

## STOCKMEN PREPARE FOR ANNUAL EXHIBIT

New Organization Emerges From 1918 Experiences.

### MR. PLUMMER IS MANAGER

Northwest Breeders Dig Up Money, Open Office and Are Determined to Achieve Success.

BY ADDISON BENNETT.  
Although the late stock show held at the Portland Union Stock Yards was something in the nature of an orphan, with nobody to look after it, it was a success because of the interest taken in it by the breeders of livestock in the Northwest.  
These breeders, almost to a man, are in favor of a great annual exposition at Portland. That was shown two years ago when about \$30,000 was subscribed by them as a nucleus of a permanent show. But the war came on and nothing could be done, so none of that money was paid in or called for. About a year ago a charter was taken out by a new organization, the capital being \$200,000, but what happened to that organization needs no elaboration. However, the stockmen took the matter into their own hands and last Friday night a new deal was made, it being expected that the old directors, who failed to direct, will step aside and make way for the men who promise to and will do things.

**Officers Pioneer Stock Men.**  
At that meeting Frank Brown, of Carlton, was elected president, William Pollman, of Baker, vice-president, and E. L. Potter, of Corvallis, secretary. The following board of directors was chosen: Henry Thlissen, Sweetwater, Idaho; C. L. Hawley, McCoy; P. H. Roribrock, Spokane, Wash.; A. H. Dunn, Wapato, Wash.; E. A. Koser, Bicknell, Or.; O. V. Battles, Yakima, Wash.; A. C. Ruby, Portland; Thomas Carmichael, Gaston; Ray Fox, Lyons; Edward Carey, Carlton; Matt McDougall, Portland; George C. Gue, Yakima, Wash.; and C. C. Berkeley, Hay Creek, Or.  
These names were not selected or hand-picked for a slate, but were named by the members of the livestock fraternity and their friends at the banquet. But if you will take the trouble to scan the list, you will find many of the first stockmen in the three states of the list and men loyal towards a great annual livestock show at Portland.

**O. M. Plummer General Manager.**  
The stockmen went down into their pockets and dug up money enough to start the mill grinding. An office was selected yesterday morning (room 431 Northwestern National Bank building), desks, typewriters and other paraphernalia moved in and by mid-afternoon the office had an old familiar look of successful business.  
O. M. Plummer was selected as manager and told to prepare a budget for next fall, for the greatest livestock show ever held in the Pacific Northwest. It is proposed to have the show next year under its own roof and neither cattle nor visitors will plod around in mud.

## INFLUENZA CASES FEWER

CHILDREN HAVING COLDS ARE BARRED FROM SCHOOL.

Quarantine of Cases Proceeds Under Direction of City Health Bureau.

Portland schools will not be closed because of the influenza epidemic, but children who are out with colds, coughs or other indications of influenza will not be permitted after today to go back until after the holidays. This was announced yesterday following a conference between Superintendent Grout and City Health Officer Parrish. Only four school days remain before vacation time.

More than 200 children applied to the City Health Bureau yesterday for permission to return to school after being out with a cold or "flu." Diagnosis in such cases is extremely difficult, and because of the fact that influenza is most contagious after the fever leaves, it was decided to keep the children at home for a few days to avoid danger of further outbreaks of the epidemic among school children.  
Epidemic reports for Monday indicated that the disease may at last be under control. Covering 48 hours, 150 cases and 18 deaths were recorded. This is well under last week's record.

## BAD BOY STUDY PLANNED

MAYOR BAKER NAMES COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE.

Increase in Petty Thefts Is Attributed to Lads Seeking Adventure.

Portland's bad boy problem is to receive the special attention of the best thinkers the city can boast. This was assured yesterday by the appointment by Mayor Baker of five men who are to investigate the matter from every angle and to make a complete report with recommendations to the city.  
C. C. Colt, head of the Boy Scout movement; Dr. John H. Boyd, ex-Mayor Albee, Chief of Police Johnson and Rabbi Wise were named. In addition, these five are to select two mothers, who will deal with the problem from the "mother angle."

The rapidly increasing number of thefts and cases of petty larceny reported to police and ascribed to boys of the ages 12 to 15 has prompted the inquiry, according to Mayor Baker.  
"The men I have named," said Mayor Baker, "are all practical men—they will have had intimate contact with the boy problem in some form or other. They should be able to survey the field and recommend action along some definite corrective line."

## FINANCES NOW SOUGHT

Portland Expected to Be Liberal Toward Homes Movement.

The finance committee of the Portland "own your home" campaign will meet this afternoon in the offices of the United States National Bank to organize for important work now organized in connection with the big community betterment project.  
Fred H. Strong, chairman of the committee, is convinced that Portland will be liberally disposed toward the movement.

## MOVING PICTURE NEWS



Enrico Caruso in "My Cousin" at the Peoples Theater.

**TODAY'S FILM FEATURES.**  
Star—Wallace Reid, "Carmen."  
Sunset—Douglas Fairbanks, "The Good Bad Man."  
Liberty—"The Romance of Tarzan."  
Columbia—"The Callaux Case."  
People's—Enrico Caruso, "My Cousin."  
Majestic—Will Rogers, "Laughing Bill Hyde."  
Globe—Pauline Frederick, "Zaza."  
Circus—Douglas Fairbanks, "Reaching for the Moon."

**Miss Frederick to Return to Stage.**  
PAULINE FREDERICK, who has won so many laurels during her four years' reign as a moving picture star, will return to the stage, according to an announcement made in New York. Miss Frederick signed a contract with A. H. Woods, under whose direction she will open in a New York theater next Labor day in a new play written by Willard Mack, entitled "Lady Tony."

**Thomas Ince to Occupy New Studio.**  
Thomas H. Ince, the famous moving picture producer, will enter another epoch of his career Christmas, when he and his companies will occupy the new \$250,000 studio, which has just been completed at Culver City.

Experience evidently was a good teacher for Marguerite Clark, for during the time that she was enjoying her first honeymoon in Washington she was called home three or four times.  
Eighteen months ago Mr. Ince severed his connections with the Triangle Film Corporation, and made headquarters at Culver City for temporary working quarters at the old Biograph Studio in Los Angeles. During his occupancy of these temporary quarters he has made some very notable successes of the screen, and it is said that during that time he has been working under a handicap.

**Arbuckle Has New Ingenue.**  
Winifred Westover, one of the most talented of ingenues, has been engaged for Fatty Arbuckle's new comedy which follows "Coming Out," soon to be released.  
Miss Westover will have an important role, which is in fact the feminine lead, in the new production. Doubtless will prove an added attraction. She has had a long and varied experience in movies, having starred in several Fine Arts productions and worked with William Russell and other well-known screen favorites. She is a blonde of the ingenue type and is said to be very attractive.  
Mr. Arbuckle is said to be delighted at having secured her for the new picture, which, according to reports, will be entirely novel in character, and a thoroughly entertaining comedy.

**"Tarzan" Presented in Chorus.**  
The song called "Tarzan," which was written by Henry B. Murtagh, organist at the Liberty Theater, was presented to the Portland public Monday night, as a community chorus attending the showing of "The Sequel to Tarzan," the excellent photoplay offering which is at the Liberty Theater this week.

**Republicans Are to Meet.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—A bill permitting all men who served in the Nation's fighting forces during the war to retain their uniforms after they are mustered out was passed today by the House and sent to the Senate.  
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Sheriff Hurlburt Accepts Opinion and Puts Matter Up to County Commissioners.

distribution of Government-owned arms is made at the discretion of the Governor.  
**Molalla Boy Arrested.**  
OREGON CITY, Dec. 16.—(Special.)—Loveidge Astell, a young man 19 years of age, who lives with his father

near the mouth of the Molalla River, was arrested Sunday night by Sheriff Wilson on a charge of burglary.  
It is alleged that the boy broke into the house of William Welch and took a phonograph and some records. On Saturday night, it is charged, he broke into the Batten candy store at Canby and secured a large amount of candy and merchandise. Sunday night, it is alleged, he entered the P. L. McKinney house with a skeleton key. William Herman, a neighbor, noticed the boy, and called the sheriff.  
He admitted that he had stolen a bicycle at Corvallis. The boy has been in the reform school and he will be given a hearing Tuesday.

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