

OREGON SCULPTURE AS SEEN BY PUBLIC

Proctor's "The Buckaroo" Strikingly Typifies Possibilities of Western Art.

SCULPTOR ACQUIRES RANCH

Student of Rugged Life Prepares to Make Home in West—Oregon "Family" Presents Token to Commissioner Booth.

BY ANNE SHANNON MONROE. OREGON EXPOSITION BUILDING, San Francisco, Nov. 9.—Two events made the Oregon building interesting Monday in spite of the rain, the first in seven months. The bronze figure "The Buckaroo," by A. Philmeister Proctor, was unveiled in the art room, the programme being directed by N. R. Moore, of Corvallis. Mr. Moore delivered the main address, on sculpture in general, and called attention to the artist's other works here exhibited, the two handsome blons that guard the south entrance to the Fine Arts Colonnade. Miss Hatch, custodian of the art room, gracefully drew away the American flag from over the buckaroo and it was greeted with appreciative applause. Mr. Cranston, of Pendleton, told about the Roundup and bucking bronchos and Miss Hatch talked on the art room.

Sculptor's Work Remarkable. Mr. Proctor is one of the most noted sculptors in America, having worked a great deal abroad and traveled the world over in his study of subjects. His great success has been in the life, particularly with Western subjects. He has lived in the West—in Colorado and other places—and loves the rugged beauty of the mountains and the strength and sinuous beauty of the animals in their native haunts. His plans include trips—already mapped out in detail—into the most animal-habitated wilds of Africa and of India, that he may know animal life un-touched and untramed and make it live again in bronze for all of us to know. A couple of years ago he was attracted to the Pendleton Roundup. It was an opportunity to see the native Western horses and the horsemen in attitudes that belong to the range and the cattle life so rapidly passing into history. He came—he was conquered—he sent to New York for his family and he has been here ever since, with no immediate prospect of leaving us. So interested has he become in Oregon that he has acquired a ranch in Harney County, where he means to make a home for himself and his family.

Oregon Is Artists' Country. Long ago when I first traveled over Oregon, I said: "This is an artist's country. It is the natural haunt for creators." I know other writers and artists in the East who have their eyes on a ranch in Oregon; the coming of the Proctors to be one of us is but the beginning. Oregon will some day be better known through her sculptors, painters, writers and playwrights than she ever will be through her boomers and boosters. Another pleasant event of the afternoon was the gathering of the Oregon family in the reception room around the great old log fireplace, which has meant so much to all of us, and the presentation there to Commissioner Booth of a token of our love for him. Ben Sheldon, of Medford, made the presentation speech. We have chosen a hand-tooled leather book cover, on the inner side of which was inscribed our sincere sentiment of appreciation, together with the names of the members of the "family."

KELSO HALTS TRIO'S TRIP

Girls Are Sent Home to Seattle but Man Later Is Set Free.

KELSO, Wash., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—W. J. Brown, of Bremerton, who operates a summer resort near Seattle, was arrested here today and later was released. Two Seattle girls accompanied him in his automobile from Seattle via Olympia, arriving here last night. Brown said he was taking them to Bend, Or., to work as waitresses. The girls, whose names are withheld, became suspicious. Marshall T. Patton and Chester Jackson, clerk at Rockwood Hotel, made the arrest after an exciting chase through the city. Brown had gone to the garage to get his car, but became frightened and fled with his suitcase. Prosecuting Attorney Kirby was summoned to Klamath Falls, but after investigation decided to drop the charge. Brown gave the girls money to return home to Seattle and they left on the noon train. Brown has a wife and four children living at Bremerton.

PASCO HOLDS PRIMARIES

Light Vote Nominates Progressive and Socialist Tickets.

PASCO, Wash., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—At the city primaries held Tuesday the following persons were nominated on the Progressive League ticket: Mayor, Edward A. Davis; City Treasurer, R. B. McFarland; City Clerk, C. A. Dolan; City Attorney, C. M. O'Brien; Councilmen, three-year term, W. F. Chute, L. L. Holt and W. A. Harrison; Councilman, one-year term, Charles Rankert; Councilman-at-Large, R. L. Fulk. On the Socialist ticket—Mayor, S. Kenoyer; City Clerk, C. M. Barr; Councilmen, three-year term, K. F. Clemens, G. R. Neece and H. M. Karkner; one-year term, Frank L. Stockel; Councilman-at-Large, Fred Kurtzman. Little interest was manifested in the election, and the vote was the lightest that has been cast in several years.

KNIGHTS TO INITIATE 60

Columbus Ceremonies at Pendleton to Be Biggest Yet in Oregon.

PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—The Knights of Columbus ever held in the State of Oregon will be conducted by the Pendleton Council, No. 1672, in Pendleton, Sunday, December 5, when 60 candidates from all over Eastern Oregon will be taken into the ranks of the order. To assist the local officers in conferring the degrees Bishop C. O. O'Reilly, of Baker, and district deputy for Eastern Oregon, J. H. Pearce, of La Grande, and a large number of other dignitaries and district and local officers will be here from The Dalles, Portland, Baker, La Grande, Walla Walla and North Yakima.

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Many Postoffices Not Yet Occupied by Democrats.

NORTHWEST LIST IS LONG

Postmaster-General Burleson, in Effort to Arouse Interest in Party, Gives Towns Where Appointments Not Made.

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In order to arouse interest in these appointments, worth from \$1900 to \$6000 a year, the Postmaster-General today issued a list of all Presidential postmasterhips yet to be filled by Democrats, in the hope that publicity will bring forth the requisite number of Democratic applicants and result in Democratic appointments.

Offices in the Northwest which have not been filled by the present Administration follow:

Oregon—Bandon, Carlton, Clatskanie, Coquille, Cottage Grove, Creswell, Drain, Estacada, Forest Grove, Grants Pass, Gresham, Harrisburg, Independence, Junction City, Lents, McMinnville, Medford, Moro, Myrtle Creek, Myrtle Point, North Portland, Nyssa, Philomath, Pilot Rock, Redmond, Seaside, Vale, Walla, Wasco and Yamhill.

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