITY ITSELF IN HOTEL CHAT

Famous Actor Recognizes Interviewer by Gown She Wore Two Years Ago, Smiles Charmingly and Has Rebuke for His Alleged Imitators.

BY LEONE CASS BAER. AYBE it wasn't a compliment and maybe it was, but when I went to the Multnomah Hotel yesterday to meet David Warfield that interesting genius, sitting in the lobby reading the editorials in The Oregonian, recognized my best dress as I hurried past him, and knew me before I knew him. I wore the same dress two years ago when I had tea and talk with him. ago when I had tea and talk with him, only then it was new and flossy, and now it has a girdle and ruffles to hide where it has been pieced. The only way on earth I can figure a compliment out of Mr. Warfield's observation is that he must have seen 10,000 frocks since then, and he remembered mine.

Mr. Warfield's income being \$2.65 per annum more than mine he didn't wear the same suit, but he did wear the same smile, a whimsical little boy smile that reaches out and finishes what his rare personality overlooks. He recognizes the efficiency of the expedient of simplicity even in his chats.

Stage Forgotten Outside. So few actors can resist the tempta-tion to be grandiloquent, off as well as on. Mr. Warfield has never had in his Oregon today, en route to California.

The Rosarians had been enjoying themselves thoroughly all the way out of Portland, when they were not asleep but it was in Medford that they really had a full awakening to the enthusiasm has peech or manners any influence of stage traditions. Always he demonstrates the artistic work of simplicity. I asked him about the Christmas he but it was in Medford that they really had just spent in San Francisco with his home people, and about the story of the trip.

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Scientist Demonstrates Similarity to Human Cells.

TOPICS DISCUSSED

Assumed Right of One Nation to Tell How Ships of Another Shall Float on High Seas Declared One Fruitful Cause.

ing for the Supernatural" and "Amer Edward Boyce, president of the Portland Hotel Company, following his initiation into the Rosarians on board the train, held a party for everybody and gave a box of candy to every woman on the train.

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tinuous performance of Mount Lassen to attend the convention, demonstrated

Mind Affected by Body.

Dr. Tom A. Williams, of Washington, D. C., who discussed "The Craving for the Supernatural" at a joint meeting of the American Psychological Association and the Southern Society of Philosophy and Psychology declared that the condition which induces this craving may be a physical one, as an effect on the body juices or a microbial poisoning, as in the case of De Maupassant, whose morbid feetings he in-terpreted into a second self of super-natural order. Dr. Williams declared that the craving may also be partly due to upbringing in spiritistic beliefs. Dr. F. W. Chipley, Washington Uni-versity St. Louis was also to partly

versity, St. Louis, was elected president of the council of the Archaelogical Institute of America at a meeting of that body. At a joint meeting with the American Anthropological Association, Allison V. Armour reported on the recovery of \$25,000 from the Italian government for breach of contract made by Turkey with the Institute for Archaeological Research Work at Cyrene, in Africa, Cyrene falling into the hands of Italy.

which interrupted the excavations after the first year. "Work of Archaeologists Hampered. He also said that Turkey and Greece would not permit the taking out of their dominions of any articles recov-

members of the Oregon State Society, in the Cregon building.

Reception to C. C. Moore, president of the exposition, and executive committee; R. B. Hale, chairman of the ceremonial committee, and to officials of the exposition by the Oregon State Commission, committee of Hosarians.

Concert by the Royal Rosarian Band.

Opening of dedication ceremonies on the porch of the building facing the bay by invocation by Rev. William Ford Nichols, Episcopal bishop of the diocese of San Francisco. Discussing the "American Economic and Social Problems Arising Out of the European War" before the social Episcopal bishop of the diocese of San Franchison.

Address on hehalf of the Oregon State Society by P. E. D'Aroy.

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First Unitarian Church, where the services were held. Dr. William G. Ellot, Jr., and Dr. T. L. Ellot, pastor and pastor emeritus of the Unitarian Church, and Dr. Luther R. Dyott, pastor of the First Congregational Church, officiated officiated.

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The pallbearers were F. S. Myers, Grant Phegley, Frank B. Riley, H. M. Esterly, Edwin J. Stephens and Ivan Humason. The honorary palibearers were Judge Gilbert, Judge Northup, Captain R. S. Greenleaf, Levi Young, E. F. Riley and A. W. Barnes.

Out of respect to the memory of Judge Smith the Circuit and District Courts were closed during the funeral yesterday afternoon, most of the judges and many prominent attorneys attending the services. Presiding Judge J. P. Kavanaugh and President J. F. Boothe, of the Bar Association, have appointed

of the Bar Association, have appointed a committee to draw up resolutions on the death of Mr. Smith. The committee is composed of Federal Judge W. B. Gilbert ex-Circuit Judges H. H. Northup, M. C. George, Martin L. Pipes and H. M. Esterly.

# PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—A wide range of subjects, including "The Craving for the Supernature"

FINDING OF THURSTON DAVIS ENDS PREPARATIONS TO DRAG RIVER.

Lad, 14, Who Was Missing Since De Return Home After Trunney.

Thurston Davis, 14-year-old son of J. A. Davis, of 355 Alberta street, and who has been missing from his home since December 15, was found by his father yesterday just at a time when cleaning preparations were being made to get City Grappier Hugh Brady to drag the river in the vicinity of Hayden's Island

for the lad's body. Mr. Davis sighted his son near the Union Depot and the boy ran. A general chase ensued and the lad was captured. He said that he had played truant and was afraid to go home.

For two weeks the lad has been living as best he could. ing as best he could. Several night he passed sleeping on Hayden's Island in a hollow log. At first he was accompanied by a companion named Marion Kenzer, but Kenzer left him after two days of hardships.

The police had searched for the boy in value of the searched for the boy in the searched for the boy in the searched for the boy in the searched for the searched for the boy in the searched for the boy in the searched for the searched for the boy in the searched for t

in vain. It was found that young Kenzer had a revolver when the two went away together and it was for a time thought that he might have ac-cidently shot young Davis. Acting on this suspicion, Juvenile Court Officer W. J. Jefferies, Deputy District Attorney Robison and the father yesterday scoured the island for him. It was on their return that they found the box He said he intended to board a train

## OREGON ORATOR FOURTH

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY STUDENT AP. PLAUDED AT TOPEKA.

Prohibition Is Speakers' Topic and First Place Is Won by University of Southern California.

TOPEKA, Kan. Dec. 29.—(Special.)— S. W. Grathwell, of Pacific University, finished fourth tonight in the Intercol-legiate Prohibition Association ora-torical contest. First place went to

woman speaker, in this respect. Miss Bedient finished in fifth place. The orations were heard by a crowd of 2000. The judges were Judge W. W. Wallace, of Kansas City; Professor Glenn

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Brief addresses by the exposition officials, George M. Hyland and members of the causes of war is the assumed right of one nation to tell how the ships of nother nation shall float on the high seas. The judges were Judge W. W. Walland.

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# THREE BOYS FIGHT

Jefferson High School Fire\_Is Controlled Before Apparatus Arrives.

POLICEMAN AIDS IN WORK

Merle Brown, Wilbur Carl and Curtiss McKinney Practically Smother Flames by Stream From Hose in Building.

Through the courage and coolness of three 17-year-old boys, Jefferson High School was saved last night from a fire that broke out on the third floor of the building at about 7:30 o'clock. About \$1000 damage was done to the building. building.

building.

The boys—Merle Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Brown, 146 Sumner street; Wilbur Carl, son of Rev. and Mrs. George Carl, 1125 Albina avenue, and Curtiss, McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McKinney, 1051 Kirby streetbelong to the high school fire department, the efficient student organization conceived and perfected by Principal Hopkin Jenkins. Gus Walter, an ex-student of Jefferson and at one time a member of the fire squad, gave valiant aid.

Merle Brown's father is a fireman

hose and played a stream on the fire The flames already were being smoth-ered when firemen arrived. The fire hose had not yet been elevated to the third floor. Seizing the school hose, which they found ready, the firemen had nearly conquered the flames by the time their own apparatus could be used.

Origin Laid to Lenking Gas Jet. The blaze started in a botanical laboratory on the third floor. While the cause has not been fived definately, school authorities say that it was due probably to a leaking gas jet.

The workmen, who had been repaired the laboratory left at 420 P. M. ing the laboratory, left at 4:20 P. M. A pot of plumbers' metal, found in the center of the burned area, gives rise to the theory that the metal might have been left hot, and ignited the flooring where it stood.

The damage was caused chiefly by the water which flooded the building

the water, which flooded the building from the top floor to the base-ment. The school has been closed for the holidays.

School Fire Fighters Well Organized The Jefferson High School fire de-The Jefferson High School fire department, of which the three boys are members, is said to be the most efficient school fire organization in the city. It consists of 60 boys, divided into squads to man each of the 16 hose in the building.

Huston Holland is the chief. A battalion chief commands each floor and each hose is under the management of a captain and two lieutenants.

The duties of the firemen include the clearing of the rooms in case of fire.

clearing of the rooms in case of fire, and the opening of all the exits at the sound of the alarm bell.

The Jefferson fire department was organized five years ago by Hopkins Jenkins, the present principal of the "I have tried to make the department more efficient each year," said Mr. Jen-kins last night. "This year we have cleared the rooms in one and one-half minutes at some drills. It takes some

speed to get 1500 students out of a building in that time." SECOND FARNUM JURY IN All but Two Deliberators in Retrial

Are Farmers.

ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 29.—(Special.) -The jury in the second trial of Roy Farnum, accused of a statutory offense Farnum, accused of a statutory offense against Edna Morgan, of Glendale, was completed late today. The taking of evidence will begin early tomorrow and it is believed the case will be concluded Thursday night.

Twenty-two men were examined before the twenty was completed. Of these

fore the jury was completed. Of these three were excused by the state, four by the court, and three by the defense. All but two of the jurymen are farmers. It is reported here that the prosecution and defense will introduce consid erable evidence gathered since the for-

mer triat.
District Attorney Brown will be assisted in prosecuting the case by Attorney Elbert Hermann.

## SUSPECT DENIES MURDER

William Rupple, Charged With Attack on Roseburg Girl, Talks.

ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 29.—(Special.)
—When questioned by Sheriff Parker,
of Lane County, today, William Rupple,
in jail here charged with attacking
Miss Jennie Olinghouse a few nights
ago, denied that he was the man who
two years ago murdered little Mildred

Sheriff Parker thought it best to



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LETTERS FROM AMERICANS EX-PLAIN FEARS AND DANGERS. Money, Properties and Products o

Those Who Seek Living There. Two letters from Portland people in Mexico since the advent of new factions in Mexican politics indicate that conditions are worse than ever for the

Land Equally Unsafe From Loss, Say

home there. Frank Peters, in a message to Wilbur Guile, who formerly farmed at Goma Bonita, declares that the country is not bothered as much by the larger followings of the different leaders as It is by the roving bands that plunder

American who planned to make his

Mr. Peters says that only a short time ago one of the bands visited the vicinity in which he lives and took all vicinity in which he lives and took all the guns and revolvers the farmers had "If he plants anything," says Mr. Peters, "it probably will be destroyed. If it is fully grown and harvested, it may be lost then. To have the money which it may bring is just as dangerous as it is unsafe to have any about, and, without it, one cannot do much. "We live and hope that some day there may be better times when a substantial government will give the counstantial government will give the country a chance to thrive."

The other letter was written to R. C. Miller, and is from Mrs. I. E. Hoag, now at Galveston, who was driven out

by the activity of the rebels. This family had eight acres ready for farming when the United States recalled the troops from Vera Cruz. "The recalling of the troops made it unsafe for us to remain in Glenwood, so we have come north to await better

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