

INDUSTRIAL PARADE

Industrial Parade Will Be Rose Festival Feature.

LEAGUE MAY GIVE BACKING

Manufacturers' Association Has Been Asked to Take Charge of Plans for "Spirit of the Golden West" Pageant.

Efforts to secure the backing of the strongest industrial agency in the Pacific Northwest for the "Spirit of the Golden West" parade of the Rose Festival are under way. The Manufacturers' Association of the Northwest, with headquarters in Portland, and which represents jobbing business whose annual output is worth many millions, held a meeting a few nights ago and decided to make this particular festival parade the special order of business for a session to be held at room 212, Chamber of Commerce Building, next Tuesday night. At this time the board of directors will listen to the suggestions and recommendations from the various individual members of the organization with regard to the general scope of its participation. Officials of the rose festival have been invited to attend this meeting and to come prepared to give details of the actual cost of different styles of floats that are to appear and to supply the board with such additional data as will be needed in outlining the association's activity.

Thirty Firms Apply.

Success of the procession which is to demonstrate the progress of the whole Northwest is already assured. Applications from more than 30 business houses in the city, including wholesale and retail houses, factories, department stores, implement houses, nurseries, transfer companies, etc., have been received, and a comprehensive list of other concerns has been received, and pen-and-ink sketches for float designs for the applicant are being drawn by a local artist.

To add impetus to this feature of the festival programme, L. F. Weaver, manager of the Studebaker Bros., Northwest, has donated the free use of 21 wagons, which will be stripped to their beds and made ready for the mounting of such floats as the association will be called upon to provide as its part of the display. In addition to this, the Studebaker Company has promised to enter a complement of its vehicles suitably decorated and embellished in this parade, with entries in the regular decorated horse and carriage parade.

Oregon City is the first outside town which has taken definite action to participate. At the last meeting of the Commercial Club a special committee was appointed to take the matter up with the festival after a unanimous vote to enter a float in the parade had been taken. This committee will meet with the festival management early this week.

Traveling Men Help.

In order to get the whole Northwest aroused, the festival has several schemes in mind. It is working through the two great traveling salesmen's organizations, the U. C. T. and the T. P. A. Each member is being urged, through letters to the officers of the organizations to enlist the support of the out-of-town merchants with whom they deal. In addition to this, the festival will make a strong appeal to the municipal governments of every important community in the three States of Oregon, Washington and Idaho. California will also be asked to assist. The heads of the 90 out-of-town improvement clubs of the Oregon Development League will receive individual invitations to make a speech at the numerous bodies that has taken the matter up.

"Everybody can help us in the movement," said Mr. Hoyt yesterday. "We are working along a good many lines, but we can easily realize the importance of the personal appeal in making this part of our next celebration the greatest procession that ever passed through the streets of any city in the West. There is no shop so humble that it may not find a place in this parade, and we want all the great, big men, the captains of industry who are making Portland bigger and bigger every day, to assist. While this particular function will appeal to the spectator as an advertising scheme, we expect to make it the most imposing spectacle the Pacific Coast has ever known. And we can do it if everybody will pitch in and help. Portland will receive a strong impetus from the late A. Y. P. Exposition, and now is our opportunity to perpetuate the good work thus begun.

"In all the phases of the rose festival work that I have had anything to do with this appeals to me as being the finest chance for showing the world our business, financial and industrial stamina."

BAR WILL DINE JURISTS

Large Attendance Expected at Banquet on Thursday Night.

What promises to be one of the most notable gatherings of members of the bench and bar in this state will be held in this city Thursday night. It is the occasion of the complimentary dinner which will be given under the auspices of the Multnomah Bar Association in honor of Judge George H. Williams and the members of the Oregon Supreme Court, who are Chief Justice Moore and Associate Justices McBride, Eakin, Slater and King. The banquet will be held at the Portland Commercial Club, beginning at 7 p. m. Aside from paying honor to Oregon's most distinguished citizen, Judge Williams, the purpose of the banquet is to bring together the lawyers of the state and promote their acquaintance with the members of the Appellate Court. Every lawyer in the state is invited to attend. Many of the prominent members of the bar throughout

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The state have notified the committee on arrangements that they will come. "If nothing unexpected happens, I shall attend the banquet on the 17th inst.," was the brief note of acceptance of the invitation by Judge Williams which was received yesterday by W. M. Davis, chairman of the banquet committee. Lionel R. Webster, ex-county judge, has consented to preside as toastmaster. The speakers and the toasts to which they will respond will be:

"The Nestor of the Oregon Bar," Judge Williams; "The Supreme Court," Associate Justice McBride; "The Federal Court," United States Judge Bean; "Nial Prius," Circuit Judge Gaten; "The County Court," County Judge Cleaton; "The Circuit Rider," Judge W. L. Bradshaw, of The Dalles. The members of the banquet committee were selected from the membership of the standing entertainment committee of the bar association, and are: Sam White, C. G. Murphy, E. E. Heckbert, John F. Cahalin, Ernest W. Hardy and W. M. Davis.

SINGER TO DEPICT MISER

Scene From Opera Will Be Given at Benefit Tomorrow.

One of the most melodious of modern French comic operas—and a comic opera that really is one—is "The Belle of Cornville." It is well known in Europe, but not so well known on the Pacific Coast. It is prodigal with joyous airs that haunt the listener, and



Marion de la Parelle, Bartone, who will sing at Woman's Club Benefit.

its dramatic action is unusually stirring. The chief character is Gaspard, a miser, a miser, repellant from nearly every standpoint demands the highest dramatic and vocal ability on the part of the impersonator to make it acceptable to the public.

The great scene, laid in the Castle of Cornville, when the old miser is gloating over his gold and later goes crazy upon hearing the castle chiming ring out, is worthy of a place in the best class of opera. Critics who have heard and seen Marion de la Parelle portray this scene have pronounced his ring out, is worthy of a place in the best class of opera. Critics who have heard and seen Marion de la Parelle portray this scene have pronounced his conception of the character of the miser to be the finest on the American stage. He will be seen at the Bungalow Theater on the occasion of the Woman's Club benefit tomorrow night, March 14. Mr. de la Parelle's magnificent voice adds to the excellence of the work and in the solo, "Love, Honor, Happiness," he has the opportunity to carry out the full portrayal of the character assumed.

SUNDAY IS A FIRST-RATE TIME

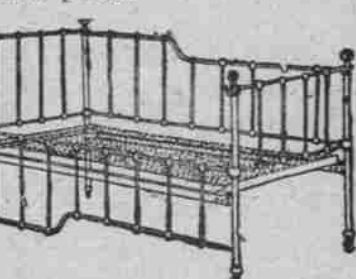
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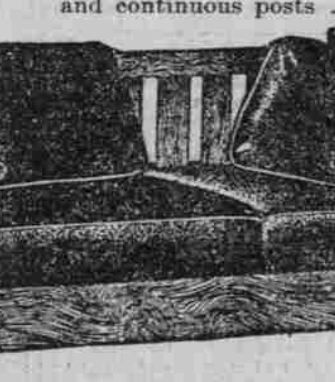
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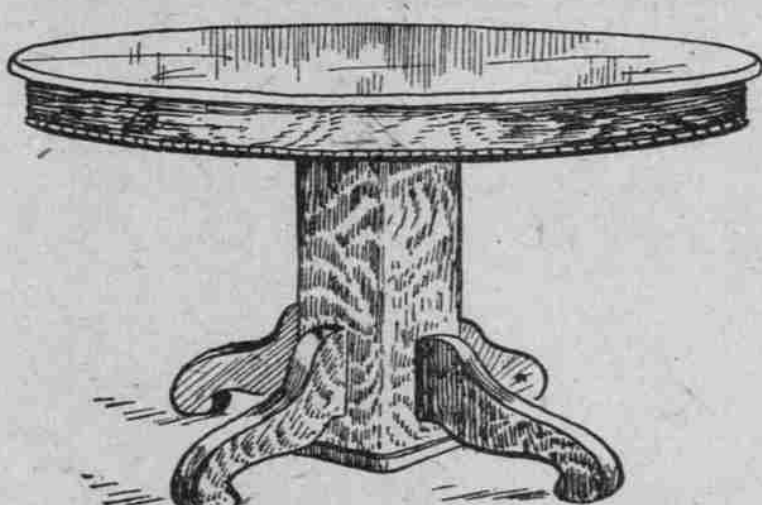
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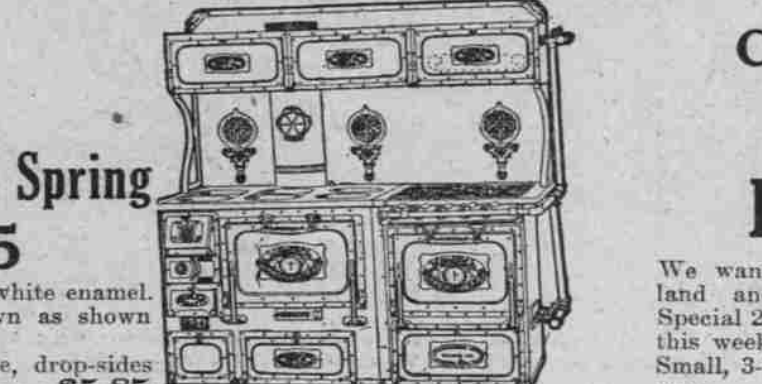
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CAUSE MAKES GAIN

Laymen's Movement Has Hold in 75 Cities.

MISSION FUNDS TREBLED

Registration of 2000 Delegates for Portland Convention Will Take Place Today in All Protestant Churches.

Portland is one of 75 of the largest cities in the United States in which the Laymen's Missionary Movement will hold, or has held, conventions. The movement began last October and since that time interest has been constantly increasing until the big campaign for foreign missions has taken hold in every part of the United States. The party of religious workers who are conducting the meetings is now in California. The Portland convention is to be held March 20, 21 and 22. The original aim of the present campaign, according to a statement made by the leaders in the movement, was to cover 50 of the largest cities of America and to culminate in a National Missionary Congress in Chicago next May. The interest, however, proved to be so great that the number of cities was increased to 75.

Campaign Began in October.

The campaign began the middle of last October with a men's convention in Buffalo, at which the committee aimed to have present 1000 men as delegates. There were less than 300 men in which to organize the campaign, and 1200 men registered. That convention was followed by a similar gathering at Cleveland, when more than 1000 men sat down to the opening dinner, and others who made application could not be accommodated. These conventions were followed by 15 others in the Eastern States between Oc-

tober and Christmas, the total attendance of delegates aggregating 15,352. In most cases the number of men who attended the opening dinner was only limited by the seating capacity.

In nearly all cities where the movement has been launched, subscriptions to foreign missions have been greatly increased. In Buffalo where the churches had given \$3,000 to foreign missions last year, \$100,000 was pledged for this year. In Cleveland the increase was fixed from \$30,000 to \$100,000. Richmond, Washington and other cities followed these examples, the donations in nearly all cases being at least doubled.

An interesting point about this is that the goal the men themselves have set during the enthusiasm of the conventions has been reached after the conventions closed. For instance Buffalo has already underwritten its full \$100,000. Cleveland has so far reached \$140,000; Richmond has gone beyond its goal of \$20,000, and Washington, D. C., has exceeded \$100,000, its objective point.

Delegates Register Today.

The speaker in Portland will be J. Campbell White, National secretary of the movement. He is regarded as one of the greatest authorities in the world on missions. Reservations for this banquet, as well as the securing of delegates, is to be made in all the Protestant evangelic churches of Portland this morning. One layman in each congregation will be in charge of the matter, and it is believed that the full registration of 2000 delegates will be reached. The laymen who distribute the registration cards will report to W. A. Lovett, local secretary, at the headquarters, room 227 Board of Trade building, so that it will probably be several days before it will be known if the goal was reached at the first attempt.

The Laymen's Movement is to be a matter of discussion tomorrow morning at the various ministerial meetings. The clerks are thoroughly in accord with the campaign and will assist it in many ways.

Councilman in Liquor Case. MOSCOW, Idaho, March 12.—(Special.)

Charles L. McCarter, proprietor of a drug store, who was arrested on complaint of Sheriff Robbins, charging him with selling liquor without a county and state license, was arraigned yesterday in the Probate Court and pleaded not guilty.

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A jury trial was set for next Monday. One of the witnesses for the prosecution is J. Theodore Johnson, a member of the City Council.

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