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WITH OREGON'S AID.

Two of the giant columns which are to be placed on the inner edge of the choir of the cathedral of St. John the Divine, on Morningside Heights says the New York Tribune, are now being prepared for shipment here at the quarry from which they were cut at Vinalhaven, Fox Island, Penobscot bay, Me., and will start on their sea voyage to this city by a steam lighter some time within a week.

Each will be shipped in two parts. Each will be 54 feet high and six feet in diameter. The lower and larger part will be 36 feet long, and will weigh about 35 tons, while the upper part will be just half that length—18 feet—and will weigh about 40 tons.

The transportation of the monoliths from the pier up the steep grade to the summit of Morningside Heights will be directed by Jones Brothers, of Boston. An engine at the top of whatever street may be chosen will haul the truck to the top. Two great sticks of Oregon pine will be sunk firmly into the ground around the foundation of the pillars, and then they can be raised and set where they are wanted.

Except the obelisk in Central park, there are no monoliths in this country equaling in size and weight the lower sections of these pillars.

THE "MIRACLE" OF THE WEST.

Those of the eastern papers that refer to western conditions at all, do so with the air of one that has just made a unique discovery. The economic use of the west, they say, is a miracle—nothing short of a miracle.

A little more knowledge of the west's resources and a little more thought on the subject of western conditions would lead these amazed discoverers to exclaim that the failure of the west to rise would be the miracle.

Here are all the natural advantages of the east, and more. And here is the pick of the eastern men, in addition to the energetic native westerner. What, then, could long retard our advance?

REFORM THAT REFORMS.

Three election judges in Chicago were found guilty of fraudulent practices in their work. Instead of being warned against future misconduct, as habitual offenders sometimes are, with simple fines they have been sentenced to imprisonment for a term of three months each, thus serving as conspicuous examples to election officers everywhere of the efficiency of well administered law as against political pull, says the Butte Inter-Mountain.

Chicago has suffered much, perhaps more than any other large city in this country with the possible exception of Philadelphia, from corruption in official life. The ability of the offenders to control the machinery of elections has

furnished them containing power as well as security against punishment. Occasional exceptions when the boodlers have been exposed and punished have gone to prove the rule rather than to abolish it. With the prosecution and punishment of those in position to give the minor crooks certificates of popular approval and authority to keep busy the work of correction appears to be applied in the right place, and in this particular instance thoroughly done. While there will be election frauds in Chicago in future, election judges will be likely to exercise their powers with new discretion and better caution.

Circulars bearing the following unique announcement were being circulated among the colored folks yesterday, says the Wilmington Star: "An Invitation: You are cordially invited to attend the funeral of our departed friend, Patsy Fennell, at St. John's Baptist church, Long Creek, the third Sunday, June 21, 1903. Funeral by Rev. Isiah Nixon. Boat leaves Market St. dock at 8 o'clock a. m. Let's honor our deceased sister. Fare for round trip, 50c. Lunches, ice cream, lemonade, will be served. Wm. Lamb, manager."

When you hear a kid on the street, yell after a gentleman who is passing, "Hey, mister, throw us that ball," and when you see the man go out of his way to do what the kid tells him, then you may be pretty sure that you're in America. In most other countries the kid wouldn't have the nerve or the man the good-nature to carry out the respective parts.

A railroad clerk in Lowell, Mass., to show his deep love for a girl, killed her sister and seriously wounded the man in whose house she was a guest. If the fashion spreads, such incidents as now attract attention to Serbia or Kentucky will pass unnoticed in a world of general trouble.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clatsop, on the 25th day of June, 1903, upon a judgment and decree rendered therein on the 22nd day of December, 1902, in an action wherein H. G. Van Dusen, administrator of the estate of A. H. Stone, deceased, was plaintiff, and against Phoebe F. Knapp, the Clatsop Mill Company, W. C. Hamlin, P. Olsen, John Hutchcroft, E. Ogelvie, and Phoebe F. Knapp, executrix of the estate of A. Knapp, deceased, were defendants, which said judgment and decree was in favor of said plaintiff and against the defendant, P. F. Knapp, as administratrix of the estate of A. Knapp, deceased, in the sum of \$1,674.00 together with interest thereon from the 22nd day of December, 1902, at the rate of eight per cent per annum until paid, together with the costs and disbursements of this suit taxed at \$20.00, and the costs of and upon this writ commanding and requiring me to make sale of the following described real property, to-wit:

The north-east one quarter (N. E. 1-4) of the south-west one quarter (S. W. 1-4) and the south-east one quarter (S. E. 1-4) of the north-west one quarter (N. W. 1-4), and lots No. one (1), and five (5), all in section No. eight (8), township No. eight (8), north of range seven (7), west of the Willamette meridian, in Clatsop county, Oregon, together with all, and singular, the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Notice is hereby given that I will, on Monday, the 3rd day of August, 1903, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in front of and at the Court House door, in the City of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the above described real property to satisfy the said judgment, interests, costs and all accruing costs.

THOS. LINVILLE, Sheriff of Clatsop county, Oregon, Astoria, Oregon, June 30, 1903.

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