

EXTRA EXPENSE ON BRIDGE IS FOUND

Apparent Surplus to Be Eaten Up Largely by Cost of Rights of Way.

SLOUGH LAND IS NEEDED

County Finds It Will Need About \$150,000 to Buy Approach Sites. Controversy Arises Over Terms With Owners of Property.

Fair in 1893 and says that in many particulars the San Francisco show has the edge on the big exposition of 23 years ago.

The state buildings and the state exhibits promise to be a big feature of the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

PICKERS' SUIT DELAYED

HEARING OF 165 PLAINTIFFS FROM HOPFIELDS BEFORE COURT.

Prospect of Hearing More Than 200 Witnesses Means Yet Later Trial, Says Judge Morrow.

More than 150 hoppickers in a motley throng crowded Circuit Judge Morrow's courtroom yesterday to hear the trial of their suit against Dorcas Bros.

Company Offers Land

The Peninsula Industrial Company offered to deed the two strips of land to the county on the following terms:

SINGLE TAX DISCOUNTED

ORTON E. GOODWIN ADVISES CIVIC LEAGUE SYSTEM IS FALLACY.

Student of Situation in Canada, Where Plan Is Being Tried, Says Confiscation of Property Is Resulting.

Single tax was attacked as a fallacy by Orton E. Goodwin at a luncheon given by the Civic League at the Hazelwood yesterday.

FATHER HOPES FOR FARNAM

Evidence Sought to Free Son Convicted in Case on Girl's Death.

ROSEBURG, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—Believing that his son is innocent and that the evidence adduced against him at the trial did not sustain the verdict of the jury, R. W. Farnam, of Cow Creek, has employed private detectives to secure evidence which he hopes will liberate his son, Roy, who is serving a term in the Penitentiary following a conviction on charges of the murder of a young girl.

CHICAGO FAIR EXCELLED

C. L. Smith Thinks San Francisco Show Better Than One of 1893.

YOUNG OPERA STAR COMING

Maggie Teyte to Appear in Recital at Heilig on March 23.

GRAYS HARBOR RAINFALL IS LIGHT

HOQUIAM, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—Grays Harbor, one of the wettest sections of Washington, and also one of the wettest sections of the United States, when gauged by its average annual rainfall, is in a fair way to see records for light precipitation for the winter months broken.

Attorney-General Defends State.

ROSEBURG, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—Attorney-General and Mrs. George M. Brown, of Salem, are passing a few days in Roseburg, where Mr. Brown was called to represent the state in the action instituted by R. W. Lang, of Dillard, to recover money from the State Accident Commission, under the act of Mr. Lang, who operates a sawmill near Dillard, was injured a few weeks ago, and later died of a disease.

REPUBLICANS WANT JOBS MADE BY NEW LAW

Republicans Seek Scalps of Those Governor Now Has Power to Remove.

SEVERAL THOUGHT SLATED

Colonel Lawson Said to Be Scheduled to Lose Place at Penitentiary, but Few Changes Are Due on Non-Salaried Boards.

Now that the legislative smoke has cleared away and the state departments of the state government have been reduced to the rut of routine, the proposed changes in several important offices again are demanding the attention of the office-seekers and causing material for comment by political prophets.

Message of the Moser bill giving the appointive power in the state government the power to remove officials and making the terms of all appointive officers and employees in the state indefinite, will give Governor Withycombe opportunity to fill several important offices that otherwise would have remained in charge of the incumbents until their terms expire.

Mr. Beckwith's Friends Busy

One such office already has been disposed of by the resignation of Miss Fern Hobbs as a member of the Industrial Accident Commission and the selection of Carl Abrams to succeed her.

The Governor has power, however, to replace the two other members of the commission with persons of his own selection. Under the law no more than two members of the commission can be members of the same political party.

Mr. Abrams is a Republican. Marshall, one of the two other commissioners, is a Republican, and Harvey Beckwith, the other commissioner, is a Democrat. Mr. Beckwith's friends are urging the Governor to allow him to remain on the board in the place that must be given to a non-Republican.

Elmer Amidon, secretary of the Multnomah county committee, wants to be appointed examiner in the corporation department to succeed S. E. Vincent, who was appointed when the department was created two years ago.

Other Places May Be Changed

The Moser bill also will give the Governor power to remove members of the various non-salaried boards and commissions, and also the members of the state educational institutions and the governing bodies of the several eleemosynary institutions that are supported by the state.

Colonel Lawson Slated to Go

Colonel Lawson was one of Governor West's favorites and was one of his most trusted instruments in carrying out the West's policies. For that reason he is one of the most prominent of the candidates for the men inside the walls, so that the institution may be made, to a certain extent, at least, self-supporting.

Harry P. Minto, of Salem, is one of the most active candidates for the prison wardenship, and it is rumored, will get the job. "Dad" Hunter, special agent for the O. W. R. company, and Andy Vaughn, a Portland detective, also are candidates for the place.

Several Want Commandantcy

Several candidates are out for the position of commandant at the Soldiers' Home at Roseburg. Among them is Colonel W. G. D. Moore, who is professor of Latin and Greek in Albany College for 13 years prior to 1905, died on February 16 at Columbus, O., according to word received yesterday by Professor David Tocher of Albany College.

PROFESSOR SCOTT IS DEAD

Instructor With Albany College for 13 Years Passes in Ohio.

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Man and Wife Serve Sentences

CENTRALIA, Wash., March 2.—(Special.)—When their bondsmen withdrew Saturday, John and Bertha Wofford, a striker and his wife, who were arrested recently on the picket line at the Eastern Mill and convicted in police court on charges, respectively, of assaulting an officer and disorderly conduct, were rearrested and are serving their sentences out in jail.

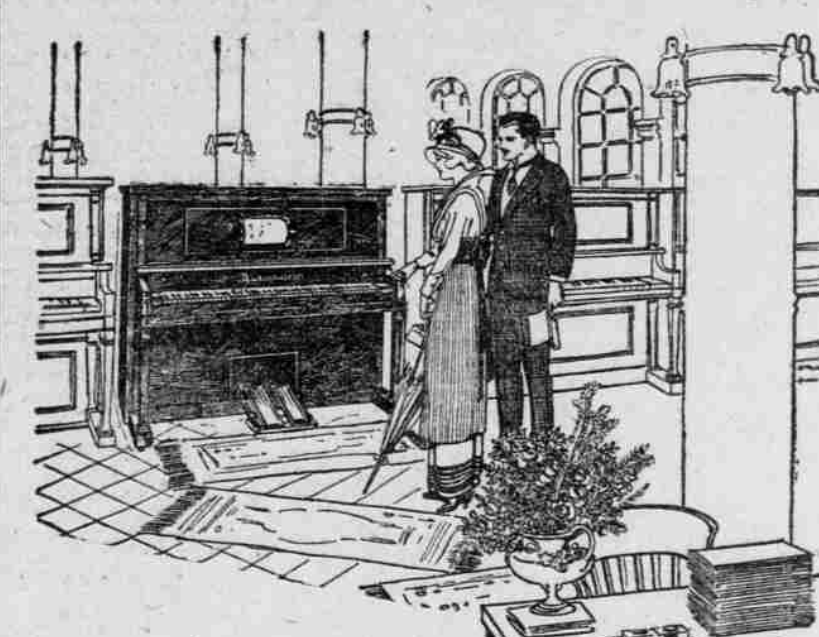
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KILL UNFIT IS URGED

NEW YORK DOCTOR WOULD HAVE DEFECTIVES ERADICATED.

Paper by Dr. Edward Wallace Lee Draws Criticism of Chicagoans Who Points to Commandment.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—More or less interest has been aroused among prominent American criminologists and others who have made a study of penal institutions and corporal punishment by the announcement by Dr. Edward Wallace Lee, of New York, of his opinion that defective criminals and incurably insane persons should be put to death by the state.

COE REHEARING IS DENIED

Supreme Court Passes on Plea of Woman in Litigation.

SALEM, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—Mrs. Viola M. Coe today was denied a rehearing in the litigation against Dr. Henry W. Coe of Portland. The Supreme Court in an opinion about two weeks ago, modified the decree of the Multnomah Circuit Court in the suit Mrs. Coe's lawyers immediately asked for a rehearing.

"DEAD MAN'S OUTFIT" USED

New Electric Motor Device So Made to Stop if Operator Dies.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—A "dead man's outfit" is the name given by motormen to the control on electric locomotives which automatically shuts off the current and applies the brakes if the controller falls on duty.

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THIRD WOMAN GETS GIRL

Aunt Wins Edna Hafer Over Pleas of Neighbors at Oregon City.

OREGON CITY, March 2.—(Special.)—While Mrs. Frank Casto and Mrs. Sylvia Roberts were fighting for possession of Edna May Oliva Hafer, an orphan child, the girl was awarded to Mrs. Van Avery, an aunt, living at Sunnyside, Wash., by Judge Anderson, in an order giving the custody of a divorce decree; opinion by Justice Burns; former opinion of Supreme Court adhered to.

TANGO SCORED BY COURT

Step Is Not Fit for Matron, Says New York Judge.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Inability of the husband and two friends to describe the kimono in which Mrs. Elizabeth Meinlein was alleged to have been clad when she raided her apartment, cost Harry Meinlein, wealthy manufacturer, a divorce.

Yakima Teachers Face Tests

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