WILL OPEN SUNDAY

Toilers May Visit Exposition on That Day.

GOODE DECIDES QUESTION

"Trail" Will Be Closed, but Machinery Will Revolve-The Museums. Art Palaces and Restaurants Will Be Kept Open.

President Goode authorizes the annonneement of the decision of the executive board in the matter of Sunday opening. The Exposition will be closed in the morning until 12 o'clock, and open in the afternoons from that hour until 11 P. M. During these hours the buildings will be open and the machinery running. Amusement features on the Trail will be closed. Restaurants will be open. Boats will eail and there will be concerts by famous bands and whatever else is entirely proper in a public park will be permitted. The best essentials of the Exposition will be

It is believed that the decision of this question is such as to satisfy the just claims of all sections of the interested public. The decision has been reached after due consideration of pleas and coun-ter-pleas, and it is believed that no essential principle has been compromised in the tial principle has been compromised in the plan now determined upon. It is not ex-pected that the plan will entirely satisfy the extremists on either side. It is ex-pected that it will satisfy all reasonable onen who have any knowledge of the diffi-culties involved in rendering a just and right decision in so important a ques-tion.

Concerning this subject, President Goode said yesterday: All May See Fair.

"The class of people who, by reason of environment and occupation, are unable to visit the Exposition on the six business days of the week, will have a full oppor-tunity to enjoy the best essentials of the Exposition on Sunday. The Exposition will be kept open and in operation, dem-

will be kept open and in operation, dem-onstrations will take place, works of pro-cesses and moving parts will go on ex-actly as on the other days of the week. Every exhibitor will be encouraged, if not required, to make his display just as inrequired, to make his display just as in-teresting on Sunday as on any other day.

"While the Trail, especially those amusements contrary to the spirit of the Sabbath, will be closed, it is considered that with the attractions of an art gal-lery of masterpleces, music of the most acceptable kind, the immense group of exhibits called from the best the buse.

exhibits culled from the best the busy world can effer, the magnificent buildings,

The educational values of the Fair will be emphasized on Sunday, and in this the committee on congresses and conferences will co-operate. This committee has just been appointed by President Goode, and is composed of the following gentlemen: Dr. J. R. Wilson chairman: W. G. Elled, Jr., secretary; W. L. Brewster, W. W. Cotton, Dr. E. P. Hill, Richard W. Montague, Dr. Stephen S. Wise.
This committee has three distinct func-

This committee has three distinct func tions: To arrange for certain congresses and conferences to be held under the auspices of this committee, and to be held consecutively or nearly so, beginning in the latter part of August and leatter. lasting through September. The ings will be held on week days. These meet-

Religious Services.

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To co-ordinate with our local organizations and needs such National or other large conferences of a similar character as may have chosen Portland and the period of the Exposition as their place and time of meeting. The conferences under this second bead will also meet on week days. To arrange for religious services to be held in the Auditorlum at the Exposition on Sunday afternoons during the period of the Exposition of Sunday afternoons during the period of the Exposition of Sunday afternoons during the period of the Exposition of Sunday afternoons during the period of the Exposition of Sunday afternoon of the sunday afternoon of a sunday afternoon of the sunday afternoon of the sunday afternoon of the sunday afternoon

committee. For the regular Sunday afternoon service, this committee will endeavor to secure the host distinguished preachers of the country.

Of the National or other large conferences which this committee proposes to co-ordinate in some measure with our local needs may be mentioned. The National Conference of Charities and Correction, National Labrary Association, the American Medical Association, the American Medical Association, the Oregon Historical Society, in conjunction with the Oregon Historical Society; the Oregon State Bar Association, and the Pacific Coast Indian Institute.

Of those conferences which will be more completely under the auspices and control of this committee, the following are being arranged for: Educational, Civic, Science, Labor and Capital.

The plans for the Educational Conference are now well advanced. A general meeting of Oregon educators was called

ence are now well advanced. A general meeting of Oregon educators was called by this committee, through a circular letter, at which meeting there was a considerable attendance. At that meeting a committee was appointed to select a committee of 17 educators, who in turn were empowered to select from their number an executive committee of seven. The committee of 17 is constituted as follows:

Educators Will Participate.

County Superintendents-C. L. Starr, of Polk County; J. C. Zinser, of Clackamas County; J. H. Copeland, of Columbia County; E. E. Bragg, of Union County. Representing colleges-President P. L. Campbell, of the State University, and President W. N. Ferrin, of Pacific Uni-

versity.

Representing public schools-Frank
Rigler and D. A. Grout, of Multnomah County.

Representing the executive boards of the Eastern and Western divisions of the State Teachers' Association—E. E. Churchill, of Baker City, and B. F. Mul-key, of Ashland.

State Superintendents-J. H. Ackerman, State Superintendents—1. It. Accerman, of Oregon; Hon, R. B. Bryan, of Washington; Miss Mae E. Scott, of Idaho, and the State Superintendent of Montana; also the presidents of the State Teachers!

Associations of Washington, Idaho and Montana. The executive committee of seven,

The executive committee of seven, chosen from the committee of II just named, is composed as follows: J. H. Ackerman, chairman; J. C. Zinser, secretary: W. N. Ferrin, treasurer; R. B. Bryan, Miss Mae E. Scott, D. A. Grout and the State Superintendent of Montana.

The work of the Educational Conference will be divided into a number of departments, the principal ones of which are as follows: Kindergarten, elementary are as follows: Kindergarten, elementary advantage as follows: Rimorgarous, semestary education, secondary education, colleges and universities, normal schools, industrial education, art in the schools, the teaching of ethics in the schools, the rural high school and the grouping of rural righ schools and the grouping of rural schools, the Pacific Coast in rela-tion to education in trans-Pacific coun-tries, libraries in schools, the rights of teachers, general educational problems. The Educational Conference will be purticipated in by the teachers of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, and will probably be attended by from 2000 to 3000 teachers. For this Baucational Con-ference, with its various departments, as well as for all other of those conferences which shall be bed under the disease. exhibits culled from the Dest in world can effer, the magnificent buildings, the architectural beauty of these buildings, pardens and terraces challenging the secule glories of the landscape of Guild's Lake and the peninsula, the illumination of the evening and other features, the highest aspirations of all who come to behold it will be aroused."

Educational Conferences.

The educational values of the Fair will be emphasized on Sunday, and in this the emphasized on Sunday, and in this the emphasized on Sunday, and in this the latendance of those whom the committee has decided to invite.

THE "CRISIS AT SALEM."

C. E. S. Wood to Address People's Forum on Live Topic.

C. E. S. Wood will speak tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the People's Forum, First street, near Hall, on the "Crisis at Sa-lem." Mr. Wood was to have spoken on "Peace and War," but believing that the proposed action of the Legislature called for immediate protest on the part of the citizenship of the state, against the pos-sible invasion of the people's rights, Mr. Wood has changed his subject at the last

NEW LAW IN ACTION he cannot be indicted for aron for burn half own building. Altogether it is puzzling question.

First Arrest Made on Prohibition Measure.

MAY BE MADE A TEST CASE

Montavilla Roadhouse Keeper Is Charged With Selling Glass of Beer in Dry District_Has Unaxpired County License.

The first criminal case for the violation of the prohibition iaw has made its appearance. Captain Herman Schneider keeper of a roadhouse at Montavilla, is the accused. An information was filed against him in the State Circuit Court yesterday, signed by District Attorney John Manning. The complainant is S. B.

John Manning. The complainant is 8. 8. Martin, who affirms that he bought a glass of beer in Captain Schneider's resort one day this month.

Captain Schneider has a county license which does not expire until June. The information recites the fact that the majority of the voters in Montavilla precinct cast their ballots at the November desting to prohibit the sale of intoxicalection to prohibit the sale of intoxica-ing liquore, and that it is now unlawful o sell liquors, beer or wine in Monta-

villa precinct.

The license held by Captain Schneider is no protection. Under the law he can apply to the County Court to refund the amount due for the unexpired period. It is understood that this is to be a test case, and that the Liquor Dealers' will fight the battle for Captain

ARSON CASE IS PUZZLING.

Indictment Quashed and Charge Ordered Under Different Section.

The indictment against A. B. Coon, B. The indictment against A. B. Coon, B. Miller and J. B. Batchelor, charging them with attempting to commit arson, in setting fire to a building at the corner of Fifth and Madison streets, about two months ago, was quashed by Judge George yesterday. This action was taken on the ground that the indictment would not hold under section 1739 of the statute, under which the indictment was drawn. The section reads as follows:

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"If any person shall wilfully and maliciously burn in the night time any dwelling-house of another, or shall, in the
night time, wilfully or maliciously set
fire to any building owned by himself or another, by the burning whereof any dwelling-house of another shall be burned in the night time, such person shall be deemed guilty of arson, and upon convic-tion thereof shall be punished by impris-

tion thereof shall be punished by impris-onment in the penitentiary not less than ten nor more than 20 years."

The indictment specifically charged that the defendants "attempted to set fire in the night time to the dwelling-house of another," to wit, Fred Westerfelder. He does not live in the house which was leased by "loon and his wife for lodging-Judge George, in striking out the indict-

ment, held "that dwelling-house of an-other" means the place of abode of an-other. The house where the fire occurred was the abode of Coon, and not of "an-

erty of another, and not their dwelling-house, an indictment would not lie, but must be under section 1782, which pro-vides as follows:

"If any person shall wilfully and mali-clously, burn any building whatsoever of another, other than those specified in sec-tions 179-1790. such person, upon

tions 173-1780, auch person, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary not less than one nor more than ten years."

The court referred the case back to the

SAYS CHARGE WAS FALSE. P. F. Wallace Sues Officials on

Grounds of False Imprisonment. Suit against the Orient Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., Chief of Police pany of Hartford Conn. Chief of Police Hunt and L. C. Hartman, detective, for \$20,600, for false imprisonment, was filed in the State Circuit Court resterday by P. F. Wallace. The complaint recites that the insurance company carried a policy for \$500 on goods owned by R. Nudelman. On June 26, \$804, it is alleged that Wallace. Nudelman and Ben Rykus were arrested on a charge of arson for burning the goods. Wallace asserts that he was inno-cent of the charge, but nothwithstanding goods. Wallace asserts that he was another cent of the charge, but nothwithstanding he was confined in the city jail and county jail and was driven through the streets in the patrol wagon. Wallace further states that when he demanded a trial he was liberated, because there was no evidence against him, and he now

THREE WANT DIVORCES

Mismated Couples Seek Legal Release From Marriage Bonds.

James L. Coquillette has sued Mirry Coquillette for a divorce in the State Circuit Court, in Polk County, for desertion. The defendant is running a tamale stand in Portland, and was served with the papers by Deputy Sheriff Downey.

Thomas M. Harkins, a pressman, in the employ of the Irwin-Hodson Company, has been sued for a divorce in the Superior Court at Aberdeen, Wash, because of desertion and failure to provide. Deputy Sheriff Cordano served the papers.

Deputy Sheriff Parrott yesterday served papers in a divorce suit filed in Spokane by Addle J. Giles vs. Robert J. Giles.

FREIGHT MEN TO VISIT FAIR.

Western Classification Committee Will Meet Here in July.

One more large and important conention has been arranged for Portland for 1905, and this time through the efforts of the local freight officers of the railroads.

of the ruilroads.

S. G. Fulton, assistant general freight agent of the Northern Pacific, yesterday received a notice from F. O. Becker, chairman of the executive committee of the Western classification committee of traffic men, stating that it had been decided at the last meeting of the committee to accept the invitation of the freight department here to make this the meeting place of the general committee for the present year. The convention will be held in Potland on the third Tuesday in July. The Western classification committee, of Chicago, is one of the large and The western classification commit-tee, of Chicago, is one of the large and representative bodies of the railroad world. It is composed of traffic repre-sentatives from all the principal lines of the United States, and has to do with the classification of all freight

business handled by the roads.

The meeting will bring a large number of well-known traffic officials of the country to Portland to confer regard to the classification of the freight, to decide upon rates to be charged for different commodities and to settle other questions of like

USED NAME OF ANOTHER

Man Arrested for Attaching Cartoon ist's Name to Checks.

A man giving the name of H. J. Murphy was arrested yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Wendorf, at Park and Washington streets, and lodged in the City Jall on a charge of forgery. He is alleged to have passed two checks for \$14.50 each, drawn on the First National Bank, and to which the name of The Oregonian was forged. The bogus paper was passed at the saloon of Colonel Harvey, 71 Sixth, and the Court Bar, \$8 Sixth. One check was made payable to Harry Murphy, of The Oregonian art department.

Partnership to Manage Concert Tours.

Miss Lois Steers and Miss Wynn Coman Form The Federal grand jury adjourned yes-

NO NEW FINDINGS

Uneventful Week.

without having returned any new indictments or having given evidence of life other than leaving the room when the work of the day was ended.

But few witnesses were examined through the day, and it would appear from the indications that at least one line of the investigation has been completed, and there is a lull before some other investigation is taken up.

Mr. Heney is becoming anxious to return to San Francisco, and it is thought that but few more questions will be examined before the jury is adjourned until the March term. It is the opinion that the labors of the body will be ended by the last of this month, and the nen will be dismissed. It is thought, however, that dismissed. It is thought, however, that there have been many indictments voted, but that these will not be returned to the court until the end of the session.

The jury will reconvene on Monday morning at 19 o'clock. MAYOR VETOES ASSESSMENT. Holds City Should Not Pay for Im-

provement of Railroad Property. Mayor Williams yesterday vetoed the clause assessing the city \$1500 for street improvement in the vicinity of the Jefferson-street depot, declaring that the ground is not the property of the city, but of the railroad company.

The Mayor explains that title was passed to the railroad as a result of a court decree now on record. Originally the property was dedicat-The Mayor explains that title was passed to the railroad as a result of a court decree now on record.

Originally the property was dedicated to the city for use as a public wharf, but in 1895 the Legislature granted its use to the Williamette Valley Railroad Company as a depot. It has been generally understood, that the city owned the property, aithough the railroad company was deriving the benefit from its use. Now that the matter of assessing the property for street improvements has come up, officials protested against the injustice of holding the city responsible. Mayor Williams yet followed and, in all probability, the Southern Pacific Company, which is using the property, will be held up for the assessment.

New York, Aug. 12, '02.

New York.

Gentlemen—You are herewith requested to ship the concert grand Number 104,000, purchased this morning by me from you by express to Vancouver. R. C. It is essential that the piano be salpped Thursday, August 14, to catch the steamer leaving Vancouver on the 22d, in order to be in reading to take my Beckstein grand plano from my London residence, and allow me a take my Beckstein grand plano from my London residence, and allow me a tribe grand just hought from you.

This being my third purchase of your grands is a fact which speaks eloquently for itself, and I reiterate what I said in 1895 regarding the superexcellence of yeur product, and can only add that it is incomprehensibe to me how an artist or anybody who is able

Covert Jackets.

The new large sleeve. You cannot see them at other stores because they have to wait until the Kastern fellow can get them made and shipped out here. We manumase and supped out here. We manufacture our garments here in Portland, strictly up to the latest calls of fashion, so you can set the correct thing at once. They are elegant jackets, tailor shrunk, won't spot. Easy payments if you desire, Il per week.

THE J. M. ACHESON COMPANY.
Fifth and Alder Streets.

ish Women next Wednesday afternoon Miss Judith Solis-Cohen will give a short character sketch entitled "The Neshummed." There will also be other attractions of the sketch tive numbers on the programme. Selling-Hirsch Hall, 2:45.

When You See It in Our Ad. It's So.

Our CLEARANCE

SALE ends Tuesday

Night. It will pay you

to take advantage of

the many MONEY-

SAVING opportuni-

ties in our BOYS' and

CHILDREN'S De-

partment.

Federal Grand Jury Ends an JAILBIRDS CANNOT SMOKE.

Chief Hunt Orders Police Captains to Keep Tobacco Out of Cells.

ago, and it was supposed it was being observed to the strict letter. In his note yesterday, however, the Chief stated that the jailer had informed him he had found many packages of to-bacco, old pipes, cigarette stumps and novels lying about the cells. Hance the new order, which was not entirely pleasing to the captains, who state that "trusties" frequently obtain by clandestine means forbidden things for terday afternoon until Monday morning without having returned any new indict-

> Robbers at Work in Montavilla. Highwaymen attempted to rob Fred Metzger, deliveryman for a Montavilla, mest company, late Friday night, but he expected to pay at Calef Bros.' drove away from them. He says they fired two shots at him. Olsen's butcher

Madame Melba

Steinway & Sons

New York, 1895.

Messrs. Steinway & Sons,
New York, N. Y.
Gentlemen—I have known your
planes from my childhood, and have
used them wherever obtainable in my
artistic career. It gives me pleasure to
say that I prefer them to all others for
their marveluse consists of

their marvelous qualities of tone and touch, and I am delighted to add my name to the honored roll of artists, both vocal and instrumental, wao have testified to their respective merits. I am, your faithfully, NELLIE MELBA.

New York, Aug. 12, '92.

add that it is incomprehensibe to me how an artist or anybody who is able to afford the best can choose anything but a Steinway. NELLIE MELBA.

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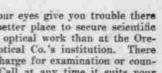
A humorous story, "Billy Grace and His Present of a Go-Devil." published in the last lasue of The Sunday Oregonian, should have been credited to its author, E. A. McDaniel and to the Baker City Democrat, from which paper it was copied. The omission of proper credit was entirely unintentional.

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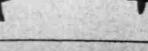
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PORTLAND YOUNG WOMEN FORM PARTNERSHIP TO MANAGE CONCERT TOURS.

and Miss Wynn Coman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Coman, of this city. Madame Nordica was the first really great singer to appear in Portland and other cities of the great Northwest. She made the first tour in the season of 1801-1902 under the direction and man-agement of Miss Lois Steers. This was the inception of the present firm, for Miss Steers followed up her success with Nordica by bringing to the North-west other great musicians, and the business has broadened and been attended with such success that Miss Wynn Coman, well known to Portland society, has left a position with Mun-sey's Magazine to join Miss Steers in managing the musical events after the fashion of the greatest managers of the present day. In the charge of the present day. In the charge of these two young women, the greatest musicians known to the world will tour Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Mon-tans. Utah and British Columbia.

to the world the first firm of im-

presarios that is composed and wholly

furnished the firm's members, Miss Lois Steers, daughter of Mrs. M. H. Steers,

The amount of work involved in this undertaking is greater than most people would, on first thought, believe. To conduct successfuly a tour of one of the greatest prima donnus, to see that every detail is properly attended to to look after the musical and financial success, to attend to the requisite amount of advertising, to make arrangements with house managers, at-tend to transportation, the movements of both singer and baggage, and do the numerous other things that must be done, is no child's play, and is a task that heretofore has never been under-taken save by men who have spent years in the business.

The new firm has no fear of failure, vever. Miss Steers, since the sea-of 1901-02, has amply demonstrated fact that she knows the business ity of the trip. "At first I was appalled at the sugges-tion," says Miss Steers. "Later, however, I determined to undertake the task. Madame Nordica made the trip and made and can well attend to it. Miss Coman has had a training that will go a great way toward guaranteeing the success of the firm. Both have the re-quired amount of business ability, enit successfully."

1. is was the first time Portland people

While there are still four events to be toured by the firm before the close of the present season, preparations have already commenced for next year's work, which will be of large proportions. Under the management of these two women, the Northwest will see as many world-renowned singers and musicians next year as may be seen in New York.

Miss Steers began the business at the top, Her art managerial attempt was with Nordica.

When Miss Steers was in New York in the Spring of 1981. Madams Nordica's manager and Gadeki. These have all appeared in the Northwest since the season of 1901-2 sembrich, the Kneisel quartet, De Lossen, two tours with Gabrilowitsch, Harold Pauer, Josef Hofmann, Lillian Blauvelt, the Spiering quartet and Gadeki. These have all appeared in the Northwest since the season of 1901-2 under the management of Miss Steers varied that the prima donna make. While there are still four events to be had a chance of hearing one of the world's

directed by women. Not only has the West given the world the firm, but it has

New Firm of Impressarios

MISS LOIS STEERS.

MISS WYNN COMAN. Miss Steers to undertake the responsibil- | gan to convince Miss Steers that she need. | work she is undertaking. She is a Ported a partner in the business. She com-municated with Miss Coman. The deal New York to enter the journalistic field, was consummated, and on October 1, last, Prior to that time she had served an apmunicated with Miss Coman. The deal was consummated, and on October i, last, Miss Coman gave up her position as associate editor of Munsey's Magazine and started on a journey West. Miss Steem met her in Montana. Together they journeyed over all the territory covered by the tours. It was not announced at that time that a participation.

time that a partnership had been formed, but such was the case, and the announce-ment has now been made. The first work of the new firm will be management of these two women, the Northwest will see as many world-renowned singers and musicians next year as may be seen in New York.

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When Miss Steers was in New York in the Epring of 1391, Madame Nordica's mannager suggested that the prima donna make a trip through the Northwest, and asked.

The first work of the new firm will be to carry out the programme for the present season. De Pachmann is to come in February David Bispham in March, the first work of the new firm will be to carry out the programme for the present season. De Pachmann is to come in February David Bispham in March, the Kneisel quartet in April and Kreisler in May. These people are to be toured by the firm throughout the Northwest district. And while this is going on the preparations for next year will be made.

Miss Coman has had an experience, as has been stated, that fits her for the new merit-applauding public.

prenticeship on The Oregonian. She en-tered the office of the New York Journal, posite to Miss Steers, Miss Coman began at the bottom But she did not stay at the bottom long.

She was rapidly raised in rank, became a reader, later an associate editor and as-

worked there for a short time, then joined the forces of Mumey's Magazine, working as manuscript clerk for 86 per week. Op-

Council of Jewish Women.