

QUARTER CENTENNIAL OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ALBANY, COMES TOMORROW

Celebration of Important Occasion to Be Participated in by Archbishop Christie and Other Prominent Catholic Dignitaries of Oregon Who Will Be in Attendance.



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OLD ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH AT ALBANY—ESTABLISHED 25 YEARS AGO.

ALBANY, Or., Nov. 19.—(Special.)—St. Mary's Catholic Church of Albany will observe the quarter-centennial anniversary of its foundation tomorrow. Archbishop Christie and other prominent men of the Catholic Church in Oregon will participate in the silver jubilee services, and the event will be a notable one. The very reverend prior of Mount Angel, who was present when this church was dedicated 25 years ago, will be present again next Sunday, and will conduct the exercises commemorating the quarter-centennial anniversary of the church which he helped to dedicate. Archbishop Christie of Portland will deliver the quarter-centennial sermon. Members of the church from all parts of the Willamette Valley will attend the services, which will be held in St. Mary's Church tomorrow forenoon. The Albany parish was created October 2, 1885, by Archbishop Gross. The first pastor was Rev. Father Louis Metayer, who was rector of the parish continuously for 20 years. Upon his death five years ago, Rev. Father Arthur Lane became rector of the local church, and has been in charge of the parish ever since. When this parish was created a small church was erected at the corner of

Elighth and Ellsworth streets. This was replaced in 1898 by the present church, which is one of the very finest religious edifices in the state. It is a reproduction of an old abbey church in France, and is a splendid example of the Basilica style of architecture. Both the exterior and interior of the building are beautifully finished. Besides the magnificent church, the local parish has a number of splendid parochial buildings, covering a block and a half. They include St. Mary's Hospital, now one of Albany's leading

ish them the proper surroundings and examples in order to save them from the temptation which always confronts a working girl. We also have two homes in the West for children, where in six years we have cared for 12,000 cases. We take the neglected and abandoned children from the streets and if we can free them from the parental right, we place them in private homes. We believe that environment has more to do with moulding character than anything else. This in our homes for girls we remove everything that breathes of a boarding-house or institution and make of them real homes. In addition to conducting the home in Portland, the Volunteers of America work among the girls, answering calls and giving assistance and advice whenever they are needed.

FILM BAN NOT SWEEPING

CRUSADE ONLY AGAINST HARMFUL MOVING PICTURES.

Manager People's Institute Says Many Pictures Have Educational Value to Children.

In regard to the attitude of the committee which has been appointed by some of the leading women's organizations of the city to outline plans for a crusade against the moving-picture shows, Miss Valentine Prichard, one of the committee, and the director and manager of the People's Institute, makes the following statement: "I feel that something should be said on behalf of the committee in regard to this crusade. We are not going to condemn the picture shows; in fact we believe them to be educational if they are conducted along the proper lines. I am positive that when the amusement companies understand just what we are working for they will do what they can to remedy the conditions. "I speak from many years' experience as a teacher and I do think there is much educational value in the moving pictures if they have the right subject. The harm arises from the pictures which depict crime and acts of lawlessness; also pictures which verge on improper. I have personally investigated many of the picture shows in the city, and while I found the lighting and sanitation bad, I found many pictures which were really educational, but often these would be followed by something of a harmful nature. "I believe that each child is entitled to the best the world has to offer in art, literature and music, and if the parents cannot provide it, society should. "The moving pictures, I believe, would be very beneficial in the schools. Action attracts children and leaves a stronger impression on them than talking. What they see in a moving picture they never forget, and if they see something of a helpful nature, it does the child material good. "It is my wish to see this crusade go on and not alone remove harmful influences from the picture shows, but remove the harmful influences of the comic supplements of the papers, the billboards, cigar pictures, postal cards, and comic valentines."

ELKS PLEDGE \$25,000

PORTLAND LODGE GOING AFTER 1912 CONVENTION.

Business Men of City Will Be Asked to Contribute to Fund to Entertain Delegates.

By heading with \$25,000 the subscription list to be circulated for funds to bring the Grand Lodge of Elks to Portland in 1912, the Portland lodge not only broke all records, but also firmly impressed upon the people of Portland that this city is after the big gathering and great business. No other Elks' lodge in the country, and that matter it is believed, no other commercial or business organization ever effected a similar subscription to head a list for securing a grand lodge reunion. The action of the Portland Elks has served the purpose of advertising Portland on a most extensive scale, for every Elks in the United States will have been informed of the action of the members of 42, and the voting of this large sum will cause added inquiries about the bidding for the 1912 convention. The committee of 25 recently appointed to raise the fund for the entertaining of the grand lodge here in 1912, is busily engaged in arranging for a systematic campaign, which has already been launched in certain quarters, but not yet upon the scale intended. At present the committee is not seeking actual cash donations, but merely pledges from the business men of Portland, and they expect no trouble in securing the amount desired to entertain the grand lodge upon a grander scale than ever before attempted by any city in the country.

PERSONAL MENTION.

- F. J. Manning, of Amity, is at the Perkins.
- Max Wells, of Roseburg, is at the Perkins.
- R. Starr, of Seattle, is registered at the Ramapo.
- W. M. Cheshire, of Grants Pass, is at the Perkins.
- Walter M. Price, of Hot Lake, is at the Imperial.
- W. B. Sherman, of Grants Pass, is at the Oregon.
- J. D. Kier, of Dayton, is registered at the Oregon.
- T. S. Donahue, of San Francisco, is at the Ramapo.
- John M. Davis, of Eugene, is registered at the Lenox.
- Emil Peterson, of Umatilla, is registered at the Perkins.
- A. N. Rose and family, of Salem, are staying at the Portland.
- H. O. Brown, of Huntington, is registered at the Imperial.
- Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crouse, of St. Helena, are at the Lenox.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis, of Pendleton, are staying at the Oregon.
- W. L. Clark and family, of Hood River, are staying at the Cornwell.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Trullinger, of Hubbard, are staying at the Imperial.
- Gordon Forbes and A. M. Sherwood, of White Salmon, are at the Portland.
- Mrs. J. D. Gordon and Miss Langton, of Newberg, are staying at the Lenox.
- W. B. Presby and daughter, of Goldendale, are staying at the Cornwell.
- Mrs. M. A. Cachot, widow of the late Dr. M. A. Cachot, of San Francisco, who was called to the bedside of her son-in-law, is staying with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Therkelsen, 229 Eleventh street.
- Mrs. F. C. Streigl, of Portland, left Thursday evening for California, where she expects to remain a month visiting a number of friends and places of interest.
- F. L. Turvill, of Medford, left that town last week for California, where he will visit friends for a few weeks.



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DEDICATION TO BE HELD TODAY OF NEW HOME FOR WORKING GIRLS

Volunteers of America Prepared to Give a Home Under Proper Influences to Girls Who Toil for Meager Wages in the City.



THE Working Girls' Home, which was recently opened by the Volunteers of America in Portland and which will be dedicated today, is the first of its kind to be erected on the Pacific Coast by this organization, although they have many of these homes in the Eastern States. Mrs. Walter Duncan, Colonel of the Volunteers, who has charge of the work on the Pacific Coast, is in Portland from San Francisco to attend the dedication, deliver some lectures here and organize a board of business men, who, together with officers of the organization, will keep in touch with the management of the home. At the present time the home is occupied by 18 girls, which is all it will accommodate at the onset. Those in charge of the place say they have many applicants which they are unable to care for. The purpose of the home is to furnish a home under proper influences for the working girl who has a small salary, and also to shelter those who are sick or out of work. When a girl is working, she is charged \$3 a week for room and board. She also has the use of the parlor and piano. The bedrooms are large, light and airy and it is the purpose to create a real home influence for the girl away from home. Special efforts are made by the organization to get in touch with girls from the country who come to the city to work out, as it is thought these girls need advice and help. "We believe," says Mrs. Duncan, "that more good comes in preventing the ruin than in rescuing after the ruin is done. We want to get in touch with young girls who have no home and are compelled to work for a living and fur-

tenant Hans Gericks, pilot, S. F. Perkins, aide, Klakskink, Quebec, 131 miles. The Germania (Germany), Captain Hugo Von Abercorn, pilot, Herr August Blankertz, aide, Cocococache, Quebec, 187 miles. The Helveta (Switzerland), Colonel Theodore Schaeck, pilot, Paul Armbruster, aide, Ville Marie, Quebec, 85 miles. The Harburg III (Germany), Lieutenant Vogt, pilot, W. F. Assman, aide, Lake Nipissing, Ont., 76 miles. The Asuria (Switzerland), Captain Emil Messner, pilot, Leon Givaudan, aide, Biscotasing, Ont., 76 miles. The Isla de France (France), M. Alfred Le Blanc, pilot, Walter Demuth, aide, Fogamassing, Ont., 72 miles. The St. Louis No. 4 (America), H. F. Honeywell, pilot, J. W. Tolland, aide, Hillman, Mich., 62 miles. The Condor (France), M. Jacques Faure, pilot, E. G. Schmeik, aide, Twin Rivers, Wis., 43 miles.

AMERICAN CLAIMS HONOR

Hawley Insists His Balloon Flight Exceeds French Record.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Less than 22 miles separate the official distance made by Alan R. Hawley and Augustus Post in the balloon America II from being a world's record. According to official measurements received from William Welch, chief draughtsman of the War Department at Washington, the flight of Hawley and Post from St. Louis to Peribouka River in the International Cup race last month, covered a distance of 1171 1/2 miles, instead of 156 miles as reported at the time of the race.

The world's record is 1193 miles, made by Comte Henri de la Vaulx in his flight from Vincennes, France, to Korosteychew, Russia, in thirty-five and three-quarter hours.

But Hawley and Post established a new American record for balloon flights. No doubt is expressed by members of the Aero Club that the Board of Governors will accept these measurements as final when the next meeting takes place.

But Messrs. Hawley and Post do not propose to abandon claim to the world's record despite the fact that the official measurement shows the distance traveled to have been a trifle less than that heretofore accredited to Comte de la Vaulx.

The distances made by the other contestants in the International race are reported by the War Department's expert as follows: The Dusseldorf II (Germany), Lieut-

at 7 o'clock. The guests of honor will be "Bill" Warner, the Cornell All-American guard, and "Sandy" Hunt, varsity captain of the Cornell team in '08 and '09. Preparations are being made to entertain 80 members of the club. Wells Gilbert, secretary of the club, desires to receive advices from all members of the Cornell Club in Portland and vicinity who will be unable to attend the dinner.

Ice Hens in Long-Lost Steamer. SELKIRK, Man., Nov. 19.—Part of the crew of the North Fish Company's steamer Wolverine, which has been missing in Lake Winnipeg for three weeks, arrived in Selkirk today. The boat is safe at Swampy Harbor, 100 miles north, surrounded by ice. About 30 passengers and the remainder of the crew are aboard. They have an abundance of provisions. Dog trains will be sent after them.

Mary A. Calahan, principal of a public school at Birmingham, Ala., for more than 20 years, has a statue in that city in Capital Park.

Cornell Club to Dine. The annual Cornell dinner will be held at the University Club next Wednesday.

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